sugquelianna County Farmers' Club.
Ou Satarday afternoon, April 1st, the
On met and discused the following On sute and discussed the following
Club
question: "How shall we reeat our dal: ries to obtain the best results? ?
Mr.J. R. Lyons said: tink when aperson is appointed on a committee to select a question for dagussion, it de-
roles on him to be prepired to give at
resst hisiviews on the mitter in inticerst roless his wiews on the mitter in interest,
lead, although not having much time to and, although not thaving mach time to
do so, bave thought some in regard to the matter, qud preparer, a paper that
embodies my views, in a measure, relative embodies nyy views, in a measure, relative
to the subject, This subject is of great "The census of 1870 gives the number
of cowd in this county as 24,533 . The numler of pounds of butter made, 2.580 ,
649 . The number of pounds of per cur, 105.2. The estimate for 1875 ,
of the number of pounds of butter made in the ciunty is over $3,000,000$; which
ant 333 cts. per pound, would handsome sum of $\$ 1,000,000$. The prinipal portion of the butter
made in the conty is shipped theremade
tron ; 'the re turus being the principal
cush income derived from our farms; caidh income derived from our farms.;
hence the importance of the dairy interest of this cuunty, and the int trest that
onght to be and is mavifested in all matters that look to ward its developenent
and th the ilicrease of its prodnct and profits. I wound
"1st. What breed of cows is the best?
2nd. Their care and feed. 3 , Their
product-butter and cheose product-buter and cheese-and the
best wyy to make them. 4th, How to
 proper solution of this questions and list
the breed of cows. e breed of cows.
In some respects thip is an open ques
tion, as between certain breeds, each haring its warm advocates, who show their fiath by their works, or by the producte
of their cows. Having their cows. Having carefully read
the reyrits of factories. and of noted Durhams are not a breed for the dairy Thie Ayreshire, the Jersey, the Devon batly, the Holstens have each put ell established herds of our nativestock Well established native cows will giv with the proper grass, good retarns. Se great amount of milk they may give in greatest amount of cream per quart o milk, and for the greatest amount milk for the season. Then, at the head
of the herd have a thoroughbred male such as you prefef, obly Bo it is, not
Durham, and the fris step is made. Second, their care and feed. 'A co
kicked about and halt marred nay give ture or becae abundance of her yoo litle blae skim-nilk, but as to the profit,
is is not there. In fuet, a cow must he best of care and fred plenty of it, les just there. A cow that trs jk well fede. will just pay yer way.-
Add the extra care and ferd and you will receive the profit. A certain amonnt. o
feed is required to suppott the system feed is required to suppoft the gystem
and mate up the loss.of orear aid tear.-
All you can induce a cow to eat more All you can induce a com to eat inore
than that will tend to profit, shown in the pail, or in flech; and when you hav Naughter and not to the dairy.
these-and che bestituct-batter to make them If you bare an ordinary herd, perhap
the factory would give the best ieturna If you have au extra butter herd,co-ope-
ration is against you; though you burden your family with, the work and care
Factories that make bot but Fastories hat make both butter and
cheese I believe generally give the bes returns to their patrons.
irg tricd. Shallow patting marge pans an
small close from the air,' and milk chantialls chorning of cream, or mill, 'sweet or
soar ; the petre and sugar; the best: packuges and beft niode of packing, all are questions
of interest; paricicular way and pet theory. But all agree that a first-class article of cheese
aid butter, that will keep sweet and well and clran made withont the atemost care cors and the care of the milk oate of the manuacturing of the buitfer and cheese between 81 per pound for 's 4 e difference Gilt Ekged Batter, and ten oentg per Susf dor do. dary men make but little of
the latter, if any and much of there productions if put upog the great markels
inithe proper form wouth bring the first price, and hise brings me to the Athi how fears nast, our darymen hase been at the city with theirgo-betweens-themerdrar for our mariet. Many have lost largan share of it. If we sull continue to in York here, like the Little Falls Markent sales would be made at the best, as your or lose by tranisportation, or on returns, If the cily is still to be our market the and establish a Susg's for us to combine get up a name and fame for Susq'a co,
butter. Our butter should be quoted; as


