Poultry House Ventilation

In an address before the Winter Meeting of the Massachusetts Board

"The hen houses in summer time

instead of being close, stiffling boxes,

mission and proceeds to die.

ond crop abundantly. Then, if that

New Petato Discovered.

Rivalling the Irish potato in flavor.

exceeding it in production and furnish-

Haynes says that this wild aquatic

Earm Management that Wins.

Druggists Won't Cure Catarrh.

into the stomach won't cure catarrh,

Correspondence, Suggestions and Inquiries welcomed to these columns.

Selecting and Storing Seed Corn. Department of Agriculture,

Ottawa, Oct. 6. of Agriculture, Mr. A. A. Bingham iog one to the great majority The characteristic lack of care in se- with fronts all of glass, should be lecting and testing seed has this made into shady shelters by placing year, more clearly than ever, proved windows and doors with frames of truth of the old adage that "ex- wire netting, and by otherwise openthe truth of the old adage that "experience is a dear teacher." We have had no more glaring example of misapplication of energy and waste of labour than in this connection. This the fowls, while affording always the condition of things is doubly injuri-ous—first, it causes disappointment in expected results; and secondly, it dis-trees. At the same time, by the aid courages further efforts. The task of of wire netting, the birds are protectthe farmer is arduous enough even when he works in conjunction with nature. How much more difficult must ed from night prowlers of the four-legged and other varieties.

"How to ventilate the hen-house in it therefore be when her co-operation winter is a much-mooted question. It

is not forthcoming.

On the other hand we find corn od in either of two ways. A window growers in this province who have this year, and who always have, good sashes may have the lower year, and who always have, good sash raised two or three inches, and a crops of corn. These men have learn- board inserted under the sash frame, ate between the good filling space so that the wind shall and the bad, and to sow only the best seed. The method of producing this seed is very simple, yet withal so dow and enter the room without creatscientific that it becomes extremely interesting, and we would refer those birds. who desire to take up systematic work "Another plan, where the hen-house in the improvement of seed corn to the Canadian Seed Growers' Associa-poles or joists four or five inches a-

tion, Ottawa.

In the northern parts of the province level of the tops of the plates, say ince, where so-called silage corn is six or seven feet above the floor, and grown, the seed is secured in most upon this scaffold pile loose straw, cases through the medium of the seed merchant. A grower will order a certain quantity of seed, asking to be seed the straw loft' place windows or venture of the secure supplied with nothing but the best; tilating holes, and by opening the he receives the seed and in the great same more or less regulate the enmajority of cases sows it without test-trance and exit of the air, which, sifting its vitality, and if it fails to grow ed by the straw, is supplied fresh, lays the whole blame on the seedsman. dry, and without direct drafts to the The farmer shoold test his seed for fowls in the rooms below. himself, and if it be good give seedsman his due; if on the other hand ture in the room atmosphere, and corit be bad, let him dispose of it as best rects any tendency to dampness and he can. A failing that many growers chilliness, which are the frequent have is to delay securing their seed until too little time is left to obtain days of summer, the straw loft acts n adequate knowledge of its real as a shield against the sun's rays." varie. Hence the seed is sown in a hap-hazard manner and the results anxiously awaited. There is little wonder at the numerous fields of Hungarian Grass and Millet to be seen throughout the country, for the lack of success by some men in and which, though poor substitutes growing clover: for corn, are once more occupying that corn growers of this country to see to it now that well matured ears of a desirable type, and the product of a desirable type, and the product of a desirable type. These should be suspended in a dry years for it to come to seed, and place until a couple of weeks before when it once seeds, it has fulfilled its sowing time, when a few kernels from each ear should be tested to ascertain the all-important percentage of vitality of the seed in general. The time when the seed has formed. Now, if of the year is now at hand, therefore, they cut it when the blossoms first bewhen those who grow their own seed, or aim to supply others, should do their utmost to secure the best possible seed ears, and then store those selected ears in such a manner that their vitality will be in no way im-

SELECTION AS APPLIED TO SUGAR crop is cut in the same way, she will BEETS.

In France and in Germany sugar way, and the roots will be much more beets now produce twice as many certain to live through the winter.

pounds of sugar per acre as they did

Care should be taken always not to before the improvement of the sugar cut or feed down the clover in the fall beet was undertaken in a systematic so that it will not have, in northern manner. That work was begun by Vilmorin, of Paris, three generations ago. The sugar beet industry could make a great mistake in pasturing not succeed at all if the practice was their meadows in the fall. The cattle not kept up continuously.

First of all, the finest beets of destroy much more than is gained."

If you have tried to grow clover and smooth shape, well formed and of medium size, are selected. These choice specimens of the root are har-

vested and kept in a cool place until to be too kind to the great nitrogen spring. The sugar beet is a biennial, gatherer. producing what we call the beet root the first year from seed, which root, seed. The seed is sown for the crop of beets roots for sugar making. These selected beets are stored in a cool place; and before the time for ing at the same time from its blosplanting, a small core is taken out of each beet. The juice is pressed out. planting, a small core is taken out each beet. The juice is pressed out and tested for the percentage of sugar States Consul at Rouen, has reported and purity. All the beets that test it to the State department. per cent. are put in another lot. These banks of the river Mercedes, Uruguay, These are grown under favorable con-Heckel, director of the Colonial Instiditions with plenty of room. The tute of Marseilles. In its original seed from each beet, each mother state the tuber is very bitter, but Dr. plant, is sown the following year in a separate row. The grower finds which row gives him the best value of beets, with it. shape and position of growth, and in percentage of sugar and purity of the highest general average, the individual beets, which stand highest in this new species 8,500. to become the mother beets of the following year. The sugar beet growers keep up continuously the practice of having seed from the best mother By that process the sugar quired on the farm. If it were, a content of the sugar beet crop has great many men that fail would sucbeen raised from about 7 or 8 per cedd. Freeping eternally at a thing cent. to between 14 and 16 per cent.

does not always bring success, in spite of the trite saying that it does.

Intelligent selection of the best plants

Intelligent management is also require and the use of the seeds from those ed, and this kind of management of plants, selected out of each generation ten requires a good deal of information in several directions.

pollen from one row of beets will cross with those of others. The growbeets where only the good beets can cross-pollinate with each other. and it is useless to squander money on tablets, bitters and liquid remedies

W. A. CLEMONS,
Publication Clerk.

—Put away the summer tools. If you knew of a ten-dollar bill lying out in the field you'd hurry out there and get it. Yet you leave a ten-dollar plow lie out there all winter.—Up-to-Date Farming.

—Sick headache is caused by a disordered condition of the stomach, and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's stomach and liver Tablets. Foresick and liquid remedies. Catarrh is a disease of the nasal passages, throat and bronchial tubes. Stomach medicines can't reach these parts. It's only fragrant healing Catarrhozone which is breathed all through the air passages, that is sure to reach the seat of Catarrh. No failure ever known if Catarrhozone was used. It heals and doesn't irritate; it soothes, Itills the ger ms and therefore cures. Use only Catarrhozone, the one certain cure. Two months' treatment \$1.00; trial size 25c.

-Sick headache is caused by a dis-ordered condition of the stomach, and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by S. N. Weare.

(By Charles G. D. Roberts.)
When the grey lake-water rushes
Past the dripping alder bushes,
And the bodeful autumn wind
In the fir-tree weeps and hushes— When the air is sharply damp Round the solitary camp, And the moose bush in the thicket Glimmers like a scarlet lamp—

When the birches twinkle yellow And the cornel bunches mellow, And the owl across the twilight Trumpets to his downy fellow—

Through the maples crimson pomp And the slim viburnum flushes

And the shy bear, summer-sleekened In the bracken makes his bed— Green spruce branches for his head.

All day long he wanders wide, With the grey moss for his guide, And his lonely ax-stroke startles The expectant forest side.

And he hears the wood-mice hurry

From Poverty to Wealth. Mrs. Thomas Stacey, formerly Miss

Horne, a resident of Octerloney street, tune of \$500,000. Years ago a relative of Mrs. Stacey's went to the This plan prevents excessive moisheard from. It was supposed that he had died there, and 'no more was thought of the matter. It has been discovered, however, that the relative "struck oil" while in the Southern States and accumulated an immense fortune, estimated at nearly a million dollars. He died a short time ago in mous wealth has been bequested to The following statement, by an Mrs. Stacev and her brother, Rev. Mr. hear the good news, and after a little delay he and Mrs. Stacey decided to position during the present season.

We would therefore strongly urge the clover. It all comes from not making the present season.

Tor years past, and no doubt years to come, the farmer will kill his clover. It all comes from not making theirs. They have not yet returned, that they will secure the money. Mrs. Stacey has a husband and about fif-Shop at Dartmouth, and the family have for years been in almost desti ing upon charity for an existence. How the good news was received by "Most farmers cut their clover when than described, and they are hopefully awaiting the return of Mrs. Stacey.

Captured Monstrous Whale.

The whaling steamer Lynx, Capt. N. Wednesday, 5th inst., having in tow a monster whale, captured about sixteen

Capt. Davidson said that when the whale was first harpooned it dragged the ship at the rate of sixteen miles an hour, until it was killed. The whale was 80 feet long, and it is esti-The steamer Lynx carries ten men and two engineers, and has been very successful this summer, having caught 142 whales, of which the present is the largest. The present mode of harpooning whales is by shooting the harpoon with a gattling gun. same was used by Capt. Davidson in capturing the whale taken into Louisourg. The third fired from the bow

of the ship had the fatal effect.

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-It is said that preparations are already being made by members of the New York club for the defence of the America's cup against a possible fourth In the same soil the yield is greatly challenge from Sir Thomas Lipton. superior to that of the ordinary pota-Members of the club think that a chalto. The Early Rose in one instance lenge may be expected by any mail, and that as in former years it will gave 2,000 pounds to the acre, the come from the Royal Ulster Yacht Club. Sir Thomas has not yet an-American Marvel 6,000 pounds and nounced that he has made the necessary arrangements with a designer, but club members believe that a challenge is sure to come, and are only waiting to find out what conditions are named before going actively to work to build the defender.

Industry is not the only thing re-

Some Seasonable Advice It may be a piece of superfluous advice to urge people at this season of the year to lay in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost sure to be needed before winter is over, and much more prompt and sat-isfactory results are obtained when isfactory results are obtained when taken as soon as a cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system, which can only be done by keeping the remedy at hand. This remedy is so widely known, and so altogether good, that no one should hestate about buying it in preference to any other. It is for sale by S. N. Weare.

-Papa-How did you get clothes so terribly torn? Tommy-Tryin' to keep a little ! Papa-Ah! A brave deed! Who was

Tommy-Me.

Toot Your Tooter.

If you toot your little tooter and then lay aside your horn,
In ten short days there's not a soul will know that you were born;
The man who gathers pumpkins is the man who plows all day,
And the man who keeps a-humping is the man who makes it pay.

The man who advertises with a short and sudden jerk,

Is the man who blames the editor because it didn't work;

The man who gets the business has a long and steady pull,

And keeps his ad, a-running from week to week quite full.

He plans his advertising in a thoughtful sort of way, And keeps forever at it until he makes it pay;
He has faith in all the future, can
withstand a sudden shock,
And, like the man of scripture, plants
his business on a rock.

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(Signed) MOIRS, Limited. Halifax, Sept. 2nd.

The oldest bakers in Dartmouth, say: "Royal Household" flour is as ne

have never had anything to equal it. (Signed)

JOSEPH H GENTLES

Dartmouth, N S , Sept. 15th, 1904.

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-Punctuality in the home is more important than punctuality in business, for the housekeeper is respon-

sible for the habits of the children for the home, and the formation of character is more important than the

The bousehold.

HANG THIS IN YOUR LAUNDRY Ink stains Soak in sour milk. If a dark stain remains rinse in a weak solution of chloride of lime. Blood stains—Soak in cold salt wat-

plenty of soap; afterward boil. Grass stains-Saturate the spot thoroughly with kerosene, then put in

then rinse in soapy water.

Hot tea and coffee stains—Soak the stained fabric in cold water; wring; spread out and pour a few drops of glycerine on each spot. Let it stand

Grease spots-Hot water and soap that." long standing, use either chloroform or naptha. All three of these must be used away from either fire or artificial

Pitch, wheel-grease, tar stains-Soft- ging fraternity of London: en the stains with lard, then soak in turpentine. Scrape off carefully, with a knife, all the loose surface dirt; sponge clean with turpentine and rub poor blind man." A suspicious pas-

Sewing machine oil stains-Rub with "Who said I was blind?" asked the lard. Let stand for several hours, man.

Fruit stains-Stretch the fabric conthe stained garments out of doors by time, soak the article in a weak alist if he received satisfactory en colution of oxalic acid or hold the couragement from his parents. spot over the fumes of sulphur.

with soap in tepid water.

Varnish and paint—If the stain is newly acquired knowledge, and sought on a coarse fabric, dissolve by satur-ating with turpentine; use alcohol if of the people at the table.

on a fine fabric. Sponge with chloroform if a dark ring is left by the tur- the lady nearest to him, with a smi pentine. Be very cautious not to use | ing face, he inquired: either the chloroform or turpentine where there is either fire or artificial a microscope?".

THE HOUSE BEAUTIFUL.

Many homes, otherwise tastefully urnished, have been spoiled by ugly or unsuitable paper and paint in the room. Dark rooms have been made still darker by a dull, ugly patterned | cheese under the side of her place, and paper, while sunny rooms have been made absolutely glaring by bright red on the subject wasn't wanted. walls, and you will have a nice back- the table John burst forth again. ground to your pictures and furniture, Dark rooms should be prepared in like warts, and you think you can see light colors, which will tend to reflect | beasts a-runningthe light rays, and not absorb them as dark papers do. Living rooms should have a nice medium colored heads," protested the eager naturalist, paper that will wear well, and keep "for flies-" the dirt in the background. Rooms with a sunny aspect should be hung table!" in soft shades of green, which will soften the strong light and be grateful to the tired eye. Rich reds and "sense" when he really had something golden browns give one the sense of to say. rooms look cold. Pink and white, or pale blue and white, have a fresh and sweet appearance, while yellow reflects a mellow light. Green is the only col-

colors could be made. Choose the him up" as to his duties. work is painted. If you can contrast the color of the paint with that of the 4 30 p.m | Ivory white is generally a safe tint to s. 5. "Bestem" & "Primee George,"
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the lightest. Have a good paper while
the lightest. Have a good paper while ceiling is approached, the latter being him." the lightest. Have a good paper while you are about it. It pays in the end;

FOR FALLING HAIR.

When the hair is dry and dandruffy the following lotion used every other night will be found beneficial: To four ounces of rose water add half a A VARIATION OF THE OLD STORY. dram each of sulphur, glyperin and borax. This will clear the scalp of "If you please, sir?" dandruff and prepare it for the new growth of hair. While the head is in the abnormal condition indicated by "Aha, your grandmother! Go on, the presence of dandruff the hair will Jimmy." neither be glossy nor of a good color, "Me grandmother and me mother—" nor will there be, a healthy growth of "What, and your mother, too! Both new hair. There need be no anxiety very ill, eh?" over the falling of the hair unless it | "No, sir. Me grandmother an' me falls to excess, provided new hair mother are goin' to the baseball game keeps on appearing; but no head of this afternoon, an' they want me to even by one hair a day if there is no corresponding gain to balance the

How to Cure Corns and Bunions

First, soak the corn or bunion in warm water to soften it; then pare it down as closely as possible without drawing blood and apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice daily, rubbing vigorously for five minutes at each application. A corn plaster should be worn a few days to protect it from the shoe. As a general liniment for sprains, bruises, lameness and rheumatism, Pain Balm is unequalled. For sale by S. N. Weare.

3okers' Corner.

WILLING TO LET IT DROP. ney was raised to the rank of ser geant. Forthwith his chest expanded, and from that time on he looked down on McGrane. One day McGrane approached Roon-

"Mike-I mean sergeant-s'pose private stepped up to a sergeant and wird happen?"

"He'd be put in the guard house."

"He wud." "Well, now, s'pose the private only water and soap.

Iron rust—Soak the stain thoroughit. Wud he be put in the guard ly with lemon juice; sprinkle with salt hou

"Well, then, we'll lave it go at

THE BEGGING FRATERNITY

gently till dry.

Mildew—Soak in a weak solution of which he immediately clutched at. chloride of lime for several hours. "I see you are not so blind after

then wash with cold water and soap.

Scorch stains—Wet the scorched place, rub with soap and bleach in the said the man, looking at it. "It

taining the stain over the mouth of a HE WAS SOMETHING OF A NATUR-

We have been hearing of a boy who over night. If the stain has been fixed thought he would like to be a natur-Soot stains-Rub the spots with dry 10th birthday, and, forsaking all other ornmeal before sending the clothes to interests, he devoted himself to the study of nature with such ardor that Chocolate and cocoa stains-Wash when dinner was announced on the

> Guests were present, and, turning t "Did you ever look at cheese through

"I do not remember to have done so," she pleasantly replied, withdrawing from her lips the bits she was about to eat.

"Well, you just ought to see the things crawl on it."
"John," exclaimed his father, "eat The lady quietly tucked the piece

through a microscope! They look ins

"Well, they look worse than flight

"Boy," said the father, "leave the

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"Why, sir, it was only yesterday that the manager called me in for a talk, and he said you were one of the

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Tommy-Johnny Jones started it. good Book says if an enemy smites you on one cheek, you should turn the Tommy-Yes, ma'am: but he belted me on the nose, an' I ain't got but one, so I had to pitch in an' lick him.

John went out, wondering why his

"Yes. sfr." "No stranger must be allowed to en-

man, honest and trustworthy; but it dark and gradually get lighter as the will be your duty to keep an eye on

> best men in the city, but it would be just as well to keep both eves on you,