Farmer's Department.

How Trees Grow During Winter.

IN the valleys of Central Pennsylvania, the severest snap of cold that was experienced during the past winter, occurred on the 21st of December, the temperature falling to 19° below zero. This extreme cold did not extend over a very wide extent of this State, and was of only five or six hours duration here. The remainder of the winter was comparatively mild, and snow lay thick and late, so that not a plant was found heaved by frost in the spring.

All the fruit buds of peach, cherry, plums, and nearly all of exposed grape-vines, even of the Concord, Delaware, Hartford Prolific and Clinton, and of pear trees, were killed, as were also many of the wood buds, but where brunches were covered by snow, even the tenderest showned bloom.

The very early period at which this frost occurred, before the wood had become sufficiently ripe and dry, accounts, no doubt, for its extraordinary destructiveness; but the phenomenon to which I aim to call attention particularly, is the singularly unfinished, in complete form of the buds that opened. This is conspicious on cherry trees; many of the blossom buds opened out a full rosette of bracts, and some showed the rudiments of the cluster of blossoms which should be included, but all merely rudimentary.

Precisely similar appearances followed an early (November) freeze which occurred about 1858, only that in that case the buds were advanced somewhat farther in their construction, some showing petals very oddly placed and formed.

This seems to be full evidence that the interior work of constructing the shoots, leaves and blossoms, within the buds, is going on during all mild weather in winter, from material gathered, digested and stored in the tree during summer.

Training Hops on Strings.

A STATEMENT concerning stake and string hop yards in a late number of your indispensable paper, leads me to write the following:

I think the writer had not tried the system understandingly, or he surely would not have found difficulty in keeping the vines on the twine. In my yard I found not the least trouble, once started from the tops of my stakes, which were eight feet on the strings; they require care and attention certainly not more than the pole vines. My twine is being put on this season for the third year. I housed mine last fall after vines were down. If left out I do not think it would last more than one season.

My pickers were as willing to pick on the stringe as my pole vines, and on my two acres on strings every hill is now doing finely, while I have replanted some forty hills in the old yard, caused by flooding, and the others do not look as strong.

I tried this plan three years ago, from a statement I saw about that time. There are but few hop yards in this part of the State that I know of, and I do not think any one has been here advertising this method, but I was so well pleased with my trial, that I wrote the patentee last fall and got a deed of amount used. I would like to hear of others who have tried it, and how it works with them.—*Western Rural.*

Grass for Horses.

MANY persons think that horses that are kept in the stable all summer should not be allowed to eat grass. They think it will make the horse soft, wishy-washy, and that it will throw him out of condition for hard work. This is particularly the case with some of the trainers of trotting and running horses. And horses that are kept up for farm and other work are refused grass because their drivers think they will not eat hay so well. This was formerly the case more than it is now. But these are all erroneous opinions and practices, and are giving way, gradually, to a more reasonable and natural system of feeding.

Grass is the natural food of the horse. It is cooling and healthful food. It keeps the bowels open and sharpens the appetite. It promotes digestion, and removes fever from the system. Therefore, by all means, let the horse nip grass fifteen or twenty minutes daily. Whether training for trotting or running it will be attended with the highest benefit. The horse will lose none of his speed by such a course of treatment. Horses that are kept up the year round for farm work should certainly be allowed a nice nibble at grass every day. They work hard, and all they get for it is something to eat. Let them have, then, what they all like so well.—*Rural World.*

Boiled Wheat.

IT is possible not as well understood as it should be, among housekeepers, that a healthful and nutritive food may be prepared by boiling wheat to be eaten with milk or molasses—the former to be preferred when attainable. It is a first-rate thing for children, while adults may use it to an advantage. Some have the wheat cracked in a mill before useing, which is, perhaps, the preferable plan, but it will answer well without this preparation. A lady correspondent of the Ohio *Farmer*, says; "The wheat should be cracked in a mill. Take one quart and put it into half a pot of warm water, and let it stand upon the stove for several hours; then boil slowly, and stir it occasionally, till it becomes thick; put in a handful of salt. For children it can be used with milk. If left standing till cool, it is very nice to cut in slices, and use with cream and sugar, or fry it like mush; the last mentioned I prefer for general use, but it can be prepared in various ways."

If boiled whole, the wheat should be allowed to soak in tepid water before boiling, that the grain may have a chance to soften and swell. When properly boiled, use with milk suitably seasoned with salt and pepper, and it will be found a nourishing, healthful and palatable dish.—*Valley Farmer.*

Oil Cake.

ONE of our most intelligent agriculturists, in a private note, writes as follows: "It is surprising to me that our farmers do not appreciate the value of oil cake as cattle food, and will continue to allow so much to be exported. They are beginning to find out the value of bones as a fertilizer. Strange they are so slow in getting at that of cake for

For the Young Folks.

The Nose-Tree.

DID you ever hear the story of the poor soldiers, who, after having fought hard in the wars, set out on their road home, begging their way as they went?

They had journeyed on a long way, sick at heart with their bad luck at thus being turned loose on the world in their old days; when one evening they reached a deep gloomy wood, through which lay their road. Night came fast upon them, and they found that they must, however unwillingly, sleep in this wood; so, to make all as safe as they could, it was agreed that two should lie down and sleep, while a third sat up and watched, lest wild beasts should break in and tear them to pieces. When he was tired he was to wake one of the others, and sleep in his turn; and so on with the third, so as to share the work fairly among them.

The two who were to rest first soon lay down and fell fast asleep; and the other made himself a good fire under the trees, and sat down by its side to keep watch. He had not sat long before, all on a sudden up came a little dwarf in a red jacket. "Who is there?" said he. "A friend," said the soldier. "What sort of a friend?" "An old broken soldier," said the other, "with his two comrades, who have nothing left to live on; come sit down and warm yourself." "Well, my worthy fellow," said the littte man, "I will do what I can for you; take this and show it to your comrades in the morning." So he took out an old cloak and gave it to the soldier; telling him, that whenevr he put it over his shoulders anything that he wished for would be done for him. Then the little man made him a bow and walked away.

The second soldier's turn to watch soon came, and the first laid him down to sleep; but the second man had not sat by himself long before up came the dwarf in the red jacket again. The soldier treated him in as friendly way as his comrade had done, and the little man gave him a purse which he told him would be always full of gold, let him draw as much as he would out of it.

Then the third soldier'sturn to watch came; and he also had little Red-jacket for his guest, who gave him a wonderful horn, that drew crowds around it whenevever it was played, and made every one forget his business to come and dance to its beautiful music.

In the morning each told his story, and showed the gift he had from the elf: and as they all liked each other very much, and were old friends, they agreed to travel together to see the world, and, for a while, only to make use of the wonderful purse. And thus they spent their time very joyously; till at last they began to get tired of this roving life, and thought they should like to have a home of their own. So the first soldier put his old cloak on and wished for a fine castle. In a moment it stood before their eyes: fine gardens and green lawns spread round it, and flocks of sheep, and goats, and heards of oxen were grazing about; and out of the gate came a grand coach with three dapple-grey horses, to meet them and bring them home.

All this was very well for a time, but they found that it would not do to stay at home always; so they got together all their rich clothes, and jewels, and money, and ordered their coach with three dapple-grey horses, and set out on a journey to see a neighbouring king. Now this king had an only daughter, and as he saw the three soldiers travelling in such grand style, he took them for kings' sons, and so gave them a kind welcome. One day, as the second soldier was walking with the princess, she saw that he had the wonderful purse in his hand. Then she asked him what it was, and he was foolish enough to tell her,—though, indeed, it did not much signify what he said, for she was a fairy, and knew all the wonderful things that the three soldiers brought. Now this princess was very cunning and artful; so she set to work and made a purse, so like the soldier's that no one would know one from the other; and then she asked him to come and see her, and made him drink some wine that she had got ready for him, and which soon made him fall fast asleep. Then she felt in his pocket, and took away the wonderful purse, and left the one she had made in its place.

The next morning the soldiers set out home; and soon after they reached their castle, happening to want some money, they went to their purse for it, and found something indeed in it; but to their great sorrow, when they had emptied it, none came in the place of what they took. Then the cheat was soon found out; for the second soldier knew where he had been, and how he had told the story to the princess, and he guessed that she had played him a trick. "Alas!" cried he, "poor wretches that we are, what shall we do?" "Oh!" said the first soldier, "let no grey hairs grow for this mishap: I will soon get the purse back." So he threw his cloak across his shoulders, and wished himself in the princess's chamber.

There he found her sitting alone, telling up her gold, that fell around her in a shower from the wonderful purse.

But the soldier stood looking at her too long; for she turned round, and the moment she saw him she started up and cried out with all her force, "Thieves! thieves!" so that the whole court came running in, and tried to seize on him. The poor soldier now began to be dreadfully frightened in his turn, and thought it was high time to make the best of his way off; so, without thinking of the ready way of travelling that his cloak gave him, he ran to the window, opened it, and jumped out; and unluckily, in his haste, his cloak caught and was left hanging, to the great joy of the princess, who knew its worth.

The poor soldier made the best of his way home to his comrades on foot, and in a very downcast mood; but the third soldier told him to keep up his heart, and took his horn and blew a merry tune. At the first blast a countless troop of foot and horse came rushing to their aid, and they set out to make war against their enemy. Then the king's palace was besieged, and he was told that he must give up the purse and cloak, or that not one stone should be left upon another. And the king went into his daughter's chamber and talked with her; but she said, "Let me try first if I cannot beat them some way or another." So she thought of a cunning scheme to overreach them; and dressing herself out as a poor girl, with a basket on her arm, she set out by night with her maid, and went into the enemy's camp, as if she wanted to sell trinkets.

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