

FARM NOTES.

It is claimed that a sprinkling of hops in the brine used for pickling bacon and hams adds greatly to their flavor and also assists in their preservation.

The custom of loading farm wagons so that the heaviest weight is upon the front wheels is all wrong and adds materially to the draft.

A farmer can bring an orchard to the bearing point, and at the same time produce nearly as much corn, potatoes or other produce as if it were not there.

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The house slops should all be saved. Those not fit for the pigs can be used on the growing crops in the garden, especially celery.

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The flowing off from the manure heap of the rich, black liquids that the rains and melting snows wash down is the deprivation of the most valuable elements that exist in the manure heap.

Black rot has been very destructive on cabbage and cauliflower for several seasons, and means of relief, even a slight, will be welcomed by growers.

The soil to be used for potted plants should be a mixture of leaf mold from the woods, sand, and good loam, a little powdered charcoal being an improvement.

In the early settlement of the country, a year when beech-nuts were plenty was reckoned very fortunate for growers of hogs.

The grayish black squash bug is difficult to manage. Gathering the eggs and the old bugs early in the spring is laborious but sure, if thoroughly done.

A soft corn may be cured by using the following: Dip a piece of linen rag in turpentine and wrap around the toe on which the corn is situated, night and morning, if possible.

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FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

Silk mail is one of the most popular of the medium-priced summer stiffs.

Sloping Shoulders.—Sloping shoulders characterize not only the waists, but coats and wraps as well. This feature is sometimes so emphasized that the doing away with the shoulder seams is the result.

A Trimmed Walking Suit.—One of the very smartest of these trimmed walking suits is of fancy black and white mohair.

Linen Gowns.—The most stylish gowns made of heavy linens, crassness and the new linen suitings are to be worn this season.

Belts are growing every day wider and every day more decided as to contrast and elaborateness. They are worn with dressy gowns of veiling, crepe and cloth.

In coats this season the Eton jacket is decidedly the fashionable idea for the suit and the fitted covert for the separate jacket.

Wraps are still of the loose order of garment, and for evening and other dress occasions are about or above the knee length.

Small Farms in Bermuda. Few Tillers of the Soil There Control More Than an Acre of Ground.

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Save Money, Trouble and Time.

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