AGRICULTURE.

STOCK FEED FOR FALL AND WINTER.—In view of the certainty of the scarcity of corn, and of high prices for all sorts of food for live stock during the coming fall and winter, farmers cannot be too careful of the supply on hand. Straw and corn fodder are sure to be much more largely used as supplementary feed than heretofore, especially at the West, where straw and even corn stalks have hitherto been lightly esteemed for feeding purposes in many places. During the terrible drouth on the Pacific coast a couple of years ago, when thousands of stock starved to death, loud regrets were heard on all sides at the foolish waste and destruction of straw at threshing time; for had it been stacked so as to keep well, it would have been a godsend to cattle and their owners in those days and months of famine. Rather than over economize by reducing the feed of stock too much, however, would it not be better to weed out one's herds and flocks, and dispose of all inferior animals early—before they have finished their feed supply of those it will pay to keep? With animals intended for market it is more economical to give them full feed, so as to have them ready for sale as soon as possible, rather than reduce their rations and be forced to keep them longer. Now is a good time to lay plans for economizing feed during the coming winter.

RADISHES AT CHRISTMAS.—Farmers' families can have their bed of radishes from the first of December to the first of February with so little labor as not to be worth considering. All farmers have plenty of horse manure to be used in what is called a "hot bed." Make a frame or box of boards say six by three feet, or as much smaller or larger as may be desired; dig out the earth from eight to twelve inches in depth; fill up to nearly level to the ground with horse manure; put on the frame; top off with about three inches of good soil. Sow the radish seed—we prefer the Long Scarlet Short Top, or the Long Salmon will answer. Then cover, or only partly cover the frame with old sash; if you have no sash you can make enough.—While the weather is warm the sash should be entirely off, and almost at all times it should be uncovered from ten to two o'clock; and if the weather should be very cold cover with some old carpets or boards. A frame and sash will last from six to ten years. For breakfast, but for tea especially, there is nothing more refreshing than a plate of these radishes fresh from the bed. Try it. It is something that the girls could attend to after the hot-bed is prepared.

SHELL LIME.—There is no better way to utilize shells than to burn them. Shell lime is more valuable as a fertilizer than rock lime. But lime in itself is of little value as a direct fertilizer, yet for reducing other substances to an available condition for food for plants it is useful. It renders stiff, clayey soil more friable and liberates salts of soda and potash, making fertilizers of them. Many a barren clay soil contains all the elements necessary for fertility, which, on account of their combinations are not available. An application of lime decomposes the clay and liberates the salt. Mixed with muck from swamp meadows it combines with the acids and decomposes the vegetable matter, making an excellent manure. On lands where night soil has been continuously used it will aid in producing good crops if spread broadcast on the land.

USE OF FALLEN LEAVES.—Leaves have to be gathered up. They are excellent to mix with hot-bed material, and, when practicable, should be saved for this purpose. They do not heat so rapidly as stable manure, and in this have an advantage; as tempering the violence makes the manure last longer and maintain a more regular heat. They are excellent material to put around cold frames to protect half-hardy plants. A board is put up to the height of the frame boards, and about a foot or more from them, and the leaves in between. If the plants are somewhat tender, the botom of the frames may be filled a few feet with the leaves. These leaves after having been two or three years decaying make admirable stuff for plants and flowers generally.

WITH corn, the best way to rid the field of smut is to pass through it and gather and burn all the affected ears and stalks. In this way the many millions of spores are kept from being spread and continuing the pest. With the smaller grains, as wheat and oats, this method, though it is the most effective, would probably be impracticable. Though the remedy is not easy of application, it is a step forward in the work, to know the exact nature of the trouble, and about this there is no doubt. Smut is a small parasitic plant preying upon those of a higher order.

PLOWING for spring crops may be done now, and the soil left rough to be subjected to the fullest possible action of the weather. Should weeds come up in any quantity after the plowing, the ground may be harrowed, or if very bad, plowed again. Stiff clay land is greatly benefitted by ridge plowing. This is done by turning two furrows against two others. Such lands must be plowed again in the spring, splitting these furrows, which will bring the soil into a much improved condition.

BONE DUST FOR MELONS.—An Indiana farmer tried four different fertilizers for melons—poultry droppings, well rotted cow manure, barnyard manure and old bones (gathered upon the farm and reduced by placing them in alternate layers with ashes the previous year), mixing all liberally in the different hills, which were eight feet apart each way, and he says:—"Such a crop of melons as came from the hills that had the bone dust I never saw before."

SUGAR BEETS.—In France it is generally recognized as a rule that the sugar beet should never be cultivated upon a fresh manure or farmyard manure, because this system of culture gives a large yield in weight, but roots so rich in foreign matters that they cannot be worked with profit. The best should always form the second rotation when the manure is strong.

ROOT CROPS.—The faults to be avoided in the rising of beets and mangels are—first, planting the seed too deep, and next, allowing the weeds to get the upper hand. The seeds start slowly at best, and if planted too deeply it will be a month before they are well up, by which time the weeds will have a good growth.

PROFESSOR RILEY says that kerosene oil is sure death to insects in all stages and the only substance with which we have hope to destroy their eggs.

THERE are 18,000,000 cows in the United States. This is more than are kept by any nation of Europe, Germany having the highest, or 8,962,221.

THE digestibility of fodder plants is largely determined by their age. All the constituents of a young plant are more digestible than is the same plant of greater age.

AN aggregate flavor in cattle food stimulates appetite and probably promotes digestion.

A POULTICE of fresh tea leaves, moistened with water, will cure a stye on the eyelid.

[Chicago Inter-Ocean.]

Perils of the Deep.

The world-renowned swimmer, Capt. Paul Boyton, in an interview with a newspaper correspondent at the seashore, related the following incidents in his experience:

Reporter.—"Capt. Boyton, you must have seen a large part of the world?"

Capt. Boyton.—"Yes sir, by the aid of my Rubber Life Saving Dress, I have traveled over 10,000 miles on the rivers of America and Europe; have also been presented to the crowned heads of England, France, Germany, Austria, Belgium, Italy, Holland, Spain and Portugal, and have in my possession forty-two medals and decorations; I have three times received the order of knighthood, and been elected honorary member of committees, clubs, orders and societies."

Reporter.—"Were your various trips accompanied by much danger?"

Capt. Boyton.—"That depends upon what you may call dangerous. During my trip down the river Tagus in Spain, I had to "shoot" one hundred and two waterfalls, the highest being about eighty-five feet, and innumerable rapids. Crossing the Straits of Messina, I had three ribs broken in a fight with sharks; and coming down the Somane, a river in France, I received a charge of shot from an excited and startled huntsman. Although all this was not very pleasent, and might be termed dangerous, I fear nothing more on my trip than intense cold; for, as long as my limbs are free and easy, and not cramped or benumbed, I am all right. Of late I carry a stock of St. Jacob's Oil in my little boat,—(the Captain calls it "Baby Mine," and has stored therein signal rockets, thermometer, compass, provisions, etc.)—and I have had but litle trouble. Before starting out I rub myself thoroughly with the article, and its action on the muscle is wonderful. From constant exposure I am somewhat subject to rheumatic pains, and nothing would ever benefit me, until I got hold of this Great German Remedy. Why, on my travels I have met people who have been suffering with Rheumatism for years; by my advice they tried the Oil, and it cured them. I would sooner do without food for days than be without this remedy for one hour. In fact, I would not attempt a trip without it."

The Captain became very enthusiastic on the subject of St. Jacob's Oil, and we left him citing instances of the curative qualities of the Great German Remedy to a party around him.

A VERY dilapidated-looking tramp entered the counting-room of one of Jersey City's wealthiest storekeepers, and, coming up to the desk, asked.

"Ain't your folks from Posey County, Indiany?"

"Yes."

"And your name John Smith?"

"Yes."

"Shake! You have at last found your long-lost brother Bill. I am in need of money."

"Here is a quarter take it and go."

The long-lost brother turned over the quarter a time or so, and then said.

"Is a quarter all you can spare your long-lost brother?"

"That's all. Go now or I'll call a policeman," said the merchant.

"I'll accept the quarter on account of our relationship. That's a family matter; but, besides being your brother, I'm a tramp and a dead-beat. Now I apply to you professionally. Give me another quarter."

[Chicago Tribune.]

Mr. Ira Brown, the enterprising real estate man, states that he could and would say a good word for St. Jacob's Oil, which had cured him of a severe attack of inflamatory rheumatism that all other treatments had failed even to allay.

HE was a grave and reverend college professor, and was enjoying the air of one of the wharves. "Do you catch many mackerel this year he asked of a hardy fisherman. "Well," the son of Neptune replied, "we seine some." "Pardon, young man," exclaimed the man of letters, "you mean you saw some." "Not by a hornful," replied the fisherman. "Who ever heard of sawin' fish? We split 'em, sir, we split 'em, but we never saw 'em." The man from college seemed mystified. He turned away and sighed at the ignorance of the times.

"WHAT is your age?" asked a friend of Mme. de C the other evening. "Thirty-one," promptly replied the fair Sapphira. Oh, where do you expect to go when you die?" gasps another lady. "I am thirty-four, and you told me with your own lips, that you were just my age, my love." "I know I did, dearest, but it was only to console you."

Another Candidate.

By a large majority the people of the United States have declared their faith in Kidney-Wort as a remedy for all the diseases of the kidneys and liver, some, however, have disliked the trouble of preparing it from the dry form. For such a new candidate appears in the shape of Kidney-Wort in Liquid Form. It is very concentrated, is easily taken and is equally efficient as the dry. Try it.—*Louisville Post.*

THEODORE HOOK once called upon an old lady, who pressed him so urgently to stay and dine with her; that as he had no engagement he could not refuse. On sitting down, the servant uncovered a dish which contained two mutton chops; and the hostess said, "Mr. Hook, you see your dinner,"

"Thank you, ma'am;" said he; "but where is yours?"

LITTLE Phil, a bright five-year old, is afraid of thunder. During the recent hot spell his mother would remark: "Oh, I pray for rain." One day when she said it, Phil thus addressed her; "Oh, mamma, I can tell you why it don't rain. When I say my prayers I des say: 'Please don't pay any 'tention to what mamma says, cos I am 'fraid of thunder.'"

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Feb. 2, 1880.

I know Hop Bitters will bear recommendation honestly. All who use them confer upon them the highest encomiums, and give them credit for making cures—all the proprietors claim for them. I have kept them since they were first offerd to the public. They took high rank from the first, and maintained it, and are more called for than all others combined. So long as they keep up their reputation for purity and usefulness, I shall continue to recommend them—something I have never before done with any other patent medicine.

I. I. BABCOCK.

You can always tell when an editor is on a vacation. He walks about the streets as if he had lost a thread of thought or something, and nothing will bring him back to himself so quick as to have some one call "copy" in his ear.

SINCE hoops again came into fashion they are alluded to as domestic circles. It is not known who perpetrated the pun, but he is no doubt some renegade journalist who should be exiled from the bustle of life to the very outskirts of civilization.

THE rations on which a poet's brains are fed—Inspiratians.

THE electric light, as adapted to theatres and the ball room, is said to be death to blondes, and one consequence is to be the revival of brunettes. This makes it bad for families who already have two or three blondes on hand, unless they can exchange them for brunettes. As nothing is said about the damaging effects of the electric light in churches, blondes can still venture in such places, and this is some consolation.

Hurrah For Our Side!

Many people have lost their interest in politics and in amusements because they are so out of sorts and run down that they cannot enjoy anything. If such persons would only be wise enough to try that Celebrated remedy Kidney-Wort and experience its tonic and renovating effects they would soon be hurraing with the loudest. In either dry or liquid form it is a perfect remedy for torpid liver, kidneys or bowels.—*Exchange.*

IT was related of a certain clergyman, who was noted for his long sermons, with many divisions, that one day, when he was advancing among the teens, he reached at length a kind of resting place in his discourse, when, pausing to take breath and asking the question, "And what shall I say more?" a voice from the congregation earnestly responded, "Say 'amen.'"

UNHEALTHY or inactive kidneys cause gravel, Bright's disease, rheumatism, and a horde of other serious and fatal diseases, which can be prevented with Hop Bitters, if taken in time.

A PRETTY girl out West told her beau that she was a mind-reader. "You don't say so," he exclaimed. "Yes," said she. "You have it in your mind to ask me to be your wife, but you are just a little scared at the idea." Their wedding cards are out.

STRANGE but true—The tired man who lies a-bed in the morning is not a-tired man.

YOUNG man; in commencing life, imitate the little fish. They always begin on a small scale.

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