

Farm, Garden & Household.

LIVE STOCK. No man can be a real bona fide farmer without live stock, and farmers may be classed in some measure according to the quality of their animals. Away from cities and populous places it is impossible to keep up the fertility of the land to make it pay unless the produce is chiefly consumed by the live stock and converted into meat, milk, wool, or animals for use by other people, as food to the farmer for his time and capital, and transmitted into manure as a reward to the land, without which return no farm can be kept in condition good enough to pay for cultivation. This is the first secret of successful farming away from places where it is impossible to send to market hay, straw, garden stuff, &c., but there are others which unfold themselves in the course of raising and feeding. The next in importance is to manage so that no time may be lost in the growth of the young, and to house and feed in such a manner as to carry on the improvement wrought in summer through the Autumn, Winter and Spring; after which the grand secret is to breed and raise such animals only as command the highest market price, which is as easily done as to continue breeding an unprofitable race.

Humorous.

War are practical jokers like honey-comb? Because they are full of cells, (ells). Ladies are like waltzes—pretty enough to look at—sweet faces and delicate hands, but somewhat difficult to regulate after they are a-going. The five great evils of life are said to be standing collars, stove pipe hats, tight boots, bad whisky, and cross women. The last not the least. "Your lacholour is to be taxed," said a lady to a resolute evader of the noose matrimonial. "I agree with you madam," was the reply; "lacholourism is a great luxury." A white boy met a colored lad the other day and asked him what he won't do a short nose for? "I 'peck so it won't poke itself into other people's business."

Medicinal.

WHY ENDURE A LIVING DEATH? The confined dyspeptic may almost say with Patrick Henry, "The only life I have is this, and I will not part with it." It is not to be denied that his pain, but to show him how to banish them forever. The means of medicinal and permanent relief are professed in this.

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Farm.

Farming is a profession, not to say a science. If any one doubts this statement let him leave his city home—for no one bred in the country will doubt it—and undertake to cultivate even a garden of half an acre for the summer. He will then find that knowledge is as essential to the right use of the spade as to the pen, and there is as great a difference between the scientific farming of Flanders, where literally not a weed is to be seen, and that of many of our farmers, the weeds of whose soil is about equally divided between fruits and weeds, as between the trade of a modern commercial city and the barter of a back-woods settlement. It is true that agriculture has been last to receive the impetus of modern science. It is true that many agriculturists are content to go on in the ways of their fathers, because experiments are costly. But it is also true that they are unable to compete with those who understand the use of new instruments, methods, and fertilizers. Agriculture is also becoming in this country a popular recreation. Many a gentleman is content to spend on his country seat money which he makes in the counting room. The practical farmer is thus able to get the benefit of experiments without paying for them. This change in agriculture, which has converted it from drudgery to an art, has created a demand for a corresponding literature. "Fifty years ago," says a distinguished periodical, "did not exist on the American Continent." Now every considerable district has one, while almost every wealthy peer, secular or religious, has his agricultural department; and it will not be long before something of a library will be a part of the furniture of every well-ordered farm.—Harper's Magazine.

Humorous.

A French woman, who had lost one of her eleven sons, chattered with the undertaker about the price of the burial, saying: "Now look here, my son, you must be hard with me; I shall be a good customer; I've got ten children, and I'm a widow." "I'm a widow," said the undertaker, "and you've got ten children." "I'm a widow," said the undertaker, "and you've got ten children." "I'm a widow," said the undertaker, "and you've got ten children."

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Farm.

THE CULTURE OF FLOWERS. It has been said that few things tend to express the character and fortunes of individuals more than the appearance of the windows of their dwellings. Nothing can be more true; and we cannot but feel, when this is admitted, that the most beautiful of them. Wherever flowers are seen, carefully tended, we may be sure there will be a refined and cultivated mind. No one who has a gentle and tender heart can truly love flowers; and any one who really does so, worships, it may be unconsciously, the Eternal One who formed them.

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CLOSE ROOMS.—People should not sleep in close rooms at any season of the year, but more particularly at this season. Those who fear the night air should remember that it is no air but night air at night, whether it comes by the window or any other place. It is impaired by the impurities of the bed room.

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