Agricultural.

Barn Yards.

In the construction of a barn yard many farmers seem to think that little, or no planning and skill is necessary. They generally build their barns without any regard to the yard, whether it is to be on the east west, north or south side. The yard, however is quite as important as the barn, and should be so situated that the manure in it will not escape, and run off, as is frequently the case, down some hill.

There are farmers who think that a stream of water, running directly through their barn yards, for watering stock, is a good thing, whereas it is the worst place for one that can be imagined, taking the saving of the liquid manure into consideration as a large portion of it must, of course, find its way into the stream, and pass off where it does no good to any one.

A great desideratum, in constructing a barn yard, is the preservation of the manure; and for that purpose, it should be excavated in a bowl-like shape, on a gentle declination from the circumference to the centre, and the bottom made tight with clay made into mortar, while applying it, so that the liquids of the yard will not leach down into the subsoil and be lost.

Such a yard is an excellent receptacle for manure, where it may lie over a season, it ferment and decay, and be in good condition to apply to land.

Into such a yard a compost may be made to great advantage, by carting in muck, leaves, and anything upon a farm that may be gathered up to decay, placing such things in layers, and covering each with a layer of stable manure all to be mixed by the tramp of cattle in the yard.

No farmer can put too much manure into such a yard, provided he keep it well covered with coarse litter, to prevent evaporation of the gases(ammonia) which are constantly seeking opportunity to pass off into the atmosphere. These gases are to the manure what blood is to the system—the life of them; and to allow them to escape, is throwing away the foundation of all success in agriculture.

It is often said that manures keep best under cover; but that is not the case, except in comparison with the ruinous practice adopted by some farmers, who throw their manure out of their stables into heaps, where the rains wash a large portion of their virtues away, where no good is done by them. Manure in a yard as above stated, when well covered with straw or other coarse litter, is actually *under cover*, and in a better condition than it would be under a shed, where it would be liable to injury from a lack of moisture.

Another important consideration, in constructing a barn yard, is the protection of stock from the cold north and west winds; and the south side, consequently, is the best side of the barn to have it

Stock that are well housed in winter, and have warm sheds to run under, when not in the stables, will keep in good condition on much less fodder, than when they stand exposed to the raw, chilling blasts, from the north and west in the winter season; and the owner actually saves about *one-third* of the fodder they would require, if turned into a yard facing the north or west.

Farmers, you should do more *head work* than you are accustomed to do, if you would be prosperous in your business. It is not alwys the hardest *working* farmers who make the most money; but generally those who use their *brains* often, when their hands are idle.

Farm Manure—Its Preparation, Application, &c.

The wealth of the manure pile does not consist entirely in its bulk or weight.—Much is owing to its management and preparation, to fit it for application to the soil, that it may supply to the growing plant, in its most direct way, the food necessary to give a vigorous life and growth. Manures, exposed to the effects of rain, sun, etc., lose a large proportion of their soluble matter, and thus becomes valueless, or nearly so, for plant food. It has been found by experience, that manures which are kept sheltered, give a much greater product per acre than equal quantities of unsheltered. This difference in some crops amounts to one half—a difference which it will certainly pay well for looking after, especially as it costs just as much for rent of land, seed, handling manure, and tillage. The difference in products of a few acres would, in a few years, pay for a good barn-cellar, or suitable sheds to house the manure. Where neither cellar or sheds can be had at once, the best substitute is a covering of boards, earth or muck, for the manure as collected.

The manure from stables, cow-yards, etc., must undergo fermentation, and even decompose quite thoroughly before becoming available as plant food. Farm manures, consisting as they do of solid and liquid excrements, with litter, etc., if thrown into a heap, soon heat, and this heat, if properly regulated, produces decomposition or decay. Certain conditions are necessary to properly conduct this fermentation: such as air, moisture, and some warmth. Manures mixed with litter, or alone, if subjected to much pressure, will not pass through this process, neither if soaked or submerged in water, is it readily decomposed; sufficient heat for practical purposes is held dormant. The main desideratum is to regulate the supply of moisture, and air or pressure, that a uniform fermentation or decay may proceed. To obtain this result, with the greatest certainty and uniformity, the various manures—horse, cow and hog—should be mixed in one pile. The hog and cow manure being more slow or cold to commence fermentation, and the horse of a quicker or more heating nature, the mixture is equalized, and the whole is benefitted to a greater extent than either alone in the same time. In mixing or piling the manure of the yard, stable, etc, we find, in the majority of cases, that there is far too little attention paid to breaking it up fine. We are usually in a hurry to finish up the job, not thinking of what is of paramount importance, comminution. Where manures are well fined, or picked in pieces, leaving no lumps, they usually become fit for applying to the soil much sooner than when otherwise done. Hastening the proper decomposition is the main object of piling the mass usually. After the fermentation has continued for a time the mass gets quite warm; it should be examined to see that it does not get firefanged; if likely to do so, a soaking of liquids which may have been saved in the tanks, or water applied, will moderate the fermentation for a time, and by washing out some of the more soluble parts of the richer portion equalize the whole mass; overhauling and still farther fining will also check it, and at the same time farther fit it for the soil, there to supply plant food directly to the growing plant.

As manures supply food directly to the growing plant through the medium of the soil, it is desirable to understand the best mode of applying them, that the greatest benefit may be derived therefrom; whether they should be spread on the surface with no covering of soil; covered slightly and well mixed with the surface soil, or plowed under to the depth of several inches. I have found, by experience and observation, that uniformly best effects result from applying the manure broadcast to all cultivated crops; plow thoroughly and well; (here is where there is more failure than there should be, for we have comparatively few good plowmen;) spread on your manure, cultivate and harrow it in, mingling it thoroughly with the soil to the depth the cultivator runs.

I would have it understood that previous to application, the manure is thoroughly fined so that there are no lumps or anything to hinder an easy mixing in the soil, with the aforesaid implements. In this way the soil at once takes up or absorbs all the elements that enter into plant life, and readily imparts them to the plants through its roots fixed in the soil; these elements, consisting of carbon, nitrogen, hydrogen and oxygen, combined with the phosphates, sulphates, chlorates, etc., are all furnished from common farm manure.

W. H. WHITE, *So. Windsor, Ct.*

Writing for the Press.

There are thousands of excellent farmers in our country, who are capable of penning communications that would be read with great interest and profit. It is not to be expected that the man who has always been accustomed to wield the plow and spade, and other implements of husbandry, will be able to pen an article equal to the man who has never done but little else in his whole life but write

We desire to have our young farmers try their hand a little. If they fail, it can be no worse for them. Writing one communication will greatly facilitate the task of penning another. Farmers have a great deal of leisure during our long winter evenings; and it would be an excellent way to spend a portion of their time to write communications on subjects connected with their business. Let us suggest a few thoughts to aid young writers.

Write briefly. You can pen a communication of good length on one page of foolscap paper. Record facts which have been interesting and profitable to yourselves, and you may rest assured that your writings will be perused with interest by others. Young writers sometimes think that if a communication does not cover three or four pages of foolscap paper, it will not be acceptable to an editor. Nothing is more erroneous. Editors usually prefer short article to long ones. Four short communications would be much more likely to prove acceptable to editors, and to be published, than one long one.

If there is any subject on which you have made discoveries, or on which you have thoughts that would be likely to be profitable to other farmers, sit down and write upon it' but confine yourself to that subject alone—e. g. the management of cow or sheep, or other animals.

Many farmers have certain modes of performing different kinds of labor, which if described in proper language, would be of great value to beginners. Let our young men improve their talent in communicating their knowledge to others.

While engaged in manual labor the mind may be employed in the investigation of some subject to write on, after the labors of the day have closed.

Cutting Grafts.

Those who expect to use quantities of grafts in spring may find it most convenient to cut them now, and not be compelled to perform it hurriedly, with perhaps the omission of what they most want, just before using. Very severe winters sometimes injure the shoots, or when apparently uninjured, their vigor of growth is lessened, and they do not start so readily. This may prove the turning point between the growing and dying of a graft. Plums and pears are more apt to be thus affected. By cutting them early in winter, all danger of this kind is avoided.

When the grafts are cut early in winter, they should be tied in moderate sized bundles, by means of a band of brass around each end and in the middle. The name should be written on a small strip of wood not over half an inch wide, which should be tied up with grafts. As a precaution they should be written on both sides. A common lead pencil may be used for this purpose, and if the wood is first moistened on the surface, or still better, rubbed very thinly with white paint, the name will be more durable. The natural moisture of the grafts should be exactly preserved the winter through; to effect which purpose they are most conveniently packed in boxes in the cellar. The best substance to pack them in is damp moss finely broken up or pulverized. If it cannot be obtained from swamps, the green moss from woods answers equally well. The grafts should be completely and compactly imbedded in this moss. If this cannot be obtained, slightly moist sawdust will answer, provided the boxes are small or holding not over a bushel, to prevent injury by heating. They should be occasionally examined to see if the proper degree of moisture is maintained. Moist sand will also answer the same purpose. Grafts may be also kept buried in the following manner: Place them in a box open at the top, filling it till within a few inches of the top. Secure them here by cross pieces, then dig a hole on a very dry spot of ground, invert the box and bury them. The natural moisture of the earth will keep them just right.

ESTIMATED LOSS OF CATTLE IN ENGLAND.—The losses to the farmers of England and Scotland already foot up to five millions of dollars. If the devastations of this great curse continue at the same rate of increase for one year, it is estimated that the loss of the agricultural interest will amount to twenty millions of pounds or one hundred millions of dollars. It is a serious business fast bringing ruin on many a prosperous farmer. If it comes here, shall we tamper with it, or stamp it out on the spot?

The number of cattle carried off by the plague within the last twenty years amounted to no less that a hundred thousand in one province of Tobolsk, Russia, the original seat of this terrible scourge.

WHAT DO YOU DO WITH SOAP SUDS?—Of them the *Scottish Farmer* says, although generally deemed only fit for being run off into the common sewer in the easiest and most expeditious manner possible, they are nevertheless highly beneficial vegetable feeders, as well as useful insect preventives Hence they should never be wasted, more especially by parties having garden's as their application to the ground, whether in winter or summer, will show beneficially not only on ordinary vegetable crops, but also onberry bushes, shrubs, border flowers and even window pot plants; while if poured or syringed over roses, cabbages, etc., they will prevent, or at least, mitigate the mischievous doings of the green fly and caterpillars.

CATCHING SHEEP.—Never seize a sheep by the wool on the back; it is very hurtful to the animal, particularly in warm weather, when he is large and fat. The best way to catch a sheep is by the hind leg, or by the neck.

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Nov. 27, 1865.—tf

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March 20, 1865.

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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.

W. A. PECK, *Attorney at Law* Towanda Pa.—Office over Means' Store, formerly occupied by N. N. Betts. Dec. 1, 1864.

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March 9, 1865.

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J. C. ADAMS.
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H. W. PATRICK, apl13 W. A. PECK.

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H. B. M'KEAN. S. R. PAYNE.

Aug. 28, 1865.

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June 12, 1865.

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Dec. 20, 1865.

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