

Farmer's Department.

The Thrifty and the Thriftless Farmer.

It is a main point with a thrifty farmer to improve the fertility of his fields, instead of making them poorer from year to year. We no longer possess a virgin soil in our section of the country.

The good farmer plows an inch or half an inch deeper every year, until he has a soil of ten or twelve inches, and after that he sometimes follows with the subsoil plow and stirs the ground six or eight inches deeper.

His ideas of economy, by which the intelligent farmer works such wonderful results, are not only unproductive, our poor farmer looks upon one of the expensive follies of book-farming; and if he drains at all it is with stone drains that soon get choked up, and are so shallow and far apart that the benefit hardly pays him for his trouble.

Sowing vs. Pasturing.

Let me recite the experience and practice of a friend of mine. Coming into possession of about nine acres of land, in the neighborhood of a good market, made by the demands of a large literary institution, he cast about as to what was to be done.

Beef Cattle should be fat.

FARMERS sell too many of their beef cattle when they are in merely ordinary condition. In doing this there is a two-fold loss that but few consider.

Raspberries and Blackberries.

The Horticultural says: For the past two years we have annually planted out raspberry and blackberry plants in this month, July. We prepare our ground and then go to the rows from which to remove the plants, having a tub or pail with a little muddy water in it, dip the plants at the ends about two inches, set the roots into the pail of muddy water, and from that to their permanent position.

Killing Canada Thistles.

In regard to killing Canada thistles by plowing and hoeing, a correspondent of the New York Farmers' Club says he has a piece of land that has been hoed 15 years, and there are ten thistles now to one when he commenced.

Preserving Potatoes.

Put a foot of potatoes in a bin, then sprinkle with slacked lime then another layer of potatoes, then lime till completed. A bushel of lime will suffice 50 bushels of potatoes.

For the Young Folks.

THE NOSE-TREE.

It is the morning she began to ramble about, singing ballads so beautifully that all the tents were left empty, and the soldiers ran round in crowds, and thought of nothing but hearing her sing.

Morning dawned, and he was greatly delighted, at opening his eyes, to see that the tree was laden with the most beautiful apples. He was hungry enough so he soon plucked and ate first one, then a second, then a third apple.

What was to be done? They tried to carry him, but in vain. They caught an ass that was passing, and raised him upon his back; but it was soon tired of carrying such a load.

Then they thought their old friend very heartily for all his kindness; and it was agreed that the poor soldier, who had already tried the power of the apple, should undertake the task.

Then the king made known to all his kingdom, that whoever would heal his wife of the peevish disease should be richly rewarded. Many tried, but the princess got no relief.

Then he thought to himself, "I must frighten this cunning princess a little more before I shall get what I want from her." So he gave her another dose of the apple, and said he would call on the morrow.

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