

Farmers Department.



NOTHING TO DO.

The New England Farmer says: We have for several years known an elderly farmer whose fields are level and well adapted to the use of the mowing-machine, but who could not surmount the idea that machinery is a plague on the farm. So, at early dawn he was seen on the seythe on his broad acres, until he was acquired a head in his back that no medicament can cure. This year the pressure was too strong for him. He heard the clack of machinery all about him and saw his neighbors clearing their field at the rate of two acres to his one. He could stand it no longer. A machine was purchased and proved a good one; and now he may be seen early in the morning under his beautiful trees, feeding the poultry, or slowly following his fine cows as they nibble the sweet grass on the roadside, on their way to pasture. He is in no hurry, not he. He sits twice a long at the breakfast table as he did last year, and thinks the food tastes better than it did then. He rises early, to be sure, and his practiced eye scans everything, and sees that all is right. The horses are hitched to the machine about nine, and, presto, before twelve there is as much grass down as all hands can take care of. He thinks he can do more in the time which he has to bestow upon his stock and his care of little things, that he ever did in the mowing field. Indeed, it seems, he says, as if he had "nothing to do."

GRAFTING-WAX.

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GRASS FIELDS.

It is often a serious loss when fields in wheat the previous season, and seeded down with the view to remain in grass for several years, prove on examination, that the grass seed either from dry weather or other causes has very imperfectly taken.

PROPAGATING THE CURRANT.

The best way to cut off in the early spring before the buds swell, the growth of the last year, close to the wood; make the cuttings, one foot long; remove all the eyes except some three or four at the top of the cutting, to prevent suckers; then place it compactly in good sandy soil to half its depth, or six inches, and by good care in one year it will be sufficiently established for transplanting. It should always be cultivated in the form of small brush trees, and by skillful hands can be easily made to assume a handsome pyramidal or espalier form. All superfluous wood should be carefully pruned out every winter, and the plant invigorated with a rich manure in the spring. The currant or gooseberry can hardly be overfed. -Parisee.

J. J. BROWER

will gratify all desires on this point, and although goods have advanced in price he will sell you at a wonderful low price. He has just received his usual large and well selected stock of all kinds of goods, and will be found a general assortment of all kinds of goods, call and examine them.

LEATHER! LEATHER!!

The undersigned would announce, that he has on hand at his Hat and Can Emporium, on Van Nostrand Street, a large assortment of different kinds of leather, such as cowhide, horsehide, and sheepskin, and of which he will sell cheaper than can be had elsewhere in this market. Call and examine them.

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Take special care of all the ashes made on your place. Don't permit them to be exposed to the weather, but keep them under cover. Five bushels of ashes, mixed with two double horse cart loads of marsh river mud, muck, or peat, will convert the whole into good manure. A hogshed and two of soapwoods will do the same thing—therefore, among your savings, save and use them.

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LARGE ARRIVAL OF New Fall and Winter GOODS

AT PETER KENT'S STORE, AN LIGHT STREET, COLUMBIA COUNTY, PA.

MIRKANSER, CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

- Calicos, Muslins, Gingham, Flannels, Carpets, Shawls, Hosiery, Silks, Cottonades, Kentucky Jeans, Thread, Groceries, Queensware, Cofeware, Hardware, Medicines, Drugs, Oils, Paints, Boots & SHOES, HATS & CAPS.

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