Cow Feed.

Having seen the many articles on the subject of feeding and read them with interest, I add what I have seen from personal experience in the feed of milch cows. First, the person wanting to winter cows in such a way as to obtain a good quantity of milk should provide himself with a feed cutter (an article which is indispensible to a well regulated farm,) and also before the roads get bad in the fall obtain a quantity of straw (if not raised on the farm,) oats straw preferable, but wheat straw will answer almost as well. Then buy bran and middlings in equal quantity, of course regulating your purchase by the number of cows to be fed. Cut the straw, if you can so regulate your machine, about an inch in length, take one-half bushel of cut straw for a feed to each cow, with three pints of bran and middlings mixed, then add one and a half gallon of water and stir well. Feed boxes should be so constructed as to be of good size and to hold water. The eagerness with which the cows devour this feed will prove its efficiency. It dispenses with grain. Cows fed this twice a day will not eat much hay or fodder; it is not expensive and it gratifies the cows' desire for a juicy substance.

Some may say it requires too much work. Just try it, and notice the increase in quantity as well as the quality of milk. Besides the straw can be cut on days when it is disagreeable to work outside, and stored in bins or boxes. A fair trial of the foregoing will prove its merits to any one interested in the products of the dairy. It will double the quantity of milk from cows fed only on hay and corn.

Prince Bismarck's Wooing.

Prince Bismarck began his wooing in a rather stern manner. As he always favored energetic measures, he wrote direct to the young lady's parents with whom he was not acquainted, and demanded their daughter in marriage. They were simple folk, leading a very quiet life, and they were rather frightened at the reputation for high living which the candidate enjoyed. Their daughter, however, intimated in direct terms that she did not look upon the young gentleman with an unfavorable eye, as there was no doubt the young man's parents had a good reputation.

Consequently the young lady's parents invited Bismarck to come and see them. Every one did their best to give the visitor a suitable reception. Fraulein von Puttkammer's parents put on an air of grave solemnity, and the young lady stood with her eyes modestly bent upon the ground, when Bismarck, on alighting, threw his arms around his sweetheart's neck and embraced her vigorously before any one had time to tell him that his conduct was hardly proper and correct. The result was, however, an immediate betrothal. Prince Bismarck is very fond of telling this tale, and he is careful always to finish the story by this reflection:

"And you have no idea what this little lady has made of me."

Cracked Silver Coins.

The stamping machines at the government mints, embodying as they do all the best inventions obtainable, yet do not do their work with absolute perfection in every instance. Occasionally a silver dollar is turned out with a trifling defect, and then the coin generally causes more trouble, many times over, than it is worth. This imperfection is a slight crack in the edge of the coin, which is likely to escape the notice of any ordinary scrutiny, but like a rift in the lute of which the poet sings, it makes the dollar's music mute. The commonest way to test a silver coin to find whether it is counterfeit or not is to drop it on a table or counter. If it has a clear ring it is supposed to be good. As a matter of fact, some counterfeit coins now current, which are made of antimony and tin, have a sound almost identical with that of a real silver dollar. What makes this test still more uncertain is the fact that a real silver dollar with the little rift sounds as if it were lead when dropped. The opening destroys its jingle just as a crack ruins the melodiousness of a bell.

The Maine Woman and the Live Faucet.

A queer accident befell a Portland woman last week. An electric light wire had sagged to the tinned roof of her house and the current was conducted by the water conductor on the outside of the house to the trap in the cellar; thence by the waste pipe to the sink on the second floor; thence by the water pipe to the street, so that when the lady put her hand on the faucet of the water pipe she couldn't let go. But luckily the wind was blowing, and, as the wires swayed, the water pipe and its adjuncts were electrified with but an intermittent current, so the lady was liberated after a few minutes' imprisonment and considerable suffering.

There is no killing the suspicion that deceit has once begotten.

Making a Thief of Electricity.

Short-weight gold coins are becoming annoyingly common. The discovery a few days since of nearly $300 in light two-and-a-half dollar gold pieces tendered in payment of custom duties has led to the detection of numerous pieces short in weight, showing that there is in operation a systematic scheme for robbing the government by stealing metal from coins. Officers of the United States Secret Service are now at work endeavoring to trace the coins through different hands and find the offenders. This process of robbery, which is familiarly known as "sweating" coins, was formerly practiced to a large extent, but of late years few instances of it have come to the attention of the authorities. From a careful examination of light pieces which are now being found, it is evident that the thief is not doing his work by the old hand method of shaking the coins in a bag and then gathering the dust by means of quicksilver, but that he has brought into requisition the agency of electricity.

The service of an ordinary galvanic battery and some cheap acid is all that is neccessary to conduct the operation by the electric process. The scheme is similiar to that employed in plating with gold by electricity. The coin is placed in the fluid and attached to it are wires from the poles of the battery leading to another piece of metal prepared to receive, in the form of plating, the metal to be removed from the coin. The battery being set in motion, sufficient gold to form a plating is removed uniformly from all parts of the coin, the liability of disfigurement is reduced to a minimum. The only effect is to blur the characters slightly. An authority at the mint has estimated that about fifty cents' worth of gold can be removed in this way from a ten-dollar gold piece, without exciting the suspicion of the casual observer. To the skilled eye of an expert, however, the effect is generally apparent by a glance. The electric process of stealing from coins is not altogether a new scheme. The Government officials a few years ago captured in northern New York a band of Italians who were operating extensively on this plan.

Thank the Children.

They run on our errands, upstairs for our books or slippers, our thimbles, our new magazines; downstairs to tell the servants this thing or that; over the way to carry our messages; to the postoffice with our letters and parcels.

They leave their play or their work a dozen times in a morning, to do something to oblige us who are grown-up, bigger, stronger, and apt to be less absorbingly occupied than they.

No game of politics or business in later life, will ever be so important to the man as ball and top to the little lad; and no future enjoyment of the little girl will ever be greater in degree and in kind than her present interest in her dolls and her playhouse; yet Johnnie and Jennie fly at our bidding, arresting themselves in mid-career of the play which is their present work, and alas! half the time we quite overlook our own obligation to be grateful.

We do not say "I thank you!" And because we do not say it, we make it difficult for our children to be as polite, as simply courteous, as otherwise they would be by nature, and the imitation which is second nature to all children.

While the fireman's ball at the Cincinnati Armory was in progress recently some young toughs were found smoking in the ammunition store-room, into which they had clambered from the outside to witness the ball. Some of them were unknowingly sitting on kegs of powder puffing at flaming cigars. It was a very narrow escape for everybody in the vicinity.

To clean hair brushes put a tablespoonful of ammonia into tepid water, dip them up and down until clean, then dry with the bristles down. In place of the ammonia they may be cleaned by using a teaspoonful of soda.

Every one who approaches us owes something of character to our influence, and the effect does not stop there. Like a magnetic current, it passes on from one to another; and no power of computation can ever measure its strength or its extent.

The successful man, as a rule, is the one who knows the trick of doing the right thing at the right time; and the trick is not one that comes from inspiration, but from trained habits and thought.

Laughter, merriment, cheerfulness, and everything that conduces to cheerfulness are absolutely essential to enable us to live our best.

It is easy to be noble among the noble. The difficult thing is to keep the nobility of one's nature unperverted among the petty and ignoble.

If we are ever in doubt what to do, it is a good rule to ask ourselves what we shall wish on the morrow that we had done.

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Hon. Roswell G. Horr, of Michigan, has been added to the Tribune's staff of Tariff writers for this purpose. He will, through the columns of The Tribune, devote himself to this topic, and will invite and answer questions upon points which perplex the American Farmer and Mechanic. He will also, so far as other duties will allow, attend Farmers' Institutes and agricultural gatherings the coming winter and spring, and expound the principles of the Tariff.

Those who desire the presence of Mr. Horr at Farmers' Institutes, etc., are invited to communicate promptly with The Tribune.

Young Men Who Wish to Succeed.

Many a man feels the lack of early direction of his energies and early inculcation of the maxims which promote the formation of character and success in after life. Every such man would gladly see the young men of to-day better guided in youth than he was. The Tribune has planned the following series of valuable articles, which will appear in this paper only:

"What shall I Do?" By S. S. Packard, President of Packard's Business College.

"Suggestions for the Boys on the Farm who are Ambitious." By the Hon. J. H. Brigham, of Delta, Ohio, Master of the National Grange.

"Education without the Help of a College." By President C. K. Adams, of Cornell University.

A Continuation of "How to Win Fortune." By Andrew Carnegie, whose remarkable article of last Spring was so full of encouragement to poor men.

"Multiplicity of Paying Occupations in the United States." By the Hon. Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner of the Department of Labor.

"A Talk with American Boys." By P. T. Barnum, of Bridgeport, Conn., the great American showman, temperance lecturer, traveler and writer.

"Examples in the History of our own Country." By Gen. A. S. Webb, the gallant soldier of Gettysburg and Spottsylvania and College president.

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The Tribune will print from week to week, well-considered answers to any questions which young men or women, in any part of the country, may ask.

Vital Topics of the Day.

"Present Needs and Future Scope of American Agriculture." By the Hon. Jeremiah Rusk.

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"Village Improvement Associations, their practicability in Rural Districts, with the story of certain Model Villages." By the Hon. B. G. Northrop, of Clinton, Conn.

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All the regular features will be continued.

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LEAVE	1. AM. *	11. AM. †	15. AM. †	23. PM. †	29. P M †	53. AM ‡	55 P M. ‡
New York	9.00	12.15		10.10			
Philadelphia	12.03	3.50		12.35			
Washington		6.35		2.10			
Baltimore	4.10	8.00	10.00	4.00	6.20	9.30	2.30
Arlington		8.26	10.25	4.23	6.47	9.52	2.55
Mt. Hope		8.29	10.28	4.26	6.51	9.57	2.58
Pikesville		8.37	10.36	4.34	7.00	10.05	3.07
Owings Mills		8.47	10.48	4.45	7.12	10.15	3.18
Glyndon	4.51	9.00	10.59	4.57	7.26	10.28	3.32
Emory Grove		9.01	11.06		7.27	10.29	3.36
Finksburg		9.11	11.12	5.10	7.39	10.41	3.45
Carrollton		9 26	11.25	5.23	7.52	10.55	3.59
Westminster	5.21	9.43	11.41	5.40	8.12	11.12	4.17
Avondale		9.52	11.48	5.47	8.20	11.20	4.27
New Windsor	5.33	10.04	11.58	5.58	8.33	11.33	4.39
Linwood		10.10	12.04	6.03	8.40	11.40	4.45
Union Bridge	5.41	10.16	12.09	6.10	8.45	11.45	4.50
Middleburg		10.23	P M.	6.17	P M	AM.	P M.
Frederick Jc.		10.26		6 21			
D. P. Creek		10.30		6.25			
Rocky Ridge		10.38		6.33			
Mechanicst'n	6.05	10.51		6.46			
Edgemont	6.44	11.45		7.35			
Waynesboro	†7.35	12.02		7.53			
Chambersb'g	†8.12	12.39		8.32			
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Baltimore	6.28	8.42	11.10	2.40	5.53	9.07	6.15
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Philadelphia	2.20		3.00		9.55		
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