

The Farmers' Column.

Converting Straw into Manure.

The editor of the Ohio Farmer, in reply to a correspondent who asks "how he may convert a large stack of straw into manure, so that it may be used the coming fall as a manure for wheat," replies as follows:

This is an important question, and one that thousands of farmers throughout the country should ask of themselves, and at the same time adopt some means of doing the work. It takes a straw stack very many years to rot down into manure, and and no wise farmer will wait for this There are several methods adopted for decomposing straw; one, and in our opinion the most profitable, is to use it as a stable feed and litter in the winter-time; another is by scattering it in the furrow behind the plow, and covering it up; a third by spreading it over the surface of a field in the Spring and burning it. By this means the heat destroys the upstarting weeds, and the ashes make a valuable fertilizer.

It is, of course, too late [April 9th,] for the adoption of the first method by our correspondent, and receive any benefit this season, and as to the second, a great deal of labor is required to accomplish the desired end, and sufficient decomposition would not take place to render any material aid to the first crop. We do not believe the full value of the material can be obtained by burning, as most of the worn land needs loosening up as well as strengthening, and straw is one of the very best materials for this purpose.

Our advice would be to let the stack stand until fall. Go on and put in the wheat as well as it can be done, and then draw out the straw and sprinkle it over the entire surface of the field, if you have enough. In this way you secure a double value; the mulch protects the wheat plants in winter, preventing the upheaving of the roots by the action of the frost. It will be noticed that wherever a coating of snow remains upon a field during winter there is a vigorous growth in the spring, and here is the philosophy of using straw as a mulching; more frequently the snow is blown than melted away—the straw retains it.

The dressing may be put upon the field as soon as the grain is harrowed in, or after the fall growth is completed, but not profitably at any time between these periods. The coating, if put on at seeding time, should not be so heavy as to prevent the free growth of the grain. After the crop has been removed, the straw, which will then be considerably rotted, may be plowed under with the stubble when a second benefit will be derived.

Lucerne.

This valuable forage plant flourishes on fertile soils in the Southern States, and is worthy of greater attention on the part of those who are in want of a rich and nutritious food for soiling purposes. The following is an extract from the proceedings of the Farmers' Club, New York Institute:

Mr. Curtis read a paper upon the value of this plant for soiling. He says of it: "It will grow in the same climate and soil with red clover, but needs stronger land, and, being a native of Southern Europe, requires, to perfect itself, more sunshine and warmth. This peculiarity can be remedied to a considerable extent by a rich soil, warm exposure, and stimulating manures. When furnished with these advantages, its rapid growth, and the amount of lucerne which can be taken off from a small piece of ground is most astonishing. From four to six crops can be cut in one season from the same land. For flesh-forming and nutritive elements, it is superior to red clover, containing 50.7 parts to 41.2 in clover. Like clover, it covers the ground with a dense shade, thus enriching the soil while the roots strike down into the subsoil to the depth of several feet, defying drouth, and leaving the land in admirable condition for subsequent cultivation. Lucerne resembles clover in appearance, with a smaller leaf, and if left to ripen, has a more woody stem. I would not recommend it to take the place of clover for general purposes, but I do most emphatically endorse it for a soiling plant to meet the great want of the dairymen and stock-breeder. For horses it has special merits; not being soft and washy, they are not liable to scour on it. It is perennial. Once get it rooted, and with a clean soil it will thrive for years, yielding its excessive burdens of richness. The seed is larger than clover seed, and when ripe and fresh, glossy and yellow—as the sample shows. They can be obtained of any first-class dealer at fifty cents per pound. The crop may be sowed with grain, rye being the best; but it is preferable to sow alone—from 8 to 10 pounds of seed to the acre.

Agricultural Truths.

All lands on which clover or the grasses are grown, must either have lime in them naturally, or that mineral must be artificially supplied. It matters but little whether it be supplied in the form of stone lime, oyster shell lime, or marl.

All permanent improvement of lands must look to lime as its basis.

Lands which have been long in culture, will be benefited by the application of phosphat of lime, and it is unimportant whether the deficiency be supplied in the form of bone-dust, guano, native phosphate, oyster-shell lime, or marl—if the lands need lime alone.

No lands can be preserved in a high state of fertility, unless clover and the grasses are cultivated in the course of rotation.

Mold is indispensable in every soil, and a healthy supply can alone be preserved through the cultivation of clover, and the grasses, the turning in of green crops, or by the application of composts rich in the elements of the mold.

All highly concentrated animal manures are increased in value, and their benefits prolonged by a mixture with plaster, salt, or with pulverized charcoal.

The Story of a Rebel Song.

BY A LADY OF BALTIMORE.

"Stonewall Jackson's Way" was written at Oakland, Allegany county, Maryland, almost within hearing of the guns of Antietam. About ten days after that battle it first appeared in print, in the columns of the Baltimore Republican (by the author), headed: "Found on the Body of a Sergeant of the Old Stonewall Brigade, Killed at Winchester." The original copy had dropped from his pocket in the heart of the Federal encampment at Antietam, he being then special correspondent of a Northern journal.

Taken from the Republican, the song was at once set to music, and published simultaneously by two music-dealers in Baltimore, but with different airs. The one to which it was popularly sung throughout Virginia, and especially in the Confederate army in the Valley, was composed by young Frederick Benteen, a remarkable musical genius, whose early death was not only a private but a public loss. The "sympathizers" of Baltimore caught the tune as eagerly as they had that of "My Maryland;" but their enthusiasm met with a rude check at the hands of the reigning provost marshal, who seized and burned the sheets, destroyed the plates, and cauterized the wound inflicted upon "loyal" hearts by applying an offensive oath of allegiance to several of the music-sellers of the city.

But the song had already gone through "the lines." It was reprinted in Richmond, and gaily sung by every woman and child in the valley of Virginia, especially by the admirers of General Jeb Stuart, with whom it was a favorite ditty. Once the author, in passing and by night from General Breckenridge's army (then lying near Woodstock) to Richmond, was arrested at Gordonsville as a Federal spy, and while guarded by two sentries in the public room of an inn, was recognized by a stranger as "the man who wrote 'Stonewall Jackson's Way.'"

In every printed collection of the poems and songs of the war, this one has been awarded a prominent place, and almost every compiler has sought for information concerning its origin and authorship. At one time the title of the song was used as a handy newspaper phrase, to describe the characteristic exploits of its hero; and "Stonewall Jackson's Way" appeared at the head of reports and editorials in the Southern press.

As an example of the interest it aroused, we may mention that Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, in his lively lecture on the 'Songs of the War,' calls it by far the best song that had come from the Rebel side. Another writer cites it as a fine example of the true and stirring ballad, comparing it with Whittier's well known "Barbara Freitchie." A leading New York journal once characterized it as "a ballad that will live as long as the war is remembered;" and Putnam's Monthly has twice pointed to it as a genuine inspiration. Nor has its fame been confined to this country. A literary nobleman of England wrote to an American poet, requesting him to procure, if possible, an autograph copy of the song.

In every place it has appeared anonymously, except in Miss Mason's compilation, published in Baltimore; by her it is erroneously ascribed to one "De Riviere." Of course, its text, by frequent reprinting, has suffered much damage at the hands of printers' proof readers, with the exception of the original draft in the old Republican, and a copy furnished long afterwards by the New York Round Table, the one here given is the only correct copy ever printed.

In Virginia the authorship has commonly been attributed to a very uncertain "lady." The legitimate parent of the song is a well-known journalist and magazine writer, formerly of Baltimore, whose name is familiar to the readers of the Atlantic Monthly; and many ladies and gentlemen of that city are cognizant of the facts here first made public, setting forth the true story of "Stonewall Jackson's Way."

STONEWALL JACKSON'S WAY.

Come, stack arms, men! Pile on the rails,
Stir up the camp-fire bright!
No matter if the canteen fails—
We'll make a roaring night.
Here Shenandoah brawls along,
There burly Blue Ridge echoes strong,
To swell the brigade's rousing song,
Of Stonewall Jackson's way.

We see him now; the queer, slouched hat
Cocked o'er his eyes askew;
The shrewd, dry smile; the speech so pat,
So calm, so blunt, so true!
The 'cute old Elder knows them well;
Says he, "That's Banks—he's fond of shell:
Lord save his soul! We'll give him"—Well!
That's Stonewall Jackson's way.

Silence! Ground arms! Kneel all! Caps off!
Old *Blue-light's going to pray;
Strangle the fool that dares to scoff—
Attention! It's his way.
In forma pauperis, to God—
"Lay bare Thine arms! Stretch forth the rod!
Amen!"—that's Stonewall's way.

He's in the saddle now; Fall in!
Steady! the whole Brigade.
Hill's at the ford—cut off. We'll win
His way out, ball and blade.
What matter if our shoes are worn?
What matter if our feet are torn?
Quick step! We're with him before morn!
That's Stonewall Jackson's way.

The sun's bright lances rout the mists
Of morning; and, by George!
Here's Longstreet struggling in the lists,
Hemmed in an ugly gorge.
Pope and his Yankees!—whipped before.
"Bay'nets and grape!" hear Stonewall roar.
Charge, Stuart! Pay off Ashby's score,
In Stonewall Jackson's way.

Ah, maiden! wait, and watch, and yearn,
For news of Stonewall's band;
Ah, widow! read with eyes that burn,
That ring upon thy hand:
Ah, wife! sew on, pray on, hope on!
Thy life shall not be all forlorn,
The foe had better ne'er been born,
That gets in Stonewall's way.

*Though comparatively young at his death, he was old in his ways, and in the affections of his men.

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Chestertown, March 26, 1870.

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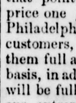
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C. TYLDEN WESTCOTT,
June 4, 1870. Secretary.

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November 13, 1869.

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Jnuray 13, 1865—y.

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ALMONDS, WALNUTS, PECAN, &c.
Sauces and Jellies; Crackers of all kinds;
FANCY GLASSWARE,
BOTH ORNAMENTAL AND USEFUL.
Fine assortment of
WAX AND OTHER DOLLS; TOYS;
CIGARS & TOBACCO.
My stock has been selected with care; it is fresh and good; and if the citizens of the county will give me a call will soon be sold.
JAMES H. SMITH.
Chestertown, Dec. 11, 1869—tf.

PROFESSIONAL CARD.

DR. J. H. PRICE having located at THE TRAPPE, offers his Professional services to the surrounding community.

Refers to a practice of four years at Hooversville, Anne Arundel county.
January 8, 1870—6m*

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