The Huntingdon Journal.

Farm and Household.

Origin of the Baldwin Apple.

Dol. Loammi Baldwin, Chief engineer in building the Middlesex canal, lived in the northern part of Woburn, Mass., near said canal, (a correspondent of the Nashua *Telegraph* says) and owned a piece of woodland in the south-western part of Wilmington, near what was then known as Butter's Bridge, from which he cut his firewood, cutting it clean as he went, leaving it to grow up again. In so doing he came to an apple tree, somewhat young, but thrifty and bearing, which the woodpeckers had pecked around the body and limbs so unmercifully, that he feared that it would die; but as he was an ardent lover of good fruit, he concluded to "spare that tree," and see what was its fruit. The next autumn he had occasion to go to Wilmington for wood, and found lying on the ground beneath it, some very nice looking winter apples, a portion of which he carried home and deposited safely in his cellar. One day, the next spring, having friends from Boston to dine with him, he brought forward the Pecker apples, as he called them, to try their quality for the first time, when they were found to be so far superior to any they had ever tasted before, that he went immediately, cut some scions, and engrafted some of his own trees at home Being high sheriff, he attended the courts at Concord and Cambridge, often taking his favorite apple to eat after dinner, instead of smoking a cigar, and giving to his fellow boarders. Thus from his tree were scions cut, and the fruit is now known almost over the United States as the Baldwin apple.—*Vermont Chronicle.*

Weeds.

Here is a short essay on weeds, that is not bad; it is from the *American Agriculturist*: "A weed is a plant growing where you don't want it to grow. Thistles are not weeds when grown, as they are in France, to make perfume. The thistles growing in the Deacon's wheat are weeds. He does not want them there. If you have six plants of corn in a hill where you only want four, two of them are weeds. A dead weed is not a weed. A growing weed pumps up water out of the ground. The weeds in an acre of the Deacon's clover pump up more water in a day, than all his animals drink in a month. Weeds propagate faster than rats. The Deacon kills a hundred of his weeds and buries a thousand. Next spring they will come up by the million. You can't get rid of weeds unless you kill them. If you do not kill them, they will kill you. They are worse than foot-rot in sheep. They spread faster than caterpillars on currant bushes, or than the canker worm on apple trees. Some farmers think it is no use killing the weeds. It is natural for the soil to produce weeds. They say you *can't* kill them. The weeds cost us more than all our State, national, and local taxes; more than all our schools, churches, and newspapers. They are more expensive than the children's boots and ladies' bonnets. They are as bad as cigars and fast horses. The horse may break his neck, and you will get rid of him; but the weeds will stick tighter than a mortgage, and run up faster than compound interest, or a grocery bill. They are like bad habits. You must not tamper with them. No half way measures will answer. The only way to stop using tobacco is to stop. The only way to kill weeds is to kill them."

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