

Miscellaneous.

A Man Who Knew a Good Deal About Horses. Grace Greenwood tells a story of the great theologian, Jonathan Edwards...

Humorous.

How do you define 'black as your hat?' said a schoolmaster to one of his pupils. 'Darkness that may be felt!' replied the youthful wit.

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Starting a Balking Horse.

I was attracted yesterday by a considerable gathering of people in a down-town street, occasioned by a balking horse which even the policeman himself could not persuade to 'move on.'

The Delights of Farming.

Says an exchange: When the farmer has finished putting Paris green on his potato and tomato vines and hebebor on his currant and gooseberry bushes, and fish oil and soap on his asparagus, and plowed a furrow around his grass and wheat to keep out army worms, and shot the buzzards stealing his chickens and the birds in the corn field and on his cherry trees, he sits down and wonders what will kill the chinch bugs, and the cut worms in his corn, and the curculio on his grapes, and the lice on his lettuce, and the ground rot in his sweet potato field, and the apple worm and the pear blight and the Hessian fly and the rust on wheat.

A Wife Should Know It.

Every mistress of a household, especially every mother, ought to find out what the family income is and where it comes from, and thereby prevent all needless extravagance.

What an Egg Will Do.

For burns and scalds nothing is more soothing than the white of an egg, which may be poured over the wound. It is softer than a varnish for a burn than col'lin, and, being always at hand, can be applied. It is also more cooling than the sweet oil and cotton which were formerly supposed to be the surest application to allay the smarting pain.

Cows need light, not only for their own health and comfort, but because good butter cannot be made from the milk of cows kept in dark stables. Air, light, cleanliness, warmth are four essentials of a cow stable where cows are kept for profit.

Where Love is Blind.

Old Lady to Bride—Your husband only knew you a few weeks before marriage, I believe? Bride—Only six weeks, madam. Old Lady—It must have been a case of love at first sight. Bride—No, I think not. Old Lady—But, my dear, it must have been. How could it be otherwise? Bride—He's been blind for the last dozen years.—Washington Critic.

Lincoln in the War.

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