

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Save Your Manure.

A correspondent of the Cincinnati Times and Chronicle writes: "I am an old man. Was born in a land where schools were few and far between, so I was not brought up at the feet of Gamaliel, neither have I read Greeley's books on Agriculture. What I have learned I have studied from the field of Nature. Young men, I write to you. Take it for what it is worth.

"First, all lands produce their own manure if farmed right. The best of land can be made bad by bad farming, and any soil can be improved every year. The soil is made of decayed matter, and this it is necessary to renew. Some men object to stable manure because it brings weeds. I don't care if they are up to your horse's back; turn them under with a heavy plow, and a good crop of grain may be looked for, as the land will be improved. You may turn under some decayed matter. Turn it deep—the deeper the better. The drouth will not hurt your crops, for the ground will hold moisture. My father made us wait a month for dry weather in the spring to burn off the ground for the plow, but the fact was the ground itself was burned. Never burn anything you can plow under. Bad use is made of a fire on a farm. Don't burn a grub, fiddler, straw, weeds, nor any vegetable matter. Haul it all to some place on your farm. Let it rot there, and in a few years it will be as good land as you have got. My farm has been farmed for forty or fifty years, and it is as good today as when first settled. If I was to live a thousand years my farm would improve, and I never need to buy one pound of manure."

Excellent Whitewash.

The following is said to be the very best of the numerous recipes for white washing: White chalk is the best substitute for lime as a wash. A very fine and brilliant whitewash preparation of chalk is called the "Paris white." This we buy at the paint store for three cents a pound, retail. For each sixteen pounds of Paris White we procure half a pound of the white transparent glue, costing twenty-five cents (fifty cents a pound). The sixteen pounds of Paris White is about as much as a person will use in a day. It is prepared as follows. The glue is covered with cold water at night, and in the morning is carefully heated, without scorching, until dissolved. The Paris White is stirred in with hot water to give it the proper milky consistency for applying to walls, and the dissolved glue is then added and thoroughly mixed. It is then applied with a brush like the common lime whitewash. Except on very dark and smoky walls, a single coat is sufficient. It is nearly equal in brilliancy to "zinc white" a far more expensive article.

Care of Lambs.

Sheep are the only farm stock that have retained or advanced their actual value in the market during the past year. It is therefore for the farmer's interest that he carefully watch his ewes and lambs at this season. Ewes need better care than wethers, and should be removed to pens where they can be looked after daily. As they near the time of lambing they should be again removed to a warm, dry pen and watched closely. If the lamb becomes weakly, it should have a mouthful or so of warm milk until it is active enough to suck. If it should become chilled, let it be removed at once, and warmed and fed until recovered. But there will be few weak lambs if the ewes are fed previously with good clover hay, a few roots, and a handful of oats daily. No hogs should be permitted near a pen of lambs; and the tamer and more gentle the sheep have been made, the less danger there will be of the ewes resenting any interference either with herself or her lamb, and disowning it in consequence.—American Agriculturist.

To Fasten a Horse.

When there is no hitching post handy, a horse may be safely tied in the following manner, namely: Take the reins and pass them round underneath the hub outside of the wheel, and give them a hitch on to one of the spokes. If the horse starts the reins are drawn up, instantly checking him, and as soon as he commences to back they are instantly loosened. If addition to this when a pair of horses, one of the traces are loosened, and the team will seldom move far enough forward to start the wagon without being checked by the bits. No team, however, should be left without tying, if it can possibly be avoided.—Western Rural.

COLT BREAKING.—Having occasion recently to move a colt one hundred miles, I found he would not follow or lead.—Said a boy, "Turn him out with his halter on, dragging, and he will break himself to lead." Stopping on the Sabbath, I left his halter on with the end trailing. He was terrible punky and I said to him: "You may get mad at that rope, and scold and shake your head at it as long as you can." He found that it was so, and on Monday walked close to the leader.

TO REMOVE WARTS.—Make a strong steep from red oak bark in hot water; when cold, apply as convenient—the otfener the better. In a few days the wart will disappear.

Spotted fever is prevailing to some extent in Clinton county. Two persons have died from the disease at Sugar Valley, and a number of others are afflicted.

Merchandise, &c.

SPECIE PRICES!

EXTRAORDINARY REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF GOODS.

LAIRD & BELL'S NEW STORE,

Patterson, Juniata Co., Pa.

The undersigned beg leave to state, that they have purchased from J. B. M. Todd, his entire stock of goods, and will in the future conduct the mercantile business at the Old Stand, in the borough of Patterson, Juniata county, Pa., where they shall endeavor to keep constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS, CONSISTING OF ALPACAS, POPLAINS, PLAIDS, LUSTERS, DE LAINES, MERINOS, MOHAIRS, GINGHAMS, CAMBRICS, LAWNS, &c. FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, JEWELRY, HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, QUEENSWARE, CEDARWARE, GLASSWARE, CROCKERY, FISHL, COFFEE, TEAS, SIRUPS, SUGAR.

Having just returned from the city with the above enumerated stock of goods, all of which have been purchased since the great decline in Gold, we feel warranted in saying that we can offer Goods of greatly reduced figures for CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS

IS AT

PENNELLS CHEAP STORE

IN PATTERSON, PA.

THE largest and best assortment to be found in Patterson. Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore received from the public, I would respectfully announce that I have just opened a very large stock of Goods well suited to the trade. My stock consists of a full assortment of fine and staple

DRY GOODS,

Embracing all the materials for men, women and children's wear, including Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, together with a large stock of Muslins, Sheetings, Drillings, Tickings, Oil Cloths, Mattings, &c.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

Such as French and English Merinos, Poplins, Alpaca, De Laines, plain and figured Shawls, &c., and also a large stock of Notions, such as Gloves, Mitts, Hosiery, Embroidered Collars and Cuffs, and a general assortment of Dress Trimmings.

GROCERIES,

Such as Sugars, Syrups, Coffees, Teas and Spices. Also, a large lot of Queensware, Hardware, Wood and Willow Ware, Fish Salt and Nails. Together with a full assortment of Goods usually kept in a country store.

Highest price paid for country produce in exchange for goods. Prices to suit the times. (May 1, 1872)

Boots and Shoes.

Boot and Shoe Shop.

THE undersigned, fashionable Boot and Shoe maker, hereby respectfully informs the public that he has located in the borough of Patterson, where he is prepared to accommodate the most fastidious in

LADIES' WEAR,

Gents' Fine and Coarse Boots,

Brogans,

CHILDREN'S WEAR, &c., &c.

Also, mending done in the neatest manner and upon the shortest notice. A liberal share of public patronage is respectfully solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed.

NEW BOOT & SHOE SHOP

In Nevins' New Building on

BRIDGE STREET, MIFFLINTOWN.

THE undersigned, late of the firm of Fassick & North, would respectfully announce to the public that he has opened a Boot and Shoe Shop in Major Nevins' New Building, on Bridge Street, Mifflintown, and is prepared to manufacture, of the best material, all kinds of

BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS,

FOR

GENTS', LADIES AND CHILDREN.

He also keeps on hand a large and well-selected stock of

Ready-made Work,

of all kinds, for men, women and children.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Give me a call, for I feel confident that I can furnish you with any kind of work you may desire.

Repairing done neatly and at reasonable rates. J. L. NORTH.

May 31, 1872.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

New Shop in Mifflintown.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the citizens of Mifflintown, Patterson and vicinity that he has opened a Boot and Shoe Shop, for the present, in the room occupied by N. E. Littlejohn's Tin Shop, on Bridge Street, Mifflintown, where he is prepared to manufacture all kinds of

LADIES', GENTLEMEN'S

and

CHILDREN'S WEAR,

in the most substantial manner, and at the lowest prices. Repairing promptly attended to.

TERMS—CASH. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed.

A. B. FASICK.

May 29, 1872-4f

FOR SALE—Three sets of Cook Stove Pat-

terns, No. 7, 8, and 9. Flasks and Follow Boards, all complete, by

SILAS SHAMP, Mifflintown.

Oct 5-5m

Oct 5-5m Groceries at Tilton & Espenach's.

Clothing.

CLOTHING!

Choicest Styles of the Season.

SAMUEL STRAYER,

Patterson, Juniata Co., Pa.

I will sell my entire stock at

Greatly Reduced Prices, until APRIL, 1872.

OVERCOATS, FURS,

HEAVY BOOTS, Ladies' Shoes & Gaiters,

Under-Clothing, &c.,

AT COST.

Suits and Parts of Suits,

HATS AND CAPS, And Furnishing Goods

20 or 25 per cent. cheaper than can be purchased elsewhere.

Having a good stock, well selected, I hope to please all.

Call and see to be convinced.

Measures taken and Suits made to order, reasonable.

SAMUEL STRAYER, Patterson, Pa.

Jan. 24, 1872

S. B. LOUDON,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

NEVINS' BUILDING ON

Bridge Street, Mifflintown, Pa.

Desires to inform his friends and the public that he has just received a fine and fashionable stock of SPRING GOODS, consisting of

CLOTHS—Plain Black, Blue and Brown—Crep—Dahlia, Brown and Blue. TRICOT—Black, Blue and Brown. DRAGONALS—Blue and Black. CHEVOTS—All Shades. SCOTCH GOODS—All Styles. BLACK DOESKINS—A Superior quality PAINTS AND VEST PATTERNS—Fine. SUMMER GOODS—General Assortment.

I will sell any of the above goods by the yard or pattern.

I also keep on hand a full line of BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS, consisting of Men, Boys, and Children's Shirts, Coats, Pants and Vests.

I will manufacture to order all kinds of custom work. PRICES—Reasonable, to suit the times.

Mifflintown, April 10, 1872.

Oil, Paint & Varnish,

WHITE LEAD, RED LEAD,

COLORED PAINTS IN OIL,

BURNT UMBER, RAW UMBER,

CHROME GREEN, PARIS GREEN,

CHROME YELLOW, DROP BLACK,

Prussian Blue, Lamp Black,

Paint Brushes, Varnish Brushes,

WHITEWASH BRUSHES, SASH BRUSHES

Whiting and Rosin by the Barrel,

Soaps, Japan Dryer, White Varnish

Concentrated Lye, Babbitt's Potash,

Putty and Glass.

The above goods, with a large variety of DRUGS and PATENT MEDICINES, always on hand at the

PATTERSON DRUG STORE.

Glass cut to any size desired.

Dr. P. C. RUND.O.

July 12, 1871-4f

A. H. FRANCISCUS & CO.,

513 Market Street,

PHILADELPHIA.

We have opened for the FALL TRADE, the largest and best assorted Stock of

PHILADELPHIA CARPETS,

Table, Stair and Floor Oil Cloths, Window Shades and Paper, Carpet Chain, Cotton, Yarn, Baiting, Wadding, Twines, Wicks,

Clocks, Looking Glasses, Fancy Baskets, Brooms

Baskets, Hats, Trunks, Brushes, Cloths

Wringers, Wooden and Willow Ware,

IN THE UNITED STATES.

Our large increase in business enables us to sell at low prices and furnish the best quality of Goods.

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE

CELEBRATED AMERICAN WASHER,

Price \$5.50.

THE MOST PERFECT AND SUCCESSFUL WASHER EVER MADE.

AGENTS WANTED FOR THE AMERICAN WASHER in all parts of the State. [sept-3mos

ADVERTISE! ADVERTISE!

To all Men Whom it may Concern.

If you have anything to sell, If you have lost anything, If you have found anything, If you have a house to rent, If you want to rent a house, If you want boarding, If you want employment, If you want hired help, If you want anything,

TELL THE PEOPLE OF IT BY ADVERTISING IN THE JUNIATA SENTINEL.

FORCE PUMP.

THE undersigned is agent for one of the best Force Pumps, for any depth of cistern or well, in the world. By attaching hose to the spout, water can be thrown 30 to 80 feet. It is a non-freezing pump.

SAMUEL LEONARD, Oakland Mills, Juniata Co., Pa.

ALL KINDS OF BLANK WORK, &c., done at this Office in the neatest manner and at low prices.

Medical.

R. R. R. RADWAY'S READY RELIEF

CURES THE WORST PAINS IN FROM ONE TO TWENTY MINUTES.

It is a most valuable medicine for all kinds of acute pains, such as Headache, Toothache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, &c.

THE ONLY REMEDY THAT INSTANTLY CURES ALL ACUTE PAINS.

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