

The Monitor's Agricultural Department

For the Use and Benefit of Farmers.

Correspondence, Suggestions and Inquiries welcomed to these columns.

Canadian Butter on the British Market.

Speaking on the above subject at a recent meeting of Ontario dairymen, Mr. J. A. Riddick, Chief of the Dairy Division, Ottawa, gave some advice that will, if followed, have an excellent effect upon the quality of the butter exported from Canada.

It is in this breeding of the stock annually that makes the price. The expensive stock farms are all provided with private race tracks, and many of the leading owners are making a point of breeding their youngsters in the South and in California.

Makes Heart Beat after Death.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 22.—It is possible to restore to life a person killed by an electric shock. Dr. George W. Crile, of Western Reserve Medical College here, believes that it is.

Selecting Dairy Calves

The "Practical Farmer" gives this method of selecting calves to raise, which is followed by many successful dairymen: "Turn the little calf on its back and see that it has four well-placed teats, that is, wide apart, and two rudimentary, one on each side."

Stanley Hall on Dairying.

Proctor G. Stanley Hall, L. L. D., of Clark University, in lecturing before the Ypsilanti Normal College Summer School, in a recent lecture said: "The daimon is the best exercise for developing every muscle of the body."

Growing Rhubarb in the Cellar.

Most farmers who have a garden at all usually have a good supply of the old-fashioned pie plant or rhubarb. This vigorous growing plant produces a wholesome substitute for fruit early in the spring before strawberries come in.

An Asthmatic's Story Told.

Sleepless nights, suffocating sensations, difficulty to even breathe. "I can hardly describe all I suffered from during the winter of 1902-3. My cough was incessant. Spasms of coughing would come at any moment. I used nothing but my good old remedy, the Fragrant, healing Catarrhine. I am delighted to recommend this remedy, which cured me of chronic asthma after scores of good physicians had given me up."

For Stomach Troubles.

"I have taken a great many different medicines for stomach trouble and constipation," says Mrs. S. Geiger, of Dickinson, Iowa. "I never before had so good results from any as from Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets." For sale by S. N. Weaver.

Yonge Lawyers.

"It will be quite useless to try to break old Jones's will," says the lawyer. "The will is valid. The testator was sane at the time he made it. The relative will get lots of expenses and will get some fat fees."—Puck.

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The Household.

APPLE PIE CUSTARD. Two eggs, four or five apples, grated, a little nutmeg, sweeten to taste; one half a pint of sweet milk or cream. Pour into pastry and bake without an upper crust.

FRUIT FILLINGS. Always stew the fruit before placing it in a pie or a crust. Sugar and flour and sprinkle a little flour over it before putting on the upper crust.

THE GIRL WITH FRIENDS. By you, my dear? She comes into the room like a sea breeze, fresh, laughing, nodding, light and lit with happy impartiality.

LESSONS IN TIDINESS. The tired household mother sighs as she gazes together the articles of clothing and the newspapers her husband has tossed down and left for somebody else to gather up.

A CEREAL STORY. The redoubting part of a story which the New York Times recounts is not the stupidity of man in his domestic aspect. The particular man concerned is an actor whose wife—a actress—is an earnest advocate of the theory that food should be the consumer rather than the reverse.

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Jokers' Corner.

AT THE 'PHONE. (Portland Oregonian.) Maui Muller, on a summer day, called "Number 9, please," to earn her pay.

SCHEME THAT FAILED. A group of young men, all active in the world of business, were telling hard luck stories at the Manufacturers' Club on evening recently.

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