The Farmer.



☞ Short and practical original articles solicited for this column.☜

The Benefits of Fall-Plowing.

That the plowing of heavy soils in the Fall is attended with excellent results is generally admitted. That any benefit accrues to soils of lighter texture, is questioned by many agriculturists, with whom we do not altogether agree. All admit that the tenacious character of a clay soil is altered, and its texture opened and rendered less compact, by the operation of frost. The lumps fall apart, and are disintegrated by the mechanical effect of the expansion in the act of freezing of the water held between the particles. The field, which at the commencement of Winter exhibited only a surface of shapeless clods, in the Spring is seen to have been wrought into a condition of mellowness which no amount of plowing or harrowing could have effected. But is this the full effect of the forces of nature, which operate in small things as perfectly as greater? The power which has forced asunder the clods, and reduced them to fragments, has also had an effect upon those fragments themselves, and has reduced them to particles so small, that the solubility of the soil has been increased. Thus another effect besides a mechanical one has been produced; or rather the operation of mechanical force has brought about conditions under which chemical action can more readily take place. Now, can we believe that this result only occurs in the case of clay-soils? If it should be so, then, as there is a variety of such soils the effect must be proportioned to the nature of the soil. If a clay-soil is benefited, is not a clay-loam? And if a clay-loam, why not a sandy-loam? If the particles of a clay-soil are rendered more soluble by this exposure to the frosts of Winter, and those particles are mainly alumina and silica, how can another soil altogether escape similar effects, when only the proportions in which those constituents are combined are changed. But we are told that clay-soils are absorbent, while more silicious soils are more or less leachy, and part with their fertile properties by the percolation of water through them. Then, if this were true, a light or sandy soil would in course of time be washed free from all fertilizing properties. But this is not the case with these soils. They can be improved by the addition of of manure until their characters are changed, the added color and other qualities are not washed away. If this idea of leachiness, then, is unfounded, no harm, but only benefit, can result from plowing such soils in the Fall. They will experience as much improvement in one sense as a heavy clay soil. The reduction of hard lumps is not necessary, for these soils are mellow, but an increased solubility will have been gained. But one other benefit must not be forgotten here, which is, that deeper plowing is permissible in the Fall, and six months' exposure to the sudden changes from frost to thaw will bring the hitherto unused soil into condition for assisting to bear crops. We do not advise the plowing of sod at this season, at least not for a corn crop. This should be postponed until the last possible day in the Spring, consistent with having the ground prepared in time. But for roots or oats, or other Spring crops than corn, we would plow now and manure through the Winter, when a mellow and rich soil some inches in depth will be ready to be stirred again early in the Spring; and this we would do irrespective of the quality of the soil whether it be clay or a light loam. Potatoes planted in a gravely loam thus prepared, have with us given double the yield of those in ground not so treated. Oats, too, have been benefited greatly, but the result with corn was unfavorable, mainly, we believe, on account of the greater development of weeds, which prevented the crop from being kept clean.

We have not adverted to the economy of time resulting from having the ground plowed before Winter, and ready for a second plowing early in Spring; but this is a point worthy of attainment under any circumstances. Farm operations depend very much for their success on "taking time by the forelock," and keeping work well pushed forward; and to have all the stubbles plowed before frost sets in, must be a comfort to any farmer.

Nations Without Fire

According to Pliny, fire was a long time unknown to some of the ancient Egyptians; and when a celebrated astronomer showed it to them, they were absolutely in raptures.—The Persians, Phoenicians, Greeks, and several other nations, acknowledged that their ancestors were once without the use of fire, and the Chinese confess the same of their progenitors. Pompanion, Mola, Plutarch, and other ancient writers, speak of nations who, at the time when they wrote, knew not the use of fire or had just learned it. Facts of the same kind are also attested by several modern nations. The inhabitants of the Marian Islands, which were discovered in 1551, had no idea of fire. Never was astonishment greater than theirs when they saw it on the desert in one of their islands. At first they believed it was some animal that fixed to and fed upon wood. The inhabitants of the Philippine and Canary islands were formerly equally ignorant. Africa presents even in our day tribes in this state.

☞ An old quatrain, attributed to Dr. Johnson, says:

"If a man who turnips cries,
Cry not when his father dies,
'Tis a proof that he would rather.
Have a turnip than his father."

Apropos of which it may be said that a woman in Milwaukee left her house recently, and returned to find her infant child mangled and partly devoured by a hog. An officer of the law was about to shoot the animal, when she plaintively begged him not to do so, "as her loss was heavy enough already." There were no crags and chasms in that woman's head; it was preternaturally "level."

☞ A good Baptist deacon in Tennessee in a social meeting expressed his convictions of duty in the following concise and pithy manner: "Brethern, I have made up my mind to be religious. I am getting along in years, and it appears well for old men to be religious. I am a man of family too. I have had ten children; five are on earth and five in heaven. *Equilibrium, brethern, equilibrium!*"

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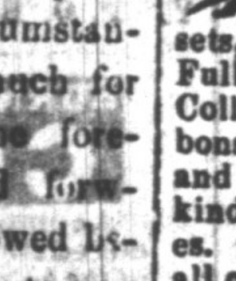
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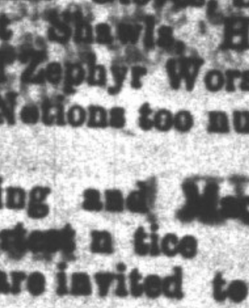
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oct8 WILLIAM H. COLLIER.

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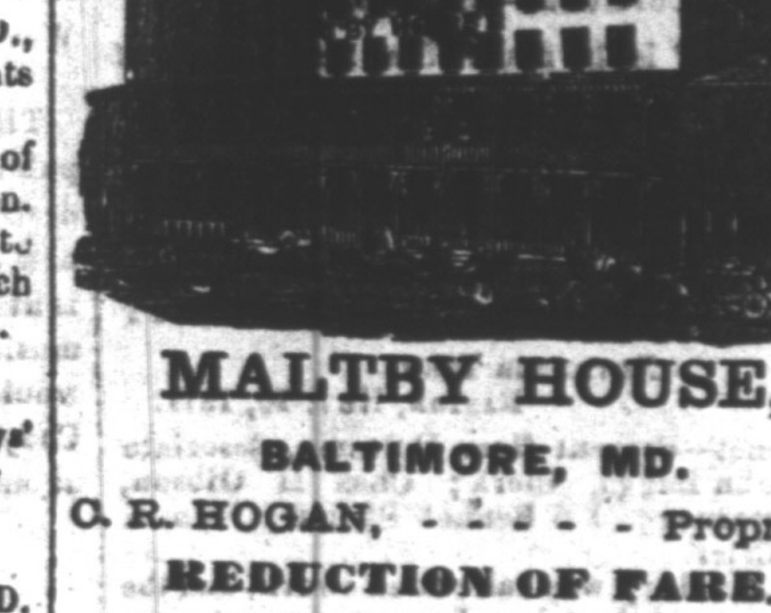
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