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Daily rode with one of the teamsters in the front wagon.

"Sir," he said, "one of those who have the honor of representing the British lion allow me to say that you are a fine fellow."

"Don't mention it, sir," interrupted the giant graciously. "You're perfectly welcome to pray on your hat."

"I rode on until my horse was almost dead with a pain in his side."

"By the way, Miss Mackenzie," I asked, "what'll you do if the police magistrate's wife has not come round yet?"

"Why, I'll take the place of the poor man's wife," she answered, trying to smile, "but she means it when she says she will not come round."

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LATE FORAGE CROPS.

May be Liable, but Accidents - Drought on Pasture - and Badly.

Drought has worked so much injury to the pastures and hay crops that American Cultivators feel it desirable to again refer to the importance of growing forage crops to feed grain and to cure for hay.

It is not too late to sow fodder crops. We have had a fair crop of corn fodder from corn sown in July, and some good crops of Hungarian grass and other crops even as late as August, though we should prefer sowing these crops in May or early in June.

The late sown crop may not be quite so heavy as an earlier sown crop would be, but it is a fair crop, and it is now too late to talk about sowing early.

Early and barley sown together as late as September will furnish a fair feed that will save an early attack upon the haymow or the silage pit, as they stand quite severe frosts without injury to the roots. The hay, though not the best, requiring more grain with them to make a well balanced ration than does good English hay.

It is not too late to sow early and stock hogs, we would certainly try the dwarf Essex or dwarf Vindicator rape as a pasture. It may be sown at any time up to the first of August, and it is now grown in drills 2 1/2 to 3 feet apart, using 2 1/2 to 3 pounds of seed to the acre. Or another way is to sow three pounds per acre in rows 18 inches apart, and corn at the last time of cultivating. It will be ready to turn stock into in from six to eight weeks from sowing, and if among the corn the animals will not touch the corn while they can find rape.

If the animals are allowed to get a fair feed in a pasture in the morning and then turned into the haymow or silage pit, and only for an hour or so at first, gradually extending the time, after a week they will be allowed to graze on the haymow or silage pit. They should have opportunity to run out into another pasture when they wish to, which they will as soon as they have eaten enough. Lambs and fattening hogs do better if they have some wheat bran every day when on the rape, but this is not necessary for sheep or growing calves.

It is reported that last year more than a million acres of rape were grown in this country, and if sale of the rape is as good as the reports are, it may be 10,000,000 acres this year. And yet it was almost unknown here five years ago, excepting in some parts of the West. The first introduction of the rape was made in England. The general opinion seems to be that where rape is grown and fed where it is not, it is a better feed than any other. It is better condition than before. It furnishes feed until the ground freezes in winter.

Early and Late Harvesting. The farmer's stationer carried on two experiments, one in the summer of 1887 and the other in the summer of 1888, to determine the relative effect of early and late harvesting on the moisture content of the soil. The experiment of 1887 indicates that the disk harrow may be a valuable means of conserving moisture, especially if it is used soon after the last rain preceding a period of drought. A fair comparison between disk and early plowing begins to show that the disk harrow is better, because the good effects of the disk were largely obliterated by a heavy rain which fell July 3, before the experiment was begun. The results of the two experiments of 1887 and 1888 certainly show that, as far as the effect upon soil moisture is concerned, early fall plowing is certainly better than late plowing, especially in the fall when there is a drought through the months of July and August. In addition to this, the disk harrow is better than the plow, because the good effects of the disk were largely obliterated by a heavy rain which fell July 3, before the experiment was begun.

Planting Strawberry Beds. Strawberry beds may be made either in April or August. Spring is generally regarded as the best time for making a new planting. The plants are more certain to live, require less care, the beds become well filled and a full crop is obtained the following season, but young runners are planted as early as possible, and are more numerous, not allowing any new runners, will make strong crowns that will give larger berries the following June than can be obtained by spring planting. The yield, however, will not be so great as if planted the previous spring. Nearly all the prize fruit comes from newly planted - Iowa Homestead.

Spraying Will Save a Pickle Crop. The proof seems complete that pickles can be grown at a profit upon Long Island if on good soil, properly cared for and thoroughly sprayed. The New York state station recommends no particular cultural method of growing. It does say, though, with all emphasis, that thorough spraying, between July 15 and Aug. 1, as the seasons demands and continued at intervals of eight or ten days until frost kills the vines, will most effectively prevent mildew and allow the plants to mature the best crops of the soil and surroundings will produce.

Indisposed Proof. She - This poet says, "Love can accomplish anything." He - Well, I married you, didn't I? Philadelphia North American.

A Strange Tale of Manhood. The ancient Clan MacLeod used to exercise a strange test to prove the manhood of their chieftains. A giant upon the island of Skye, there is preserved the large horn known as "Rory More's Horn." This capacious vessel holds rather more than a hogshead and a half of liquor. According to the old custom, every laird of MacLeod was obliged on his coming of age to fill this horn with claret and without once laying it down to drain it to the dregs. This was taken as a proof of his manhood, and he was then deemed a worthy successor to the lairds of the past.

Dear Sir. "Men are queer animals," said the poet. "They are all more or less deceitful."

"Oh, I don't believe that!" replied the optimist. "I think there are plenty of people who strive to be honest. I know I do, and I don't give myself credit for being any better than the majority of men."

"Then why do you ask me how my health is every time we meet and stand around and look bored if I tell you?"

"Dear Sir, in what position?"

"My son, it is like to tell the story when there is another Webster in bearing. He went home to disperse one day and found a paper hanging at work in the house. He asked the time, and the captain Morgan told him it was."

"I guess I'll knock off and go home to dinner then," the paper hanger remarked.

"Stay and eat with us," the captain said, and the invitation was accepted.

Captain Morgan was attentive to his guest during the meal. He had a prodigious appetite. The captain helped him to roast beef several times, until at last he became so curious to see just how much the fellow would eat, that he began to growl. The game was growing quite interesting when the fellow began to show signs of quitting.

"Well, you have some of the plum pudding," the captain said, "and you may as well eat it up, or you will have to leave it for the birds."