

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

We invite communications from all persons who are interested in matters properly belonging to this department.

The Farmers' Club.

At the meeting of the Farmers' Club on the 19th ult., the following subjects were considered:

Breaking up Hard Rocks.

A communication was read from Mr. E. M. Dyer, of Bennington, Vermont, who said that he had upon his farm huge flinty rocks, which were so hard in their substance that it was impossible to drill into them.

Mr. Robert J. Dodge said that nitro-glycerine placed upon the surface would break them up.

Dr. Trimble stated that he would not advise the use of nitro-glycerine. In his early days he had placed burning figots upon hard rocks, and after allowing them to get thoroughly heated, poured on cold water, which would invariably break up the hardest substances.

Vermin in Cattle.

A letter was read from Myron Babcock, of Tarrytown, Pa., inclosing the following receipt for lice in cattle or other animals:—Take a pint of whale oil, part the hair in the middle, and pour the oil along the back from head to tail.

Weevil in Barns.

Mr. William Garret, of Chester county, Pa., wrote that he had purchased a farm and that he had discovered the barn to be full of weevil, and wished to know what he should do to destroy them.

Dr. Trimble said that he knew of no other way of killing them than by stacking the grain out for a year, thereby starving the weevil.

Insectivorous Birds.

Mr. Ira Brewer, of Binghamton, N. Y., wrote about the disappearance of the woodpecker in his vicinity, and the consequent destruction by the worm of fruit which had followed.

Mr. Charles Carlisle, of Woodstock, Vt., stated in a communication that the small fruit-growers in his section considered the bluejay to be a great friend, and he paid to feed them.

Dr. Trimble remarked that he did not know what to say in regard to the bluejay. The opinions were conflicting. He wished, however, to say a word in favor of the woodpecker, and especially the downy species.

Mr. Curtiss observed that he fully indorsed Dr. Trimble's statements.

Fruit Grafting.

As the time will soon be here when grafting will be in order, we repeat our former advice that every farmer should do his own grafting. It is a very easy operation when once understood, and this is readily done by seeing it done.

We wish to remind those preparing grafting wax, that we have found four parts of rosin, one part of beeswax, and one part of beef tallow, to be the best proportions.

We have seen various preparations for making grafting wax and we believe we have tried them all, but prefer our

own. Applying it warm or hot does no injury to the graft. The object to attain in the proportion is that the wax will not crack in cool, dry weather, or run in warm weather.

New Method of Grafting.

The New Hampshire Mirror and Farmer says that Mr. Sullivan Hutchinson, of Bristol, Pennsylvania, has recently patented a process for making fruit trees from limbs.

Into the limb, which is intended for the future tree, small roots are grafted, or in some way inserted under the bark, just where the limb is to be severed.

HOTELS.

PERRY HOUSE, New Bloomfield, Pa.

THE subscriber having purchased the property on the corner of Main and Carlisle streets, opposite the Court House, invites all his friends and former customers to give him a call as he is determined to furnish first class accommodations.

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NOTICE. MR. SAMUEL H. BECK is this day admitted to an interest in my business. F. MORTIMER, New Bloomfield, January 15, 1870.

Northern Central Railway.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

Through and Direct Route to and from Washington, Baltimore, Elmira, Erie, Buffalo, Rochester and Niagara Falls.

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1869, the trains on the Northern Central Railway will run as follows:

NORTHWARD. MAIL TRAIN. Leaves Baltimore, 8:15 a. m. | Harrisburg, 1 p. m. Williamsport 6:15 p. m., and arr. at Elmira, 10 p. m.

SOUTHWARD. MAIL TRAIN. Leaves Elmira 6:15 a. m. | Williamsport 9:45 a. m. Harrisburg 2:45 p. m. | Ar. Baltimore at 7 p. m.

READING RAIL-ROAD. WINTER ARRANGEMENT. Monday, Nov. 22nd, 1869.

GREAT TRUNK LINE FROM THE NORTH and North-West for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Ashland, Shamokin, Lebanon, Allentown, Easton, Ephrata, Litz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c., &c.

Trains leave Harrisburg for New York as follows: At 3:30, 8:15, A. M., and 12:30 noon, and 2:55, 11:50, P. M., connecting with similar trains on the Penn'a Railroad, and arriving at New York at 10:15, A. M., and 12:45, noon, 3:55, 6:55, 10:00, P. M., and 6:00, A. M., respectively.

Way passenger train leaves Philadelphia at 7:30 A. M., connecting with similar train on East Penn'a Railroad, returning from Reading at 6:35 P. M., stopping at all Stations; leave Pottsville at 5:40, and 9 A. M., and 8:05 P. M.; Herndon at 9:30 A. M.; Shamokin at 5:40 and 10:40 A. M.; Ashland, 7:05 A. M., and 12:30 noon; Tamaqua at 8:35 A. M. and 2:20 P. M. for Philadelphia and New York.

Reading accommodation train: leaves Pottsville at 5:40 A. M., passing Reading at 7:30 A. M., arriving at Philadelphia at 10:20 A. M., returning leaves Philadelphia at 4:45 P. M., passing Reading at 7:40 P. M., arriving at Pottsville at 9:30 P. M.

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NOTICE TO SOLDIERS.

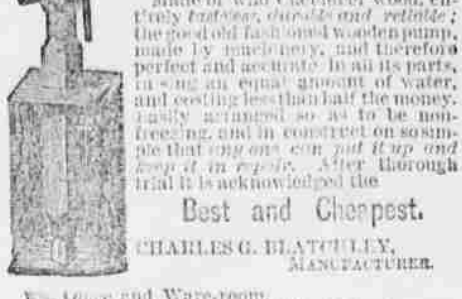
SOLDIERS DISCHARGED for sickness or other cause, who enlisted before July 22, 1861, for 3 years, will receive Bounty now due them, or their heirs, by making immediate application, either in person or by letter to

LEWIS POTTER, New Bloomfield, (Perry County, Pa. March 22, 1870.)

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At No. 119 Market Street, Succeeding to the well-known house of WRIGHT & SIDDALL

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I have not time now to say more, as I could with a hearty good will, and always have done, in praise of the Pain-Killer.

Very truly yours, EDGAR CADY, Owatonna, Minnesota, Missionary of the A. B. Home Mission Society, March 8—1870.

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F. MORTIMER, & Co., New Bloomfield, Pa.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS!

After the 15th day of August of this year, (1870) suits will be liable to be brought in the Court of Dauphin County for money due on lands in Perry County, unpatented.

For information relative to the Patenting of lands, call on or address

S. H. GALBRAITH, Attorney-at-Law & County Surveyor, Bloomfield, March 8, 1870.—4.