

Democratic Watchman

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Farm Notes.

It is stated by some one that when the thermometer stands at 50 degrees at sun down frost will not occur that night. It is worth observation.

When horses are fed on cut green fodder care is to be taken to give it fresh. If left in a heap until it heats it is apt to ferment in the stomach and cause colic.

The fly stall causes sore feet and injures the horses health. By strict cleanliness a larger amount of manure can be saved and the thrift of the animal promoted.

Money spent in improving property will usually yield more profit and happiness than money spent in making payments on more property that can properly managed.

Watch your farm expenses and be sure that your income always exceeds your expenditure. In order to know your standing, you will have to keep an account-book, of course.

The largest raisin vineyard in the world now in bearing is owned by A. B. Butler, of Fresno, Cal. It contains 610 acres. The annual income from this vineyard has reached \$200,000.

Cover your rhubarb and asparagus with plenty of manure, which will show its good effect in the spring. Salt the asparagus beds slightly, and rake off all dead grass before applying the manure.

A cornstalk will absorb and retain a large amount of liquid manure, but the stalk has a very hard coat, and until it is broken or crushed it does not serve well for absorbing water. Crush the stalks or press them through a cutter, and they can be put to good service.

Not every farmer has the time or taste to cultivate flowers and shrubbery to much extent, and it is better not to plant at all than to plant and then neglect, but there are two things that will cost little yet will beautify the home acre on any farm. These are trees and grass.

Slush and manure in the barnyard indicate a lack of care. No animal should be compelled to stand in a barnyard that is damp and filthy. The easiest and cheapest mode to avoid such a barnyard is to fill it well with absorbent material. The stables should never be filthy, but should be cleaned thoroughly every day.

An Illinois farmer thinks that sweet apples are better for hogs than any root crop. He says a hog will leave a clover patch to eat sweet apples, and he thinks apples will make more fat and muscle than clover. It puts the hair in shape, cools the stomach and intestines, regulates the bowels and makes them voracious feeders, and he thinks it tends as much to fatten them as any other portion of the rations.

If you wish to have a large patch of onions next year lay off a plot of ground, cover it with three inches of manure, and on the first warm day that such work can be done spade the plot, mixing the manure well into the soil, and broadcast a small quantity of lime over the surface. In the spring spade the plot again, rake it down fine and plant it to onion sets. The result should be large onions and plenty of them.

It is said that good roads indicate a high state of civilization, but if the claim is correct there is much for farmers yet to do before they can reach the highest limit, for the greatest neglect has been given the roads. Though the road is public property, and devoted to each and all, yet no one has sufficient private interest therein to permit him to cease farm operation in order to look after the roads. It is only when the roads become impassable that their condition is noticed and regretted.

LOS OF POWER AND TEAMS.
Experiments have recently been made at several points which show that a bad road in winter will cost the farmer a sum much greater than his taxes on the farm, in some instances, as he must not only sacrifice time, wear of vehicle, and lessen the weight of his loads, but must use two horses to do the work of one. The draft on a good gravel road, according to Professor Sanborn, compared with even a good dirt road, showed a difference of over 4000 pounds load for the same force, or 119 per cent. more of net load could be carried on the gravel road than on the dirt road, while the draft was lessened more than one half. If this difference between a good gravel road and a good dirt road is so great, how great should be the difference between a good road and one of mud, on which the wagon wheels sink nearly to the hubs, bringing up great loads of sticky mud at every revolution, the reader can estimate for himself as it is only a matter of observation and comparison. Nor is this all. In addition to producing the power the horse raises a large share of the mud with his feet, and must use extra exertion to propel his body, even without a load.

GOOD ROADS NOT DIFFICULT.
The first object that should be accomplished is to have the roads hard and smooth, also graded wherever it can be done with little cost. How to make a good road depends on locality and the materials most easily and cheaply procured, but the farmers in each community are in duty bound to take the matter of good roads into their own hands by refusing to elect anyone to the position of road manager unless he is capable, and they should not only agitate the subject but should insist on good roads. The first cost is the greatest, but where a good road is established it will not be costly to keep in good condition, and it is so difficult to repair as the muddy ways denominated as roads.

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