Farm, Garden & Household.

[From the Farm and Fireside.]

FARMERS' HOMES.

BY ALEXANDER HYDE, LEE, MASS.

We know of no country where the homes of the laboring classes, and especially of the farming community, are equal to those of New England. There is an air of neatness and comfort about them which we look for in vain elsewhere. We find better land and better barns in other countries, but our houses, our homes, as a whole, are superior. This is doubtless the result of a higher civilization, the legitimate fruit of intellectual and moral culture. It may seem vain glorious for us to say so, and we should not venture on the assertion, did not the testimony of foreigners universally strengthen the conviction of our own observations. Lord Morpeth, on his visit to America was struck with admiration of the comfortable homes of the farmers of New England. The English system of large landed proprietors farming out their lands to tenants, is not conducive to the cultivation of the home feeling, nor to permanent improvements. The signification of the word farm in Great Britain, is land leased, and a farmer is a mere tenant of the proprietor. Our New England mode of dividing the land into small tracts, each owned in fee simple by the occupant, is far preferable, stimulating not only to the better cultivation of the soil, and the erection of better buildings, but what is of far higher value, to self respect and love of home and country. As far as lordships are concerned we are far better off in this country than the English, for we have a hundred landlords to England's one, and the genius of our institutions favors the idea of every man's being not only a landlord but a nobleman. The New England system of small farms is also far preferable to the Southern mode of large plantations. At the South, with a thousand acres of land, we find one man with many servants, while here, with the same amount of land, we have at least ten men, who by their intelligence and virtue are worthy of the name. As a consequence we have ten houses at the North to one at the South, and villages, schools and churches in like proportion. The Southerner, as he travels North for the first time, is struck with nothing so much as with the multiplicity of villages, farms and school houses, and whoever has traversed the Potomac and Connecticut valleys, must have contrasted the paucity and poverty of the homes in the former, with their multiplicity and comfort in the latter.

But however much reason we have to congratulate ourselves upon our pleasant and comfortable rural homes, there is a margin for still further improvement. The spacious, painted, tidy farm houses, surrounded by lawns and groups of trees, though as we affirm more numerous in New England than in any other land, are not as numerous as we could wish. We also pass many large, well built houses, evidently the homes of thrifty farmers, but with a bleak desolate air, for the want of a few shade trees, or a green velvet turf around them. We never pass such a house without wishing to stop and say to the proprietor, that at the expense of a few dollars we can make the market value of his house many hundreds more, and add intrinsically to its worth as a place of abode, if he does not desire to sell it. A few elms and pines, which two men can transplant in a day, will give a cheerful aspect to many a desolate looking home. It is a mistaken idea that we must purchase Norway Spruce, or Scotch Larches with which to adorn our grounds. There are no better ornamental shade trees in the wide world than are to be found in our own forests. We do not sufficiently prize the blessings that are near us, and are apt to overlook the beauty of the objects to which our eyes are accustomed. We remember well the time when we saw no special beauty in the graceful deep-green foliage of the hemlock. The truth is we had been accustomed to see it all around our path, from childhood, and to hear it spoken of with contempt, and we thought it must be contemptible, but we are grateful that we have outlived such childish notions. We wish also to say in passing, that in building our houses, even the most elegant ones, we need not go to the West Indies for mahogony, nor to Florida for yellow pine. One of the best built houses we ever saw, was made entirely from the wood of our native forests. The floors were constructed with alternate narrow boards of beech and maple, and merely oiled, were as handsome as any carpet could make them. Birch, butternut, chestnut and oak, all contributed their share in the different rooms and needed no paint to make them beautiful. Why should we paint and grain in imitation of different woods, when we can have the original grain of the wood brought out by oil, in a style no paint can perfectly imitate?

We are glad to notice an improved taste in the matter of rural homes. To the lamented Downing we are greatly indebted for this improvement. Though dead, yet he speaks by his books, and through those whose taste was educated by his genius. Before Downing's day, however, the glaring red house, once so common in the country had very generally given place to the more attractive white one, with its green blinds, and we now have the still more agreeable, light stone colors, which please the eye and harmonize with nature. Instead of the large, square, stone or brick chimney, which formerly claimed its third of the best part of the house, we have more light and graceful structures, which answer every purpose, except it be as a ballast for the house.

The idea is still too prevalent that it is only the forehanded farmer who can indulge his taste in the construction of his home and its surroundings. There is room for the exercise of taste in building a cottage or even a shanty, as well as in the mansion. Some of the humblest abodes strike the eye of the traveler with pleasure. There is an indescribable something about the premises that leads us to think that it is the home of intelligence and virtue. It may be a porch over the door, a vine climbing by the side of the window, a flower plot in the yard, or a few pine trees tastefully disposed, so as to cheat winter of its gloom, which suggests the idea of a cozy, comfortable home.

We wish to add only one caution. Do not plant so many trees around the house as to shut out the glorious sunlight. The trees are beautiful and their shade refreshing; but nothing can compensate for the life-giving influences of the sun. We would like the sun to shine into every window of our house. Cheerfulness and health depend much on sunshine. Patients in our hospitals recover more readily on the sunny than on the shady side of the building. There is no trouble in disposing trees in groups so that we can have sunshine and shade in due proportion. Place the house some distance from the highway, it possible, on an eminence, so as to overlook the surrounding country, and by all means have a grass plot, if not a lawn, in front of it. Nothing is more pleasing to the eye than the green, velvety carpet of grass, with which nature covers and adorns the surface of the earth. Let this grass plot be so enriched, that the grass will start with the first April showers, and will resist the action of the Autumn frosts, till the mantle of green is exchanged for one of snow.

We cannot cherish the home feeling in our children too carefully. Every thing that tends to render home cheerful and pleasant, will also dissuade them from the haunts of vice and evil company. Farmers have sometimes failed in this respect, and no wonder the complaint is heard, "we can't keep our children at home, they will go off nights, and seem disgusted with the old homestead." The fault probably is not so much with the children as with the parents. Make the homestead more attractive, interest the children in adorning it with trees and flowers, let the garden and orchards furnish their comforts for the table; if possible, let pictures adorn the walls and music enliven the hours, and above all let cheerfulness be the presiding genius of the home, not only in its exterior and interior arrangements, but more especially in the hearts of the parents, and our word for it, the children will always leave the parental roof with regret and return to it with pleasure, and a generation will arise whose love of country will be equalled only by their love of home.

MAY, 1867.

Humorous.

WHY is an axe like coffee? It must be ground before it can be used.

WHY do annual flowering plants resemble whales? Because they only come up to blow.

OTHER goods may have declined, but the rise of hoop skirts in the street is at times quite startling.

WHY is a mad bull an animal of a convivial disposition? Because he offers every one he meets a "horn."

A FRIEND says he knows of but one branch of employment which is very profitable, and but little followed, and that is, "mind your own business."

The mostest fun for the leastest money—Having a pretty girl to kiss you on both cheeks, and then say she "thought it was cousin Tom."

A PHILOSOPHER who married a vulgar but amiable girl, used to call her "brown sugar," because, he said, "she was sweet but unrefined."

WHILE you are getting rich, try to get hold of that kind of wealth that brings content with it, or you will be rich to little or no purpose.

GO to strangers for charity, acquaintances for advice, and to relatives for nothing—and you will always have a supply.

THE lady who did not think it respectable to bring up her children to work, has recently heard from her two sons—one is a bar-keeper on a flat-boat, and the other is a second clerk to a lime-kiln.

A COUNTRYMAN charged with ten gallons of whiskey, which a publican had put into an eight gallon keg, said he didn't mind the money so much as he did the strain on the keg.

THE *Belmont* (Ohio) *Chronicle* is thoroughly logical when it says dull times are the very best for advertisers. What little is going on, they get; while others are grumbling they pay their way, and with a newspaper for a life-preserver, swim on the top of the water, while others around are sinking.

IN the depths of the sea the waters are still the heaviest grief is that borne in silence; the deepest love flows through the eye and touch; the purest joy is unspeakable; the most impressive prayer is silent; and the most solemn preacher at a funeral is the silent one whose lips are cold.

A FELLOW contemplated, in utter bewilderment, the magnitudinous dimensions of a bystander's feet, and in a tone of astonishment said as he surveyed the man's proportions: "You'd have been a tall man if they hadn't bent your legs so far up."

"MA," said the pride of the family, who had seen some summers, "do you know why our tom cat is like a poet?"

Ma didn't know.

"Why," said the precious pet, "doesn't he go out nights and invoke the mews?"

AN old man picked up a half a dollar in the street. "Old man, that's mine," said a keen-looking rascal. "Did thine have a hole in it?" asked the old gentleman. "Yes," replied the other smartly. "Then it is not thine," rejoined the old gentleman; "thee must learn to be a little sharper next time."

A YOUNG lady having purchased an assortment of music, turned suddenly back and said to the clerk, "There is one thing that I have forgotten." "What is that." The lady replied, "One kiss before we part," upon which the clerk vaulted over the counter, and saluted the fair stranger with a rousing smack.

A QUAKER having lost a quarter of mutton by a lawyer's dog, repaired to the office of the latter, and said:

"I have come to ask a piece of thy advice. Suppose a dog carried of a leg off mutton from me, where do I look for pay, to the dog or his owner?"

"Oh," said the man of the quill, "to the owner of the dog; he is responsible for any damage his dog does thee."

Said Broadbrim: "The owes me seventy-five cents."

"Ah!" said the lawyer, "then my dog did the mischief? Well, here is the money."

The face of the Quaker expanded with a smile at his shrewdness in forestalling the opinion of the lawyer, and he was about making his exit from the office, when he was brought to a halt by the lawyer saying: "I have a small bill against you, my friend?"

"Ah! for what?" said the Quaker.

"For advice in the dog case—two dollars," was the reply.

This was a poser. It being strictly legal, and the lowest fee in the celendar for advice, there was no dodging, so the money was forked over, and Shadbelly departed a wiser if not a better man.

WILLIAM M. PEARSON, Treasurer of the first Local Bounty for the year, 1864, of Middle Woodberry township, Bedford county, Pa.

DR.	
To 35 Volunteers	$7000 00
To current expenses to Chambersburg	500 86
To interest on 4 bonds	52 17
To commission on per centage	103 09
To John Wilkinson, bond and interest not paid	80 84
To current expenses at home not paid	34 49
	$7771 45
CR.	
By taxes received from Jacob Bassler, on his duplicate, 1864	$4783 83
By his commission on per centage	125 89
By balance on duplicate not paid	125 95
By taxes rec'd from E. Longnecker, on his duplicate for 1864	2986 83
By his commission on per centage	78 58
By balance not paid on duplicate	70 00
	$8170 88
Balance due Township	$399 43

JOHN KEITH,
JACOB CARPER,
D. S. K. BRUMBAUGH,
April 21, 1867. [may3] Auditors.

BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS of the Second Local Bounty, for the year 1864 and 1865, of Middle Woodberry township, Bedford county, Pa.

DR.	
To 12 volunteers	$3600 00
To current expenses and interest on bond	746 77
To commission on per centage	226 86
To 3 bonds and interest, not paid	432 00
To current expenses, not paid	24 25
	$5029 88
CR.	
By taxes received from Sam'l R. Hare, on his duplicate of 1864	$1470 02
By commission on per centage	51 45
By taxes received from Thos. Watson, in received from board of School Directors, his commission on per centage included, was	1123 18
By taxes received from Sol. Barley, on duplicate of 1864 and 1865, was	1809 79
By commission on per centage	119 25
	$4573 69
Balance due township	$456 19

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AUDITOR'S SETTLEMENT of South Woodberry Township.

Jacob Guyer, Supervisor,	DR.
To amount duplicate	$457 16
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	CR.
By amount work and per centage	$442 36
" " paid Auditors	4 50
" " Cash to J. B. Snowberger	10 30
	$457 16
Jos. B. Snowberger, Supervisor,	DR.
To amount duplicate	$452 76
" Cash from Jacob Guyer	10 30
	$463 06
	CR.
By amount work and percentage	$562 39
	$562 39
Balance due Jos. B. Snowberger	$99 33

The above is a true statement of the Supervisors account of South Woodberry Township, for the year 1866.

JOHN G. SNIDER,
ADAM HADERMAN,
WILLIAM DELANCY,
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HENRY B. MOCK.
April5:6m*

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WILLIAM BERKHIMER, Executor
March 15:6t with the Will annexed.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Christian Hoffman, deceased.
Letters of Administration upon the estate of Christian Hoffman, late of Middle Woodberry tp., Bedford county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Register of Bedford county. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate are requested to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
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March15:6t Administrators

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