

FARMERS' COLUMN.

VINEYARD AND ORCHARD.—A farmer who had some experience in dealing with the worms which infest orchards, writes to an exchange: "I used last year kerosene oil, put on with common painter's brush."

HOW TO KEEP CIDER SWEET.—Sulphate of lime has recently been used, it is said, with very great success in preventing the fermentation of cider.

TO DRESS A SHEEPSKIN.—To dress a sheepskin with the wool on, scrape the flesh from the skin and wash in soap and water; then spread the skin wool downward and sprinkle thickly over the flesh side a mixture of equal parts of alum and salt, finely powdered.

GRASSHOPPERS AND POTATO BEGS.—Daniel G. Lane, who has been resident for many years in the West Indies, has purchased a large tract of land in Crawford county, Iowa, and will settle thereon next spring.

SPREADING MANURE IN WINTER.—We are asked what advantage there is in spreading manure on frozen ground. If it is covered with grass, either a pasture or meadow, there is a great advantage in more than one respect.

HOW "HARD" WATER MAY BE MADE "SOFT."—A late number of the Popular Science Monthly contains an interesting article under the caption of "A Piece of Limestone," from which the following paragraph is taken, which contains a hint that may be useful to all who may desire to learn a simple process of rendering "hard" water "soft."

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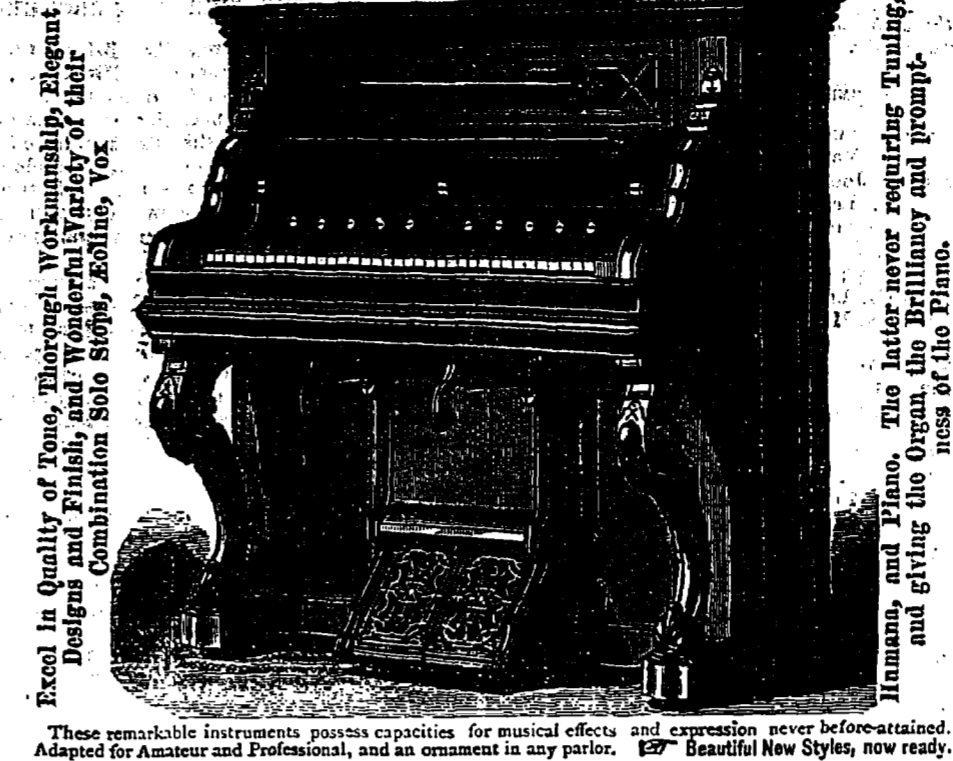
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