Agricultural, &c.

From the Farm Journal.

"AMALGAMATION OF POTATOES."

There is an article under the above caption in the "Journal" for this month, in which you seem to endorse the statement, or rather, the views of a certain Scotch farmer, in regard to what he is pleased to term "breeding" of Potatoes "in and in," as being the cause of degeneration, &c., &c. It seems to me strange that you and he should confound two processes of nature so entirely distinct, as propagating a plant by cuttings and "breeding," the latter term having only reference to *reproduction* by *seed*.

Facts are stubborn things, and I would not wish for one moment to call in question the statement of facts of any one; in regard to results which he may have obtained by any particular mode or process of planting or culture, but I must enter my protest against the *conclusions* which he arrives at, or the theory which he founds thereupon, that the degeneration of potatoes has been caused by what he calls "breeding" too closely, and that simply planting two or more kinds in the same hill, will *cross the breed*, as well might we expect two horses of different character or color to assimilate, or two cows to give the same quantity and quality of milk, by being fed in contiguous stalls.

I presume there are few who will not admit that the breeding in and in, i. e., continually between parent and offspring, will cause degeneration either in animal or plant, but in propogating from cuttings, either above ground or below, either from the stock as in grafting or budding fruit trees, or from the root as in planting potatoes, there is no production of offspring, but simply a continuation or re growth of the old plant; therefore, whatever beneficial effect Mr. Craig may have produced or discovered by planting different varieties together, it cannot, in the nature of things, be referred to any of the phenomena of breeding, and I think that any practical man will be quite willing to *see* before he *believes*, that the result named was anything more than the effect of season or some accidental circumstance.

That all plants will degenerate after a long continuance of propagation by *division*, no one will deny, as we have too many instances in proof; many varieties of fruits, for instance, having become nearly or quite extinct, or at best, worthless—and the article under discussion, potatoes, must be expected to obey the same law as they have already done in some instances. Varieties which were considered the best a few years back, have rapidly gone the way of perishable things.

Now it does appear to me the plainest and simplest thing in nature, that the proper way to keep up the character of the most important esculent ever grown, and the only way it *can* be be done, is to reproduce continually and frequently from *seed*, from actual seed, not from what we are in the habit of calling, by courtesy, "seed potatoes." By this means, each one who does it may obtain an article suited to his soil, and by repeated trials, something even better than we have ever yet had, may be produced.

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J. C.

Burlington, March 10, 1857.

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May 7, 1857.–tf

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Your earnest friend,
THOS. H. BANKS.

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Cincinnati, May 4, 1856

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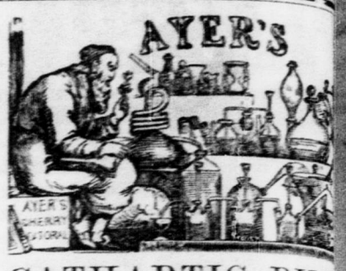

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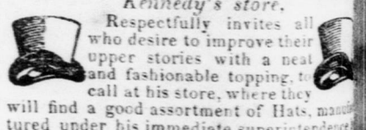

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