

Literary and Domestic.

Housework.

Washing, mopping, baking, churning; Next day ironing must be done. And the busy housewife findeth Little rest till set of sun.

Health Hints.

Some years ago there was in the Report of the Agricultural Department an article by a New York physician on the subject of the malaria that produces fever and ague.

for faces that are fairer and forms that are more graceful than yours. You are their very own, and so better to them always than others.

The Art of Making Good Bread.

Emily Maple, in the Rural New-Yorker, tells how to make good bread: "Every domestic scribbler has had his or her say about bread-making, and to many the subject is thread-bare, but to those housekeepers who have not secured the coveted name of 'an excellent bread-maker' a few hints may not come amiss.

coffee-sack; to receive the drippings. Wiped while hot, no murky dew rises on their shining surface. I do not rinse my dishes."

Boy Smokers.

A learned professor of medicine in one of our universities some time ago made the remark to us that those students who passed through his hands rarely succeeded in distinguishing themselves if they were habitual smokers of tobacco.

The British in India.

For two hundred and sixty years, more or less India was governed by an English commercial company whose sole purpose was to enrich its stockholders and managers by spoilation of the native princes and their subjects.

As is pretty generally known, the smoking of tobacco has a certain intoxicating effect. It soothes the nervous system, and in cases of poor living it hilla the craving of a hungry stomach without in any degree feeding the animal system.

One Cause of Hard Times.

Rev. Dr. Mears, President of Hamilton College, recently delivered an address on the subject of drink as a cause for hard times. From the address we are indebted to the Rural Home for the following extracts:

"The 'Cookery' says:—To make good bread always be up in the morning early, just at the peep of day in summer time to prevent the sponge becoming sour by too long standing, and in winter to be getting materials warmed and in readiness for use."

A Brush for Washing Dishes.

A housewife in Colman's Rural gives her mode of washing dishes with a broom-corn brush: "This brush is of easy construction. Take from four to a dozen stalks. I usually keep three or more sizes, as they constantly extend their sphere of usefulness."

The Best Love.

Home-love is the best love. The love that you are born to is the sweetest you will ever have on earth. You, who are so anxious to escape from the home-nest, pause a moment and remember that this is so.

The American Young Folks.

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A very good and entertaining paper for children. It is well illustrated, and each monthly number contains sixteen pages.—St. Cloud, (Minn.) Journal.

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Farm Letters.

From Franklin County. February 25th. Weather very fine for winter. Stock water abundant and cattle thriving...

From Marion County. Jan. 28. My husband to-day has been planting hickory nuts, that have been previously buried and exposed. Will some reader of the FARMER, who has had experience, tell if they can be transplanted...

We thank "Emily" for her spicy and interesting letter, and are sure our readers will enjoy it as much as we have. If the ladies will promise not to tell the sterner sex, we will confide a secret—we think they can write more interesting letters than the men.

From Brown County. Feb. 4th. I will say in answer to "One out and hires" that if his ground is pretty well eaten out and he wishes to plant corn, that he can commence to break any time after the spring seeding is done...

THE STRAY LIST. HOW TO POST A STRAY.

BY AN ACT of the Legislature, approved Feb. 27, 1866, section 1, when the appraisal value of a stray or strays exceed ten dollars, the County Clerk is required, within ten days after receiving a certified description and appraisal...

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Strays For The Week Ending February 19, 1879

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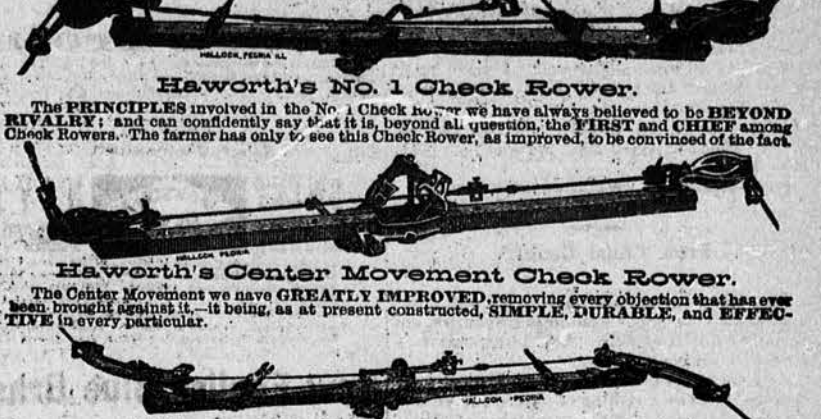
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