FARMING AND FARM WORK.

Plenty of Boom for All Comers. Germantown Telegraph Undoubtedly the cultivation of the soil and the raising of flocks and herds may always be depended upon to furnish a living, and there is, therefore, no very great risk in the enterprise. In view of the overcrowded condition of all other purthe overcrowded condition of all other pur-suits this one may be safely relied on as an unfailing resource at all times. Few regions have been more rapidly settled than have been Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and Iowa, with farmers and stock raisers since 1860. Hen ce, the westward migra tory movement now again going on will again produce general activity. For this emigration will put a large amount of money in active circulation, cause a large increase in railroad travel and freights, relieve the overburthened labor markets of the seaboard, and create new markets for capital and merchandise. The condi-tions are much more favorable to agricultural emigrants now than formerly, because the railroad charges have been so adjusted that produce can be profitably shipped or sold at the most remote and isolated points. Land is everywhere cheap and accessible, and railroads traverse immense

Our country is so boundless that to talk of the public domain being all gobbled up, as do some pretentious writers, is the height of folly. There is wild land in all the states in such quantities that no one need want farm tracts in vain. And al-though the cry "go West" has long since grown stale and hackneyed, the West still remains a boundless wilderness —an immense ocean—in which the settlements resemble the Pacific islands. Maine, New Jersey and West Virginia alone would accommodate all the emigration for the next five years. Pennsylvania has been for lifty years a ceaseless fountain of emigration, and yet is herself admirably adapted to receive millions of new settlers. But whether emigration tends East or West, only let it keep out of the cities. There is not one in twenty who come hither who have the means to what we call "settle." They are either laborers or mechanics; but instead of making their homes in the new lands and grow up with the country, they drop into the cities where they earn a very precarious living, and soon fall into the habits of idleness and drinking, and never make any headway. If they were to spread abroad even throughout the Middle states they would find abundant employment upon the farms. We venture to say to-day among farmers alone in these states a half million of farm hands could find plenty of work at much higher wages and with much better living than they ever received at Ensilage Again.

In regard to ensilage once more, there are beginning to be some distinct mutter. ings in opposition to its value, and these are being first heard in the New England states where this mode of preserving cattle food was first introduced. In one silo it is stated that the ensilage was "entirely spoiled, mouldy and rotten." This silo was constructed with great care; the fod der was cut with a \$150 machine, and was pressed down with jackscrews, &c. On inquiry of the foreman of another farm he said that he did not feed heavily with ensilage, as fault was found with the milk as being "too thin." This man thought the "life of the ensilage was in the grain and cotton seed fed in convection with it; that if a cow was fed on ensilage alone, without any grain whatever, she would soon be ruined. If he had his own way he would not again fill the silos. He also found the cost of ensilage a great objection." We notice several other unfavorable opinions. One farmer said he found that the less ensilage he fed and the more bran and corn meal. the better his cattle fared! Of course it must be expected to have diverse opinious and reports on all questions so intimately touching the interests of this great in dustry. Still, we stick to our original assertions in regard to this mode of preserving green provender for cattle, to let those with long purses do the experiment ing, and let others adopt or reject accord ing to what the general result may be. We had grave doubts of it being settled on as a discovery of much value and a per manent feature in stock-feeding; but from the earnestness with which it was taken hold of, recommended, defended, and figured into great prominence, there was nothing for us to do but to watch the experiment, criticise the statements, and revise the statistics as much as possible with the view of ascertaining as nearly as circumstances permit the actual worth of ensilage as a leading integer in its relation to the farming interests of the coun

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