Farm and Household.

Vermin on Stock.—Unless the stock is kept in good condition and cleanly, vermin are far more liable to accumulate in winter than in summer. This is not only the case in reference to hen lice, which swarm in dirty hen-roosts, and by their attacks on birds and quadrupeds worry their victims out of all growth and improvement; but certain other acari attacking the legs of horses, cattle, and sheep, often suspend active operations, ascend upon the hairs and give rise to irritation during the warm season; and it is only on the return of winter that they return to the skin and produce their characteristic form of mange. The closer and filthier the barn, the more troublesome will be these pests; while cleanliness and a wash with a weak solution of tobacco will usually put a period to their ravages. So it is with lice and ringworm, which increase in proportion to the closeness and uncleanliness of the buildings and poor condition of the animals. Animals with the least vitality usually harbor the greatest number of parasites, which speedily undermine what remaining vigor of constitution is left.

Value of Water Fowls.—It is affirmed that Americans eat fewer domestic water fowls than any civilized people in the world. It is noticeable that a very large proportion of the ducks and geese disposed of in this market are bought by foreigners. In the markets chiefly patronized by persons of American birth it is rare to find either ducks or geese. Wild ducks and geese are served in their season in most of the restaurants, but water fowl of any description is not often seen on the tables at hotels. The flesh of ducks and geese is very nutritious, and highly flavored. Its value as human food is not surpassed by any kind of 'flesh, fish, or fowl.' With a suitable supply of water on or near a farm, it is easier to raise ducks and geese than turkeys and chickens. Water fowls eat grass, and a large variety of insects and reptiles which land fowls reject. The feathers of geese and ducks are very valuable, while those of hens and chickens are scarcely worth saving. In most European countries ducks and geese are regarded as great delicacies, and the improved varieties command very high prices.—Perhaps the reason they are held in so low esteem in this country is that we have paid less attention to raising those breeds that are most valuable for the table, and have been less careful about preparing them for market. Dressed ducks and geese will keep longer than chickens and turkeys, and on this account they are less liable to injury when sent long distance to market.

Coffee Cake.—One cup of butter, one cup of sugar, one cup molasses, one cup of cold coffee, four or five cups of flour, one pound of raisins (only one and a half cups are necessary). Spice to taste.

New York Cookies.—One cup sugar, two-thirds cups of butter, one-half cup of milk, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar, one-half teaspoonful of soda, and one egg. Add flour to roll thin and cut in round cakes.

Vanities.—Beat two eggs very light; add a pinch of salt and flour enough to make a stiff paste, and kneed it smooth. Divide into twelve pieces; roll each one as thin as a wafer, and drop them in boiled lard, being careful not to let them brown. Dip them, while warm, in powdered sugar.

Potato Balls.—Bake the potatoes, mash them very nicely, make them into balls, rub them over with the yelk of an egg, and put them in the oven or before the fire to brown.—These balls may be varied by introduction of a third portion of grated ham or tongue.

Maccaroons.—The whites of three eggs beaten to a stiff froth, half a pound of cocoanut, half a pound of rolled and sifted crackers, and an even teaspoonful of extract of bitter almond. Drop them upon a greased paper, in a dripping-pan, and bake a light brown.

Chocolate Caramels.—One cake of chocolate, one cupful of white sugar, one cupful of brown sugar, one heaping teaspoonful flour, one cupful molasses, a piece of butter the size of an egg, and one cupful of milk; cook about one-half hour, stirring constantly; pour into pans and mark in squares while soft.

Ginger Drops.—Stir half a cup of sugar into one cup of melted butter and one cup of molasses; beat one egg well and stir into it; dissolve a teaspoonful and a-half of soda in boiling water, mix in three cups of flour; season with one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one of cloves and one of ginger—all powdered. Drop from a large spoon upon flat tins, well buttered, and bake quickly in a hot oven.

Pigeon Pie.—Border a dish with fine puff paste, lay veal cutlet, or tender rump steak, cut in thin slices at the bottom of the dish; season with salt, cayenne, or pounded mace. Put as many young pigeons as the dish will contain, with seasoning as above, and in the interstices the yelks of some hard-boiled eggs; put some butter over them, fill up with good gravy, cover with paste, glaze with yelk of an egg and bake.

Corned Beef.—Pickle: Four gallons of water, six pounds of salt, one and a half pounds of sugar, three ounces of saltpetre. Boil and skim well till clear. When cold, pour over the meat, which must be well drained of blood. Lay boards over it, and weight it down. N. B.—Be sure to get a good article of saltpetre; much that is sold in the shops is worthless. The qualities given above will cover about fifty pounds of beef.

A Child's Bed.—A child's bed should slope a little from the head to the foot so that the head may be a little higher than the feet; but never bend the neck to get the head on the pillow. This makes the child round-shouldered, cramps the veins and arteries and interferes with the free circulation of the blood. Even when a child is several years old the pillow should be thin and made of hair, not feathers.

Milledgeville, Ga., has 5,000 people and no banks.

AN EASTERN STORY.

Once in the hush of eventide,
When daylight tasks were put aside,
And dew and coolness after heat
Made the sweet stillness doubly sweet,
The Master walked in Galilee;
His footsteps followed by those three
Who afterward on Olivet
Watched with Him in His agony.
They had no dread foreboding yet
Of that dark hour; the world was bright
With sunset splendor; and its light
Seemed in their peaceful hearts to dwell—
Till suddenly a slant ray fell
Upon an object in their path
That stirred up quick, unreasoning wrath.

A dead dog, hideous in decay,
Mangled and foul with blood and dust,
Prone in the trodden high-road lay—
A sight indeed to rouse disgust,
And the disciples, justified
By their offended senses, vied
Each with the other to express
Scorn of the creature's loathsomeness;
Nor—till at length the Master spake—
Were either of them moved to make
One little pitiful pause, wherein
Some kindlier utterance might have been.
He, listening, silent for a space,
Bent down to the disfigured head,
As one who seeks some hidden grace;
Then, with a calm, uplifted face,
And something in His sorrowful eyes
That caught their hearts up with surprise,
"Pearls are not half so white," He said,
"As the dog's teeth,"

And went His way.
Whereat the three in mute dismay
Glanced at each other. Sudden shame
Reddened their brows; and as a flame
Leaps to the wind, the kindling fire
Of penitence, and swift desire
Leaped in their breasts with one accord,
And proved itself in deed, not word.
With willing hands that put aside
All the reluctance of their pride,
They dragged the dead dog from the mire
Wherein it lay to a green place;
Where with strewn leaves and branches rent
From the thick olives, its disgrace
They hid from future passers-by.
Then eagerly, with looks askance
That dreaded, yet besought His glance,
They to their Lord again drew nigh;
To find His brief displeasure spent,
And in His gracious smile to meet
A recompense exceeding sweet.

Sweet is the hidden truth that lies
Too deep, perhaps, for careless eyes
In the old story. For who knows—
Since a dog's teeth His praise could win—
What inward grace may be in those
Lost souls that out of reach of care,
Beyond our pity and our prayer,
Seem dead in trespasses and sin?

True Stories About Animals.

One damp afternoon the turtle came waddling out into the big room to borrow a little sand to lay his eggs in. "My friend," the elephant said, "yours is a very hard case."

"Yes," the turtle replied, "but while there's life there's soup."

The elephant was greatly astonished, for he didn't know the turtle was given to that sort of thing at all, and all the other animals grinned, because, you see, it wasn't often the elephant met anybody in the menagerie who could talk to him.

"Well," said he, after a pause, "it's a good thing your back is so broad."

"Yes, it is," replied the turtle, "because there's no telling what make comb of it."

The animals cheered softly and the elephant looked amazed.

"Well, old go-as-you-please," he said presently; "you pay as you go, don't you?"

"Oh, yes," the turtle said, "I have to shell out every once in a while. How's hides?" he asked cheerfully.

"Oh, they're easy;" the elephant said; "a little loose, may be, but nothing to worry over. House-moving business keeps up, I reckon?"

"Yes, yes," the turtle said, "nothing rushing particularly, but I'm in and out all day. Nothing unusual in shawl straps, is there?"

The animals cheered at this delicate allusion to the trunk business, and for the first time in his life the elephant looked as though he was going to lose his temper, but he rallied and said:

"Oh, no, much the same as usual; just a kind of hand-to-mouth business. By the way, didn't I see your father's old overcoat up in front of the restaurant yesterday?"

"I guess you did," said the turtle, "he wasn't the kind of a man to die and make no sign. Going down into the billiard-room pretty soon?"

The elephant said, "No, they'd have to excuse him, but if they'd wait till the hyena came along he'd have some native whine with them." And then the turtle said "All right, he'd drop in about tusk."

The menagerie went to supper that night with the greatest enthusiasm. But the elephant was very quiet, and only spoke once, and that was to ask the ostrich where he supposed the turtle grew to be so cute? And the foolish bird of the desert tossed an iron bolt-head down its throat, and replied: "Picked it up, I reckon."

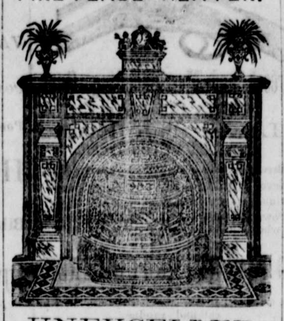
And then, children, the elephant grinned and said there seemed to be an epidemic in the menagerie, and he leaned up against the centre-pole and went to bed.

TYROLEAN COURTING CUSTOMS.

Tyrolean lassies are by old custom spared the necessity of giving tongue to their "Aye" or "No." The first time a young man pays a visit as an avowed suitor he brings with him a bottle of wine, of which he pours out a glass and offers it to the object of his affections. In any case she will not refuse it point-blank; that would be too gross an insult; but should the wooer not be agreeable to her, or his declaration come a little too prematurely, she declines the proffered wine, pleading that it looks sour, or that wine disagrees with her, or that the priest has forbidden her to touch it, or any other excuse feminine ingenuity may suggest. If she likes the lad and is equal to owning it, she empties the glass, taking especial care not to spill any of the wine, for if she does so, or the glass or bottle be broken, it is a most unhappy omen. "They have spilt the wine between them," say the peasants when a marriage turns out badly.

Dumb declarations are in vogue, too, among the Boers of South Africa. Mr. Anthony Trollope tells us that when a young Boer goes in quest of a wife, he puts on his best clothes, sticks a feather in his cap, provides himself with a bottle of sugar-plums and a candle—a wax one if possible—mounts his horse, rides to the house holding the young woman he would honor, hangs the reins on the gate, dismounts and enters. His smart gear, his feather and his candle bespeak his errand. To make the point quite clear, however, he offers the candle to the daughter of the house. If she takes it, it is lighted; the mother sticks a pin in the candle to show how long the young people may remain together without interruption, and she and everybody else retire. Mr. Trollope says a little salt is sometimes put in by somebody, to make the wick burn slowly; but when the flame reaches the pin, mamma comes in, the "freying" is over, and a day or two afterward the pair are made one.

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