

meal 16 lbs., corn meal 30 lbs., ground oats 14 lbs.; product, milk 280.3 lbs., butter-fat 11 303 lbs. Representative of Michigan Station, Porter H. Davis.

Clothilde Artis Topsey: age, 4 years, 1 month, 10 days; food consumed, pasturage, malt sprouts 21 lbs., gluten meal 7 lbs.; product, milk 412.8 lbs., butter-fat 13 724 lbs. Representative of Cornell University Station, Leroy Anderson.

Paula Dorinda: age, 2 years, 10 months; food consumed, ensilage 363 lbs., hay 13 lbs., wheat bran 80 lbs., oil meal 31 1/2 lbs.; product, milk 343 2 lbs., butter fat 11.101 lbs. Representative of Michigan Station, Porter H. Davis.

Our Garden.

BY I. N. COWDREY.

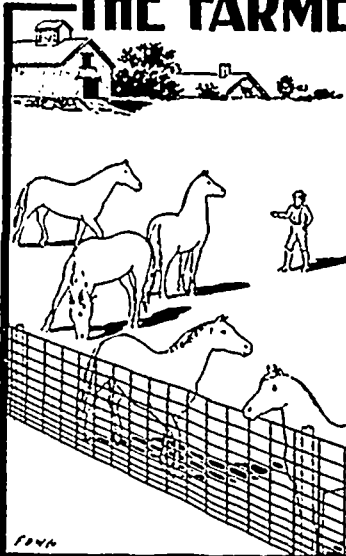
We have a plat of ground about fifteen rods long and six rods wide, that we use for a garden and small fruit. We have a row of blackberries planted to one side, then about twelve feet from this row is a row of grapes, then a row of currants and gooseberries, then a row of asparagus, then come the strawberries. We have the raspberries in another patch. All these rows are placed far enough apart to drive between them with a wagon, so that manure or mulch can easily be drawn on. Between these rows we grow nearly all our garden. The vegetables are all planted in rows he long way, and if one row is too much of anything the rest of the row is filled out with something else. The rows are planted far enough apart to admit of horse cultivation. A liberal supply of manure is put on every year, and the ground is cultivated up very deep instead of plowing with a big plow. This keeps the ground level, where a big plow would throw it up in ridges. The currants, grapes and berries are kept trimmed up in narrow form so that the cultivation can be done quite closely. By this way of gardening the small fruit can be kept clean with the garden, where if the two were not combined the small fruit would more likely be neglected.

"Your mother agrees with me exactly, Johnny," said his father, proceeding to trim the twigs from a tough switch. "She thinks, with me, that you need a good trouncing, and you are going to get it, my son." "Yes," bitterly exclaimed Johnny. "You and maw always agrees when it comes to lickin' me. You and maw's the whole thing. I don't never have no show. This family's run by a trust!"

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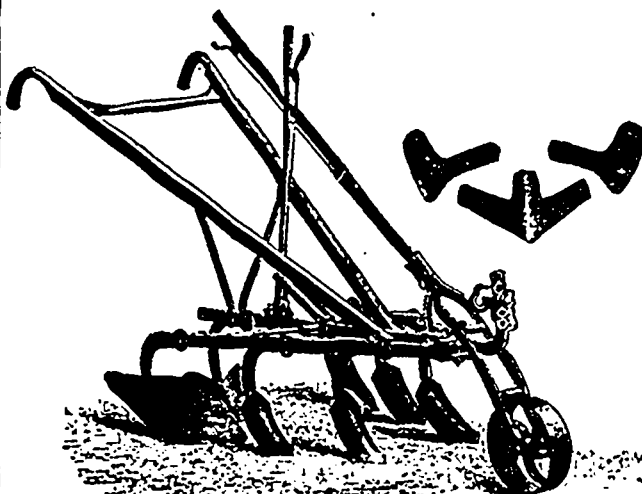
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