

Farm Notes.

An old carpet thrown over the beehives, when the thermometer falls far below the usual temperature, will serve to prevent the loss of some of the bees, where the hives are placed in the cellar.

Hogs can live in filth, and eat and drink filth—*for a while*. But the chances are that they will not live so long, and they certainly will not profit the owner at all under such conditions.

When the thermometer is below zero at night the cold may be mitigated to some extent by giving double the quantity of straw or litter as bedding. It is along the floor that the cold draughts come.

Recent developments in dairy science make it one of the most promising branches of our agriculture. We should have dairy schools now as we have farmers' institutes—everywhere, and well supported.

The heavy covering of snow is a great protection to trees and small fruits, exposure to severe cold rendering them liable to the danger of being winter killed. The snow keeps them warm, and serves as a mulch.

I have never found a more profitable winter ration for an average cow than 50 pounds of good ensilage, 6 pounds of fine middlings, and what clover hay they will consume at noon. I favor the changing of the grain somewhat to give variety—John Gould.

The markets for farm products are as changeable as any other, and the demands and preferences of the customers must be at all times considered. Certain kinds of produce sell better during some periods than at others, and better prices may be obtained by watching the markets.

Turkeys should have a covered shed. If permitted to roost on the tree limbs at this season they are liable to lose the use of their feet by freezing. If they persist in going on the trees, they must be caught and confined in the shed for a few days. The shed should be provided with high roosts.

Next season try the experiment of watering one row of strawberries. Use plenty of fertilizer and cultivate well. It will cost but little to experiment with one row. Keep an account of the number of quarts of berries obtained, cost of all expenses, and then compare the result with a row not so treated.

Pear trees often grow too rapidly and make too much wood upon good soil to be first-rate bearers. A plowing around them, which is but one system of root pruning, and application of wood ashes or of muriate of potash around each tree may make the growth slower and more hardy, and produce a good crop of fruit.

The time has passed when an orchard can be planted by laying off the rows and setting young trees in holes on sod land. Fruit growers have learned by experience that the best way to begin an orchard is to plow the sod and harrow it well, so as to get it in good condition as for a crop. The orchard is then to be cultivated and kept clean.

In the country schools botany should be taught by devoting an hour or two each week in the growing seasons to excursions in the fields and woods, plants being selected, described and classified. By this mode of teaching it will create an interest on the part of the children. A flower garden in connection with the school, will also be an advantage.

The largest yield of milk and the heaviest product of butter were made in this country, which demonstrate that we have passed beyond the European in the quality of our cattle. Over 10,000 quarts of milk, and over 1000 pounds of butter are the records of American cows for one year. The cattle of this country, as a class, are also improving in every respect.

Water in the cellar occurs after heavy snows begin to melt. Sometimes it is the surface water that finds its way into the cellar. The only prevention is to shovel the snow away from the house and to make drains wherever the water will flow, in order to prevent the backing up of the water when it is held in a dam by slush. The best time to remove the snow is before a thaw comes.

Because the frosts seal up the liquids, and destroys all odors, it is no evidence that filth does not exist. The relief is but temporary. Cleanliness is essential, and all manure must be removed from the stalls, while the liquids should flow away freely, before they become ice. The proper arrangement of the stalls will greatly lessen the labor of keeping the stock clean at this season.

Whenever you have a piece of land that you cannot cultivate put it down to grass. Too much land is sometimes a drawback, but the best mode of keeping the land in condition, if you can only cultivate a portion of it, is to seed the remainder down to grass. If the grass crop is light plow under that which has grown and seed it again. Once a sod is obtained the land will begin to recuperate.

The complaint that nearly all the farms are mortgaged may be true, but such a fact is evidence that the farm is considered good security, and enables them to secure a loan. All branches of business are similarly affected, the credit system being universal. The merchant borrows money to engage in business, and most also give security for its payment. The farmer is engaged in business, and uses the same methods, and incurs the same risks, to which others are subject.

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—Prince Bismarck says that all be no cares for is to remain at home with his family. He dislikes travel and has a dread of the unfamiliar beds and lack of home comforts to be found in hotel life.

—I was so much troubled with catarrh it seriously affected my voice. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm did the work. My voice is fully restored.—B. F. Liepsner, A. M. Pastor of the Olivet Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

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REGISTER'S NOTICE.—The following accounts have been examined, passed and filed of record in the Register's office for the inspection of heirs and legatees, creditors and all others in anywise interested, and will be presented to the Orphans Court of Centre county on Wednesday, the 1st day of February, A. D., 1893, for allowance and confirmation.

- 1. Final and final account of Henry W. Shade administrator of &c., of Christina Shade late of Miles Twp., deceased.
- 2. The first and final account of W. H. Colgren administrator of &c., of John Colgren late of Gregg township deceased.
- 3. The first and final account of Thomas C. Houtz administrator of &c., of Christina Houtz late of Gregg township deceased.
- 4. Final account of P. F. Bottorf and J. B. Ardas filed by P. F. Bottorf executor of Samuel Hess late of Ferguson township deceased.
- 5. The first and final account of E. H. Hines administrator of &c., of Martin Vail late of Snow Shoe township deceased.
- 6. The 25th final account of Daniel Rhoads surviving trustee under the last will and testament of Wm. A. Thomas late of Belleville borough deceased.
- 7. The account of J. H. Reifnyder administrator of &c., of Magdalena Miller late of Millheim borough deceased.
- 8. The account of J. H. Reifnyder executor of &c., of Annie E. Ross late of Millheim borough deceased.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas the Honorable A. O. Furst, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Centre and Huntingdon, and the Honorable Thomas M. Riley and Honorable Curtis Faulkner, Associate Judges in Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date the 5th day of January to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Belleville, for the county of Centre, to be held on the 4th Monday of Jan. being the 27th day of Jan. 1893, and to continue two weeks, notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 27th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Belleville, the 6th day of January, in the year of our Lord, 1893, and the one hundred and fourteenth year of the independence of the United States.

WM. A. ISHLER, Sheriff.

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When other houses discharged their workmen during the winter they were all put to work in my factory, nevertheless the big houses of this city and county would smile if we compared ourselves to them, but we do not mean to be so odious, except to venture the assertion that none of them could do what we can say "NO ONE OWES US A CENT THAT WE CAN'T GET." This is the whole story.

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