EXPERT GARDENING

CITY residents who do not care to keep a cow or to patronize irresponsible milkmen will find it to their advantage to grow a small patch of milkweed somewhere in the back yard. The weeds will not only supply all the milk needed by a small family, but the blossoms will attract a great many butterflies from which fresh butter can be obtained as desired.

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A fine quality of dried apples can be obtained by planting the apples where no moisture can get at them, in a perfectly dry sandy soil mixed with an equal portion kilndried sawdust, to be reinforced with a heavy dressing of blotting-paper whenever the apples show signs of swelling. It was of apples grown in this manner that the old-fashioned boarding-house pies were made in those good days when every one was too well bred, too polite, and too thoughtful to ask for the second piece.

SEASON-ABLE ADVICE

Agricultural
Note:

He who by the plow would thrive must form a plough trust

Sportsman's

Note:

The early worm goes fishing