Farm and Household.

Warmth saves feed, helps fattening, and prevents sickness among live stock.

Fence Posts.—Take one pint boiled linseed oil and stir into it pulverized charcoal and give the posts a good coat.

Charcoal pulverized and mixed with water is highly recommend for relieving cattle suffering from any derangement of the stomach, such as bloat, hoven, etc.

Hogs are sometimes troubled by disordered stomachs. The best antidote is charcoal. Aside from charcoal, charred corn cobs, or charred corn have a good effect.

Young cows should not be taught to eat at milking time, as it will not always be found convenient to supply food, and they will be restless without it when accustomed to it.

Soot from a chimney where wood is used for fuel, is an excellent fertilizer for pot-plants. Put into a pail and pour hot water upon it; then water the plants with it every few days.

Where animals are allowed to feed in grass lots until the whole is gnawed closely, no hay can be depended on the succeeding season, unless a liberal top dressing of some sort of fertilizer is applied.

A Connecticut dairyman, who has been experimenting with turnips as food for cows, thinks they are worth twenty-five cents a bushel. There is no saving in the amount of hay consumed, but they increased the flow of milk, and were an aid to the digestion of hay and other dry fodder. European experimenters have come to the same conclusion.

Plowing land when it is very dry is nearly as hurtful as when it is very wet. But my experience is with heavy clay or land in which clay is an important constitution. Such land when plowed dry breaks up lumpy, and subsequent rains do not dissolve the lumps. It is my opinion that there is never a more suitable condition for plowing any soil than when it has enough moisture to cause the furrows to fall loosely from the plow, with no appearance of packing and no lumps.

Professor L. B. Arnold advises skimming the milk as soon as sourness is perceptible and to churn at sixty degrees instead of seventy, before the cream gets sour. When the butter comes in granules, enough cold water or brine should be put in to reduce the mass to about fifty-five degrees, when, after a little slow churning, the granules will become hard and distinct, and the butter be in a condition for washing out all the buttermilk. The salt should then be worked in with as little labor as possible, and after standing a while it will be ready to pack.

Poor Land.—It is lost time and labor to try to seed down poor land to grass. Grass requires as good soil as any other crop. Neither is green manuring of much use on poor soil. The best we can suggest is to partly summer fallow the land, plow it as early as possible and quite roughly, and let it lie a month.—Then cross-plow it and harrow it. This will bring it to the middle of May. May 15th it might be seeded to buckwheat and some lime applied—twenty bushels per acre or more. In July, when the buckwheat is in full blossom, plow it under, using a chain to draw it into the furrow. In August work it with a cultivator; sow one and a half bushels rye, covering by crossing with the cultivator, and sow six pounds of timothy per acre. In the spring sow six pounds of red clover. You will probably have a fair seeding for your trouble.

Sour Milk Whey.—To one cup of boiling sweet milk, add one cup of sour milk, and strain.

Vinegar Whey.—Boil one cup of milk, and stir in one tablespoonful of vinegar. If this does not make it whey, stir in a little more; when it curdles, strain.

Buttermilk is excellent for cleaning sponges. Steep the sponge in the milk for some hours, then squeze it out and wash it in cold water.—Lemon juice is also good.

Tea leaves, used for keeping down the dust when sweeping carpets, are apt to stain light colors; salt is the best in the winter and new mown hay in the summer.

To Drive Away Fleas.—Pour coal oil upon any animals (hogs and dogs) upon which fleas breed, and all vermin will soon disappear. If vermin are upon cattle dip the card on coal oil and curry.

Sure Cure for Corns.—Crystalized carbolic acid, applied two or three times a day with the cork of the bottle, will remove the pain at once and the corn in a few weeks.

Mutton or Lamb Chops.—Mutton or lamb chops are cooked and served the same way as beefsteak, only first trimming off all the fat. If the patient cannot eat them rare have the steak and chops cut rather thin.

A Remedy for Neuralgia.—Rub with the hand vigorously, until that part of the body seems numb, and the pain will cease. This process will cure almost any pain, and that frequently in an open sore, but rubbing around it.

To Remove Stains from Mattresses.—Make a thick paste by wetting starch in cold water, spread this over the stain, first placing the mattress in the sun. Rub off in a couple of hours, and if the ticking is not perfectly clean, repeat the process.

Beefsteak.—Have a very small piece of surloin steak, rather thick. When everything is ready on the tray, put the steak over a clear coal fire to broil; cook eight minutes, season with salt; dish on a warm plate, and serve immediately.

Corn Tea.—Brown, and pound in a mortar, one cup of sweet dry corn; pour on this two cups of boiling water, and steep fifteen minutes. This is very light and nutritious, and can be taken when the patient is very weak.

THE FORTY-ACRE FARM.

BY JOHN B. YATES.

I'm thinkin', wife, of neighbor Jones, that man
with stalwart arm—
He lives in peace and plenty on a forty-acre
farm;
While men are all around us, with hands and
hearts ashore,
Who own two hundred acres, and still are
wanting more.

His is a pretty little farm; a pretty little house;
He has a loving wife within as quiet as a mouse;
His children play around the door—their father's life to charm—
Looking as neat and tidy as the tidy little farm.

No weeds are in the corn-fields, no thistles in the
oats,
The horses show good keeping by their fine
and glossy coats;
The cows within the meadow, resting 'neath
the beechen shade,
Learn all their gentle manners from the gentle
milking maid.

Within the field—on Saturday—he leaves no
cradled grain
To be gathered on the morrow, for fear of coming rain;
He keeps the Sabbath holy—his children learn
his ways—
And plenty fills his barn and bin after the harvest days.

He never has a law-suit to take him to the
town,
For the very simple reason, there are no line
fences down;
The bar-room in the village does not have for
him a charm;
I can always find my neighbor on his forty-acre farm.

His acres are so very few, he plows them very
deep;
'Tis his own hands that turn the sod—'tis his
own hands that reap;
He has a place for everything, and things are
in their place:
The sunshine smiles upon his fields, contentment in his face.

May we not learn a lesson, wife, from prudent
neighbor Jones,
And not—for what we haven't got—give vent
to sighs and moans?
The rich ain't always happy, nor free from
life's alarms;
But blest are they who live content, though
small may be their farms.

A PRINTER'S CASE.

Among the many good things of its kind, the following from the Chicago *Times*, as expressing the fidelity and fertility of the reporter and the technicalities, the brightness, the strength and weakness, the humor and frailty of the "craft"—the craft of crafts—is one of the best. It is safe to say that none but a printer could have made the report:

"You are a printer?" said Scully, as a rather good-looking young man was run from the bull-pen into the chute at the West Side Court.

"Yes, sir."

"This is your first case?"

"It's the first time I ever worked at a 'case' in this alley.'"

"Did you get drunk?"

"The boys 'set' it up, and gave me the 'string.'"

"I don't fathom your remark," said his honor, putting one hand up to his ear and bending forward.

"They 'proved' the 'matter' and then left me on the 'stone' for dead.'"

"Impossible! Dead! Deserted you in the snow drifts. Or do I get the right glimpse of what you are trying to show?"

"I will 'correct' it myself, with your permission."

"Do so; go on."

"I was soon 'alive,' and when I was 'shoved over' I was 'standing.'"

"Young man, you narrate in parables. Can't you elucidate?"

"I will try, judge. They put a 'good heading' on me, and gave me a prominent place at the top of a 'column'—

"Young man, you are getting the court muddled. Come to the point."

"That's where I came to at last—a 'full stop.' They 'locked' me up—

"Yes, now I understand."

"And 'planed' me down with the 'mallet'—

"Now I don't. You won't stick to the rule—"

"If I had stuck to the 'rule' the 'stick' would have saved me."

"I don't get on to that."

"Neither did I. It was I who 'got off'?"

"Well, go on; go on," said his honor, tipping back the chair with the resignation of a man who gives up his seat in a crowded car to a woman.

"Then they put me in a chase'—"

"What! chased you? Impossible! But go on."

"And then they got out their 'shooting stick.'"

"Now, look here, do you mean to say they had to pull ther revolvers on you?"

"Not exactly, but they took a mallet. Then they sent me to 'press,' and here is the 'impression' as you see."

"Is there anything the matter with you, young man?"

"No, sir; I only ask to be 'delivered.'"

"I am told by a friend of yours, who has just climbed down from the back of my chair, that you have spoken in the technicalities of your profession, and that you swore off on the 1st of January, but you were persuaded by a lot of boys that the old year had not ended, and so you fell. If I let you go, and give you an almanac that contains a list of the eclipses, and tells when it will thunder, will you promise me never to look into a groggery again; never, never, no, never, sit up all night, and that you will use your efforts, to the best of your ability, to bleach your nose? Do you swear it?"

"I do, with 'Italics.'"

"Then go away, and be good."

☞ Some Harvard students got served right! They fixed a printer so that for a consideration they could obtain copies of the examination questions to be presented to them. The printer being unable to procure the original, made up one from an old catalogue, and received therefor three hundred dollars. The way the air around Cambridge was streaked with blue and smelt brimstone on that examination day was a caution. That printer is not to be found in the vicinity. He is hiding.

They are having a warm time just now in Sunday Schools, and the question under discussion is, whether the boy who has fairly won the prize Bible by learning 3,867 verses in three months can be ruled off the track for putting furniture tacks and a wad of shoemaker's wax in the superintendent's chair.

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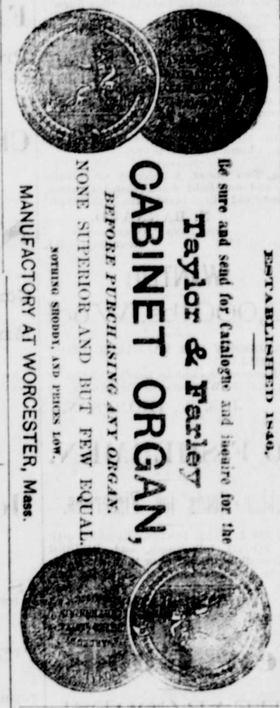

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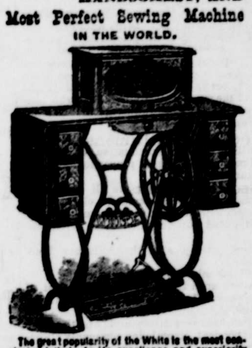

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MRS. C. LAKE.
Nov. 13, 1879—tf.

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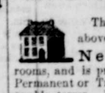

The subscriber has erected on the above street, in Chestertown, a New Hotel, containing 21 rooms, and is prepared to accommodate either Permanent or Transient BOARDERS, on reasonable terms. His table will at all times be supplied with the best the market affords.
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JOHN ARMSTRONG,
March 27, 1879 Proprietor.

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THE STABLING,
which is commodious and in excellent condition, is now under his control, and those entrusting their horses and carriages to his care may rest assured that they will be faithfully attended to by trusty and experienced hostlers.
THE TABLE,
as heretofore, will always be found supplied with substantials and delicacies of the season, and will be under the experienced management of his wife, who will see that no pains are spared to make it, in every respect, first-class.
With the fixed purpose of leaving nothing undone on my part which will conduce to the comfort of my guests, I respectfully solicit the patronage of the public.
JOHN C. VOSHELL.
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