

Farm, Home &c.**PAPER HANGING.****Early Grass and its Effect on Cattle**

Very many farmers, and many otherwise good dairymen, seem to think that they may save money by turning their cows upon the pastures on the first appearance of grass, and that hereafter all the feed given at home is thrown away. There is nothing more ridiculous. If you have plenty of pasture and it will not perch under foot, give the stock a chance at it by all means, but do not fail to give the usual feed night and morning so long as they will eat. The young grass will tend to clear the system of humor, and act as an alternate to the other food given. It will also quickly improve the color and flavor of butter. Pasture is not plenty, it is far better to keep them in the yards until the grass grows to a fair bite. It is the worst possible policy to try and save hay and grain in the spring between fodder and grass. Such stock will show this false economy all through the season.

Another mistake is in supposing that cattle stabled all winter may be turned out in the spring and exposed to cold storms of wind and rain. Pull off your winter flannels the first of April, and see how it is yourself. Stock, especially dairy stock, and all animals giving milk, should be carefully protected from storms in the spring until the days and nights are warm. A cold storm will not only distress a milking animal severely, but the milk will shrink from a single exposure, often to such a degree that it will not be regained during the whole summer. It is far easier to bring the milk yield up to a maximum than, once lost, to recover it. Therefore, give plenty of good feed and good shelter all through the spring.

Attend to the Drains.

Everybody who has not already done so should not lossa day in looking after the drains that carry off the refuse water and slops from dwellings and out-houses. Where this refuse is permitted to slowly find its way through uncovered troughs extending only a few feet to form a pestiferous stockhole for the breeding of malarious diseases during warm weather, or to spread over the ground and trickle into wells and cisterns, immediate action is necessary.

The drains for slops of all kinds when not built under ground, which is the safest and in the long run most economical way, should at least be covered and so arranged as to have a good fall and safe outlet. A little time and money expended now will pay for itself many times over in the prevention of all attendant or poisonous gases generated from badly constructed drains and standing water.

A most valuable remedy for hives, and said to be a sure cure! Forty sumac buds, one pound of resin, one pint of ginger, half a pound of mustard, one pint of unslacked lime, one pound of epsom salts, four ounces of gum galacum, six ounces of cream tartar. Mix thoroughly and divide into thirty powders, and give one every morning in their feed before watering.

Sure Death to the Cabbage Worms.—"For every hundred heads of cabbage I take a quarter of a pound of black pepper and put it in a box large enough to sift out well. Go into the patch before the dew is off and pepper the cabbage well. Two or three times will be sufficient. The worms go through the leaves and die"—O. M. M., Greenastle, Ind.

Hens should not be allowed to disturb the sitters by laying in their nests. Broken eggs and a bad hatching will result. If the sitting hen cannot be isolated in any way cover her with an empty coop, basket or box, being careful to have her come off every day for feed, water, exercise and dust bath.

Agriculture feeds the world; it is by the hard labor of the farmer. Commerce guides the world; it is by the superior profits of its votaries. Politics rules the world; it is by chicanery and fraud. All industries, however, flourish by and through the efforts of the farmer.

Buckwheat moistened with sweet milk is recommended very highly as good feed for young chickens the first few days. When a week old they may be fed on cracked grain scalded. When old enough to swallow grain, give them plenty of it.

Farmers are warned not to lose a moment in planting peas, potatoes, beets, radishes, parsnips and cab bages for early family use after the ground gets dry enough to work.

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