Farm and Household.

Home Topics.

BX FAITH ROCHESTER.

Bread-Making in Winter.

House-keepers sometimes object to the use of dry yeast-cakes purchased at groceries, because bread made with them is so slow to rise, especially in winter. I like to use these cakes in hot weather on that very account. The bread sponge never sours on the hottest nights. But in winter it is advisable to set a small sponge in the afternoon—about four o'clock—in this way: A scant pint of flour is mixed with a pint and a half of warm water. To this add a cake of yeast previously soaked in a little warm water (taking care not to *scald* the yeast), and beat all well together. By seven o'clock this, if kept covered in a warm place near the stove, will be very light.—Now set your bread sponge as usual using this smaller sponge for your yeast. Cover warm, and in the morning you will be almost sure to find it very light and entirely sweet. Now, if you have a good deal to attend to, you can defer kneading the dough until after breakfast, provided you stir in considerable flour and mix it thoroughly with the spoon.

House-keeping Schools.

I hear that the cooking schools already established in some of our principal cities, are being enlarged in their scope, so as to teach all of the branches of house-keeping.—These schools are especially designed to fit young girls for domestic service. The University of Iowa deserves much praise for its efforts to make accomplished house-keepers of its lady graduates. This is all well, and gives hope that the noble arts of the housewife, the cook, the laundress, the chamber-maid, may all rise in dignity and respect as they improve in thoroughness and adaptation to human needs. I should like to put my daughters through a course of lessons in domestic art under the best of teachers. I suppose they would then know how to cook everything properly. But I do not suppose, as do some of the editors who write pretty paragraphs on this subject, should those same daughters of ours come to have two or three small children clinging to their gowns, and no hired help here in the West, for love or money, that each dish, and a variety of dishes, too, will come to every meal, each one just "done to a turn." Neither do I believe that all the instruction given in cleaning and scrubbing will make it easy—I may say *possible*—for a farmer's wife to keep her floors clean when, as is sometimes the case, there is no grass about the house, and no good, clean walks of boards, or gravel, or cement. Especially is this so if a plenty of soft water is not easily obtained.

Not an Unusual Case.

Take an average American girl, who has learned how to keep house from her mother. Put her and her little family into a small house with neither closets nor bureaus. Let the plowed ground come up all around the doors and remain without seeding or sodding with grass for years. Let there be no water for many rods of the house, and perhaps make it necessary to have all that she uses brought by a small boy in two or three quart pails, and often hard water at that. Let there be always a babe less than three years old in the family. Make it necessary for her to aid in the financial support of the family by sewing, teaching, or other labor, trying to do all of her house work at the same time, and if her health fails—will you say that it is all because she was not properly instructed how to do the work of three women with only one pair of hands!

I wanted to say this because I think that one thing, one of the things that breaks down some overworked women (I have seen a good many of them), is because they feel that their husbands think that they ought to cook everything as nice as it can be found at first-slass restaurants and hotels, for instance, make juicy porter-house broiled steak, when only tough round-steak is provided, and their stoves have no suitable broiling-place; make delicious soup with no sweet herbs for seasoning and with no suitable soup kettle.

It is a good thing to speak out plainly. There certainly is something wrong somewhere, and if we will all be frank and charitable, we may find a cure, or at least some way to mend these important matters.

MUCK is cooling to the soil in summer and warming in winter.

WATER slightly acidified with nitric acid is recommended for soaking seeds; a very little ammonia added to the water greatly accelerates germination.

ONE of the great advantages of draining the soil is to insure the free access of oxygen. A plant cannot any more live without oxygen than can an animal. Oxygen is one of the best fertilizers, for by its action in the soil it prepares the minerals for food for plants.

THE New York Herald recommends as an excellent remedy for sprains, sores, and bruises, sprained hock joints and stiff joints generally in domestic animals, a liniment composed of creosote, one ounce; olive oil, two ounces; mix and rub upon the affected parts. It is also of great advantage in thrush and foot rot.

WOOLEN shirts are the best for farmers, both in summer and winter. They absorb the perspiration, prevent chills and protect the person from sudden changes of temperature. The colors are permanent, and with wide turndown collar of the same material, blue flannel makes an appropriate and tidy garment.

FEEDING FODDER OR HAY.—Never place a large amount of provender of any kind before an animal at any one time. Divide each feeding into two or three messes, but these continuous; that is, as fast as the animals eat up what is before them, give a little more, until you think they have eaten enough for one time; then clean the manger, or turn them out with nothing until the hour for the next feeding. Have regular hours for feeding, from which vary as little as possible.

A little ginger put into sausage meat improves the flavor,

A VERY SCRUPULOUS LOVER.

I did not love you; it is well
  My heart spoke truth in time,
And lightlier after rose and fell
  As at a deed sublime.

For it was harder far to face
  The love-light in your eyes,
And all the tender, clinging grace
  That loving men may prize—

So see how every feeble word
  Crushed pinkness from your lips,
As through your being rudely stirred
  The truth of love's eclipse—

Far harder this than out to go
  While summer's sun shone bright,
And battle the triumphant foe
  On yonder mountain height.

Yet it was truth, and though I slew
  Your maiden happiness,
I knew that I was just to you,
  And to myself no less.

I might have done as other men:
  Have wedded you and borne
Your loving touch for years, and then
  Awakened to your scorn;

Have felt some stronger power move
  My honor from your side,
Forbid one woman else to love—
  Yet loved her till I died.

Dear heart, dear heart, I sought you out
  When first the knowledge came,
And with your arms my neck about
  Spoke thickly of my shame.

And you were quick to understand;
  Some bitter words you spake,
The ring I placed upon your hand
  Beneath your foot you brake.

To-day I saw you as you sat,
  Your babe upon your knee,
And through the latticed window-slat
  You smiled again on me.

Just as of old, a rippling gleam
  Shone on your braid-crowned head;
The past came o'er me like a dream,
  But I—I have not wed.

Yet it is true I loved you not
  As men should love their wives,
And so I never have forgot
  We nearly wrecked our lives.

Smile on, for women smile, I know,
  Above their heart's unrest!
And on your hair and bosom glow
  The gems that pleased me best.

But I will wait until my heart
  Throbs fierce with love's dear pain
Ere I will dare to hold a part
  Of woman's life again.

—Portland Transcript.

MIDDLE AGE.

Cupid's ever young they say,
Flitting on his am'rous way,
It may be so, yet middle age,
On which Time "sets his signet sage,"
Although of other joy bereft,
One throb of pleasure still hath left.
'Tis mem'ry of the olden time
When youth and maid were in their prime.
Thus musing on a vanished throng
Of friends, I took my way along,
  I heard the beat
  Of hurrying feet.
A light hand on my shoulders fell;
Despite Time's touch I knew him well,
The friend I met. His humid eye
Recalled a bliss long since gone by—
Fast beat my heart with olden joy,
For we had loved as girl and boy.

ONIONS.—From our own experience, and the observation of others' we can fully indorse the testimony of the St. Louis *Miller*, of the healthful properties of the above named esculent. Lung and liver complaints are certainly benefited, often cured by a free consumption of onions, either cooked or raw. Colds yield to them like magic. Don't be afraid of them. Taken at night all trace of scent will be gone by morning, and the good effect will amply compensate for the trifling annoyance. Taken regularly they greatly promote health of the lungs and of the digestive organs. An extract made by boiling down the juice of onions to a syrup, and taken as a medicine, answers the purpose very well, but fried, roasted or boiled onions are better. Onions are very cheap medicine, within everybody's reach, and they are not by any means as 'bad to take' as the costly nostrums a neglect of their use may necessitate.—*Scientific American.*

A PARIS PAPER says that Sarah Bernhardt keeps her memory green in Paris by employing Marie Colombier to write long gushing letters about her to journalists, which, of course, are meant to be published, and gives the following specimen: "One single black cloud. She languishes to see her son again. She showed me the other day one of his letters, in which the child writes thus: 'My dear and adored mother, I long so much to see you again that I have already bought a little boat to come and meet you.' 'Well, you must feel happy,' I said to her. 'Alas! no,' she replied. 'That child with his mad tricks will make me die of fear. When I arrive I shall be in an agony to think that he will perhaps be floating on the waves in some absurd boat.'" The child in question is a boy of 16.

[Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette.]

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Gilmour, Cleveland, Ohio:—Chas. S. Strickland, Esq., 9 Boylston street, Boston, Mass.;—Capt. Paul Boyton the World Renowned Swimmer;—Prof. C. O. Duplessis, Manager Chicago Gymnasium, Chicago, Ill.;—Wm. H. Wareing, Esq., Asst. General Superintendent, New York Post Office—Hon. Thomas L. James, Postmaster, New York;—Stacey Hill, Esq., Mt. Auburn Inclined Plane Railroad, Cincinnati, Ohio, are among the myriads who have experienced the beneficial effects of that most remarkable remedy, St. Jacobs Oil, and who have testified to its efficacy in unqualified terms.

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THOMAS BAKER,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 24th day of July, 1881; otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 11th day of December, 1881.

CHAS. H. BAKER,
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late of Kent county, deceased.

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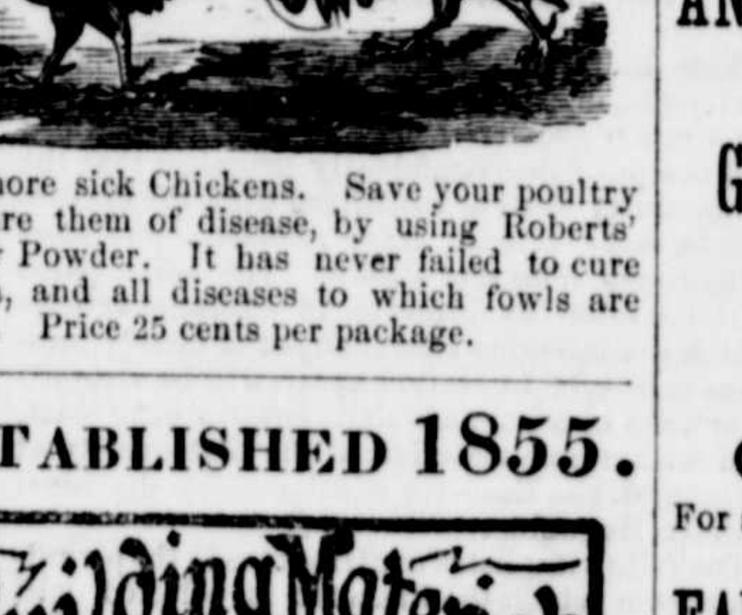
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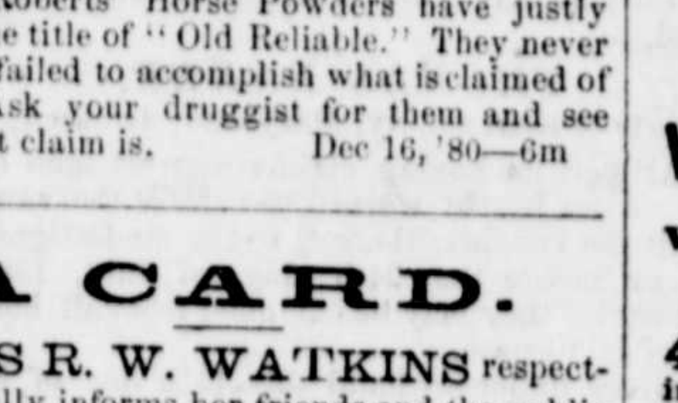


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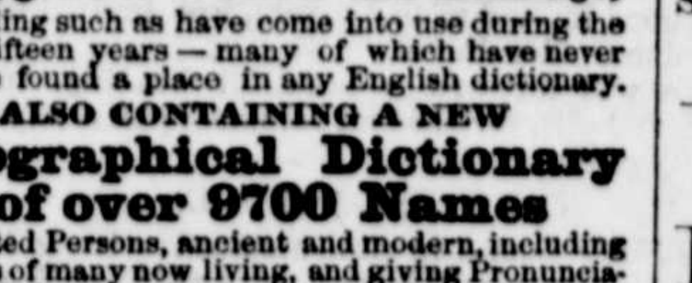
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Come one, come all, that are in want, and examine my work and learn my prices. I will be thankful. Don't send the money out of your own neighborhood.

Call and see me. I do not like to canvass for work, for I think it too sad a business to barter with relatives or friends.

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Ice Cream,
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Frozen ustard
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Strawberries and Raspberries.

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

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THE subscriber is now selling his best Ice Cream for $1.25 per gallon; 75 cents per half-gallon; 40 cents per quarter gallon; 25 cents per one-eighth gallon; plates 10 cts. It is now pronounced to be the *very best* that was ever in this market—so declared by ladies and gentlemen from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore. The Cream furnished by the undersigned to the Odd Fellows' anniversary, at the Court House, April 29th, was said, by the two hundred or three hundred ladies and gentlemen who partook of it, to be the *best they ever ate;* which, of itself, is a good advertisement.

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Wm. Perkins,
Chestertown, May 22, 1879 *Rising Sun Saloon.*

VOSHELL HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED takes this method of terdering his heartfelt thanks to his old friends and the public generally for the liberal support and sympathy so generously extend to him under the recent adverse circumstances by which he has been surrounded, and takes great pleasure in informing them that the house, in a few days, will be in r st-class condition, the repairs and improvements thereto being made under his own supervision.

THE STABLING,

which is commodious and in excellent condition, is now under his control, and those entrusting their horses and carriages to his care may rest assured that they will be faithfully attended to by trusty and experienced hostlers.

THE TABLE,

as heretofore, will always be found supplied with substantials and delicacies of the season, and will be under the experienced management of his wife, who will see that no pains are spared to make it, in every respect, first-class.

With the xed purpose of leaving nothing undone on my part which will conduce to the comfort of my guests, I respectfully solicit the patronage of the public.

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Jan. 16, 1879.

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