Agricultural.

Preparation For Winter.

A long list of jobs demands the attention of every farmer at this season of the year. The first thing to be attended to is protection for and feeding of all kinds of stock. Animals no longer find subsistence in the field. Herbage has failed. For this reason, feed must be dealt out with a frugal hand.

Young animals need suitable sheds in our cold climate, in addition to nutritious food. A few hundred feet of boards, two or three pounds of nails, and a few hours' work, will erect a good shelter for a few calves, or a span of colts, or a small flock of sheep.—Many farmers have hundreds of feet of boards and plank scattered around their yards, which would be injured far less by the weather, if used up in making temporary shelters, than they would to lie exposed to the snow, rain, and drying winds of winter.

In many parts of the country, fence boards may be used during the foddering season for protecting stock, or for making temporary sheds over manure where it is exposed to drenching rains; and, when the winter has passed away, it could be used for fencing. Many of our best farmers have learned that it pays to protect manure as well as their domestic animals.

Before the ground freezes, fruit trees of all kinds, wherever they they are liable to be girdled by mice, should be banked up with earth. If the trees stand in sod ground, take a square sod, cut it in two parts with a spade, gouge out one side of each piece, so that when the two are placed together the tree will be enclosed on every side.—When mice work along on the surface of the ground beneath a deep snow in winter, if they meet with a mound of earth, or the square edge of a sod, they will pass around it, and the tree will be saved. We have never known this remedy to fail.

Winter grain needs some attention where water is liable to stand on the surface.—The outlets of all drains, whether open or provided with tile or stone, should be cleaned out with a shovel; and, when small ponds of water collect on grass ground, furrows should be plowed and the loose earth thrown out, so that it may flow away freely.

Wherever the intense cold of winter injures grape vines they should be cut loose from their supports, laid flat on the ground, and covered with earth. It will pay in a more abundant crop of fruit next season to lay down raspberry bushes, and some kinds of blackberry bushes.

The vitality and productiveness of strawberry vines is sometimes nearly destroyed by the severity of the weather. So long as the beds are covered with a sheet of snow, they suffer no injury. But, to shield them when the ground is bare, shavings of any kind, tan-bark, leaves or straw, should be spread about two inches deep until cold weather has passed.

Bees ought not to be allowed to fly away from their hives in winter. They can get nothing by going abroad. When the hives stand in various parts of the yard, they should be protected by standing pieces of boards all around them, to shield them from the piercing winds, as well as the cheerful sunshine, which invites them to fly away into the cold air, where they shortly become chilled, and are never able to return to their hives.

Cellar windows should either be well protected by earth, sod, tan-bark or straw, or an extra sash with glass it may be fitted to one side of the window frame, thus forming an air chamber between two sashes.

Break up stones of any kind, and drive the pieces into the rat holes; then mingle small pieces of broken glass with mortar, and point the interstices with it.

Eave troughs should be cleared of sediment, to prevent the snow and ice accumulating near the eaves, causing the water to back up beneath the shingles, and run down inside the building.

There are scores of other things that might be enumerated, quite as important, perhaps, as those to which allusion has been made, all of which may be performed when there appears little else to be done.

Taking up Trees.

"An enormous amount of money is annually lost to the purchasers from rude and unskillful taking up. Trees are torn up by the roots, as if the trunk and branches were the one thing necessary, and the roots superfluous. The proper way, is to open a trench on each side of the tree with a common spade, keeping the edge towards the tree, so as not to cross a root. These trenches should be far enough from the trees to avoid the main roots, and deep enough to go below all except the tap root, which may be cut off. This being done, the tree may be pulled up with its roots entire."

A tree cannot live and grow when its roots have been mangled, crushed, and the bark torn off by digging tools. Small roots are better than large ones, especially if they have not been injured in taking up the tree, shrub, or vine.

At the very end of every root, there is what is called a "spongioli," (though some botanists deny the existence of such a thing), which absorbs nourishment for the plant. When the ends of the roots are cut off, a plant will grow but little, if any, until these injuries to the roots have been partially repaired.

If plants could be taken up so carefully that the hundreds of little mouths attached to the roots are not injured, the growth of a tree would be retarded but little. These minute expansions at the end of each root are easily slipped off. Consequently, when roots are pulled out of the unbroken ground, nearly all the absorbants are left in the soil. But if the earth be all dug up by some tool that will pulverize it, without cutting off the roots, most of these absorbants may be saved.

Another thing of eminent importance is, not to allow the roots of any plants to be exposed to drying winds so long that they will be injured by drying. One hour in a warm and drying day will sometimes divest small roots of every sign of vitality. Freezing when not buried in the earth, will destroy the vitality of roots in one night.

Selecting Seed Potatoes.

We have good authority for saying that the best time for selecting seed seed potatoes is when they are dug. Then the skins are cleanest, so that you can judge best of their maturity and quality. You can also best discover which have the strongest characteristics of the variety from which you are selecting. And every practical farmer knows how easy it is, when they are spread out on the ground, to select those of the right size. Neither the very largest, nor by any means the smallest potatoes should be selected for seed. It is by selecting those of average size, inclining upward, you will obtain security against small potatoes, and a considerable defense against the rot. And if you select those of even surface, besides being otherwise better, they will dress much more easily and economically than potatoes having deep eyes. Save your potatoes in this way for a few successive years, and a great improvement will be realized both in the yield and quality of your crop. Seed potatoes should be put up in boxes or barrels, and placed where they will neither freeze nor get warm. We are aware that many may consider this a small matter. Selecting in this way for one season only, to be sure, is not of very great importance; but if followed up for a series of years the results will be highly satisfactory—in other words "it will pay." Every intelligent, thinking farmer knows that by gaining a little every year in a given line of labor, or method of doing work, the greatest and best results will ultimately be obtained. And he knows, too, how much loss and vexation would be prevented if he could get his potato crop free from small ones, or escape the ravages of the rot. Besides, there is a general lesson of instruction to be derived from thus selecting seed potatoes as you dig them.—You learn that *forecast* and doing your work in *season* are the height of that practical wisdom which is the secret of true success. Nor will it cost you much more labor than to wait until planting time. But if you sell all your crop except what is reserved for cooking purposes, and then go on thro' the winter selecting your best potatoes to eat, leaving the rest to plant in the spring, we ask you how long it will be before your crop will be so deteriorated that your potatoes will be neither palatable, nutritious nor wholesome, and at the same time the yield so diminished as to render the cultivation of potatoes a very profitless business?—*Rural World.*

Composition of Butter and Cheese.

In what does the nutritive quality of milk consist? Is it in the butter, or oily particles, or in the caseine or cheesy elements?

Manifestly in the latter. What is caseine? It is a nitrogenous substance, very nearly analogous in composition to gluten, albumen and fibrine. It is also very nearly identical in composition with flesh. From twenty-nine to thirty per cent. of the ingredients of pease, beans, and other highly nitrogenous seeds of leguminous plants, consist of caseine. It is, in fact, one of the most important elements of nutrition.

It is well known that cheese is an exceedingly nutritive substance, more nutritive, a good deal, than even butchers' meat, and this nutritive quality is due to the caseine chiefly, the butter or oily constituents adding flavor and delicacy, what we call richness, to the taste. New cheese is made from the caseine in milk.

That the nutritive quality of milk is to be found chiefly in the caseine, is susceptible of an almost unlimited amount of proof, but we do not suppose it will be disputed and therefore we will take it for granted.

In which breed do we find the milk richest in casine, the Ayshire or the Jersey? Unquestionably in the former. Take the milk of both and set it in separate pans, in favorable circumstances for the cream to rise. After a sufficient length of time, say twelve or eighteen hours, skim the two specimens, and observe the difference in the skimmed milk. One is still white, the color being due to the caseous matter which surrounds the butter particles, the other is as blue as the sky. There can be no question as to which would make the better skim-milk cheese. One appears to to be all water, the other is still rich in cheesy and butter particles.—*Mass. Plughman.*

Mutton the Meat for the Millions.

Mutton is the best meat we can eat,—best, as being the most delicious, if well cooked. We do not mean the wooly, greasy mutton of the Merinos and Saxonies, nor the coarse, stringy, tallowy, though very economical mutton of the Leicesters, Cotswolds, and other long wool sheep. When we say mutton is the most delicious of domestic meats, we have the flesh of the middle wools in mind—that is, of South-downs, *par excellence*, and Cheviots, Hampshire-downs, Shropshire-downs, and others of their kindred in a less degree. Mutton is made more economically, and is used up more advantageously, than pork or beef. A farmer can seldom have fresh beef unless he has so large a number of hands that they can consume a quarter before it will spoil. More grain is required to make a pound of pork than a pound of mutton.—It is more healthful food than pork; fat mutton will keep longer, and a family of ordinary size can dispose of a small sheep before the mutton will spoil, even in quite warm weather. Besides, if a farmer is on friendly terms with his neighbors, he can easily sell, or lend one or two quarters.—By a system of exchanging fresh meats, several families may be supplied with that of most excellent quality at all seasons of the year, at a very cheap rate. Mutton is more nutritious and will consequently give a laborer more strength than pork; people of studious habits, and children in particular, will feel better, accomplish more, and be more healthy when they eat mutton than if they eat much pork or even beef.

Convenience is an important consideration at all times, on the farm or elsewhere. When fresh mutton is wanted, one man can dress a sheep or lamb in a few minutes; while much longer time is required to butcher a beef or a hog. Nothing is lost in making mutton, and it costs comparatively nothing. The wool will usually cover all the cost of keep during a year, and often that of fattening too. Taking this view, which is a fair one, no one can fail to perceive that mutton is the cheapest meat that can be raised. Small families can salt and dry one or both hind quarters, or cook a quarter and eat it cold. A quarter of lamb after it has been cooked, may be kept ten or twelve days, and still be good. Farmers should learn to prepare their own meat, and not sell their animals to butchers, who sell them the meats for their own tables at exorbitant prices.—Furthermore, a great many people who have only a garden or small farm, can often fatten a few sheep during the winter, and thus have better meat, at a much cheaper rate than if they purchase it.

Oiling Farm Tools.—Every farmer should have a can of linseed oil and a brush on hand, and whenever he buys a new tool he should soak it well with the oil, and dry it by the fire or in the sun before using. The wood by this treatment is toughened and strengthened, and rendered impervious to water. Wet a new hay-rake and dry ti, and it will begin to loose in the joints; but if well oiled, the wet will have but slight effect. Shovels and forks are preserved rom checking and cracking in the top of he handle by oiling, and the wood becomes as smooth as glass by use, and is far less liable to blister the hand when long used. Axe and hammer often break off where the wood enters the iron; this part particularly should be toughened with oil, to secure durability. Oiling the wood in the eye of the axe will prevent its swelling and shrinking, and sometimes getting loose.

To Prevent Hens Eating Eggs.—Hens may be cured of eating eggs by blowing out the contents of an egg, and filling it with mustard made into paste. Make a hole in each end and then blow the contents out, and when filled paste paper over the hole. One taste of the mustard effects a cure.

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SOLOMON & SON,

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Consisting of all the latest styles, such as

BUSINESS SUITS, PANTS and VESTS,
SHIRTS, COLLARS
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GLOVES and MITTENS, HANDKERCHIEFS,
WRAPPERS, DRAWERS,
and HATS & CAPS.

Which we are offering at Great Reduced Prices. We would solicit an early call and examination of our assortment. Call and get the worth of your money at

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THE PRICE OF CLOTHING

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The best stock of good, well made Clothing ever brought to this market is now open for inspection at the

STORE OF R. W. EDDY,

Bought since the fall of Gold and the Rebellion, which will enable him to give his customers the benefit of very low figures, and the decline in prices. My goods as usual are stylish, and *a la mode*. No second rate shoddy goods, every article guaranteed as represented or no sale. My goods are all

THE LATEST FASHIONS,

And equal to the best city custom made, and fit to a T. As usual the best quality all wool

Business Suits,
Black Frock Coats,
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Linen Coats, Dusters, and Pants,
The Latest Style Fine Silk Hats, Soft,
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In fact everything usually found in a First Class Gentleman's Furnishing Store. My motto is good Goods at a fair price are cheaper than poor goods at any price. All goods sold at one price, no bantering nor teasing to make an offer, but every one gets the same goods at the same price, which is the bottom of the market. All old goods marked down to the gold base, and will be sold regardless of sacrifice. If you want good goods at a fair price, go to EDDY'S, where you will find him ready to show his goods and sell them too at the lowest figure to correspond with Gold. Bear in mind the place to buy good, well made, reliable Clothing is at R. W. EDDY'S, next door to Powell & Co.

R. W. EDDY.
Towanda, Jan. 7, 1865.

CHEAPNESS, STYLE AND BEAUTY.

NOW IS YOER TIME TO

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PROCLAIM IT TO THE PEOPLE.

Just received—a large stock of Fall and Winter Clothing at J. CORN'S Elmira Branch Clothing Store. He Says coolly, boldly and deliberately, that he takes the foremost of the Clothing Merchants of Towanda.

Eigtheen hundred and sixty-one has come, and the light and beauty of Spring shines upon us, with all its radiant splendor. I shall continue to sell Clothing, for Cash, cheaper than any other man, as my goods are all bought cheap for cash, and they will be sold cheap for cash.

My goods are all manufactured in Elmira, therefore I can warrant them well made. Enough for me to say have everything in the line of

CLOTHING, GENTS FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, CAPS, &c., &c.

That is kept in any other Store in town.

This is a free country; therefore it is free for all to do their trading where they can do the best, regardless of the cross and sour looks of old fogy merchants. I invite you to come and see me—country as well as the city are invited—every person, rich or poor, high or low, bond or free are invited to call.

At JOHN SHLAM'S Clothing Store, next door to R. S Mercur's Dry Goods Store, Main Street, Towanda, Pa.

N. B.—We wish to be understood, that we are not to be undersold by any man, or combination of men.

☞ No charge for showing our Goods.

Towanda, March 12, 1862. J. CORN.

NEW FIRM. GREAT INDUCEMENTS.

FELLOWS, CRANDALL & CO.,

Successors to Reynolds, Fellows & Co., are now offering and prepared to furnish on short notice, Wagons, Carriages and Sleighs, of all descriptions and of the latest and most approved style and of the best material, at the old stand opposite the Union House, in the central part of Alba Borough, Bradford County, Pa.

The public are assured that the reputation the shop has acquired during the last six years under the superintendence of J. H. Fellows, will be more than maintained, as he will superintend the work as heretofore, he having long been and having had much experience as a Carriage and Sleigh Builder, would assure the public that no pains will be spared by the above firm to make the establishment worthy of their patronage. Thankful as one of the old firm for the patronage thus far extended, we hope to merit a continuance of the same.

N. B.—We, the undersigned, being practical mechanics can manufacture and offer to the public at prices that will defy competition.

JAMES H. FELLOWS,
D. W. C. CRANDALL,
J. G. MERITT.
Alba Borough, March 30, 1865.

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The undersigned having built a large and commodious Mill in the Borough of Towanda, and filled it with the most modern and improved machinery, for the manufacture of

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are prepared to fill orders, whether large or small, upon the shortest notice. We have also a large variety of MOULDINGS, of the latest style and pattern, which we can furnish much cheaper than they can be worked by hand.

PLANING,
TONGUEING,
GROVEING,
AND SCROLL SAWING,

and all other work pertaining to Joinery, will be done to suit our customers.

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We will pay CASH for PINE & HEMLOCK LUMBER delivered at our lumber yard. Come and see us, or if you can't come, write.

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Nov. 20, 1865. Towanda, Pa.

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DR. E. H. MASON, *PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON*, offers his professional services to the people of Towanda and vicinity. Office at his residence on Pine street, where he can always be found when not professionally engaged.

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GEORGE D. MONTANYE, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*—Office in Union Block, formerly occupied by Jas. Macfarlane.

W. T. DAVIES, Attorney at Law, Towanda, Pa. Office with Wm. Watkins, Esq. Particular attention paid to Orphans' Court business and settlement of decedent's estates. 25-42.

MERCUR & MORROW, *Attorneys at Law*, Towanda, Penn'a.

The undersigned having associated themselves together in the practice of Law, offer their professional services to the public.

ULYSSES MERCUR, P. D. MORROW.
March 9, 1865.

EDWARD T. ELLIOTT, *Attorney at Law*, Towanda, Pa. ☞ Office one door south of Patch's, up stairs, over the room formerly occupied for the Telegraph Office. March 2, 1865.

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Canton, July 18, 1865.

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The undersigned have formed a co-partnership in law business under the name of Adams & Peet. Particular attention paid to business in the Orphans' Court.

J. C. ADAMS.
Towanda, January 33, 1865. H. PEET.

PATRICK & PECK, Attorneys at Law, Offices:—In Union Block, Towanda, Pa., formerly occupied by Hon. Wm. Elwell, and in Patrick's block, Athens, Pa. They may be consulted at either place.

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H. B. M'KEAN. S. R. PAYNE.
Aug. 28, 1865.

W. H. CARNOCHAN, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*, Troy, Pa. Special attention given to collecting claims against the Government for Bounty, Back Pay and Pensions. Office with E. B. Parsons, Esq. June 12, 1865.

EDWARD OVERTON Jr., *Attorney at Law*, Towanda, Pa. Office in Montanyes Block, over Frost's Store. July 13th, 1865

S. RICHARD PAYNE, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*, Towanda, Pa. Where he will transact all business entrusted to him with promptness and care. Office with C. L. Ward, Esq., 3d street, Towanda. Sept. 12, 1864.

JOHN N. CALIFF, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*, Towanda, Pa. Also, Government Agent for the collection of Pensions, Back Pay and Bounty.

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Temporary and call Loans	6,000
103 shares Wyoming Bank Stock	6,180
50 shares First Nat. Bank at Wilkes-Barre	5,000
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Sept. 4, '65.

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Would respectfully announce to the people of Bradford and the adjoining counties, that he has purchased the Store, on the south side of the Public Square, formerly occupied by CHESSLER WELLS; and has moved his Store on Main Stre t, formerly occupied by J. W. Hale as a Grocery Store, and having connected the same, is now the largest and best Furniture Ware Room to be found this side of the city of New York. And be it furthermore announced that he has in the same the largest and best stock of Furniture ever offered in this market, or to be found in Northern Pennsylvania, to which constant additions will be made from Boston, New York, Rochester and various other places to numerous to mention all of which will be sold at lower prices than any other dealer this side of New York, will sell the same quality of goods.

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Towanda, Pa., June 29,