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FOR SALE. Two lots of land situate in Speight Settlement, Petersville, owned by the Bank of Montreal, formerly owned by Andrew Coibett.

Nov. 29th 1898. NOTICE. I have decided to go out of the horse shoeing business, but will continue to do wagon and sleigh work for the public at the usual low prices.

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FOR SALE. One Single Horse Deering Ideal Mower, 3/4 Foot Cut. Mowed twelve tons of hay last season, almost as good as new.

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FOR SALE. For sale or will exchange for cattle, a second hand Covered Wagon, in good condition. Apply to E. C. LOCKETT, Young's Cove Corner.

NOTICE. A Note of Hand, given to L. D. Ferris which he has sold, no value received, which I will not pay, which is dated Dec. 22nd, 1897.

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Plant orchard and other fruits on uplands and not in wet valleys. Late pruning of grapes is objectionable on account of the virus bleeding.

Do not try to plant until the soil will work easily into good condition. Water never should be allowed to stand round evergreens and fruit trees.

Apple trees a year old, if properly grown, are usually the right size for grafting. Cutting of currants and gooseberries should be planted out as early as possible now.

When black knot attacks the small limbs, the best plan is to cut off and burn them. Parsnip For Cows. There is no better root for cows than the parsnip, says the Cultivator.

It has the advantage that part of the crop may be fed in the winter in the ground where it has grown. The parsnip makes the best makes a rich milk. It is equal to the carrot in this respect, and undoubtedly like that root helps to color winter butter.

Parsnips are a favorite winter feed of Jersey and Guernsey farmers, who by its use have been able to breed cows whose high butter color has become hereditary in these breeds. No doubt the parsnip feeding is in part responsible for the color of Jersey butter.

My Pansy Bed. There are so many who have difficulty in raising pansies, that they might like a few suggestions from me, as mine never refuse to grow and I always have an abundance of fine, large blossoms.

First, procure good seed from a reliable dealer. Next, fill a shallow pan or box about half full of fresh cow-manure, then add good light soil to the depth of an inch and a half. Scatter on the seed being careful not to get too thick, and cover it very lightly with sand.

Water well with warm water and cover the box with a piece of old cheese cloth to prevent the surface from drying too rapidly. Keep the soil moist and set the box in a warm place until the plants are up, then place them in the sunshine a little while at a time till they are used to it.

When the plants are large enough for transplanting, dig a trench in the garden, about six inches deep and fill it with fresh cow-manure (nothing is as good) to the depth of four inches. Fill the trench with good soil, rather sandy, and transplant the pansies. They must not be placed where they will get the sun all day. Seed pods must be carefully picked off, and blossoms should never be allowed to remain on until they become old.

H. A. P. How to Grow Annuals. The annual flowers of the seedmen are those which give their best bloom in the very year in which the seeds are sown.

The true annuals are those plants which complete their entire life cycle in one season. Some of the so-called annual flowers will continue to bloom the second and third years, but the bloom is so poor and sparse after the first season that it does not pay to keep them.

Prepare the ground thoroughly and deep. Annuals must make a quick growth. See that the soil contains enough humus or vegetable matter to make it rich and enable it to hold moisture. If the ground is not naturally rich, spade in well rotted manure or mold from the woods.

A little commercial fertilizer may help in starting off the plants quickly. Prepare the land as early in spring as it is in fit condition and prevent evaporation by keeping the surface loose by means of raking.

If flowers are to be grown about the edges of the lawn, make sure that the grass roots do not run underneath them and rob them of food and moisture. It is well to run a good spade deep into the ground about the edges of the bed every two or three weeks for the purpose of cutting off any grass roots which may have run into the bed.

If beds are made in the turf, see that they are three or four feet wide, so that the grass roots will not undermine them. Against the shrub borders this precaution may not be necessary. In fact, it is desirable that flowers fill all the space between the overhanging branches and the soil.

Sow the seeds freely. Many will not germinate. Even if they do all germinate, the combined strength of the rising plants will break the crust on the hard soil, and in the thinning which follows, only strong and promising plants are allowed to remain. Better effects are also often secured when the colors are in masses, especially if the flowers are thrown into the bays of heavy scrub borders.

The evening, or just before a shower, is the best time to sow seeds. On small plots one can take the precaution to cover the ground after sowing with a bit of old cloth to insure uniform temperature and moisture. It must be removed when the seeds have sprouted. A small whiff broom dipped in water is a gentler sprinker than a watering can, unless it has a

very fine rose spout and is wielded by very careful hands, so as not to wash out the seed. Most seeds that are sown out of doors come up too quickly and need to be transplanted or pricked out.

Household Hints. In making up unbleached muslin allow an inch to the yard for shrinkage. Mottos dislike the printing ink on newspapers, so woolen goods, furs, etc., should be enveloped in them when put away for the summer.

Lemons can be kept a considerable length of time—a couple of months even—in dry sawdust or sand. The sawdust must be inodorous. Sprinkle salt immediately over any spot where something has boiled over on the stove, and the place may be more easily cleansed. This also counteracts the bad odor.

Hanging carpets on a line and beating them is declared by the economical to shorten their period of usefulness more than a month of ordinary wear. Lay them on the ground, wrong side up, and beat and sweep thoroughly on that side, then turn and do the same with the other.

Onion Peeling for Nests. One of the best materials for making hens' nests is the outside peel of onions. It will drive away if it does not destroy hen lice. These peelings, or a piece of the onion itself, ought to be always in nests where hens are sitting on eggs.

The warmth of the hen's body will so scent her feathers that the lice will be glad to clear out, and the hen will be equally glad to have them do so. With a good place for rolling in the dust, under cover, so that the dust will not be turned into mud, it is not difficult to keep hens free from vermin.

The Woodpecker Man's Ally. One of the birds which winters in our northern climate is the woodpecker, which finds its favorite food as easily in cold weather as in warm. It is not often seen except by those who go into the forests and evergreen swamps, where it takes refuge during the severest weather. Its spiky peck, peck on the trunk of a badly decayed tree is generally rewarded by the taste of the grub that did the mischief, and which the woodpecker greedily devours. The woodpecker is a daring pillager on the cherry tree, when this fruit is ripe. But after his good work in destroying injurious grubs during winter nobody should refuse him a few cherries.

TO CONSUMPTIVES. The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send (free of charge), a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis and Throat and Lung Maladies. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription, which will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing, will please address: REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, 33-1/2 Broadway, Brooklyn, New York.

Coal Mine Accident. SHAMOKIN, Pa., May 12.—Four men were instantly killed to-day by a slide of a portion of a bank at Centralia. Five others are missing and are probably dead. Several were badly injured. The four bodies recovered were so badly disfigured that it was difficult to identify them.

The accident occurred while a large number of Hungarians were screening coal in the Centralia breaker. The big bank of coal refused to be lowered high above, when it was seen to quiver and collapse, completely burying the workmen. A rescuing force immediately started to work and after two hours' labor had succeeded in recovering the four bodies. The Hungarians were found wedged in between piles of timber. They were badly injured.

An investigation was begun as to the number of men at work at the time of the slide and reports indicate that five men are missing.

A Sketch on Indians. (Continued.) I have the pleasure of saying that the Indians are somewhat quieter than they were a few weeks ago. Big-bear has a Sunday School organized for the Setter's children, for is a pity for their little children to grow up in ignorance of the Sabbath. It is rumored that Big-bear was out of work for a while, but I am glad to say he has got a job cutting wood for one of his neighbors, which has quieted his nerves considerably, for it was rumored that he was very low with nervous prostration, but he is very much better now. It is hoped by the Setters that he will continue in good health. KITTY.

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