Agricultural.

Rotation of Crops.

During the long winter evenings now upon us, time cannot be better spent than in a careful study of future plans and arrangements. Prominent among these must stand the rotation of our crops, and as it is impossible to arrive at a judicious decision without having all the conditions of the case clearly before us,it may perhaps be space well occupied to present a condensed *resume* of the principles which must of necessity govern us in the choice of our crops and the order of their succession.

The great object of a rotation of crops is stated by high authority to be the securing of the largest net return,while the capabilities of the land are at the same time maintained and increased. This is attained by a judicious selection of the kind of crops and careful arrangement of their succession. Caird says this selection and arrangement will be governed by climate, nature of soil, and a local position. By the latter he refers to market; but in this country another equally important element enters into the nature of local position, and that is the cost of labor,which varies much more in the different sections of this country than it does in the different parts of England.

For the purpose of rotation, crops may be variously classified. Thus we have those crops which are grown chiefly for sale, as wheat and the cereals in general. Then we have those crops which are grown chiefly for the purpose of improving the land, such as turnips and the various crops raised for the purpose of feeding stock. Another class, consisting of corn, potatoes, &c., may be grown partly for sale and partly for stock raising.—And although circumstances may greatly affect the particular plan adopted, yet it is absolutely necessary that we keep a certain portion of our land under such cultivation as will enable us to improve with its produce the remainder of our farm. The proportion of land which must be devoted to this object will obviously vary with different circumstances.

It is evident that the more we can sell off our land without injuring it, the better we are off, and the more valuable is our farm. It therefore follows that if by deeper and more thorough tillage, greater economy of manures, &c., we can reduce the *relative* amount of land required for the production of manure, we increase the amount of our sales and our profits. Moreover, it is found here,as in many similar cases, that to him that hath shall be given. No crops are ever removed entirely, and the heavier the crops, the more will remain behind to make manure. Hence, if more careful tillage should enable us to obtain larger yields of manure making crops, that increase of manure would enable us to obtain larger returns of a more directly paying character, and these latter would in turn add to our manure making resources. The reflex influence of all this is not always appreciated to a sufficient extent, but it explains very fully why it is that a rich farmer gets richer, and a poor one poorer, with very rapid strides.

Where all the manure could be purchased, it might be possible to dispense entirely with rotation,and cause the land year ofter year to produce the most paying crop, without reference to *its* effect on the soil, as manure and tillage would abundantly repair any injury which it might cause.

But the production of manure is not the only thing that we must attend to in order to raise good crops for sale. Weeds must be kept down,and the soil must be kept in good condition physically,and this must be done at the least cost. The latter point requires attention,because it has been abundantly proved that successive crops of the most paying of all farm produce, wheat—can be raised on the same land by means of culture alone, without manure. But we believe that it has never been maintained that the crops thus produced equalled in quantity (per acre) those from land previously well cultivated and well manured. No doubt a farm of 100 acres conducted on this plan, (Smith's or Tull's would produce more *wheat* than one managed under good rotation; but then this is not the only question, for as Alderman Mechi well says—"It is not the amount of wheat per acre that determines the profit, but the cost per bushel." If therefore,under a good system of rotation, we can produce a given amount of wheat at less cost than by any other mode, while at the same time the *aggregate* of our profits from a given extent of land is greater—the system of management which enables us to effect this, is the best one for us. And that a good system of rotation will enable us to produce our crops at the lowest proportionate expense, all experience has demonstrated.

ARATOR.

Farmer's Wives.

The reading of essays by the ladies is one of the exercises which give life and interest to the meetings of the Springfield (Vt.) Farmers' Club.—From one of the essays by Mrs. Daniel Rice, published in the *Vermont Farmer*, we copy the following paragraphs:

"Did you ever think of the amount of thought requisite to plan three meals a day for three hundred and sixty-five days in succession? To prepare enough and not too much,and for those living at a distance from the village, to remember that the stock of flour, sugar, tea, etc., etc., is replenished in due time? Do you ever think of the multitude of her cares and duties? She must rise early to prepare breakfast or oversee it. Perhaps there are children to wash, dress, and feed, or to get ready for school with their dinners. There is baking, sweeping, dusting, making beds, lunch for the men,may be—dinner and supper to be made ready at the proper time—the washing,starching, folding and ironing of clothes—the care of milk, including the making of butter and cheese—and the inevitable washing of dishes. In autumn there is the additional work of picking, preserving, canning of fruit, drying apples, boiling cider, making apple sauce, with the still more unpleasant task which falls to her lot at butchering time. Then there is haying, harvesting, sheep-shearing, etc., when more help is needed,bringing an increase of her labors. Twice a year comes house-cleaning. By the way, of all the foes a housekeeper has to contend with, dirt is the greatest. She may gain a complete victory and think to repose upon her laurels after her semi-annual engagements—but it is only temporary. The enemy soon returns, and even daily skirmishing does not keep it at bay.

"There is the mending too. Sewing machines are great blessings, but they can't set in a patch or darn the stockings. I do not mention these things by way of complaining of woman's lot in general, or asking for her any rights which she does not posses. I don't know as there is any remedy in the present state of the world. It seems to be one of the evils of life which must be borne as we bear other ills—but what I do ask is a due appreciation of the important part that woman acts, and a concession that her labors, mental and physical, are as great, all things considered,as those of the other sex. Women are not so childish that a little sympathy now and then or acknowledgment of their efforts and sacrifices make them imagine their case worse than it is. I tell you, men and husbands, 'It doeth good like a medicine,'and many a poor, crushed, broken-down wife and mother is dying for want of it."

Farmers Economizing Time.

Of all the industrial pursuits in which our population are occupied, none suffers so materially from mismanagement and waste of time as farming. Almost all other callings have an unvaried routine, and the machinery moves so many hours each day, summer or winter,warm or cold. Not so with one who cultivates the soil. No "ten hour" system can succeed on the farm, in the long summer days, when every hour counts, and when the farmer feels that "time is money." When the foul weed and tenacious grasses are doing their utmost under a hot sun,to dispute with the cultivated crops, the possession of the rich soil,when the ripened harvest and the new-made hay are waiting to be housed, the farmer, the *successful* farmer, finds the day none too long "from sun to sun."

He who tills his own acres is, notwithstanding, the most independent, the most free of any among us. And this very freedom, may easily, nay often does, work his failure. If you go among the farmers in the winter season, you will find they have plenty of leisure. True, they have their threshing to attend to, their wood to cut, and perhaps hay to haul home from distant stacks. But, attend to these at their convenience,much time is frittered away in such a manner as would surely work ruin in any other pursuit. That the farmer should have relaxation from his severe labors is right and proper. And while others have their recreations mostly in midsummer, he must take his in winter. But recreation and reasonable enjoyment are no waste of time. What we refer to is spending the days, whole days and half days, frequently without any forethought or plan, and producing no tangible result. If any farmer will make a record at the close of each day during the winter, of the probable nett results of the day, he will be surprised to find how much he is losing from mere want of forethought and plan. We would have our farmers remember that time is money, not only in summer but in winter too.

There is much winter work, on almost every farm, which should be performed just as systematically as the harvests are gathered in summer. Swamp lands to be cleared up; no time but winter is fit for this. Fuel to be procured and stored until another winter. Fencing material to be prepared and distributed, ready for the opening spring. Supplies of any, and all kinds, wherewith to replenish the manure-heap, the stable and the pig-sty. There are few farmers where the materials for the manure and compost-heap may not be had in abundance for the mere hauling; and every load will make a return in gold.

These things should be attended to *now*, in winter. And they should be attended to *systematically*. Of all occupations,that of the farmer requires the most rigid adherence to rule; and this rule should be made to apply to all his time, because no other man is so free to use his time as he pleases. Let the work be planned out in advance; planned for fair weather or foul; planned so that every day will tell; planned with a view to what will be wanted when the long summer days come again; planned so that time may be economized, not wasted.—*N. Y. Observer.*

SHEEP AND DOGS.—The report of the Illinois woolgrowers' convention asserts that great losses are caused to sheep-farmers by vagrant dogs:

"There are now probably over 2,000,000 sheep in the state,worth probably $8,000,000,and yielding a return of about $3,000,000; but this branch of industry suffers greatly from the ravages of dogs and wolves, and its further increase—if,indeed,it does not decline—is very much restrained by the actual loss and fear of loss from these animals. The Commissioner of Agriculture estimates that for the year 1865 the damages resulting from dogs in the then loyal states, with their 30,000,000 sheep, was not less than $3,000,000. Estimating the damages on our 2,000,000 sheep in Illinois at the same rate, gives $200,000 as our annual direct loss of sheep killed by dogs. To make the account full against the dogs, we must also estimate the cost of their keeping.—Ohio estimates the number of her dogs at 500,000. Illinois has, probably, at least as many, which gives one to about five of our population. It is cheap to estimate the board of these dogs at twenty-five cents each per week, which makes $13 yer year. But call it $10 each per year,and this item is then $5,000,000 for the keeping of dogs in the state of Illinois.—Your committee believe that the time has fully come when a remedy should be applied to this great evil. We believe that much of the evils resulting from dogs can be remedied without very seriously trenching upon the acknowledged benefits and innocent enjoyment of these animals. We recommend this convention to take some decided and efficient action to procure the passage of a law by the state of Illinois imposing a tax of $2 per head on male dogs,and $3 on female dogs.

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For Men and Boys wear,

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To appreciate the great variety, you must call

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Of all kinds, Syrups, Molasses, Sugar, at the

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TO THE PUBLIC.

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Towanda, Oct. 15, 1866.

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JAMES MAKINSON announces to the public that he still continues to manufacture and keep on hand a large assortment of

CABINET FURNITURE,

Bureaus, Tables, Bedsteads, Stands, Chairs, &c., of every description which will be made of the best materials, and in the most workman like manner.

I invite the inection of the public to my work, which shall not be surpssed in durability, at any shop in the country, and my prices will be found to be as low as the times will admit.

Ready-made Coffins constantly on hand or made to order. A good Hearse will be furnished when desired.

Aug. 15, 1865.

NEW FURNITURE STORE!

Having rented the Furniture Ware-rooms formerly occupied by F. N. Page, Athens, Pa., would now say to the patrons of the old Establishment that I have a complete Stock of Goods, just received, embracing everything in the

FURNITURE LINE.

My goods are new and well selected, and for

GOOD GOODS

Will *not be undersold* by any. Call and examine my stock before purchasing. I retain the Workmen of the old establishment, and

MR. N. I. HART

Will have charge of the business and Manufacturing. In short we have the finest Stock of Goods in our line west of New York, consisting of

Parlor Furniture,

Chamber-Setts, Sofas, Bureaus, Marble-top Centre Tables, Extension and Dining Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Mirrors, Picture Frames, Photograph Ovals, Cord and Tassels, Steel Engravings, Oil Curtins, Toilet Stands, Work-Boxes, Pictures, &c.

COFFINS AND BURIAL CASES.

Our *Undertaker's Department* will at all times be well supplied with everything in that line. We have the

FINEST HEARSE

In this section, not evcepting anything west of New York, and will attend Funerals within a circuit of *Twenty Miles*, on reasonable terms.

G. H. VOORHIS.

N. I. HART, Agent.

Athens, Jan. 25, 1866.—1y

NEW PLANING MILL

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

WINDOW SASH, & BLINDS,

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.

Persons building, and not living more than twelve to fourteen miles distant, will find it largely for their interest to buy of us, or bring their lumber and worked by our machinery. Bring your grist of Flooring, or other lumber, and while your team is is feeding, have it ground out and take it home with you.

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

L. B. RODGERS & CO.

Towanda, Feb, 1864.

SHAVING AND TOILET SOAPS, for sale cheap at the NEWS ROOM

Miscellaneous.

NORTH BRANCH FOUNDRY

AND

MACHINE SHOP,

Situated on Pine, east of Main Street,

TOWANDA, BRADFORD CO., PA.,

Is now prepared to furnish

CIRCULAR SAW MILLS,

AND

SHINGLE MACHINES,

Of the best quality with the latest improvements. All kinds of Machinery for Flouring and Saw Mills.

STEAM ENGINES,

MADE & REPAIRED,

STEAM WHISTLES,

STEAM GAGUES,

GAUGE COCKS,

OIL CANS, &C.,

Furnished at short notice.

BOLT CUTTING,

Done from ½ to 1½ inches in diameter.

FORGING

Of heavy wrought work for Bridges, and all other purposes, done to order. Also, a large assortment of

COOKING & HEATING STOVES,

Coal and Wood Burners. Furniture for Cooking Stoves, Stove Pipe, Tin-Ware, Boat Pumps, Plows, Cultivators and Scrapers, kept constantly on hand.

DRAWINGS & SPECIFICATIONS

Of all kinds of machinery for mills and other purposes prepared by

WARREN K. HILL,

Foreman, who has had large experience in this branch of the business.

JOHN CARMAN.

Towanda, Oct. 29, 1866.—1y.

BLOOD & CO.,

Still Manufacture the best

HORSE POWERS,

The Best

THRESHERS AND CLEANERS,

Also,

THRESHERS AND SEPARATORS,

FANNING MILLS, &c., &c., &c.

All of which we furnish at the Lowest Prices.

CALL AND SEE, AT THE NEW SHOP.

Athens, Pa., Aug. 16, 1866.—tf.

LUTHER'S MILLS,

BURLINGTON, PA.

The proprietor, having rebuilt his Flouring Mill in Burington, and taken pains in selecting articles, and the most improved machinery, it is now completed in order for all kinds of Flouring.

CUSTOM WORK DONE AT SHORT NOTICE.

with cheerful attendants, who will see to your wants in good order and with general satisfaction.

☞ Cash paid for Grain.

April 17, 1866. ROSWELL LUTHER.

GUN SHOP!

GUNS, RIFLES AND PISTOLS.

J. V. GEIGER, would respectfully inform the public that he has opened his

GUN SHOP

On the north side of the Public Square, near the Court House, where may be found Double and Single Barreled Guns, Rifles, Revolvers, Pistols, Cartridges, &c.

Keys fitted to Doors, Trunks and Padlocks.

☞ Particular attention given to repairing, and all work warranted.

J. V. GEIGER.

Towanda, Aug. 26, 1866.—6m.

PIANOS, AMERICAN ORGANS AND MELODIANS.

The undersigned most respectfully announces to the citizens of Towanda and vicinity, that he has purchased the Music business of G. T. COLE, and will hereafter supply any of the above articles, together with

VIOLINS, GUITARS, ACCORDIANS, STRINGS, &C.,

on as good terms as they can be had elsewhere.

W. A. CHAMBERLAIN.

He is also Agent for the

CELEBRATED AMERICAN WATCH

and has always on hand, a good assortment of Swiss Watches, with a general assortment of

JEWELRY AND FANCY GOODS,

Silver and Plated Ware of the BEST MANUFACTURERS, which will be sold at unusually low figures. A large variety of Clocks just received, among which may be found the Seth Thomas, which has no equal

REPAIRING AND JOBBING,

done with neatness and dispatch, and warranted. To those who can't see, we would say go to Chamberlain's and get a pair of glasses that will make you see as well as ever. Don't forget the shop, nearly opposite the Court House.

Dec. 1, 1866. W. A. CHAMBERLAIN.

Wagons, Carriages, &c.

CARRIAGES, WAGONS,SLEIGHS

THE OLD ESTABLISHMENT STILL IN OPERATION

FELLOWS, CRANDALL & CO.,

Successors to Reynolds, Fellows & Co., are now offering and are 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, April 15, 1866. 1y.

UNION CARRIAGE SHOP,

AT ALBA, PENN'A.

The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Western Bradford that he has commenced the Carriage and Wagon manufacturing business, in all its variousb ranches in Alba borough in the shop north of the Union Hotel. His foreman in the wood-shop will be N. M. REYNOLDS, who is well known to the people of this vicinity, having been in the business for the last 16 years. He will manufacture to order, and keep constantly on hand the latest styles of Buggys, both top and open, Platform, Democrat and Skeleton Wagons, Sleighs, Cutters, &c. His work will be done by the most experienced workmen, and great care will be taken in procurring the best timber, and the most substantial materials. He intends that the work turned out at his shop for style, durability and cheapness, shall not be excelled in the County. REPAIRING of all kinds done with despatch, in a subtantial manner on reasonable terms. Give us a call. JAMES McINTYRE.

Alba, Bradford County, Pa., Feb. 20, 1866.—1y

WAVERLY CARRIAGE FACTORY.— The undersigned desire to call the attention of the citizens of Bradford County to our

EXCELSIOR CARRIAGE MANUFACTORY.

Our establishment is so completely fitted up in the departments of Woodwork, Ironing, Painting and Trimming, and so supplied with first class workmen, as to ennable us to furnish all kinds of carriages in the best and most modern style, and always warranted to be of the best material and workmanship. New work of every kind kept constantly on hand, including the best article of Platform Spring Wagons to be fund in the country. Please call and examine for yourselves.

Careful attention paid to ordered work, Jobbing and Repairing in each department,especially Painting.

N. KINNEY & CO.

Waverly, N. Y., Nov. 12, 1866.—6

MITCHELL'S EXTRACTS.— The finest extracts for flavoring in use. For sale wholesale and retail at FOX'S.

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TOWANDA INSURANCE AGENCY!

Policies issued, Losses adjusted and promptly paid

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Aggregate Amount of Capital,.....$17,000,000

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