Democratic Watchman.

Bellefonte, Pa., March 25, 1892.

Farm Notes.

It is a mistake to buy two-year old trees instead of those that are younger. Young trees will start off better, and make more roots than will large ones. If a young tree and a tree two or three years old are planted side by side, the younger one will overtake the other, and thrive better. In the method of planting is one of the secrets of success. Remove the top soil, and place it to one side. Then make a hole two feet square, and deep enough to allow of firmly planting the tree. Cut off the ends of all bruised roots, and spread the roots out well in the hole, throwing the top soil in on the roots, pressing it firmly, and pouring water in plentifully. Fill up with the soil removed last, making a mound at the base of the tree. No manure to be used, but old bones may be well pounded and put into the hole, mixed with the soil. Cover with a light mulch, which should be removed after the trees begin to shoot. Do not be afraid to cut the trees back so as to have them stocky, and do not leave on too many new shoots, and rub off all that may appear afterwards.

Apple and pear trees should be kept clear the first year. A grass crop may then be grown in the orchard, provided a second growth is turned under, the object being not to force such trees too rapidly, especially the pear, as it may blight. Peach trees should be cut back severely every year, and should be kept well cultivated and clean, as a grass crop is fatal to a peach orchard. After the trees have been on the ground a year the land should receive an application of wood ashes and ground bone, and for peaches the ground should be cultivated two or three times a year, or as often as the grass begins to take possession. When buying new trees always carefully examine for signs of the borer, and aim to procure trees from some section that is free from diseases of trees.

Whether for market or for the use of the family, the best varieties of fruit should be selected, and every farm should have, if possible, not only apples, but pears, peaches, quinces, and all the kinds of small fruits. Once an orchard of trees is established, but little labor of cultivation is required compared with other crops, while the profit is much greater in proportion to the area of land occupied and the labor bestowed. Fruit is really a luxury, and on the farm a crop is very useful, as a large portion may be preserved for winter use.

It has been discovered that potatoes can be prevented from sprouting by immersing them for ten hours in a solution of one part sulphuric acid in fifty parts water, in a wooden tank, without injury to the potatoes. A trial of the process, with a few potatoes, will not cost over 5 cents.

The insect-powder plant, "Pyrethrum Roseum," is a handsome, perennial flower, which can be grown in any flower garden. The dried and pulverized flowers constitute the insect powder. The seed can be purchased of any seedsman. It is worth a place in the flower yard.

Of the early peas, Alaska is very early, and the American Wonder is also an excellent early variety, being wrinkled (which is usually an indication of the quality), and Little Gem is another variety that will give good results. Plant peas early.

Many early plants can be given a start by planting the seeds on inverted sods, in a hot bed, or cold frame, transplanting the sods to the open ground after danger of frost is over. Lima beans, melons, squashes and early corn may be so treated.

Radishes may be grown on ground that will really take up no extra room, as they will thrive well between rows of early cabbage or peas. They grow so quickly that they will be out of the way before the other crops will have made much growth.

Radishes are very handy and may be easily forced and grown in a cold frame, as they do not require as much warmth as some plants. The best radishes are those that are very quickly grown, which makes them tender and crisp.

Squashes are good feed for milch cows. They produce rich milk and we find them, from our own experience, preferable to pumpkins. They are first rate food also for fattening hogs.

Now is the time to root your cuttings of geraniums, coleus, petunias and other plants, in sand boxes, in a warm place. Put the slips in small pots as soon as they are rooted in the sand box.

A few crab apples of the best sort should have a place in every orchard, or they may be planted about the home grounds, as they are quite ornamental for a good portion of the year.

George A. Smith, speaking at a recent New York institute, said the cow should not be salted periodically—once or twice a week—but be given free access to it at all times.

It is true in breeding as well as in growing crops the man who weeds the closest and most intelligently is the one who grows the largest crop at the least cost.

The man who willfully deprives his family of the privileges of a good vegetable garden fails in one of his foremost duties.

Whether you are planting for fruit or for ornament, set only small trees. They will give the best results in the end.

A Few Biased Opinions.

It is comparatively seldom that the real hero can spare time from heroism to get his picture into the newspapers.

The true philanthropist is doubly to be admired when it is considered how little there is in his fellow-man that is really loveable.

It will be a literary blessing if Rudyard Kipling's marriage does no more than change his persistent "I" into an occasional "we."

Perhaps the disposition to "kick a man when he is down" would not be so great if he had not gone out of his way to make enemies while he was up.—*Kate Field's Washington.*

A Ten Dollar Gold Piece for a Cent.

Sometime ago, a gentleman bet that if he stood at the corner of Broadway and Fourteenth Street, New York, and offered gold Eagles to the passers-by for a cent each, he would find no purchasers. The experiment was tried, and it turned out just as he said. No one would believe that the equally remarkable offer is that made by the proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the sovereign cure for Consumption. Think of it! restoration to life and health for a mere song. There is not a case of Lung scrofula—in other words, Consumption—that will not yield to it, if it is taken in time. It is the greatest blood-purifier ever know, and is *guararteed* to benefit or cure in all diseases of the throat and lungs, or money refunded. Only extraordinary curative properties could warrant or sustain its makers in selling it thus, *on trial!*

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A Philosopher's Opinion.

Voltaire said to a beautiful young lady with whom he was dining, "Your rivals are the perfection of art; you are the perfection of nature." This could not have been said if the young lady was suffering from disease, and pain had left its signs on the features. Women who want to keep beautiful, and be the "perfection of nature," should use "Favorite Prescription" to assist Nature when needed, to correct irregularties, aid circulation and digestion, and thereby elear up the skin, rendering it soft and beautiful. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the only medicine for woman's peculiar ills, sold through druggists, and *guaranteed* to give satisfaction in every case, or money refunded.

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PRONOUNCED HOPELESS, YET SAVED.—From a letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd, of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my Lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. I gave myself up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all, eight bottles; it has cured me, and thank God I am now a well and hearty woman." Trial bottles free at Parrish's Drugstore, regular size, 50c and $1.00.

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