

Farm Notes.

The greatest waste of cattle food occurs before the winter sets in rather than during the cold season, as the full barns and lack of storage room leads to extravagance and carelessness.

LOSSES BY STORAGE.

Whole ensilage, made by cutting the green corn, stalks and ears, into quarter inch lengths, was placed in the silo.

ACCEPTANCE BY STOCK.

One of the objections urged against corn-fodder is that when it is fed whole the cattle waste much of it by trampling, and that if cut up they pick it over and refuse a large portion.

The farmer who makes beef his specialty uses bulls from a beef-producing breed, and the farmer who depends upon milk prefers to breed from milk-producing breeds, but there are hundreds of farmers who take a pride in their calling, and yet do not know anything about breeds.

It takes about two eggs to hatch one chick, and in winter there is a liability of a loss of one-fifth of the chicks.

About five pecks of seed wheat per acre is the amount usually seeded, and the average yield per acre is a fraction over 14 bushels.

It is better to grow some crop that will find a market nearer home than to endeavor to produce an apparently more profitable article that must be sent a distance to be sold.

Growing cheap food in summer in order to convert it into high-priced butter in winter is the method adopted by those who have silos.

Some grasses that are native to the soil crowd out all other kinds. If the native kinds are adopted for providing good pasture it is cheaper to use no other than to expend labor and time in endeavoring to secure something better.

Don't forget that Thanksgiving will soon come, and the turkey may receive an extra ration. The fat turkey is the one that sells at the best price, and this is the best season of the year for fattening turkeys.

There is an advantage in having a dog that is trained to drive cattle and sheep to and from the pasture, as he will save time and labor that must be performed by a person.

A Vanishing Supply.

Of the Fur-bearing Animals Once so Plentiful in Alaska, Foxes that Were so Numerous that They Were Killed to Get Rid of Them Are Now All Gone.

For the purpose of perpetuating the fast vanishing fur supply of Alaska certain enterprising persons have gone into the business of breeding blue and black foxes on uninhabited islands along the coast, says an exchange.

The Smeda Propagating Company has recently stocked a number of islands with foxes, and the investment is beginning to yield handsome returns. The lands thus employed are valueless for anything else, being wholly barren.

The breeding of blue foxes has already been made very successful on one of the Pribilof Islands—that of St. George—in the Bering Sea. Of their increase 10,000 have been killed and skinned for market.

Great numbers were killed with clubs and all sorts of expedients were tried, but it was impossible to frighten them off. When Dr. Steinger, of the Smithsonian Institution, visited Bering Island not long ago for the purpose of obtaining a skeleton of the extinct Arctic seal, he was anxious also to secure specimens of certain rare seals, which are washed ashore by storms, but the foxes were so quick to grab them that he could get very few.

HE DID NOT CALL.—The man who tried Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, and was sure of the \$500 reward offered by the proprietors for an incurable case, never called for his money.

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Since 1871 9,989 persons have been succored at the life-saving stations.

Signs of the Times. The leaves in the forest are beginning to turn yellow and brown, and to drop off one by one, presaging the approach of autumn and bringing with it many climatic changes.

SCROFULOUS HUMOR. BOY ALMOST LOST USE OF HIS LIMBS. TWO YEAR'S INTENSE ITCHING. SEVERAL DOCTORS FAIL.

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