

FARM AND GARDEN.

Our farmers must look carefully to the seed corn supply. With two seasons in succession that have been unfavorable to the perfect development of the grain, good seed is liable to be scarce in many localities.

Remember this year to trench the flower and shrubby borders fully fifteen inches deep, mixing in some manure to this full depth.

To have the hardy garden flowers show off to the best possible advantage set out in wide beds with an irregular line of evergreens along the rear side.

Don't allow the water to freeze in your hen house and stand all day in a solid body of ice. Fowls can't drink it and they have no means for quenching thirst if you confine them and thus neglect this important matter.

Farm products have a selling value at the place of production. That is the commercial value. They also have an additional value to the farmer who converts them into a more condensed form by feeding them to stock.

The ground for carrots, beets and parsnips should be prepared early, in order to get the seed in as soon as the soil is warm, as these crops require plenty of time for growth and maturity.

Bees will give easily twice as much extracted as comb honey. Any person can succeed in obtaining extracted honey, while only an expert can secure the best success in working for comb honey.

Folled or hornless cattle, now becoming popular, are a distinctively American breed. They are worth experimenting with.

The four feet of an ordinary ox will make a pint of neat foot oil. The thigh bone is the most valuable being worth \$80 per ton for cutting into clothes-brush handles.

It is estimated that a half bushel of grain twice a day is a good feed for fifty sheep. Corn and oats mixed make better feed than corn alone.

Cleaning up the pens and hauling out the manure materially aids in keeping the stock healthy. Hogs seem to be susceptible to diseases, perhaps more so than some other kind of stock.

Although the manure heap may be large, yet buld does not constitute nutritious elements. It is sometimes costly to haul worthless manure. That which has been washed by rain, due to exposure, injured in quality.

Good crops of alfalfa can be grown if properly attended to in the preparation of the soil which should be very fine. It is a plant that requires a quick start in warm soil, sandy loam made rich, being best suited to it.

A correspondent of the American Cultivator sends in the following recipe for breaking up the sitting habits of a hen: Shut up the hen in a close coop, feed as much Indian meal as a time as can be rubbed into a quantity of hog's lard the size of an egg.

Tailor measuring fat customer—"Would you hold the end sir, while I go around."

FOR THE ORPHANS.

A Detroit poultry buyer was in Macomb county a few days ago on business, when, just about dark, his horse became frightened at some object along the road and ran away.

Being as you are a well-known philanthropist, maybe you'd like to donate a couple of dollars toward an orphan asylum.

Out near Chicago. I don't just remember the exact dimensions of the building, nor the number of little kids as is cryin' their blessed eyes out fur their dead parents, but I know they is sadly in need of money.

If I give you \$2 will the orphans ever see it? asked the Detroit.

Hill they! Don't we proceed right there and give it to 'em afore Saturday night? You don't take us for a passel of gents without feelin's, do ye?

If he does, said one of the others, as he spit on his hands and gripped his club afresh, I must clear my reputashun. I've allus been known as the friend of the orphans, and I can't 'low nobody to throw out hints that I'm a liar and a hypocrite!

And it's the same with me! added the third.

Now, that's right. When a man won't give to the orphans you kin set him down as too mean to live. On behalf of the letter angles, many of which can't remember their paw nor maw, I thank you.

For downright laziness the Southern darkey takes the hoe-cake

"Brother Ike," said a gentleman of color to another darkey yesterday, "yer orter been ter de pra'r meeting last night. We prayed fur yer."

"Am dat a fact?" "Hit am."

"Den I se got faith in pra'r. Dat pra'r was answered."

"Sure 'nuff?" "Fo' God hit was."

"Tel me 'bout it Brudder Ike."

"Wall 'Zekiel, I se got de fatted' turkey at my house you eber see. An' he was roostin' low las' night—bery low."

READING, February 27.—A man named Lillie owns a grist mill at Shamokin hill. His twin daughters, Katie and Susie, aged 6 years, strayed to an upstairs room in the mill, where a shaft was revolving.

After being thrown around for an hour they were found in this frightful predicament by an elder sister, who had come to look after them.

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Even if the garden is disposed to be a tenacious clay it can be treated to suit flowers and fine gardening provided it is not wet from lack of drainage by carting on to it load after load of coal ashes, sand or sandy soil.

These Fevers are invariably accompanied by extensive derangements of the stomach, liver and bowels. In their treatment, a purgative, exerting its influence upon these organs, is absolutely necessary.

There is no cathartic for the purpose equal to Dr. J. Walker's Vinegar Bitters. It will expel the bile, clear the bowels, and at the same time stimulate the healthy functions of the digestive organs.

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Measles, Scarlet Fever, Mumps, Whooping Cough, and all children's diseases may be mild and severe by keeping the bowels open with mild doses of the Bitters.

For Female Complaints, in young or old, married or single, in the dawn of womanhood, or the term of life, the Bitters has no equal.

Cleanse the Vitiated Blood when its impurities burst through in Eruptions or Sores; cleanse it when obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it foul; your feelings will tell you when, and the health of the system will follow.

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