

FARM NOTES.

Wood ashes have always held a high place in the estimation of farmers for fertilizing purposes, and as long as they can be had of standard quality will continue to be used on farms.

Ashest contain, in addition to potash, all the mineral elements that enter into the composition of plants.

It has long been admitted that much of the benefit derived from ashes is due to the lime contained in them.

The beet is greedily consumed by swine, and though largely consisting of water, yet it is nourishing and fattening.

It is during such weather as the recent snow storm that colts, pigs and calves receive checks in growth.

The largest profits from the ground are made by those who cultivate small farms or plots, which are highly manured.

Another suitable gift for the masculine student is a frame for a small photograph.

That coal ashes are beneficial when spread on the surface of apple orchards in grass cannot be disputed.

An excellent fertilizer for an orchard is a mixture of 100 pounds of nitrate of soda, 200 pounds muriate of potash and 150 pound of bone meal.

There are several things fruit producers should resolve to do: Grade their fruits, wrap in paper the fine fruit, evaporate the second grade and not have any third grade.

The frost is a very serviceable agent in pulverizing the soil.

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

The "French Maid" tie, which is said to have been seen on every two women out of twenty during the spring, has again come into favor.

No article of neckwear aids more materially in making a plain waist look dressy than the big tie of black tulle.

The time of muffs has come round again, and many of us notice that those we put away last spring need to be re-lined before we can have any pleasure in using them.

For the new lining half a yard of satin is needed and three quarters of a yard of narrow elastic.

When you have done this you will have a thing somewhat like a short fat cracker. This must now be turned the other side out and slipped into the muff.

After the first six months of mourning a widow may put on the turn-over cuffs and collars of white linen lawn which nowadays can be worn by anyone in mourning.

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