

WHEAT. A celebrated Agriculturalist states, that Wheat cut about eight days before it is ripe, is fuller and finer, and is never devoured by weevil. Seed wheat, however should never be harvested until it is perfectly ripe.—*Ib.*

OATS.—It is much the best way to mow (not to reap) oats when beginning to turn yellow, whether they are wanted for fodder, or for the oats with the fodder. If a farmer wants to make the most of his oats, if they are ever so stout, let him mow them when they are beginning to turn yellow. Dry them well, thresh them as much as he pleases, and his cattle will eat the straw in preference to the best meadow hay; and besides the grain must be brighter and heavier than if they stand in the field till quite ripe, and the straw is spoiled.—*Detroit Cour.*

PROFITABLE MANAGEMENT.—A general rule among farmers should be to keep the best and sell the poorest living productions of a farm. The most indifferent fowls, pigs, lambs, and calves should be selected and sold. The best kinds of seeds and grain designed for sowing should be preserved.—The choice butter and cheese, the best of hams and salted meat, and the finest domestic cloth should be sent to market.—*Farmer's Reporter.*

GARDENING.—Gardening is both a science and an art. It embraces the knowledge and use of all the aliments of the vegetable kingdom, that serve, or may serve the wants, as well as the pleasures of mankind.

Hence a good garden is very essential to every farmer. It is conducive to health, comfort, and profit.

In passing through the country, every man's garden furnishes a clue to his character. much better and safer in our estimation, to trust to, than either physiognomy or phrenology. Do we see the nail bed of large and ample dimensions, encroaching upon every inch of cultivated soil, we pronounce the possessor to be a political economist, or radical, or voluptuary. On the other hand, if we witness flowers of all hues adorning the vicinity of his habitation, we know there is a spark of his better nature yet unextinguished.—It unfolds to us the current of his thoughts and feelings: it tells, like the other also, of honesty and industry; but it tells besides of generosity, charity, love, and fidelity, of brave sons and beautiful daughters.

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