

FARM NOTES.

Hog cholera is said to be at fault when large numbers of hogs die...

Fruit trees may be sprayed to advantage in winter. The spores of the various fungi remain on the limbs and twigs...

No farmer can progress unless he is willing to study and learn. In all occupations theory is a mighty factor...

Unattractive and uninteresting though the familiar earthworms may seem, they have their place in the economy of nature.

They are extremely sensitive to heat; and this is proven by the fact that they so quickly retreat to the first warmth of early spring...

Earthworms have no visible eyes. Their seeing apparatus consists of special single cells scattered among the epidermal cells of the skin and connected with a little branch of nervous matter in the body...

They are continually turning over the soil and dragging down leaves and other matter, which helps to fertilize the soil...

Poor butter is very often the result of impurities that get into the milk at milking time. Cloth strainers will help matters very materially...

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Tombstone A Wedding Gift. Aged Couple Will Have It Erected in the Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, the aged sextons of the Baptist church, Danville, Ky., celebrated their golden wedding on Tuesday.

Rather Cold Comfort. From the Elk County Democrat. The next time you meet a man "dead broke and out of a job" just explain to him that the currency per capita averages \$28.52.

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

The present style of dressing the hair, with twists and twirls resting on the nape of the neck, is very becoming with the present day toque.

There is a decided "feeling," as the artists would say, in favor of red house gowns for afternoon wear. Young girls and young women alike wear these sparkling costumes...

A pretty fancy of the moment is the neat turnover, hand-stitched white muslin collar, with a black plain, or spotted stock—this is a charming finish to a shirt worn with a tailor-made morning coat and skirt.

The following light gymnastic exercises have been recommended for reducing the size of the waist: First, stand perfectly upright, with shoulders back, chin pressed back, and arms at the sides...

There seems always something new to say about sleeves, really the most important item in wardrobes just now, says a Paris special in the New York Tribune.

A sleeve that, on the other hand, is almost universally becoming is close, with a high, tight cuff and elaborate drapery at the elbow.

Apparently all juvenile femininity has joined the navy, as all the most stylishly gotten up ones wear blue brass-buttoned blue navy refers with the ensign on the left sleeve.

Milady almost appears to be carrying a huge fluff ball of thistle down so silkily soft and delicate is her swagger chinchilla muff.

Small black hats, sharply turned up on the left side, adorned with black velvet and one huge white ostrich pompon, must be the latest vogue...

After sleeves, what is the next important thing on bodices? Probably collars, although there is a great similarity about these. They vary more in regard to size than to shape...

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A strip of flannel or a towel folded several times lengthwise and dipped in hot water, then slightly wrung out and applied about the neck of a child suffering with an attack of croup will usually, it is said, relieve the sufferer in the course of ten minutes if the flannel is kept hot.

A silk umbrella with a gold handle is always an acceptable Christmas present to give a man. A pocket pencil is excellent. These come in gold or silver holders.

Norfolk effects in shirt waists, as well as jackets are one of the important features of the season's smart styles. Graduated Norfolk plaits are arranged on both the back and fronts of new shirt waists that have a front closing.

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Power of Forgetting.

Some things are better forgotten than remembered. The habit of overlooking family jars, of failing to see the sour looks, and not hearing the hard word, and setting aside forever the disagreement is a habit that makes for family peace.

The devil once appeared to a young man, and, telling him that he held him in his power, bade him do one of three things. "To-night," said the devil, "you must get drunk, or murder your wife, or throw your mother-in-law out of the second-floor front window."

The new grip, as it has been called, possesses all the inconveniences of the more familiar disease with the added discomfort that comes from its way of concentrating all its sufferings into a short space of time.

Head Torn Off By Trolley.

CHESTER, Pa., Nov. 27.—Peter Melony, a driver, living in Springfield township, Delaware county, was struck by a Chester and Darby line trolley on last evening on Ninth street and instantly killed.

GREAT LUCK OF AN EDITOR.—"For two years all efforts to cure Eczema in the palms of my hands failed," writes editor H. N. Lester, of Syracuse, Kan., "then I was wholly cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve."

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Maine Has Sixteen Inches of Snow.

The snowstorm which began at Bangor, Me., in a mild sort of a way late Tuesday developed in strength during the night and Wednesday raged with all the fierceness of a midwinter downfall.

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