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FARM NOTES.

—Sheep are the only animals which do not really exhaust the land on which they feed.

—Superphosphate gives excellent results on all garden crops, as it supplies phosphoric acid in an available form.

—One of the best crops that can be grown, and which may be planted as early as the ground warms is carrots.

—Drinking water on farms is given but little consideration as to its purity when it is derived from springs, but many farms are supplied with water from open wells.

—The planting of fruit trees should begin as early as the weather will permit, and the work should be done with care and judgment.

—Sponge a rubber plant every day or two with lukewarm water; the increased beauty of the plant will justify the time spent.

—The special feature of the new shirt waist, so important a part of the tailor costume, is the broad shoulder effect, emphasized by one, two, or three pleats turning back.

—Heavy cotton material in basket weave and glossy finish are made up in this way for present use. Some of the models are trimmed down the front and on the cuffs with embroidery.

—The best news about the chollies is that they are to be worn just as faithfully as ever and that no woman can purchase more wisely than at the counter where pretty close striped ones are sold.

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

An error which the inexperienced house furnisher often makes is to put two beds of different tones in rooms that open into each other.

We are not all beautiful. That is, we are not all built upon those lines of symmetrical beauty that form the accepted standard of artists.

Has your figure lost its graceful curves? Have wrinkles broken the smoothness of your brows? Are you sluggish of body and slow of brain?

If so, ascribe it to your liver, and be cured. The cure is a simple one; it will save you many aches and pains and useless frets and worries.

It consists simply of drinking pure water. Drink lots of it, and drink it hot. This cure is available to all women, no matter what their station in life.

While your boy is still helpless help him to help himself. Spend less time scolding and more time teaching.

It is a mistake, according to an artist, to discard doors too generally in a suit of apartments, replacing them with portieres. Retain some of them and, where it seems possible, hang a picture on one or decorate it with a brass ornament or two set above.

Pure mutton tallow, although a homely emollient, cannot be surpassed for keeping the hands in a good condition through the rough weather.

To top a rubber plant make two little upward cuts on either side of the plant where the top is to be taken off; but don't cut through.

Allowing the bread to burn while baking it. Breaking the glassware by pouring hot water on it.

Throwing pieces of new cloth into the paper and rags.

Occasionally throwing out a teaspoon in the dishwasher.

Using napkins for holders, dishcloths or wiping towels.

Neglecting to keep the potatoes where they will not freeze.

Spending time in thinking what to do next instead of doing it.

Using every small board about the premises for kindling the fire.

Letting the suckers grow upon the apple trees year after year.

Spattering water on the hot lamp chimneys and thus breaking them.

Neglecting to drive the one nail that will save the fence from falling.

Cutting in too deep when taking the rind from off the slices of pork.

Not attending to the hogs' heads after butchering, before they spoil.

Throwing the clothes pins upon the ground to become mouldy and decayed.

Leaving the implements in the field all winter where they were last used.

Strapping iron kettles with silver knives, or toasting bread on silver forks.

Leaving pieces of hard soap in the tubs of wash water to be thrown away.

Not squeezing the grease well out of the hot scraps when frying out the lard.

Letting the apples fall from the tree and upon the ground until they are spoiled.

Making more tea or coffee at each meal than is used and throwing away what is left.

Allowing the hammock to hang in the sun and rain until it becomes faded and weakened in texture.

The Horse Went for Help.

Stranded Mail Carriage Helped Out of the Snow by a Knowing Animal.

One case of the rough times the rural free delivery carriers had in making their rounds during the snowstorm of last Monday is told by Howard B. L. Reed, carrier on route 45.

The horse disappeared in the blinding snow and Reed began preparation to abandon his vehicle. He took his mail bag on his shoulder and started to drag himself, intending to reach the next house and, if he could, find a telephone to send a message into town.

He had made but little progress when he saw his horse coming back and with him were two men who were prepared to assist him. They said they were surprised by the horse dashing up to their door, whinnying, and then starting back again.

When they came out to follow, the horse turned back and walked slowly, looking back from time to time to see if he were followed. So he led them to the drift where Reed was still floundering, and just in time. Reed walked with them to the house, borrowed a saddle and made his rounds on horseback, returning to Ridgefield four hours later.

Soffel Wants a Divorce.

Got Evidence at Mt. Chestnut that Ed Biddle Was in Wife's Room.

Peter K. Soffel and Attorney McElroy, of Pittsburg, arrived at Butler Friday and, going out to the Stevenson house at Mt. Chestnut, the last place the Biddles and Mrs. Soffel stopped before the fight and capture, secured from the old couple who conduct the hotel, a sworn statement as to the conduct of the infatuated woman and Ed. Biddle while guests in the house.

Notwithstanding Mrs. Soffel's repeated assertion that she had not sinned with either of the Biddles or any other man, and that Ed Biddle was in her room at the Stevenson House only long enough to deposit her satchel and wraps on a chair, the sworn testimony of Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson shows Ed Biddle and Mrs. Soffel occupied the same room as man and wife from the time they ate dinner, about noon, until 5 o'clock, when Jack Biddle, who remained down stairs, gave the alarm that the officers had passed the house.

—Keep out of trouble if possible. About all your friends can do for you when you get in will be to say, "I'm sorry."

Little Leaks.

Allowing the bread to burn while baking it.

Breaking the glassware by pouring hot water on it.

Patching old clothes that should go into the rag bag.

Overturning the ink bottle on the table-spread.

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Buy Your Harness at Home.

Buy at home; save money and see what you are getting. Don't buy a cat in a bag nor from pictures; come and see the goods.

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Died a Victim of a Wrong.

After nearly forty years of waiting, pleading and hoping that a great wrong would be righted, Lieutenant Hermann von Marsdorf died in the Berks county almshouse on Monday night.

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