

Farm Implements.

It is one of the questions which the farmer is often called upon to consider, to what extent it will be to his advantage to invest in the new and labor-saving machines...

Silver Payments in Sight.

It is becoming painfully evident that the time is not far distant when the transition from a gold to a silver basis in American monetary affairs will take place.

ODD ITEMS.

APPLE JELLY.—Take red-skinned apples, wipe clean, and cut into quarters, but do not peel them.

It is better to die than to lose one's reason, and yet the murderer prefers insanity to hanging.

A Vermont man has lost a goose that was said to be 100 years old. It has probably gone to join the Michigans.

SCRAMBLED EGGS.—This is a nice breakfast dish for a hot summer morning. Peel a large, firm, fresh tomato and chop it up small, chopping with a small bit of delicate white onion.

There's wisdom in the cask, since an old pool who knew a good thing, and he is right. A cask has two heads.

A FINE WHITEWASH.—The following will be found a fine whitewash for walls: Soak a quart of a pound of galls over night in tepid water.

There is nothing that can prevent this unsettling of our financial affairs within a few months except a heavy balance of trade in our favor and large importations of European gold.

Peach Trees in Soil.—A Maryland correspondent says he has a peach tree on a lawn which is kept closely mown, which is perfectly healthy and bears large crops of fruit annually.

Working Horses Without Shoes.—A good deal of money is worse than wasted in the needless shoeing of farm horses; for the shoe being unnatural is always accompanied with more or less risk.

The number of dogs kept in Great Britain appears from the returns of the dog licenses to be decreasing. Last year, as compared with 1882, the licenses fell from 908,360 to 894,903.

DELICIOUS CHOC-CREAMS.—Take one and one-half gills of cold water and mix with it two ounces of Bernadine arrowroot and twelve ounces of pulverized sugar.

It is a singular fact that we are indebted to Pompeii for the great industry of canning fruit. Years ago, when the excavations were just beginning, a party of Cincinnatians found, in what had been the pantry of a house many jars of preserved figs.

There are few words in the English language so frequently misapprehended as the unfortunate word couple. The root of the word is a Hebrew noun, meaning "a fether," but we got it from the Latin *compula*, a joining, and it should never be used except in the sense of two joined together.

Mr. Moody is reported as saying: "I think that, without any exception, London is the most religious city that I was ever in. The Sabbath is better observed there than anywhere else, unless it may be in the Scotch towns."

There is a new dispute has arisen between the Roman Catholic and the Greek Orthodox clergy at Jerusalem. The facts of the case are these. The stone of the floor of the Chapel of the Virgin in the Holy Sepulchre is so worn or otherwise damaged as to require its removal and replacement by a new stone.

Tight pants are going out of fashion. The number of tight men in pants will probably always remain just the same, however.

If long, straggling shoots start up on flowering shrubs, they should be pinched back now, while in a soft state, thus giving all the others a better chance, and tending to make a shapely bush.

The hardy geraniums do well on rockeries.

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"No! 'No' fingered and suffered along, pinning away all the time for years."

"Eleven years our daughter suffered on a bed of misery."

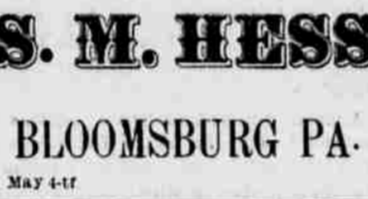
"My daughters say: 'How much better father is since he used Hop Bitters.'"

"I have a certain article of dress worn by a woman in a basque, should the same be worn by a little girl he called a basket?"

"There's wisdom in the cask, since an old pool who knew a good thing, and he is right. A cask has two heads."

"The undersigned auditor appointed by the State of Maryland to distribute funds to the State of the executor in the estate of said deceased will meet at his office, Bloomsburg on Saturday Aug 21st, 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M. and when all parties meet, appear and present their claims or be debarred from any share said fund."

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Pennsylvania Railroad. Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division, and Northern Central Railway.

TIME TABLE. In effect May 12th, 1884. Trains leave Sunday.

EASTWARD. 9:45 a. m. — Erie Express daily except Sundays for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

WESTWARD. 11:15 a. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

NEW YORK EXPRESS. 1:30 p. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R. R. DIVISION. 3:15 p. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

NORFOLK & WESTERN. 4:30 a. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R. R. DIVISION. 5:15 a. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

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NORFOLK & WESTERN. 8:30 a. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

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NORFOLK & WESTERN. 10:30 a. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R. R. DIVISION. 11:15 a. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

NORFOLK & WESTERN. 12:30 p. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R. R. DIVISION. 1:15 p. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

NORFOLK & WESTERN. 2:30 p. m. — Erie Mail (daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations.

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