Farm Notes.

Leave no corn-fodder in the fields. It will be worth twice as much if carefully stored.

An open shed will be preferred by poultry to a closed house, even in severe weather. Fowls are partial to fresh air, but require shelter from rains and cold winds.

The hog is useful on the farm as a scavenger—to eat the house refuse and the imperfect fruit, and to drink the slops and extra milk. For this reason the hog cannot be well spared from any farm.

LUNG WORMS IN CALVES.—A cough in a calf without any other appearance of ill-health may be attributed to parasitic thread worms in the lungs or air passages. It is not always easy to discover these in the air passages after death, because they are very small and are embedded in froth and mucus. Any remedy, such as turpentine, which acts upon the blood and is evaporated through the lungs should be given continuously and for a considerable time, so as to [illegible] thoroughly impregnate the system, at [illegible] is being to work.

QUA[illegible] MADE BY ANIMA[illegible] [illegible] A [illegible] pounds [illegible] ounce, a cow [illegible] a fowl only [illegible] quantity of [illegible] which is ab[illegible] the bulk of the [illegible] not make in all, [illegible] more than five [illegible] cow, wi[illegible]

[illegible] before milking. The object is to get the milk before the turnips have been in the stomach long enough for their odor to be absorbed and get into the milk, and also feed the turnips long enough before the next milking to get rid of all the odor through the skin and the excretions. It is clear that these objects are most readily reached by feeding the turnips immediately before milking, although the difference in time is trifling and of very little account if the feeding is done as soon as the milking is finished.

How to Keep an Orchard in Condition.

An orchard may be kept in good condition with a much less amount of fertilizer if the crop of grass is left to decay on the land; when this is done, as the grass is fully grown a heavy mower should be run over it. This leaves a clean, soft surface for the fruit to drop on. But in most localities there is too much risk of fire to leave the grass dry in an orchard; were it not for this danger, there are many orchards it would be economy to let the grass decay under the trees, for by so doing it keeps the soil light and loose, and at the same time cool and moist. It also thins out the grass roots and makes the grass come up so thin that it interferes very little with the growth of the trees.

THE famous system of rotation now quite general throughout England and Scotland is as follows: The first year, clover and mixed grass seed; the second year, wheat; the third year, turnips or rutabagas; the fourth year, barley, and then the same course again. Another innovation is to add another grain crop, oats, making a five year course, and so efficient has this course been that it is calculated that the grain crops have increased one fourth.

IF A cow is a deep milker and not inclined to dry off before calving time, do not seek to shrink the milk suddenly, either by ceasing to milk her or by starvation. Neither should she be physiced or her udder bathed in astringent washes as this has the effect to throw the milk back into the blood, causing congestion, inflammation and complications. Give dry food, including plenty of bran, and milk her right along, but a month before her calving time feed the milk to the hogs.

THE milk from heifers is neither so liberal in quantity nor so rich as that from the same cow as she becomes older. The old rule which reckoned a hefer with her first calf as equal to half a cow was not far from right. The growth of a heifer is so much deducted from what would otherwise go to milk production, but with young cows capable of eating and digesting a large amount of food a large portion may go to the milk pail.

SHELVES sprinkled with gum camphor will not be infested by ants; tomato leaves spread around, it is said, will drive them away; a hop toad domesticated in the kitchen will rid it of all insects, roaches and bugs of every description. A sponge dipped in sweetened water will attract them, and may be then dipped in boiling water, resweetened and used until all the ants are all destroyed.

THE manufacturers of woolen goods in this country have to go abroad for 80,000,000 pounds of wool because enough is not grown in this country. There ought to be a good future for the sheep husbandry in the United States.

OATS and rye are much similar to each other in composition. To make a good feed for horses corn should be mixed with them. A bushel of rye, two bushels of oats, and five of corn, ground together will make excellent food.

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Bits of Wisdom.

The bully carries his influence in his hip pocket. His brain is not loaded.

If the mind, which rules the body, ever so far forgets itself as to trample upon its slave, the slave never forgets or forgives the injury, but at some time will rise and smite its oppressor.

Garments that have one rent in them are subject to be torn on every nail, and glasses that are once cracked are soon broken; such is man's good name once tainted with just reproach.

A boy undertook to torture a wasp by touching a lighted match to its body. The wasp applied its warm side to the boy's hand, and as it flew away it gave the boy these words of wisdom: 'Never try to beat a man at his own game.'

Custom stales the infinite variety of life for most men. Whoever would keep their mouth must fight the absorbing demons of care and business, which are ever at work to reduce us to mere machines.

Men trust rather to their eyes than to their ears; the effect of precepts is therefore slow and tedious, while that of examples is summary and effectual.

Whoever sincerely endeavors to do all the good he can will probably do much more than he imagines, or will ever know till the day when the secrets of all hearts shall be manifest.

Books are but white paper, unless men spend in action the wisdom they get from thought.

Modesty is to worth what shadows are to a painting; she gives to it strength and relief.

The highest reach of human science is the scientific recognition of human ignorance.

The superiority of some men is merely local. They are great because their associations are little.

Act always so that the immediate motive of thy will may become a universal rule for all intelligent beings.

Energy will do anything that can be done in the world; and no talents, no circumstances, no opportunities, will make a two-legged animal a man without it.

Good intentions are at least the seed of good actions; and every man ought to sow them, and leave it to the soil and seasons whither they come up or not, whether he or any other gathers the fruit.

Hoodwinking a Hen.

Mr. Ingenius Workhard has performed a great service for his country it will be observed, and he deserves a crownno from every thoughtful citizen. Of course, he will not receive one from every thoughtful citizen, but if he did it would be more than he deserves.

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Mr. Workhard was the happy possessor of a good fat hen, which, like other good fat hens, laid one egg a day, including Sundays. Mr. Workhard, however, was not satisfied with what his good fat hen accomplished in this direction, so he set about to devise ways and means by which it would be persuaded to add to the daily delivery. Coaxing proved (hen) fruitless and [illegible] treatment was in vain. Workhard racked his brain [illegible] last he hit upon a plan.

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A nest with a false bottom was constructed. It worked automatically in such a way that when the good fat hen laid her accustomed egg it would go beyond the seeming limits of the nest and peacefully repose beneath the false bottom away from gallianceous sight. The good fat hen was a cautious bird and was accustomed to look into the nest after she had deposited her egg, in order to assure herself that it was really there before beginning her gleeful cackle. The first time the ingenious nest was put in position the hen was nearly knocked over the ropes in one round with astonishment when she found no egg. Consternation was on her face. It occurred to the honest hen, however, that she had made a mistake. She was off her base. She had laid no egg. So like the good hen she was, she immediately proceeded to lay another.

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The scheme worked well. Workhard gathered in two eggs a day for some time, and then yearned no more. The nest was then altered so that two eggs could drop through the false bottom instead of one, and a third egg was laid by the hen. The old hen thought it was mighty funny, but being unsuspicious she did not suspect. The good work went on and the number of eggs which suddenly disappeared was increased gradually until the good fat hen every day laid 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.

The Queen of All.

Honor the dear old mother. Time has scattered the snowy flakes on her brow, plowed deep furrows on her cheeks, but is she not sweet and beautiful now? The lips are thin and shrunken, but those are the lips which have kissed many a hot tear from the childish cheeks, and they are the sweetest lips in all the world. The eye is dim, yet it glows with the soft radiance of holy love which can never fade. Ah, yes, she is a dear old mother. The sands of life are nearly run out, but, feeble as she is, she will go further and reach down lower for you than any other upon earth. You cannot walk into a midnight where she cannot see you; you cannot enter a prison whose bars will keep her out; you can never mount a scaffold too high for reach, that she may kiss and bless you in evidence of her deathless love. When the world shall despise and forsake you, when it leaves you by the wayside to die unnoticed, the dear old mother will gather you in her feeble arms and carry you home and tell you of all your virtues, until you almost forget that your soul is disfigured by vices. Love her tenderly and cheer her declining years with holy devotion.

One night awhile ago John Layton, who runs the main line boat train from Boston, came on my engine sick as death. He was so feverish and nervous he almost cried. "Cheer up John," says I, "and I'll fix you up in a jiffy," and I gave him a good dose of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. He went to bed. Two days after that I saw him looking strong as a butcher. "That's the stuff for a railroad man," he said.—D'l Pitts, Engineer Old Colony Railroad.

Largest Land Animal in the World.

Since the death of Jumbo various statements have been published as to the exact stature of that giant elephant. The figures range from 11 feet to 11 and a half, but whether the height given is that at the shoulder does not appear. If Jumbo was eleven feet and six inches high at the shoulder there is reason to believe that he was the largest land animal in the world.

The size of elephants is commonly overestimated. Their statute is almost always exaggerated in those countries where they are found wild. Even European travellers of scientific training have made notable mistakes in this respect. African elephants which Major Denham, one of the early English explorers, shpposed to be 16 were less than 10 feet when killed. In Ceylon the native elephant which was formerly thought to be larger than the African animal, is rarely more than nine feet; and Sir Emerson Tennent in his celebrated work on the natural history of that island says that in the districts where the hunters agree that the largest specimens are to be found, "the tallest of ordinary herds do not average more than eight feet."

In India the same tendency to exaggeration prevails. Dr. Falchner was authority for the statement by Professor Ansted more than a quarter of a century ago that "out of eleven hundred elephants from which the tallest were selected and measured with care, on one occasion in India, there was not one whose height measured eleven feet." At the present day probably no man is better qualified to speak with reference to the size of Indian elephants as Mr. G. P. Sanderson, the officer in charge of the elephant-catching establishment maintained by the British Government at Mysore. He does not believe that there is an elephant in India ten feet at the shoulder. He has measured a great many, and the tallest was nine feet ten inches. "The next largest are two tuskers belonging to his highness the Maharajah of of Mysore, each nine feet eight inches, captured in Mysore some forty years ago, and still alive." Mr. Sanderson in his very entertaining work on the wild beasts of India, says that twice round an elephant's foot is his height, within one or two inches. Generally this measurement will give the exact stature, but when persons unfamiliar with elephants are asked to guess how many times the circumference of the foot must be multipled to ascertain how tall the animal is, they say from ten to fifteen times.

Not only may we reasonably conclude that Jumbo was the largest land animal in the world, or, at all events, without any superior in size, but it is safe to say that a much larger walking beast could not be made out of skin and bones. This is mechanically demonstrable. In order to support a heavier creature, the legs, even with practically solid bones, would have to be so increased as render progression impossible.

These considerations indicate that we shall never see a larger land animal than Jumbo.—*N. Y. Sun.*

What Shall Be Done With the Daughters.

Teach them self-reliance.
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Teach them to make shirts.
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Teach them not to powder and paint.
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Teach them how to make their own dresses
Teach them how to do marketing for the family.
Teach them how to cook a good meal of victuals.
Teach them how to wear calico dress—and do it like a queen.
Teach them to say no, and mean it, or yes, and stick to it.
Teach them how to darn stockings and sew on buttons.
Teach them to regard the morals, not the money, of a beau.
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Teach them to have nothing to do with dissolute and intemperate young men.
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Consoling the 'Squire.

'Squire Patterson, wearing an air of deep concern, approached his friend, Farmer Glover, and without speaking, leaned on the fence, and sighed.

"What's the matter, 'Squire?"

"I don't know what the country's comin' to. What would you think if your daughter should run away and marry an ignorant hired man?"

"Oh, I don't know, 'Squire, but I would not take it to heart if I were you. I would try to think that it happened for the best."

"Would you forgive the girl?" asked the 'Squire.

"Yes, I believe I would. There's no use in holding out, you know. When did it happen?"

"Just awhile ago."

"Who performed the ceremony."

"I did."

What! Then you could not have been opposed to the marriage."

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A Daily Denunciation.

The Hon. John Kelly, the head and front of Tammany Hall, a man of strict integrity, an indefatigable worker, early at his office, late to leave, so burdened with business that regular meals were seldom known by him, with mind in constant tension and energies steadily trained, finally broke down!

The wonder is that he did not sooner give way. An honest man in all things else, he acted unfairly with his physical resources. He was ever drawing upon this bank without ever depositing a collateral. The account overdrawn, the bank suspends and both are now in the hands of medical receivers.

It is not work that kills men. It is irregularity of habits and mental worry. No man in good health frets at his work. Bye and bye when the bank of vigor suspends, these men will wonder how it all happened, and they will keep wondering until their dying day unless, perchance, some candid physician or interested friend will point out to them how by irregularity, by excessive mental effort, by constant worry and fret, by plunging in deeper than they had a right to go, they have produced that loss of nervous energy which almost invariably expresses itself in a deranged condition of the kidneys and liver, for it is a well-known fact that the poison which the kidneys and liver should remove from the blood, if left therein, soon knocks the life out of the strongest and most vigorous man or woman. Daily building up of these vital organs by so wonderful and highly reputed a specific as Warner's safe cure, is the only guarantee that our business men can have that their strength will be equal to the labors daily put upon them.

Mr. Kelly has nervous dyspepsia, we learn, indicating, as we have said, a break-down of nerve force. His case should be a warning to others who, pursuing a like course, will certainly reach a like result.—*The Sunday Herald.*

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