

Animal Food.

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Meat is more or less improved by allowing it to hang in cool temperatures some days after the creature has retired from life.

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The flesh of birds differ from that of mammals, in that it is not marbled, or its fibres are not mixed with fat.

The flesh of game contains but a small amount of fat. It is usually tender and easily digested.

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of the partridge, quail, snipe and woodcock are delicate. The latter two are richer than the former.

ENCOURAGING HEALTHY READING FOR BOYS.—The Manchester Guardian gives the following account of an interesting experiment which has been carried on for about fourteen months at one of the branch free libraries in Manchester.

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WHAT WOULD THE WORLD DO WITHOUT AMERICA?—Oddly enough, after we sent the phylloxera, (a very dragon of bug more vicious than the Colorado beetle, as it has a liquorish tooth, and preys only upon vineyards,) to destroy the grapes of Southern France, we are invited to send our vines after it, as they are supposed to be the only ones with vitality enough to withstand its ravages.

HELMINTHOLOGY.—Of late years no department of natural history has attracted more attention than that of the study of internal parasites in man and other animals.

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MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 25, 1879. SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 25.—Silver coin, 99 3/4 per cent.

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