FARMER'S COLUMN.

Poultry and Poultry Houses.

The *Massachusetts Ploughman* says that "there seems to be a general belief that great numbers of fowls cannot be kept together in confinement unless they have an extensive area, but that is an error, for we have proved to our satisfaction, that with good ventilation, a variety of food, pure water, light and dry quarters, and cleanliness, poultry can be kept in contracted limits in great numbers. We have in mind at present a flock of over seven hundred fowls which have a house covering but about six hundred square feet, and yard to correspond, and they are all in good health."

The writer then shows that abundant ventilation, a variety of food of grains and seed should be furnished, together with an abundance of green food, which must replace the grass that the fowls eat in great quantities. Animal food, meat and fish scraps are also essential, to replace the insects which the bird picks up abundantly in foraging—in short, all the elements must be provided for poultry in confinement that they would find in nature. Pure water is another great essential, and is absolutely a necessity; probably nothing can be worse for poultry than filthy or unclean water that is too often provided for them, or they are permitted to provide themselves with, and we can trace to this cause, undoubtedly, the epidemics which sometimes depopulate the poultry yards. The water should be changed at least twice a day, and it may be made to answer a double purpose if rusty iron is always kept in the drinking fountains. We prefer cast iron water vessels, which are well rusted, to all others. If clear running water can be introduced into the yards, it is most desirable. Where a small brook is attainable, its course may be often turned into the edge of the yard with great advantage.

Light, dryness, and cleanliness of floor, walls and nests is absolutely necessary. The droppings should never be allowed to accumulate, the walls should be whitewashed frequently, and the nests cleaned out and changed often. Lice and vermin increase and multiply astonishingly fast in neglected henneries, and poultry suffer from their attacks terribly. There are cases on record of fowls actually dying from the attacks of lice. The nests should be made of short straw, or hay, or what is better, if obtainable, tobacco stem and refuse, in which lice obtain no refuge. Moss nests are also desirable, but like hay nests should be powdered with sulphur or lime occasionally. Boxes or trays filled with fine earth and ashes should be provided for the poultry to bathe in, which should be frequently renewed. That poultry husbandry is and can be made profitable has been repeatedly demonstrated; but like all other industries, it can be followed only when proper attention and intelligence are exercised in its management.

Walks and Talks on the Farm.

A farmer, I say, needs pluck. Capital is very desirable, but pluck is worth more to a farmer than capital. A little capital and a good deal of pluck is what is wanted. "Times are hard," but what of that? People must eat and it is our business to raise the food. We do not raise any too much. It is not pleasant to find that wheat we expected to get $2.00 for, will bring only $1.00. But all business is subject to such fluctuations, and we are, on the whole, no worse off than other people. I was at the West once when corn was worth only 10 cents a bushel; and many of the wild-cat bank-bills in circulation were not worth over 50 cents on the dollar. The bottom seemed to have dropped out of everything. I expected to see the farmers thoroughly disheartened. Not a bit of it. They "kept right on," working harder and faster, if possible, than before. In less than two years from that time, corn was worth $1 per bushel, and the farmers who went ahead got their reward. It will be the same again. There will be a sharp reaction in prices, and I should not be surprised if it comes before another harvest. But at any rate all the food we can raise will be wanted. Most of us will lose money this year. We have paid too high wages, but if wise we can correct this mistake next year. For my part I have made up my mind not to have a single extra day's work done before next May, unless I can get it done for a dollar. At that price I would do anything that needs to be done in the way of permanent improvement, and give any man who is willing to work an opportunity to do so. The country cannot afford to have me lie idle. But if they demand exorbitant wages we have no other alternative but to stop every kind of work that is not absolutely necessary to be done.

In the meantime let us take good care of our stock. Instead of forcing our grain upon an over-supplied market, let us feed it out. We shall get our money back with interest. Hay is selling in Rochester at $8 to $10 per ton. Clover hay is worth that for manure. Feed it out and let our fields have a dressing of good manure next spring. "It is all very well to talk in this way," you say, "but what are we to do for money?" That is a very ugly question. It is what I have asked myself many times during the last month, and the only answer I can get or give is "pluck." There is light ahead. Good farming will pay as well in this country as in any other—and I think better. Let us have faith and keep working.—*American Agriculturist.*

To Clean Paint.—There is a very simple method to clean paint that has become dirty, and if our housewives would adopt it, it would save them a great deal of trouble. Provide a plate with some whiting and have ready some clean, warm water and a piece of flannel, which dip into the water and squeeze nearly dry; then take as much whiting as will adhere to it, apply it to the painted surface, when a little rubbing will instantly remove any dirt or grease. After which wash the part well with clean water, rubbing it dry with soft chamois. Paint thus cleaned looks as well as when first laid on, without any injury to the most delicate colors. It is far better than using soap, and does not require more than half the time and labor.

If a farmer wishes to try his hand at dentistry, let him insert teeth in his dilapidated rakes and harrows.

THE YOUNG FOLKS.

Hansel and Grethel.

There they were again told to sit down by a large fire, and go to sleep; and the woodman and his wife said they would come in the evening and fetch them away. In the afternoon Hansel shared Grethel's bread, because he had strewed all his upon the road; but the day passed away, and evening passed away too, and no one came to the poor children. Still Hansel comforted Grethel, and said, "Wait till the moon rises; and then I shall be able to see the crumbs of bread which I have strewed, and they will show us the way home."

The moon rose; but when Hansel looked for the crumbs they were gone, for hundreds of little birds in the wood had found them and picked them up. Hansel, however, set out to try and find his way home; but they soon lost themselves in the wilderness, and went on through the night and all the next day, till at last they laid down and fell asleep for weariness. Another day they went on as before, but still did not come to the end of the wood; and they were as hungry as could be, for they had nothing to eat.

In the afternoon of the third day they came to a strange little hut, made of bread, with a roof of cake, and windows of barley-sugar. "Now we will sit down and eat till we have had enough," said Hansel; "I will eat off the roof for my share; do you eat the windows, Grethel, they will be nice and sweet for you." Whilst Grethel, however, was picking at the barley-sugar, a pretty voice called softly from within,

"Tip, tap! who goes there?"

But the children answered,

"The wind, the wind,
That blows through the air!"

and went on eating. Now Grethel had broken out a round pane of the window for herself, and Hansel had torn off a large piece of cake from the roof, when the door opened and a little old fairy came gliding out. At this Hansel and Grethel were so frightened, that they let fall what they had in their hands. But the old lady nodded to them, and said, "Dear children, where have you been wandering about? Come in with me; you shall have something good."

So she took them both by the hand, and led them into her little hut, and brought out plenty to eat,—milk and pancakes, with sugar, apples, and nuts; and then two beautiful little beds were got ready, and Grethel and Hansel laid themselves down, and thought they were in heaven. But the fairy was a spiteful one, and made her pretty sweetmeat house to entrap little children. Early in the morning, before they were awake, she went to their little beds; and though she saw the two sleeping and looking so sweetly, she had no pity on them, but was glad they were in her power. Then she took up Hansel, and fastened him up in a coop by himself, and when he awoke he found himself behind a grating, shut up safely, as chickens are; but she shook Grethel, and called out, "Get up, you lazy little thing, and fetch some water; and go into the kitchen, and cook something good to eat: your brother is shut up yonder; I shall first fatten him, and when he is fat, I think I shall eat him."

When the fairy was gone poor Grethel watched her time, and got up, and ran to Hansel, and told him what she had heard, and said, "We must run away quickly, for the old woman is a bad fairy, and will kill us." But Hansel said, "You must first steal away her fairy wand, that we may save ourselves if she should follow; and bring the pipe too that hangs up in her room." Then the little maiden ran back, and fetched the magic wand and the pipe, and away they went together; so when the old fairy came back and could see no one at home, she sprang in a great rage to the window, and looked out into the wide world (which she could do far and near), and a long way off she spied Grethel, running away with her dear Hansel. "You are already a great way off," said she; "but you will still fall into my hands."

Then she put on her boots, which walked several miles at a step, and scarcely made two steps with them before she overtook the children; but Grethel saw that the fairy was coming after them, and, by the help of the wand, turned her friend Hansel into a lake of water, and herself into a swan, which swam about in the middle of it. So the fairy sat herself down on the shore, and took a great deal of trouble to decoy the swan, and throw crumbs of bread to it; but it would not come near her, and she was forced to go home in the evening without taking her revenge. Then Grethel changed herself and Hansel back into their own forms once more, and they went journeying on the whole night, until the dawn of day; and then the maiden turned herself into a beautiful rose, that grew in the midst of a quickset hedge; and Hansel sat by the side.

The fairy soon came striding along. "Good piper," said she, "may I pluck yon beautiful rose for myself?" "O yes," answered he. "And then," thought he to himself, "I will play you a tune meantime." So when she had crept into the hedge in a great hurry, to gather the flower—for she well knew what it was,—he pulled out the pipe slily, and began to play. Now the pipe was a fairy pipe, and, whether they liked it or not, whoever heard it was obliged to dance. So the old fairy was forced to dance a merry jig, on and on without any rest, and without being able to reach the rose. And as he did not cease playing a moment, the thorns at length tore the clothes from off her body, and pricked her sorely, and there she stuck quite fast.

Then Grethel set herself free once more, and on they went; but she grew very tired, and Hansel said, "Now I will hasten home for help." And Grethel said, "I will stay here in the meantime, and wait for you." Then Hansel went away, and Grethel was to wait for him.

But when Grethel had staid in the field a long time, and found he did not come back, she became quite sorrowful and turned herself into a little daisy, and thought to herself, "Some one will come and tread me under foot, and so my sorrows will end." But it so happened that, as a shepherd was keeping watch in the field, he saw the daisy; and thinking it very pretty, he took it home, placed it in a box in his room, and said, "I have never found so pretty a daisy before."

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Its cost renders it available to all classes; It is exceedingly smooth and glossy, and it accumulates next to no dust; It does not require to be taken up and cleaned like other carpet, and thus saves much labor and trouble; For re-coating with the Campillion Enamel occasionally as the case may require, (which costs but a trifle,) it will last indefinitely, even an age, and always appear new and bright; In its use no reliance whatever is placed upon the paper for wear, but exclusively upon the water-proof coating, the figured paper being used only to secure the colors. Paper has recently been used for a variety of purposes, even for trunks, roofs, flour bags and wearing apparel, but the first attempt, either in Europe or America, to convert it into carpet or floor covering, all concede it to be an entire success!
We have purchased the right for Columbia county and can furnish the carpet to roorshants at manufacturers prices.
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Bloomsburg, Dec. 11'69-tf.

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FROM PHILADELPHIA TO BLOOMSBURG,
and intermediate points. Goods forwarded with care and despatch and at low rates.
Goods, at Philadelphia, must be delivered at Bitner & Co's. 811 Market Street. For full particulars, apply to
WARE & ROBINSON, Proprietors,
R. R. Depot, Bloomsburg, Pa.
Aug. 20,'69-tf.

LACKAWANNA AND BLOOMSBURG RAILROAD
On and after Dec. 6th, 1869, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

	Going North. Arrive p. m.	Arrive a. m.	Going South. Leave p. m.	Leave a. m.
Scranton	9.25	10.30	4.00	7.00
			Leave	
Pittston	8.50	10.20	4.32	7.30
Kingston	8.35	9.50	4.56	7.55
Plymouth	8.10	9.35	5.10	8.10
Shickshinny	7.23	8.55	6.10	8.55
Berwick	6.27	8.20	6.50	9.28
Bloom	5.45	7.43	7.30	10.02
Danville	5.05	7.05	8.10	10.42
	Leave	Leave	Arrive	Arrive
North'd	4.30	6.48	8.45	11.20

Connection made at Scranton by the 10.40 a.m. train for Great Bend, Binghamton, Albany and all points North, East and West.
D. T. BOUND, Sup't.

NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
On and after Nov. 15th 1869, Trains will leave NORTHUMBERLAND as follows:
NORTHWARD.
3.55 A. M. Daily to Williamsport, (except Sunday) for Elmira, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo Suspension Bridge, and N. Falls.
6.50 P. M., Daily, (except Sundays) for Elmira and Buffalo via Erie Railway from Elmira.
3.30 P. M., Daily, (except Sundays) for Williamsport.
TRAINS SOUTHWARD.
10.35 A. M. Daily (except Monday's) for Baltimore
WILMINGTON AND PHILADELPHIA.
11.10 P. M. Daily (except Sunday's) for Baltimore Washington and Philadelphia.
ED. S. YOUNG,
General Passenger Agent.
ALFRED R. FISKE, Gen'l Supt.

PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILROAD.—
WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
On and after MONDAY, Nov. 15th 1869, the Trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Rail Road will run as follows:
WESTWARD.
MAIL TRAIN leaves Philadelphia 9.55 p.m
" " " Northumberland 3.30 a.m.
" " arr. at Erie 8.20 p.m
ERIE EXPRESS leaves Philadelphia 11.10 a.m.
" " " Nor'd 6.30 p.m.
" " arr. at Erie 10.00 a.m
ELMIRA MAIL leaves Philadelphia 7.00 a.m
" " " North'd 3.35 p.m
" " arr. at Lock Haven 7.20 p.m
EASTWARD.
MAIL TRAIN leaves Erie 8.40 a.m
" " " North'd 11.10 a.m.
" " arr. at Philadelphia 6.50 p. m.
ERIE EXPRESS leaves Erie 4.00 p.m
" " " Nor'd 5.05 a.m.
" " arr. at Philadelphia 12.45 p.m.
ELMIRA MAIL leaves Lock Haven 8.00 a. m.
" " " North'd 11.00 a. m.
" " arr. at Philadelphia 8.00 p. m.
BUFFALO EXPRESS leaves Wm. sport 12.25 am.
" " " North'd 2.00 a. m.
" " arr. at Philadelphia 9.35 a. m
Express east connects at Corry, Mail East at Corry and Irvineton, Express west at Irvineton with train lon Oil Creek and Allegheny River Rail Road.
A. L. TYLER,
General Superintendent, Williamsport.

READING RAILROAD.
WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22D 1869.
Great Trunk Line from the North and North-West for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Ashland, Shamokin Lebanon Allentown, Easton, Ephrata, Lititz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c.,
Trains leave Harrisburg for New York, as follows: At 2.30, 5.55 and 9.10 a. m., 12.20 noon and 2.45 & 11.00 p.m., connecting with similar trains on the Pa. Railroad, and arriving at New York at 10.45, a.m., & 12.05 m., & 3.35 6.35 & 10.00 p. m. and 6.00 a.m respectively. Sleeping cars accompany the 2.30 a. m., 3.35 a.m. and 12.00 m. trains without change.
Leave Harrisburg for Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Minersville, Ashland, Shamokin Pine Grove, Allentown & Phila'd, at 8.10 a.m., & 3.55 & 4.10 p.m., stopping at Lebanon and principal way stations; the 4.10 pm. train making connections for Pottsville and Columbia only. For Pottsville Schuylkill Haven and Auburn, via Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad, leave Harrisburg at 3.10 p.m. Returning: Leave New York at 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 m., and 5.00 and 8.00 p.m. Philadelphia at 8.15 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. Sleeping cars accompany the 9.00 a. m., and 5.00 and 8.00 p.m., trains from N.Y. without change. Way Passenger Train leaves Philadelphia at 7.30 a.m., connecting with similar train on East Pa. railroad returning from Reading at 6.35 p.m stopping at all stations; leave Pottsville at 5.40 6.00 a.m., and 3.00 p.m. Shamokin at 5.40 and 9.40 a. m., Ashland at 7.00 a.m and 12.20 noon Tamaqua at 8.35 a. m., and 2.20 p. m. for Philadelphia, and New York.
Leave Pottsville via Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad at 8.15 a.m. for Harrisburg, and 11.30 a. m., for Pine Grove and Tremont.
Reading Accommodation Train leaves Reading at 7.30 a.m., returning leaves Philadelphia at 4.45 p.m.
Pottstown Accommodation Train leaves Pottstown at 6.15 a.m.., returning, leaves Philadelphia at 4.00 p.m.
Columbia Railroad Trains leave Reading at 7.15 a.m., and 6.45 p.m. for Ephrata, Lititz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c.,
Perkiomen Rail Road Trains leave Perkiomen Junction at 9.00 a.m., and 3.10 p. m. Returning: Leave Skippack at 8.15 a.m., and 4.30 p.m., connecting with similar trains on Reading Railroad.
On Sundays, leave New York at 8.00 p.m., Philadelphia 8.00 a.m. and 3.15 p.m., the 8.00 a.m. training only to Reading; Pottsville 8.00 a.m.; Harrisburg at 5.35 a. m. 8.10 and 11.00 p. m. and Reading 12.45 Midnight, and 7.15 a. m. for Harrisburg, at 7.30 a. m. and 12.35 Midnight, for New York and at 9.40 a. m. and 4.25 p. m. for Philadelphia.
Commutation, Mileage, Season, School and Excursion Tickets to and from all points, at reduced rates.
Baggage checked through; 100 pounds allowed each passenger.
G. A. NICOLLS,
General Superintendent.
Reading, Pa., Apr. 26 1869.

CATAWISSA RAILROAD—On and after MONDAY, Sep. 6, 1869, Passenger trains on the Catawissa Railroad will run at the following named hours:

Mail South.	STATIONS.	Mail North
Dep. 8.45 a.m	Williamsport,	Arr. 6.00 p. m.
" 9.15 "	Muncy,	Dep. 5.28 "
" 9.47 "	Watsontown,	" 4.57 "
" 10.05 "	Milton,	" 4.40 "
" 10.45 "	Danville,	" 4.00 "
" 11.06 "	Rupert,	" 3.40 "
" 11.17 "	Catawissa,	" 3.32 "
" 12.22 p.m.	Ringtown,	" 2.35 "
" 12.38 "	Summit,	" 2.20 "
" 1.08 "	Quakake,	" 1.40 "
" 1.20 "	L. Mahony Junc.	" 1.30 "
" 2.15 "	Junc. Tamaqua, Junc.	" 1.10 "
" 4.25 "	Reading,	" 10.40 a.m.
Arr. 6.45 "	Philadelphia,	" 8.15 "
" 9.25 "	To New York via. Reading or Mauch Chunk.	
	From New York via. Mauch Chunk.	6.35 "

No Change of cars between Williamsport and Philadelphia. GEO. WEBB Sup't.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA, & WESTERN RAILROAD.—Summer arrangement, Apr. 5, 1869. Trains leave as follows:

EASTWARD. Accom.	Express	Mail	STATIONS.	Mail	WESTWARD. Express	Accom.
	P.M.	P.M.	Via M. & E. Divis. Arr New York. [Lv	A.M.	P.M.	
	—	—	(Foot Barclay St.)	—	—	
	9 40	3.35		8.30	4 00	
	9 40	3.35	Christopher St.	8.30	4 00	
	9 25	3