The Cerntre 零emorrat．
 ety，the recent organization of which
in New York we noticed at the time，
has applied to Congress for an act of incorporation，and its representatives
have been heard before the Agricul－
tural Committees of both Houses． the State Board of Agriculture，Mr Thomas J．Edge was re－elected to th
important office of Secretary．M Edge has filled this position continu－ ously from the organization of the
Board，and his reeelection is but a fit has rendered the caase of agriculture Prof．C．N．Rti．EY contribated to the current number of the Farmers
Revieu，a paper prepared for the
forth－coming bulletin of the Entomo－ logical Commission upon the new
insecticide known as London Parple． Mr．Riley claims that in all respect， this new poison is fully equal to
Paris Green．It ean be used in pre cisely the same manner，and in about cheaper，being a mere refuse，which，
from its poisonous nature，was a drug to the manufacturers，and had to be tances out at sea．Mr．Riley states
that this can be sold in New York at five cents per pound．We shall keep a watch on its movements，and inform and how it can be procured．
most intelligent and experienced farmers， writes to the Hubbandman
that he has recently come into posses． sion of some heavy land which has
been under cultivation for more than a hundred years，and that he is mel－ lowing by winter plowing．He says：
＂To－day，January 12，I have been plowed late in November，and fell exceedingly gratitied to see how thor－
oughly and beautifully the plow op－ ened a furrow eight to ten inches
deep，actual measure，while the soil all crumbled and fell to atoms，like
muscovado sugar when it is being

## Domestioate the Partridge．

 Readers of the Democrat will re vocated＂protection of the birds＂as farms of the numerous insect tribes upon all farm crops．As to the inge，one of the most valuable can best be accomplished by domes tication．A practical paper upon thi subject was read by Mr．S．P．EbyItancaster，before the local farm from the Farmer＇s Friend
A little kindness shown，a little protection given to convince the bir ecutor and destroyer，but a friend instead，would bring about the de－ sired result．
The whistling flock would before
long draw nearer to man and his hab－ itation to escape other enemies，o which it has menany，and in Winter season learn to feed with the poultry
This much gained，the following sea－ This much gained，the following sea
son the rest in all probability would not be very far removed．Some or en to bantam or other fowls，while the partridge hen would still hav In the following Autumn the home raised and field－raised young could ost in some open and taught $t$ or that purpose in the opride In this way，with corner of the farm． dence，much might be accomplished nales might be taken out for table o about the farm，when the process of The difficulties to be encountered prises，or experiments，would be in the beginning．You can put up
notices agaipst gunners and order of


 and if conducted on this plan，could
Ke made vastly more profitable than
the present methods of grain and the present methods of grain and
mixed farming：
On the 4th of July last a number
of farmers at Quakertown，Bucks
county，who had for some time been county，who had for some time been
dissatisfied with the prices they were
obtaining for their milk in this city，
opened a creamery and commenced
the manufacture of butter．In spite of some drawbacks at the commence－
ment they secured a fair market price for their product，obtaining from 20
to 30 cents per pound wholesale．As
the months crept on the demand，and

How to Grow a．Premium Lamb．
The lambs are beginning to arrive，
and it so well worth while to read the

 conmand that iviraual falmors can
State are look ing into hem matter，the
committees from all parts of the State


 ings and machinery．Another cream．
iery has been starter ot olebry．
The Newtown farmers will have a The Newtown farmers will have a
final meeting to establish a creamery
next weenk
 ford S Suare and Trumbowersville，in
Milfort，and near New Britain sta
tion，in New Britain township．There are ereameries proposed at Centre
Hill，in solebary；at Sellersille；at
Telford，on the ant Valley，in Springiield，at Locust
Valley，just over the line in Letigh
count， county，at springtown，in Sering
field at Coperburg；threnile，
in Buckingham，etc，
in in Buckingham，etc．The farmers of
the lower part of Solebury and north－
ern portion of Upper Makefield pro． ern portion of Upper Maketield pro－
pose erecting a creamery at Mark
Wismer＇s，on the road leading from Wismer＇s，on the road leading from
New Hope to Buckmanville．The
farmers in the vicinity of Danborough farmers in the vicinity of Danborough
have held meetings for the purpose
of organizing a creamery association， and have chosen a site on the Doy－
lestown and Danborough turnpike
near the latter place near the latter place．A creamery is
proprsed at Dublin，perhaps two of
them ；one to the north and the other to the south of the village．T Line Lexington people are moving in
an enterprise of this character．The an enterprise of this character．The
farmers in the neighborhood of Spring
Valley，in Buckingham，are talking of a creamery．Yardleyville，down
in Lower Makefield，has been dis－
cussing cussing the mather．Four creameries
are talked of along the Perkiomen．
Two are actually in progress，and the others will probably soon begin active
operations．Many such entervies operations．Many such enterprises
are also going forward in other parts are also going forward in other parts
of Montgonery，in Chester and in Lehigh counties．
The effect of
The effect of these movements will be seen，sooner or later，in a consid－
erable reduction in the amount of milk which will be available for the say that they are tired of selling
thei their milk for next to nothing，when more profitably employed．
Ferding sheep cannot be too care－
folly and scientifically done． folly and scientitically done．It
shonld be attended to，as near as pos．
sible，at sible，at the same time every day．
Sheep，above all other animals，should have a variety of food．They are
naturally very particular about their naturally very particular about their
diet，are fond of dainty bits，and re－
fuse everything not fuse everything not clean and whole－
some；they go hungry before they will eat musty hay or grain，or that
which has been trod under foot．
Have an old iron pot or kettle set in the ground in your smoke－house，
in which make your smoke，always covering with a piece of sheet－iron with some holes punched in to let．
the smoke through．





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