There all horses kindly, both in and out of the stable. Give them clean bods at night. Use the curry-comb lightly otherwise it is a source of great pain, especially to thin skinned and neryous animals. Let the heels be well krushed out every night. Whenever a borse is washed, never leave him till he is rubbed dry; he may get a chill if neglected. When a horse comes in from a journey, hot from over-driving or a journey, hot from over-driving or nork, walk him about until he gets cooled off, then groom him with straw and a good brush, and rub his legs well with the hands. If possible, let the horse have some exercise every day; standing in the stable is conductive to dry and cracked feet. To cure or pre-yout this trouble, use beef-brine turned into the bottom of the uplifted foot, and an ointment for the hoofs composed partly of hog's lard. Water regularly, but not too soon after feeding; feed liberally, but do not overfeed. Bult at all times is in order, with wood-ashes secasionly. Good, bright oat-straw, out and mand with corn-ment, makes an economical, as well as a sufficient feed for horses in Winter, when doing but little hard work. Ime only kind of soil which is almost

hopeless for good farming is one in which the subsoil is a quicksand. It leaches away the manne as rapidly as it is applied. It is difficult to underdrain such land, for the tile or stone sink down and speedily choke the pas-age. In draining we often come to streaks of quicksand varying from a few mobes to several feet in width. If the sand is short enough for a tile to reach seroes, resting both ends on solid ground then in such places such tile should always be used. We have used hemiock boards under the tile to bridge a quicksand of seneral feet, and the drain has done good service more than twenty years and is yet in good condition.

IMPLEMENTS, of every kind, even the mowers and reapers and fodder cutters should be cleaned and put in order for use. There will be many wet days in which this may be done. Of course every farmer should have these undersover. To clean gum from gearing, kerosene oil is the best material; it will also loosen rusty screws, Every part of the machines should be cleaned, turned around and well oiled. Plows may be scoured with a soft brick and water, and will then be ready for use; harrow teeth should be sharpened and driven up tight and even and so on through all the list.

A few loose flowers arranged in a dish or howl, in the centre of the table, are quite an addition. It is sometimes dif-ficult to arrange them in a wide di h, as they fall into the centre and do not show to advantage. To overcome this diffi-culty have a small network of wire with quite large meshes. This is made to fit almost any dish by means of a slidingcatch, as in a lamp-shade. The steres in this way reach the water, while the wire supports the body of the flower. Flowers will make more show in this way, as they don't depend for support on one another.

THE vogetable mould in swamps, both of a peaty character, and that containing a large proportion of earth or sand, with more or less top-sod, affords an sxcellent addition to composts for field and garden use. The best plan is to lay it up in a large heap, sprinkling the layors, which should be about six unches thick, with slaked lime. The lime acts promptly, and after once working over, it may be mixed with stable or barnyard manure, or used as an absorbent. Each layer should be whitened with the lime, but not mixed with stable manure.

The bast which our gardeners and others find so useful for tying buds and other purposes, is an important manufacture in Russia. In the province of Yiatka, which has a population of less than two millions, there are half a million of linden or basswood trees cut down annually for the sake of the bark. The union bark is made into mate and The unner bark is made into mats and sacks, ot which nine hundred thousand of the fotmer and six hundred thousand of the latter are sold each year.

The agricultural papers have most thoroughly exposed the evils resulting from allowing cows to drink from stagnant ponds or from water that has remained too long in troughs. The sweet-

Mosr soils are deficient in phosphoric acid. It is for this reason that bone flour in most cases gives decided results. But when bone flour does not give any results, you may assume one of two things, viz., either that your land needs also potash and nitrogen, or that it is already well supplied with plant food.

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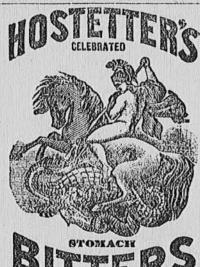
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Whitewash.—The following is a recipe for preparing whitewash: Take the very best stone lime and slack it in a close tub, covered with a cloth to preserve the steam. Salt—as much as can be dissolved in the water used for slacking and reducing the lime-should be applied, and the whole mass carefully strained and thickened with a small quantity of sand, the finer and purer duantity of sand, the finer and purer the better. A few pounds of wheat flour mixed as a paste may be added and will give greater durability to the mass, especially when applied to the exterior of buildings. With pure lime, properly slacked and mixed with twice its weather of the sand side with twice its weight of fine sand and silted wood ashes in equal proportions, although any color may be made by the addition of pigments, granite, slate, freestone and other shades may be imitated, and without any detriment to the durability of the wash. This covering is very often applied, and with good effect, to underpinning, stone fences, roofs and the walls of barns and other outbuildings. Probably the pure whitewash is more healthy than the colored, as its alkalescent properties are superior, and when used in cellars, kitchens and sleeping apartments produce salutary fences, etc., are greatly improved in appearance by an annual coat of white-wash, and will add to their permanency much more than many would imagine. It is cheap, and so easily applied that neither expense nor labor can be pleaded against it.

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AN EXCELDENT SIDE DISH —Cold fowl left over from dinner may help to make an excellent side dish; cut it into rather small pieces, put a large lump of butter into a saucepan; brown the meat in that; sprinkle pepper and sait and some flour over it, and when the meat is brown add haif a pint of stock, which need not be very rich to be good, and a pint of canned peat; heat to the boiling point, and then serve. Mushrooms may be used in the place of peas, and the proportions given above may be regulated by the quantity of fowl which you may have.

BREAKVAST DISH. - Cut one pound of ox kidney in slices half an inch thick and put them in the bottom of a saucepan with a little pepper; add a pint of water and simmer gently for two hours. At the end of that time add a small cupful of canned or dried mushrooms and salt to taste; simmer for half an hour longer and pour into a dish. In the morning skim off all the fat and put the stewed kidney and mushrooms in a saucepan on the stove until they reach the boiling point. Make some rather thick plices of toast, lay them in a hot dish and pour the kidneys, mushrooms and gravy over them and serve them hot.

For testing gold, make a liquid consisting of nurse acid, one ounce; water, two drams; and muriatic acid, one-half scruple. Mix the ingredients well, and keep the solution in a bottle with a glass stopper. With a glass rod which has been dipped in the mixture touch the metal and watch the action. If no effect is produced on the metal it is effect is produced on the metal it is either gold or gold plated. If the "gold" is very low or less than nine karat, the acid will bob green, and base metal is at once detected by the mark left by the acid. To test silver, apply a drop of a solution of mirio acid, three ounces: water, one ounce; and biebromate of potash, one-half ounce; and wipe off the drop immediately with a sponge and water. If a blood red mark results, the metal is silver or the article is silver plated. .

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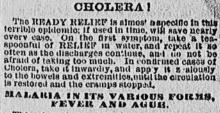
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