

FARM NOTES.

Have at least one hive of bees if fruit is a speciality. Bees are a valuable assistant in fertilizing the blossoms.

One of the causes of complaints with garden seeds is that many farmers make mistakes in planting and caring for the crops.

There is nearly always considerable fungus growth on the limbs and trunks of trees. Scrape and wash thoroughly with a strong solution of concentrated lye.

Rose bushes should be well trimmed and given shallow cultivation. They will not thrive if surrounded by grass.

Do not miss having small patches of sage, mint, thyme and other seasoning plants. Parsley can be grown from seeds the first year, and will last two or more seasons if cared for.

The best breeds of fowl for free range are the non-setters. All non-setters lay eggs with white shells, and will not become broody unless made excessively fat.

Grass and hay are crops that depend largely upon an abundance of moisture to give the largest yields, and the object of every farmer is to get his grass crop as far ahead as possible before the dry weather of summer sets in.

When the ground is dry, the amount of plant food supplied. There is no substitute for grass in the summer season, as it provides bulky, and succulent food before other crops are ready, largely adding to the production of milk, butter and meat, and is harvested by the animals themselves while on the pasture, thus saving considerable labor in feeding, as well as providing a variety of food that cannot be secured in any other manner.

The grass grown for hay should be a separate crop. Clover and timothy are the standards for hay, although they do not ripen together. No hay grasses should be pastured, as the feet of the animals do considerable harm, while the field is never eaten off evenly.

The pasture grasses, intended for grazing purposes only, should consist of as many varieties as possible, while such is not necessary for the hay crop. A variety of grass that is indigenous to the soil of the pasture lot may sooner or later crowd out all other kinds and take possession, but if such variety is relished by stock, and maintains its hold on the land, it will probably be found better than any other kind on account of its hardiness and ability to withstand drought.

Whether for hay or pasture, the land should be deeply plowed and well harrowed, so as to have the soil in the finest possible condition. This is essential, for the reason that the young plants will have better facilities for feeding and will rapidly increase in root growth before the warm days of July and August. The more early growth the grass can make the better it will be able to endure a dry spell.

If manure is used it should be thoroughly decomposed, in order that all seeds of weeds may be destroyed, as it is difficult to get at weeds growing on a grass plot. The safer method is to apply fertilizers. Wood ashes are excellent, but a mixture of 100 pounds of nitrate of soda, 50 pounds sulphate of potash, and 50 pounds nitrate of soda, per acre, if the land is in moderate condition, will give the grass an early start and enable it to become well established before meeting with lack of moisture.

The main point in the growing of a grass crop is to get an even and uniform stand at the beginning, for any gain at the start will be of advantage at later periods of growth. While mixed grasses should be preferred on a pasture field, it is better to grow hay crops singly—unmixed—the mixing of the foods to be done at the barn when feeding the animals, after harvesting the grass crops. It is better for the farmer not to prolong drought may destroy it. Instead of growing clover and timothy only, there should be fields of cow peas, Hungarian grass, and fodder corn, which can, if necessary, be seeded late and mowed at any stage of growth, according to circumstances. Pasture lands may include rye as a late fall and early spring supply, but grown separately from the grasses, while crimson clover is also another late and early crop that may be made to fill up a gap, being also an excellent green manure crop.

An old sod that has furnished a crop for several years need not be plowed under because of beginning to fail. It may only need a liberal application of fertilizer. The varieties of grasses have disappeared, and some undesirable kind provides the green food of the pasture, it should be plowed under and cultivated in corn, so as to give the land thorough working, though the best time to do so is in the fall, using lime on the soil and plowing in the winter, so as to bury all the straw in the soil, to prevent it from growing the following spring. The cause of failure of pastures is largely due to close grazing and trampling by the animals; hence it should be the rule to have a change of pastures, in order to prevent cropping the grass too close to the ground.

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

In her dress the stout woman must exercise the greatest care; a reserved taste and a knowledge of the fitness of things will carry her over the pitfalls of color and large hats. The extreme of fashion must be avoided; bright colors, plaids, and, in fact, anything pronounced, either in color or in style, must be set aside.

Never meddle with the ear if a foreign body, such as a bead, button or seed enters, leave it absolutely alone, but have a physician attend to it. More damage has been done by injudicious attempts at the extraction of a foreign body than could ever come from its presence in the ear.

Never put anything in the ear for the relief of toothache.

Never apply a poultice to the inside of the canal of the ear.

Never drop anything in the ear unless it has been previously warmed.

Never use anything but a syringe and warm water for cleansing the ears.

Never strike or box a child's ears; this has been known to rupture the drumhead and cause incurable deafness.

Never wet the hair if you have any tendency to deafness; wear an oiled silk cap when bathing, and refrain from diving.

Never scratch the ears with anything but the fingers if they itch. Do not use the head of a pin, hairpins, pencil tips, or anything of that nature.

Never be alarmed if an insect enters the ear. Pouring warm water into the canal will drown it, when it will generally come to the surface, and can be easily removed by the fingers. A few puffs of smoke blown into the ear will stupefy the insect.

Recipe for Mousse.—One pint of rich cream, one ounce of grated bitter chocolate two thirds cup of granulated sugar, one-half cup seeded raisins, two thirds pound package of shredded cocoanut and one teaspoon of vanilla extract. Reserve one teaspoon of chocolate and one fourth cup of cocoanut for garnishing.

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If all mothers did their duty there would be fewer jails in this country.

A hot cloth around the mould will help jelly or ices to come from it without sticking.

"If men had what their wives thought was coming to them," remarks a novel of the moment, "half of them would be in jail and the other half would be millionaires."

The Puritan stock, also called the bishop stock, is one of the popular models in neckwear. It is made of pigtail or duck and is a stock with turn over that extends down in the front in two tab ends like a bishop's stock. Dainty embroidery beautifies it.

Green linen dresses will be seen this summer; it sounds rather daring, but looks charming on warm days.

Deep basques are daily taking a greater hold upon feminine favor, and there is an uncompromising severity about the style of these basque gowns entirely opposed to the soft frivolous modes of the reception and evening gown.

Paquin has just created a very fascinating coat for "every day" wear. His latest model is carried out in black cloth, with very small basque ending just short of the centre of the waist in front. This is considered more smart than the habit basque, and the sleeves also are bloused and gathered into a wristband, stitched to match the upright collar. This coat does not close, but is held together by an enameled clasp at the neck, and a narrow glace silk belt, finished with a buckle matching the clasp.

A model most must to all appearances be made of stone, so far as disagreeable happenings are concerned. Even though a guest or careless waiter inadvertently breaks a bit of china which can never be replaced she must smile as though the loss of the whole set would but emphasize the pleasure of the evening.

Stains on marble can be removed by rubbing them well with a toothbrush dipped in powdered chalk and ammonia.

The hat of white Irish point lace and garlands of small pink roses is the most in vogue for dressy occasions; it will be very popular this summer with white embroidered dresses.

Pique, marseilles and linen are to be used chiefly for the morning gown for general utility wear. A smart linen frock in robin's-egg blue is trimmed with needlework, through which is run a narrow black velvet ribbon. The waist is made with narrow box plaits, between which are graduated stripes of the embroidery and velvet. With this is to be worn a coarse straw hat of deep yellow shade, covered with the bluest of blue corn flowers, among which nestles a black velvet shepherdess bow. This is certainly a costume to attract all eyes as miladi strolls through the village street, upon marketing errands intent.

Where Diners Cost Five Cents.

A large proportion of the population of Naples live at public kitchens or cooking stands, which are found on every block in the densely settled portions of the town. They are generally dingy little rooms, the walls blackened with the grease and smoke of generations. In the rear is an old fashioned fireplace with a number of pots and kettles, from which savory steam arises. The largest is always for macaroni, for that is the staff of life. The others contain soup and various kinds of fish and vegetables, while on the counter, which usually projects into the street, the cooked food is spread out in large pans and bowls. The customers come along with pans and buckets, look over the stock and make their selection.

The prices are remarkably low. Fish, vegetables, fruit and macaroni, the chief articles of Neapolitan diet, are cheaper here, it is said, than in any other place in the world, and at one of these cooking shops a good dinner can be obtained for 2 cents and enough for a family for 5 cents.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Baffled Agent. "Our improved sewing machine," said the agent as he set the little wonder clicking, "can be handled by a child, it's so easy to run."

"It seems easy," said the wife of the paragrapher as she watched the nimble needle.

Then the agent slowly and sadly loaded the machine back on the wagon and drove away.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Self Distrust. "What you lack," said the person who reads your character, "is self confidence."

"I can't help it," said the young man. "You see, I was for a number of years employed in the work of preparing weather predictions." — Washington Star.

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REGISTER'S NOTICES.

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 parties in anywise interested, and will be presented to the Orphan's court of Centre county for confirmation on Wednesday, the 30th day of April, A. D. 1902.

- 1. The account of John L. Weaver, administrator, d. b. n. of the estate of John Geo. Weaver, late of Gregg township, deceased.
2. The account of W. T. Winkleblack and W. C. Jordan, administrators of the estate of Adam Jordan, late of Haines township, deceased.
3. The first account of Wm. H. Lambert and George E. Lambert, executors of the estate of H. J. Lambert, late of Miles township, deceased.
4. The account of R. Orlando Way, administrator of the estate of Mary I. Wilson, late of Unionville borough, deceased.
5. First and final account of W. A. Neff, administrator of the estate of Lovinia Mann, late of Howard township, deceased.
6. The final account of Samuel Gramley, executor of Sarah Shaffer, late of Miles township, deceased.
7. The first and final account of J. S. Housman, administrator of the estate of J. S. Housman, late of Potter township, deceased.
8. The first and final account of J. S. Housman, administrator of the estate of Franklin Wright, late of Potter township, deceased.
9. Account of J. D. Shugert, guardian of Jean S. Kelly, filed by John M. Shugert, et al. executors.
10. First and final account of Mary Campbell, executrix of the last will and testament of John Campbell, late of Huston township, deceased.
11. The second and final account of Sarah J. Hall and Charles G. Hall, executors of the estate of Aaron R. Hall, late of Union township, deceased.
12. First and final account of Hannah Long, executrix of the estate of Conrad Long, late of Howard township, deceased, as filed by John M. Long, her executor.
13. The first partial account of David S. Bechtel, guardian of Claire R. Schenck, minor child of E. Irvin Schenck, late of Liberty township, deceased.
14. Account of J. B. Fishler, executor of the last will and testament of Daniel Fishler, late of Potter township, deceased.
15. The first and final account of George M. Boal, administrator of the estate of James C. Boal, late of Centre Hall, deceased.
16. The first and final account of D. W. Holt and James H. Alport, administrators cum testamento annexo of Catherine Holt, late of the borough of Philipsburg, deceased.
17. First and final account of William A. Guiswhite, executor of the last will and testament of Charles W. Miller, late of Haines township, deceased.
18. The first partial account of Jared Harper and Christie A. Harper, executors of the last will and testament of William Harper, late of the borough of Bellefonte, deceased.
19. First and final account of Luther M. Stover and William W. Vance, executors of the last will and testament of David W. Stover, late of Haines township, deceased.
20. The account of John McGowan, administrator of the estate of Patrick McGowan, late of Snow Shoe township, deceased.
21. Ninth (9) annual statement of John P. Harris, trustee appointed by the Orphan's Court of Centre County, under the last will and testament of William A. Thomas, late of the borough of Bellefonte, deceased, being the thirty-fifth (35) annual statement of said trust.
22. The first and final account of W. O. Rearick and D. H. Rearick, executors of the last will and testament of Geo. P. Rearick, late of Gregg township, deceased.
23. The account of James A. Musser, executor of Jonathan Musser, late of Haines township, deceased.
24. Supplemental account of Wash Garbrick and Samuel M. Long, executors of the estate of George Korman, late of Gregg township, deceased.

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