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USEFUL READING. -:-0-:-

Colic in Horses .- Tell your subscriber, as " pre vention is better than cure," the use of the following will "infallibly" ensure his horses against ever having colic and will even break up the habit, if persistently carried out :-- Take four ounces of gum assafætida, and add just sufficient hot water to dissgainst colic.

MANGE IN HORSE. - Wilkes' Spirit of the Times pronounces the following to be a safe and most effective remedy : Whale (sperm) oil, 6 oz.; oil of tar, 3 oz; lac sulphur, 3 oz.; mix thoroughly, and apply by means of a hair brush. The skin should he thoroughly washed before the remedy is applied. At the end of the second or third day the animal is again to be washed and the remedy re applied, as it is very possible, that all the ova (of the mange insect) are not killed by the first dressing. Mange being a contagious disease it is essential that all animals suffering from it should be isolated, and all objects with which they may have come in contact purified.

An expensive but durable method of painting old building, is as follows :-First give them a coat of crude petroleum, which is the oil as it comes from the wells, and can be procured for about \$2 to S3 a barrel in almost any city or town. Then mix one pound of "metallic paint," which is brown or red hematite iron ore finely ground, to one quart of linseed oil and apply this over the petroleum coat. The petroleum sinks into the wood and makes a good ground-work for the iron and oil paint. The color of the iron paint is a dark reddish brown and is not at all disagreeable; it is a color not readily boiled, very durable, and is fire-proof.

WORK AMONG FRUIT TREES IN WINTER .--- If a small mound of earth has not been raised, say one foot high, around the body of every tree, let it be done before the snow falls. Such mounds will save the trees from being girdled by field mice. If the orchard has been neglected of manuring, winter and spring are the times for applying the same ; fruit trees must have something to feed on, or they cannot produce fruit in perfection; as soon think of making a fat beef without good rich food freely fed. A good composit of well-seasoned muck and stable manure makes as good a fertilizer as any, but in the absence of the manure, the muck mixed with lime slaked in a saturated solution of salt and water, or muck, mixed with wood ashes at the rate of eight bushels to the yard of muck, are very good substitutes; good wood-ashes alone are excellent. In spring, as soon as the weather becomes mild, the bugs which lay the eggs for the canker worm begin to come out and ascend the trees to lay their eggs ; stop them, if possible, by trapping or otherwise, from ascending the trees. If every owner of trees would carefully attend to them in season, this great nuisance could be stamped out in time, and greatly reduced at once.

LOPPERED MILK .- Milk is called loppered when thickened from souring. Its principal use in the dairy districts is as food for pigs, calves, and poultry. Recently it has been cousiderably used as food for the cows which have produced it. When fed back to them while freshly soured and before it has become stale, and as an addition to the usual summer feed, it produces an increased flow of good milk, and an increase to the butter product of about fifteen per cent, to the senson. Besides being used for making German or hand-cheese, it is in constant use in the houses of farmers for culinary purposes, being used in the place of tartaric acid with bicarbonate of soda to produce an effervescence in preparing pastry and all food in which effervescence is required, to which it imparts richness and delicacy of flavor. It is also, by some, used as a dessert. From a vessel in which it has recently loppered it is carefully dipped with some smooth dish like a saucer, to avoid breaking the curd or starting the whey, and the top of the the dish is then spred over with sweet cream and sugar, seasoned with nutmeg or other desirable aromatic. It is then placed upon the table, making a palatable and wholesome dish, greatly relished by many, especially in hot weather. Loppered milk and buttermilk are also used by some as a nutritious and cooling summer drink, in preference, to sweet milk PROFIT FROM SHORTHORNS .- The following we find in a recent statement by Dr. Stephenson, of Indiana: "Two years ago I purchased one hundred calves. They were of all grades, from scrubs to high grades At the same time I had a few refuse thorough bred calves that were not such as I desired to keep as breeders, and consequently turned them out and wintered them with the lot I had purchased. They were so kept until a few weeks since, (all together,) when fifty-one choice steers were selected and sold. Two thorough-bred shorthorns were included. The lot averaged 1,370 pounds. The shorthorns were again compared. One weighed 1,570 and the other 1,600 pounds, or about fourteen per cent. more than the average of the whole lot, including themselves. One of the acrubs was then re-weighed, and made 1.150 pounds, or about twenty-eight per cent. less than the shorthorns. This lot were all three-year old steers, and had the same fare from calves. The purchaser of these cattle placed the value of the shorthorns at \$1,50 above the the value of the common steers, which at least would be thirty per cent. Now, thirty per cent. in value and twenty-eight per cent. in size would make fiftyeight per cent, in favor of the shorthorns. This advantage is due entirely to the superiority of the shorthorns as a breed their keep being the same from calves. And this is not quite all; for a part of the scrubs are yet unsold, not being fit for market." THE PASSIONS THAT INDUGE DISEASE .- The passions which act most severely on the physical life, says Popular Science Monthly, are anger, fear, hatred and grief. The other passions are comparatively inno-cuous. What is called the passion of love is not injurious until it lapses into grief and anxiety; on the contrary, it sustains the physical power. What is called ambition is of itself harmless; for ambition, when it exists purely, is a nobility, lifting its owner entirely from himself into the exalted services of mankind. It injures when it is debased by its meaner ally, pride, or when, stimulating a man to too strenuous efforts after some great object, it leads him to the performance of excessive mental or physical labor, and to the consequences that follow such effort. The passion called avarice, according to our experience, tends rather to the preservation of the body than to its deterioration. The avaricious man, who seems to the luxurious world to be debarring himself of all the pleasures of the world, and even exposing himself to the pangs of poverty, is generally placing himself in the precise conditions favorable to a long and healthful existence. By his economy he is saving himself from all the worry incident to penury; by his cau-tion he is screening himself from all the risks incident to speculation or the attempt to amass wealth by hazardous means; by his regularity of hours and perfect appropriation of the sunlight, in preference to artificial illumination, he rests and works in periods that precisely accord with the periodicy of nature; by his abstemiousness in living he takes just enough to live, which is precisely the right thing to do according to the rigid natural law. Thus, in almost every particular, he goes on his way freer than other men from the external causes of all the induced diseases and better protected. than most men from the worst consequences of those an pento en esce

sedentary, and to invalids, the fullest sleep that the system will take, without a tificial means, is the balm of life, without it there can be no restoration to health and activity again. Never wake up the sick or infirm, or young children of a morning; it is a barbarity : let them wake of themselves. Pads and supporters are all pernicious, and worse than useless, because they teach the system to rely on them, and cannot support one part of the body without solve it; add salt to saturation while hot; then stir in causing an annatural strain on some other part, enough quick-lime to make a thick mortar. This and to that extent tend to disease that part. Perpreparation kept in your feed troughs is "infallible" sons may outgrow disease and become healthy by proper attention to the laws of their physical constitutions. By moderate and daily exercise men may become active and strong in limb and muscle.

THANKS " FROM THE DEPTHS OF, THE HEART."

WELLINGTON, Lorain Co., O., Aug. 24. 1874 Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y. :

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care in March last. This was a patient who had been under treatment nine months with no beneficial results. When I first saw him, he was so feeble that he could not sit up long enough to have his heart and imposersamined. What disease he had and lungs exami

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Defendant, An action for separation as to property has been

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I send you this for the purpose of making what use you please of it, and wish you all success in your labor for the benefit of suffering humanity. Strongly recommending the use of your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites to all who suffer in any waylfrom disease or weakness of the Lungs, Bron-chial Tubes, or general debility. Believe me your obedient servant. J. H. W. SCOTT, M.D.

