

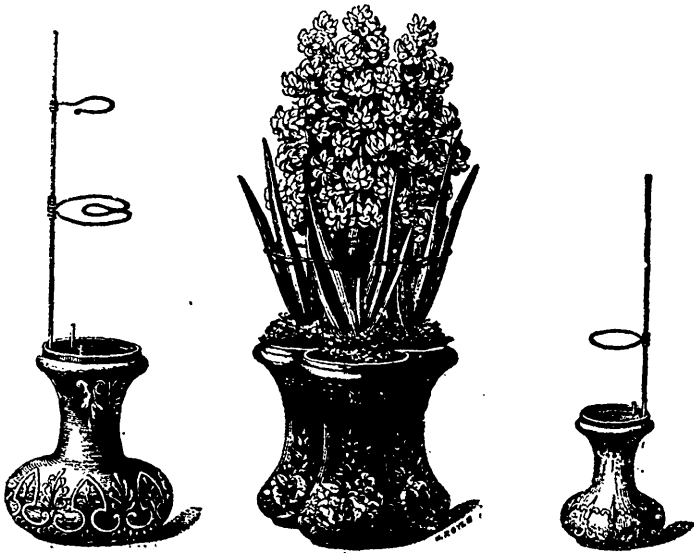
It has the same effect when sprinkled on the foliage of fruit trees. A paste of one part of chloride and one-half part of lard, placed in a narrow band round the trunk of a tree, prevents insects from creeping up it. It has been noticed that rats and mice quit places in which a certain quantity of chloride has been spread.

Editorial Notices, &c.

Agricultural and Veterinary Instruction.

Arrangements are being made for opening a class of young men for the study of the Veterinary art and the principles of agriculture, in Toronto, under the auspices of the Board of Agriculture, to commence about the middle of January, and to continue for five or six weeks.

Mr. Smith, a licenciate of the Veterinary College of Edinburgh, and Veterinary Surgeon to the Board of Agriculture of Upper Canada, will give instruction in the anatomy, physiology and diseases of the Horse, and farm animals generally, and Professor Buckland, assisted by the Professors of Chemistry, Geology, and Natural History in University College, will take the various branches of science that relate to the practice and theory of agriculture. It is hoped that a considerable number of young farmers from different sections of the country will avail themselves of such an opportunity of improving themselves in a knowledge of the principles of their important art. Full particulars hereafter.



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