Farm and Household.

FEBRUARY WORK AND PLANS.

EXTRACTS FORM THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST.

The Last Month of Winter has begun for the Northern farmer, while in the Southern States spring has already opened; whatever is to be done in the way of preparation can be no longer delayed. A late beginning makes a late season, and to regain time lost now, may be found impossible hereafter. A farmer who is behindhand is a prey to accidents and misfortunes of the season, and often finds his labor increased, and the results lessened by reason of his own carelessness. On the other hand, the forward man gets the benefit of every advantage, and many disadvantages of season are safely passed over, because he is ahead of them.

Hauling out Manure.—While the ground is hard or covered with snow the manure heaps can be hauled to the fields with the least trouble.—Those who have profited by our hints for the past few months, will have the manure in good condition for hauling out now; others will have it lying around loose and frozen, and consequently useless for some time yet.

The Finest Manure is made by turning the heap over twice. To do this, begin at each end of the pile, and throw off the manure to a distance of three feet, building up the new heaps, and placing the coarsest manure in the centre. Then proceed until two heaps are made.—These will soon heat, and a month or so afterwards the process may be reversed and the two heaps made into one again.

Cabbages.—Every farmer should raise cabbages, both early and late. For early kinds, the seeds should be sown in a hot-bed this month, unless plants started last fall have been kept through the winter in cold-frames. Directions for making a hot-bed will be found under the Notes for Kitchen and Market Garden. It is not a waste of manure to use it for a hot-bed, as it will be all the better for application in the garden after it has served this purpose.

Spring Wheat.—In many localities spring wheat will succeed if it is sown early. Open weather this month, may permit plowing and sowing, although the under soil is still frozen. A cold spell may freeze the ground, or cover it with snow, but the seed is safe, the work is done; and one may rest contented, while others are grumbling.

Plowing should be done, only when the soil will crumble loosely; when the plow smears the up-turned surface, the soil will be injured. While earliness and forehandedness are commendable, one should make haste with caution.

Look Ahead!—A farmer should always think in advance of his work. The whole plan must be laid out in the head, before the hands are put to it. There is time yet left for thinking over what should be done in the next two or three busy months.

Grass in the South.—A great need in the South is grass for early grazing and hay. Some of the native grasses that have been fought and struggled with for years as weeds are now found to be of great value. By smoothing off a piece of grassy land, and using some fertilizer and encouraging the growth, a home supply of hay may be secured. It is often the case that a treasure may lie neglected under our feet, and some of the Southern grasses, long neglected, can be turned to profitable use.

Grass in the North is not made as available as it might. An opinion prevails that grass lands can not be kept in permanently good condition. Yet there are in many localities plots and tracts of grass that are very old and show no signs of failure. What has been done once in this way can be done again. A permanent pasture or meadow is invaluable. Why can not we try to make and keep them? This is a subject worthy the most careful study.

Why can not we grow Larger Crops?—There are localities where it may pay to grow small crops cheaply, where one may skin the land for a few years and leave it, just as in some places cattle are or have been killed for their hides and the carcasses left to decay. But every year these localities are growing more and more distant in the West, and in time land will be too valuable to be used in so wasteful a manner. In central and eastern localities the future prosperity of the farmers will depend upon the growth of larger crops by the expenditure of more labor on the land. To reach this end will be a work of time, but it will never be reached unless a beginning is made, and there was never a more propitious time to begin than now.

Mutton or Beef Stew.—Roast the mutton or beef half done. Take it up and slice it, or cut slices from a cold joint. To two pounds of meat put one tablespoonful of currant jelly, or in place of jelly brown sugar may be used; two tablespoonfuls of walnut catsup, add a little allspice or cloves, sage, thyme, parsley, pepper, and salt to your taste, with two large tablespoonfuls of butter. Stew all together till tender and well done, and serve up in a covered dish, hot.

To Spice a Round of Corned Beef.—Take a strong twine string and tie it tightly around the round, to keep it in good shape; then stick it well on both sides with cloves, squeezing them in as far as possible; rub it also well with three tablespoonfuls of pounded saltpetre, and then with plenty of fine salt.—Lay it in a large wooden tray or round vessel that is tight, and every other day turn it and rub well into it the brine which makes from it.—In ten days, if properly attended to, it will be fit for use.

Hanging up Coats.—A heavy garment, like an overcoat, if hung by the loop at the back of the collar, will soon stretch out of all shape by its own weight. To avoid this, various devices have been made, some of wire and others of wood. A piece of hard wood, long enough to reach from the outside of one sleeve to that of the other, will answer the purpose; it should have a hole bored through the center, or a loop of strong cord to hang it by upon the nail or hook. Undercoats and vests may be hung in the same way.

Orange culture is increasing around Mobile, Alabama.

TOO MUCH OF A LADY.

When Eve in the garden was plucking the rose,
And enjoying the Eden walks shady,
I wonder if ever she turned up her nose,
And sighed, "I'm too much of a lady!
Too much of a lady, dear Adam, to work,
A helpmeet was made to be petted;
You keep things in order, I really must shirk,
Though the fact, dear, is deeply regretted."

To-day she has daughters whose delicate hands
Are wholly unfitted for labor;
It almost fatigues them to flutter their fans,
When they languidly call on a neighbor.
Their mission on earth is to gossip and dress,
And live upon life's sweetest honey,
And they haven't a bother or trouble unless
Their masculine bank fails in money.

It isn't the loveliest thing to be sure,
To dabble in cooking and dishes,
But never a home was kept tidy and pure
By dainty, æsthetical wishes.
I'm free to confess there is something in life
More attractive than putting a stitch in,
And many a weary, industrious wife
Isn't deeply in love with her kitchen.

But duty is duty, and dirt always dirt,
And only the lazy deny it;
Crocheting is nicer than making a shirt,
But man never yet was clothed by it.
To sit in a parlor in indolent ease,
Till one grows all fragile and fairy,
Or flounce through the street, silly gazers to please,
Is being too much of a lady.

Too much of a lady to darn up her hose,
Or govern her house with acumen,
Too much of a lady wherever she goes
To ever be much of a woman!
The muscles that God made are useless to her,
Except to be wrapped up in satin,
And as for an intellect—she would prefer
A bonnet to mastering Latin.

Too much of a lady to own a grand heart,
To be true daughter or mother;
Too much of a lady to bear the brave part
That ne'er can be borne by another;
By fashion or birth quite too fine for this earth,
When it comes to the judgment's great payday,
Though our Lord may delight in the lilies in white,
Will He smile on "Too much of a lady?"

HOW THE DELIVERANCE CAME.

Deacon Fuller, lately deceased at Penfield, N. Y., was a Christian who mixed his religion with his daily life, and in a way that everybody that knew his life felt it. To him Christ was all and in all. Christ was the life of his religion, the King whom he worshipped, the Master whom he served, the Savior whom he loved. He was as ready to talk about Jesus as about any one whom he loved on earth. But one thing more than anything else that helped him to be so excellent a Christian, was a most excellent Christian wife. She was a woman of deep faith in prayer.

Many years ago her husband was breaking a colt to the harness, and had one morning put him with another horse to a farm wagon. His little boy of four or five years had gotten into the wagon for a ride. The mother was distressed, and besought her husband to leave the child with her. But the colt was restive, and the father was obliged to let the team go on. In the mother's agony, her only relief was in prayer. She went alone, and pleaded with Jesus to take care of her husband and her child. She prayed till her soul was at rest, and then went about her duties. As the team was going down a hill the harness gave way, and the tongue of the wagon falling down, the wagon rushed upon the heels and haunches of the horses. The deacon expected, of course, that the team would dash away in unmanageable fright, and he was in agony for his child. What was his amazement to see both horses stand quiet, and hold the wagon till he could get out and fix the broken strap, when he put up the tongue of the wagon and drove safely on. When he returned home he told his wife of the strange thing, and was melted with gratitude to God for his special interposition. Years after he knew that it was the mother in the closet praying to her Lord that saved them. And was it not just as direct an answer to prayer as was Elijah's prayer for rain? "All things whatsoever ye ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive."—*N. Y. Examiner.*

☞ You have such a sensitive heart," Laura said, arranging the parting of his hair with her deft fingers, "I saw tears in your eyes to-night at the concert when Miss Seesharp was singing "The Ring My Mother Wore." "Oh, that wasn't it," said Tom, with a painful movement, "it just made me think of the shoe your father had on last night." And then for a moment or two she didn't say anything. What woman could?

THE following unique epistle was picked up in the street the other day: "Dear Kup; the reason I didn't laff when you laft ad me in the post-ofis yisterday was because I hev a bile on my face, and kan't laff. If I laff she'll bust. But I luv you, Kup, bile or no bile, laff or no laff. Yure luvin Kate till death."

☞ A gentleman at a coal hotel one day last week at dinner was making away with a large pudding close by, when he was told by a servant that it was dessert. "It matters not to me," said he; "I would eat it if it were a wilderness."

☞ The Detroit Free Press finds that out of the 300 different rat-traps which have been patented not one can harm a rat who is minding his own business and knawing a hole through the pantry behind the flour barrel.

Father (who is always trying to teach his son how to act while at the table)—"Well, John, you see that when I have finished eating I always leave the table." John—"Yes, sir, that is about all you do leave."

A little girl was reproved for playing out-doors with boys, and informed that being seven years old, she was too big for that now. "Why," said the little innocent, "the bigger we grow the better we like them."

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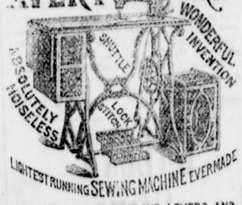
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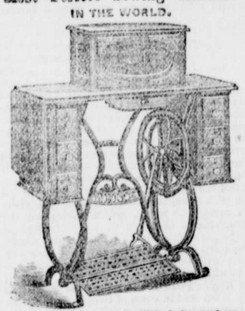
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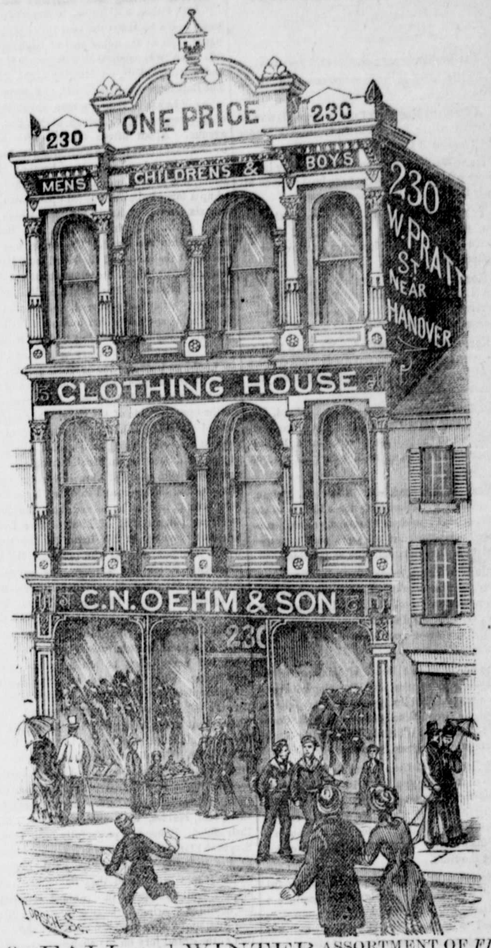
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