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THE CITIZEN

MISCELLANEOUS.

Farm and Garden.

THE SEASON FOR INSECT PESTS.

The caterpillars, which are making their tents earliert his year than usual, owing to the warm spring weather, should be looked after at once. The simplest and perhaps, on the whole, the best way of getting rid of them is to brush off the nests from the trees as fast as they appear, with a long-handled, conical-shaped brush. Early morning or evening is the time when the entire family may be found at home, so that is the best time to destroy the nest.

The codling worm, which infests fruit trees throughout the land, should be looked after at once. There are many ways of getting rid of the pests, but none is believed to be better than spraying the tress frequently with a solution of Paris green.

Of the fly species, the Country Gentleman says the horse-fly is the most cruel and bloodthirsty of the entire family. He is armed with a most formidable weapon, which consists of four lancets, so sharp and strong that they will penetrate leather. When not in use they are nicely folded away in a sucker. He makes his appearance in June, and may often be seen in the vicinity of small streams of water. He is said to subsist in part upon an airy diet, and to pass his life harmlessly. Not so the female, for she is armed with six lancets, with which she bleeds both cattle and horses, and even human beings. She lays her eggs in moist places, and, after they are hatched into footless maggots, they make all necessary journeys by stretching and closing the segments of their bodies their heads being supplied by two hooks, by which they get their food. In process of time this maggot goes down into moist earth, where it reposes for some weeks, after which it bursts the pupa case, and comes forth a larg black fly, armed and equipped like its predecessors.

Finely sifted coal ashes are excellent for providing dust baths for poultry.

Sharpen up the implements and get everything in readiness for the wheat harvest.

When the flies are very numerous in the stable it indicates that it requires a thorough cleaning.

Keep the soil around your pear trees clean the first year, and give an application of wood ashes occasionally.

Warm water will not answer for the cows on a warm day. Shade is also indispensable for stock in the summer season.

Wet grass is injurious to young chicks, even in the summer. Do not turn the hen and her brood out until the sun is well up

Hens will become lousy now if not provided with dust baths and the hen-houses kept clean. Lice propagate very rapidly in warm weather.

Keep the soil around the cabbage plants frequently stirred and they will grow faster. Weeds and grass must not be allowed among cabbages.

Sell the young geese in preference to the old ones. Old geese make the best breeders, are more careful with their young and give a larger supply of feathers when plucked.

A solution of a gill of carbolic acid in a bucket of water, sprinkled over the floors and yards of pig-pens will assist in preventing bad odors and lessen the number of flies.

Water the young celery plants with a solution of a pound of saltpetre in twenty gallons of water. Thin them out if too thick, and use only the strong and stocky plants.

It is not too late to set out more sweet potato plants. As the ground is still damp they will get a good start and grow rapidly. They love plenty of sunshine and warmth.

The black berry is a persistent weed and a nuisance if allowed to secure a stand on a piece of ground where it is not wanted. Every piece of root that is cut off makes a new plant.

Keep the burdocks down. They delight in plenty of food, and a plant of burdock will rob the soil for yards around its base. As fast as they show their shoots above ground they should be chopped off.

Because the grass can be procured by the cows now is no reason for omitting any portion of the food at the barn. The cow is a producer, and the better she is fed the larger her yield of milk and butter.

A dead limb on a tree should never be allowed to remain. The sooner the limbs and branches that show signs of decay are cut off the better. The tree will thrive better, and the new wood on the other portions of the tree make more growth.

Now that it has been demonstrated, contrary to what was at first believed, that sacking is a complete protection against grape rot, the blue vitriol mixture, recommended by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, should have a fair trial this season. Not that it would be advisable to omit the sacking, but before putting on the sacks there should be one or two applications of the mixture. "Circular No. 9: Treatment of Black Rot," containing full directions, can be had by addressing a postal card to Hon. Jeremiah M. Rusk, Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

ROTATION OF CROPS.

No system of farming is said to be complete that does not include grass as one of the crops in rotation. Green grass makes more beef, more milk, more wool, and greater growth of young stock than any other food that is allowed, in proportion to cost, as it is most plentiful at a season of the year when the demand of the animals for supplying warmth and repair of waste is at its lowest degree, and also because the animals harvest it themselves by grazing. It is the grazing of the grass by the animals that reduces the cost, compared with grain or hay, that adds to its value, and for this reason the farmer can afford to grow grass for his stock alone. But grass performs another function. It adds to the fertility of the soil. A crop of clover sends its roots deep down into the subsoil and appropriates food that is far beyond the reach of surface-feeding plants. This stored fertility, which is just as much beyond the reach of the farmer as though on a neighboring farm, is transmitted to every portion of the plants, and the substance in time find their way back to the field in the shape of manure. The farmer, therefore enriches his field though the agency of clover by bringing from below the fertility of the subsoil and transfering it to the soil.

But there are other sources of fertility to which clover plants apply, which is the nitrogen of the soil brought down by the rains as ammonia or nitric acid, and a larg proportion of this nitrogen is stored in the roots, which, when the land is plowed, leaves a large amount of available plant-food for the grain crop that may follow. Clover, however, draws very little nitrogen from the soil itself, as it prefers potash, but it leaves for the next crop a certain food not necessary for itself but highly important for grain. If a piece of land is kept constantly in clover the land becomes "clover sick," thus indicating that, though plant-food exists that is more suitable for grain, there is no longer an abundance of that preferred by clover. Hence we find large yields of grain on land formerly occupied by clover, the land, in the course of a few years, by judicious rotation of crops, adapting itself to clover again.

By properly rotating crops, making clover, wheat, corn, oats and potatoes, follow each other, or by any other preferred system of rotation, the land is given better cultivation, fewer weeds spring up, and the soil is not exhausted of certain elements at the expense of diminishing its fertility, through plentifully provided with other elements. By rotation of crops the loss of the ingredients of plant food are more evenly balanced and each crop will yield more than when the land is devoted exclusively to one crop for several successive seasons.

Phyllis, love may be for you,
But it is not for me;
For fortune comes between us two
And says it must not be.

Another fellow's fortune, too,
A million, as I know;
You ask me how I found it out?
Your mater told me so.

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—Ten years ago there were twenty-two railroads which could not interchange cars owing to the gauge. Now all are alike, and cars owned in Maine are seen slipping over the rails in Texas. The railroad system of the United States is declared to be as perfect as a system can be made.

—A northern paper concludes that another Kentucky editor is being slandered, the inference being drawn from this editorial paragraph: "All the assaults of that blatant infidel who edits the æsthetic sheet across the way, cannot bring discredit upon the Bible, or tarnish the fair name of its illustrious author, Thomas Jefferson."

—There is a familiar story of a man who decided the feeding of domestic animals unnecessary and founded simply upon tradition and prejudice. He determined to demonstrate the truth of his position by experiment upon the body of his donkey and, not to be be to severe, began a gradual reduction of forage. To his great disgust just as he had got the allowance down to one straw a day, the donkey died. Faster Woodspeed, of East Pittston, Me., undertook an absolute fast for the scriptural period of forty days. When as near success as was the man quoted—on the thirty-ninth day—he emulated the donkey by giving up the ghost.

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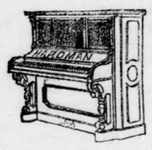

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(January 1st, 1889)

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Total income, over twenty-five million dollars.
Benefits to Policy Holders, nearly eleven million dollars.
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New Insurance Written, over one hundred and twenty-five million dollars.
Assets, over ninety-three million dollars.
Surplus, by New State Standard, thirteen and a half million dollars.
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PROGRESS IN 1888.

Increase in Interest	$507,758 68
Increase in Benefits to Policy-holders	1,437,859 26
Increase in Surplus for dividends	1,653,306 94
Increase in Premiums	2,840,737 62
Increase in Total Income	3,348,495 71
Increase in Assets	10,400,240 50
Increase in Insurance Written	18,270,436 00
Increase in Insurance in Force	60,550,969 00

RESULTS OF 44 YEARS.

Received from Policy-holders in Premiums, in forty-four years, 1845-1888	$198,940,363 39
Paid to Policy-holders and their representatives	$117,222,957 21
Assets held as security for Policy-holders, Jan. 1, 1889	$93,489,186 35
Total amount paid Policy-holders and now held as security for their contracts	$210,703,123 76
Amount paid and held exceeds amount received	$11,782,760 37
Received from Interest, Rents, etc., in forty-four years, 1845-1888	$48,290,729 90
Death-losses paid in forty-four years, 1845-1888	$45,006,791 16
Interest and Rents exceeds Death losses paid	$3,283,938 64
Dividends paid in forty-four years, 1845-1888	$34,928,272 99
Surplus over Liabilities, under new State Law, Jan. 1, 1889	$13,500,000 00
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