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Agriculture.

Black ants puncture grapes.

When cows begin to fall off in milk feed some grain.

Feed pigs a little grain, even while they are running in clover.

Old carpets and bags are good for covering potatoes in cellars.

Bonedust used as a fertilizer for wheat may profitably be mixed with ashes.

The value of manure heaps is vastly increased by their frequently being worked over.

Sow lime before wheat, sow ashes with wheat and sow salt on top in a dry time in spring.

Corn smut is injurious to animals, acting both as a poison and mechanical irritant.

For this reason the smut should be kept from the feeding stalls.

A few bulbs of crocus and snowdrop planted about on the lawn produce a very pleasing effect early in the spring, they bloom before it is necessary to use the lawn mower, and remain from year to year.

When bark splitting occurs on one side near the collar of young apple trees, in rich soil, wrap the openings so that the combined layer will not be exposed.

It may be well to apply a plaster of grafting wax.

Young trees, which were set out last spring can now be removed, potted and placed in a sheltered or shaded position, will speedily form new roots, and in time start into growth and bear flower buds.

The American Agriculturist says: "Though enmolting may take place at any time before frost, the successful raising of corn fodder can only be done after the nights are cool, if not cold."

It should stand until about the time of the first frosts before cutting, and after partly cutting should be put in bundles and large stacks, to remain until the ground freezes."

The beetle of the apple-borer is striped brown and white, and measures about three-fourths of an inch in length.

It deposits its eggs during the early summer in the bark of the trees near the ground.

Here the larvae is hatched, becoming a whitish grub, which saws its way into the trees, perforating in all directions and sometimes completely girdling it.

Dahlia appear to best advantage when they are set singly in conspicuous places, wherever they will make the most show.

The same remark applies to lilies and the amaryllis, and any regular or formal manner of planting them should be avoided.

If it is necessary, for any cause, to plant them near each other, we should keep them two feet apart, at least.

A short time is now sufficient to produce great changes in relation to corn. Its uses have multiplied and increased.

It is now employed to make starch and glucose, as well as to make alcohol, whiskey, high wines and vinegar.

Considerable quantities of it are converted into malt. In all the great dairy districts it is extensively employed for feeding milch cows.

Large, coarse-boned horses are frequently troubled with weakness of the ankles or knocking. This should be treated by rubbing with stimulating liniments, turpentine, or with infusions of oak-bark.

Give the animal, also, one teaspoonful of Peruvian bark or gentian root, and the same quantity of sulphate of iron powdered and mixed together once a day, in a tablespoonful of molasses.

For the weakness of the passage apply oak or willow bark infusion. The medicine mentioned will help this trouble also. Be sure and give no resin or saltpeter, as these will produce it.

FOR THE FARM AND HOME.

WHEN TO APPLY MANURE.

The common practice is to cart the manure from the farm-yard once a year, usually in the spring.

In this way the hauling is done when other work is pressing and while the ground is soft.

It is better to draw out the manure exposed in open yards as it accumulates and drop it into heaps in the field where it is to be used.

With the best facilities for keeping the manure—that is, with a barn-cellar—there is less loss in keeping it under cover, and when well rotted apply it to the ground just at the time when it will be of the most benefit to the crop.

Manure is considered as so much capital used in growing the crop, and bears interest only as it is used by the plants.

If beets or turnips need the most manure in midsummer it is economy to apply it then, provided there is the proper facility for making, storing and turning out this valuable fertilizer every month in the year.

Grass lands can make use of manure at nearly all times and upon these it may be spread in winter with economy of labor and excellent results.

American Agriculturist.

ROTATION.

Successive crops of the same character exhaust lands of the particular food they require with great rapidity.

The soil which grows the potato, is withold in such a system of cultivation, because the farmer is violating his laws.

To fight against nature is to war at fearful odds, and it is not difficult to forecast the result.

To work in harmony with her insures a comparatively easy victory.

One of the most beautiful of her provisions is, that while one crop exhausts the soil of that element which enters most largely into its composition, by the operation of some mysterious law, it prepares that same soil for some other crop of a different character.

As an illustration of this principle, we know that clover does not successfully follow itself, although it leaves the ground in the best possible condition for corn or wheat.

One crop, therefore, restores in a measure what another has taken. By raising continuously the same plant you interfere with this beautiful continuity of nature to rebuild her wasted strength.

BONES FOR FOWLS.

Poultry breeders do not seem to appreciate the great value of bones for their fowls, and but a limited few ever make use of them for this purpose.

No matter whether the birds are confined or not, they are sure to be benefited by a moderate quantity of bones, though those which are kept in close confinement need them most.

Nearly every family of any size have refuse bones enough from the kitchen to afford the poultry quite a treat from time to time, and when this is not the case, or when the supply runs short, enough can be procured each week from the nearest butcher at a very small price, many butchers being glad to give them away to get rid of them.

These can be crushed by using a large stone and a heavy hammer, though there is now a very good and cheap mill made for the purpose—costing but \$5 without legs and \$7 with legs—which pays for itself several times over during the season, where large flocks of fowls are kept as it not only crushes and grinds bones, but also oyster shells, corn, etc.

The bones crush best when dry, and should be readied to about the size of small peas. They are put in small troughs or boxes, under which, where the fowls can get what they want and to suit their pleasure.—Poultryman.

REARING UP.

It would be an absolute waste of excellent material for farmers desirous of improving the blood of their cattle to butcher good, well formed common cows, to replace them with highly bred cows.

Such a rapid change is not necessary by any means, though of course it would be desirable.

Every farmer, however, can put his hands on a number of good strong cows, of mixed breeding, while animals from blooded herds would make quite an addition to the expense account, and which might necessitate a curtailing of expenditures in some other quarter.

Get a pure blooded thrifty bull and put him to the best cows to be had, and by careful breeding the herd will increase in value and usefulness annually; whereas, on the other hand, when a mongrel sire is used the stock yearly becomes poorer.

Rather than breed a scrub bull to a large number of cows sell off half of the latter and the former, and secure a blooded sire.

We have referred to this matter on several occasions, but while so much no grade and low grade stock continues to flood our markets there is room for much to be said on the subject.

Every beef grower should have a pure male to breed from, and where individuals feel that they cannot bear the expense a neighbor or two should be called in, but that means a more desirable animal could be got than if only one party were interested.—Drovers' Journal.

THE COMPOST HEAP.

The Massachusetts Ploughman, among other things, talks suggestively about the compost heap, saying that it is a good plan to have one on the benefit of the farm.

The compost heap may be made of road-scraps, the scorings of ditches, the cleanings of ponds, clippings from banks and hedge rows, scrapings and sweepings of farm-yards, garden refuse, house refuse, and indeed all sorts of rubbish may be added to a compost heap.

Even weeds will decay, and then help to swell the material for enriching the land.

The heap should occasionally be covered over with a layer of lime, and a layer of salt row and then is also a good addition.

These materials are beneficial in themselves, and keep weeds from seedling on the top of the heap.

The compost should be turned over from time to time, and when well mixed the land may be dressed with it either in spring or autumn.

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