

AGRICULTURE.

BETTER STOCK, BETTER FARMING, AND BETTER TIMES.

If every farmer in the State could be so far impressed with the importance of keeping none but the best stock, as to discard all profane animals, and to confine to rear only the best, it would take but a few years to better every farmer's pecuniary condition, and to add millions of dollars to the live stock valuation of the State.

But what is the best? There is the rub; and that is the very question which these annual cattle shows, if rightly improved, will help us to answer.

On such occasions these animals are very apt to speak for themselves, not by the voice but by their looks and whole appearance. But they do not tell the whole story, and they must be learned by careful inquiry of those by whom they were bred and reared.

Just at this time the Ayrshires seem to be in a very high if not the highest favor, in this section of the country; but we believe there are localities even in this State where they are more highly to be a profitable animal, and in some of the rich grazing towns of Worcester county and the Connecticut Valley we think their introduction would be a positive detriment to the farmer.

Some farmers are so strongly prejudiced in favor of "native stock," that they are entirely indisposed to make any experiments in the way of improvement by crossing with other breeds, and it is no uncommon circumstance to see the mongrel tribe of worthless animals propagated from year to year even where the best opportunities exist for modification and improvement.

The sheep question is one which engages the attention of many farmers at the present time, and the high prices of wool and mutton make it a matter of vital importance to those who are about to engage in sheep husbandry, for the first time, to be well informed as to the merits of different breeds, so as to be able to form a correct judgment as to the adaptation of each to the location, soil, or other circumstances which will affect their successful management.

True, a good deal can be learned upon the subject from books and agricultural newspapers of the day, but at the same time there is nothing which will be so likely to divert a farmer—who all his life has been satisfied with raising the coarse, scraggy, native sheep of New England, with their light fleeces and bony carcasses—from the wrong track, and place him upon the road to a higher success, than the actual sight of some of the fine flocks of Southdowns, Cotswolds, Oxford Downs, and Merinos, which have been gradually working their way into the favor and esteem of some of the enterprising farmers in every county in the State, to such manifest advantage and profit.

It does not cost any more to raise a really superior animal of any breed than it does an inferior one, and the whole of the farmer's profit exists in the sum of the difference between the price of really good stock and that of the miserable "scalliwags" that can be seen in the pastures of half the towns in the State. But yet, because of the little item of extra expense at the start, too many of our farmers go along without an effort to get out of the old rut—the following in which keeps them poor, as it did their fathers before them.

At our annual cattle shows we have presented to us samples of what farmers have done and are doing in the way of stock-raising and crop-producing, and we shall not be wise if we neglect to improve these opportunities of learning how they do it, and copying upon our farms such modes and processes of improving stock, and increasing the productiveness of our crops as may commend themselves to our favor and judgment.

In almost every township there are farmers who not only realize larger crops from the same area but always a larger price in the same market for their crops. They have more and finer wool, which sells at a better price, they have larger and fatter lambs upon the same feed, which bring a dollar a head more in Brighton market.

Their cheese brings a cent a pound, and their butter from two to five cents a pound more, here in Boston, and they sell their hogs and cows as fast as they can rear them and have them to spare at double the price which their neighbors can obtain, and at the same time give the purchaser better bargains.

This is no exaggeration, and every intelligent person acquainted with farmers, farm life, and farm products, knows it to be true. But how is it accomplished? Simply by keeping the eyes and ears open to all the improvements which are going on about us, and maintaining the possession of common sense enough to be ready always to profit by them—by following in the footsteps which have been marked by others on the road to success, or perhaps striking out a new and untried path where reason and sound judgment point to the best.

There never was a time so propitious as the present for the elevation of the farming interests. Such incentives to effort, such rich promises of reward for enterprise, and such inducements to labor, never dawned upon any previous generation who have tilled the valleys and plains or pastured the hillsides of this section of our country. And it ought to be the ambition and the pride of us all to use these present advantages in such a manner that all our labors shall bring the largest returns of earth's bounties to our barns, granaries and stables, while at the same time we increase the substantial glory and prosperity of the State and Nation.—Mass. Plowman.

FACTS ABOUT APPLES. We have an old apple tree which was revived by trimming and grafting it with Baldwin scions fourteen years ago. It had been greatly neglected, and was fast running to ruin when the work of renovation was commenced. The trimming and grafting process was not done at once but judiciously continued through three years. During this time the sword was dug up and pulverized, and the soil for a diameter of twenty feet about the tree was manured and dressed two or three times with wood ashes.

The manure was slightly dug in when applied. The new grafts began to bear moderately the third year, and gradually increased, until in 1860 they gave us several barrels of apples. In 1861 they yielded only a peck or two, and the present year, 1862, twenty-one barrels, most of which were medium-sized, marketable apples. Another tree, which had scarcely a sound limb upon it, was renovated at the same time. This, however, produced the Hunt Russel apple, and did not bear grafting. The dead wood was cut away, the trunk thinned a little, and a mound of good soil raised a foot in height at the trunk. The ground under the branches was dressed with ashes and old compost, about every other year for six years. The tree commenced bearing the summer succeeding the care bestowed upon it, and has averaged two barrels per year since. These apples were especially valuable, as it was the only tree on the place that furnished any fit for family use. By considerable pleasant care, and a moderate expense, we have been enabled to gather this year about one hundred and twenty-five barrels of very fine apples.—New England Farmer.

the soluble portions and carry them down, where they are absorbed and retained for the growing crop. He further says: "In experiments which we have witnessed, where the manure for the corn was thus applied in autumn, it has afforded a yield of about seventy bushels per acre, when the same amount applied in spring gave only fifty bushels. A thin coating of manure applied to winter wheat at the time of sowing, and well harrowed in, has increased the crop from seven to ten bushels per acre, and, in addition to this, by the stronger growth it has caused, as well as by the protection it has afforded to the surface, it has not unfrequently saved the crop from partial or total winter killing."

HOW TO SET GATE POSTS. Take equal quantities of water-lime and quick-lime and mix with sand as usual; put two or three inches of mortar and coarse gravel in the bottom of the whole, so the end of the post will not come to the ground; then set your post in, top end down; fill in several inches of the mortar, then several inches of the coarse gravel; pound it down; then more mortar and more gravel, and so on, until the cement is raised above the ground several inches around the post. Slant it away from the post in every direction, so as to turn off the water; then take coal tar and a brush, paint around the bottom of the post and fill the interstice between the post and cement with the coal tar.

STRAWBERRIES—AUTUMN PLANTING. A correspondent of the Country Gentleman says:—All growers of strawberries in the region around New York make the most extensive autumnal plantings between the 20th of September and the 20th of November. We plant our beds until the ground is closed by frost; and always with success. Professor Huntsman says his most successful plantings are those that are made latest. Such as are planted the latter half of November we cover with an upper layer of sedge, straw or hay, not for the purpose of keeping it in when the ground becomes frozen—as by thus shutting out the sun's rays we cause the ground to remain permanently frozen during the winter.—We find that it is not the permanent cold that injures the plants, but the thawings, which draw out many plants, so that their roots become exposed and are then winter killed.

KEEPING GRAPES. We are in the habit of keeping grapes for common use during the winter in the following manner: Take clean, small boxes, pick off the bunches of grapes carefully and pack them in dry grape leaves. Keep the boxes in a dry, cool place, being careful not to let them freeze. We generally have grapes till May. Cut the bunches carefully off the vines, dip the stems when cut into melted wax, then wrap with paper or cloth. Put a layer of cotton in the bottom of your box, then a layer of grapes and cotton, and so on. Put the box where the grapes will not freeze, and they may be kept good till spring.

FOOD FOR FATTENING POULTRY. The cheapest and most advantageous food to use for fattening every description of poultry is ground oats. These must not be confounded with oat meal, or with ordinary ground oats. The whole of the grain is ground to a fine powder; nothing of any kind is taken from it. When properly ground, one bushel of the meal will more effectually fatten poultry than a bushel and a half of any other meal. The greatest point in fattening poultry is to feed at daybreak.

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Lines of Travel.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

NEW AIR LINE ROUTE. THREE TRAINS DAILY TO NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA. ON AND AFTER MONDAY, April 20, 1863, the Passenger Trains will leave the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Depot, at Harrisburg, for New York and Philadelphia, as follows, viz: EASTWARD.

EXPRESS LINE leaves Harrisburg at 2.10 a. m., on arrival of Pennsylvania Railroad Express Train from the West, arriving in New York at 9.15 a. m., and at Philadelphia at 9.20 a. m. A sleeping car is attached to the train through from Pittsburgh without change. MAIL TRAIN leaves Harrisburg at 8.00 a. m., arriving in New York at 5.30 p. m., and at Philadelphia at 1.40 p. m. WESTWARD.

EXPRESS LINE leaves Harrisburg at 2.00 p. m., on arrival of Pennsylvania Railroad Fast Mail, arriving in New York at 10.25 p. m., and Philadelphia at 7.00 p. m. WESTWARD. FAST LINE leaves Harrisburg at 6.00 a. m., and Philadelphia at 9.15 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg at 1.20 p. m. MAIL TRAIN leaves Harrisburg at 12.00 noon, and Philadelphia at 8.30 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg at 8.30 p. m.

NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY. SUMMER TIME TABLE. Three daily trains to and from Baltimore and Washington City. Connections made with trains on Pennsylvania Railroad to and from Pittsburgh and the West two trains daily to and from the North and West Branch, Susquehanna, Elmira and all Northern cities.

HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Harrisburg daily at 6.30 a. m. MAIL TRAIN leaves Harrisburg daily (except Sunday) at 10.10 a. m., leaves Harrisburg at 1.15 p. m., and arrives at Baltimore at 6.38 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILROAD. This great line traverses the Northern and Northwest counties of Pennsylvania to the city of Erie, on Lake Erie. It has been leased by the Pennsylvania Rail Road Company, and under their auspices is being rapidly opened throughout its entire length.

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SCHOOL BOOKS.—School Directors, Teachers, Parents, Scholars, and others, in need of School Books, Stationery, &c., will find a complete assortment at E. M. POLLOCK & SON'S BOOK STORE, Market Square, Harrisburg, comprising in part the following: READERS—McGuffey's, Parker's, Cobb's Angell's, SPELLING BOOKS—Cobb's, Parker's, Cobb's Webster's, Town's, &c. GRAMMARS—Bullion's, Smith's, Woodbridge's, Monticelli's, Tuthill's, Earle's, Wall's, HISTORIES—Grimshaw's, Davenport's, Frost's, Willard's, Whittier's, Goodrich's, Flinnock's, Goldsmith's and Clark's.

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