

The Farm.

Successful Beekeeping.

As a sort of inspiration to the daughters of the farm who may be interested in the possibilities of beekeeping...

"When I was a small girl, my mother purchased Mr. S. I. Freeborn's apiary, numbering 160 colonies, which he placed upon our farm in Richland county during the summer of 1837.

In an institute paper on bee culture Miss Pickard has said: To be a thorough bee master requires as much intelligence, forethought and skill as to be a good lawyer, physician or any other professional...

To make a successful beekeeper requires a special gift; or a natural aptness for the business, the faculty of perceiving what needs to be done, and an inclination to do it promptly.

How My Garden is Irrigated.

There are many farms and gardens where irrigation could be made profitable if there were some cheap way of furnishing an adequate supply of water.

I run the ram without laying about fifteen drive or supply pipe in the brook. With this length of pipe I could only get five feet fall, and I knew the ram would not work well with such a long pipe, because of the friction of water on the pipe.

I first built a dam in the brook, and this was quite easily done, as the bed of the brook was narrow and the banks were high. I built a dam five feet high, and six feet below it an excavation was made in the side of the bank for the ram.

The box pipe would carry three times as much water as the iron pipe, but it was not quite perfectly tight. I thought the large amount of water it would carry to the iron drive pipe would so fill it that the pressure of water would not be diminished, and because of the large size of the box pipe there would be but little friction to lessen the force.

But I found I was mistaken, for the ram would occasionally stop, and it did not work satisfactorily. I thought I would have to give it up; the floods would carry off my dam, and the ram would not work well with a pipe long enough to make the fall required, but I did some thinking, and the result was that I built a wooden tank, which holds about three barrels, and placed it sixty feet above the ram, or where the iron pipe connects with the box pipe.

It makes no difference with the pressure of water at the ram whether the drive pipe enters the tank at the top or bottom. It is the height of water in the tank that determines the pressure at the ram.

Pulpit Hewn in a Rock.

On a picturesque spot about a mile and a half from the head of Loch Lomond, separated from lofty Ben Vorlich by the West Highland Railway, stands a huge boulder known as 'Pulpit Rock.'

The side facing the rock is as perpendicular as if it had been cloven by some Titanic axe, and here, a few feet above the ground, and reached by stone steps, is a recess not more than sufficient in height and width to accommodate a man of ordinary stature.

A quaint history attaches to this chamber. A hundred years ago there was no church nearer than that at Arrochar, some ten miles away, and the dwellers in the district complained to the minister that the distance was too great to allow them sufficient opportunity for worshipping God.

His answer was to tell them to build a church and a vestry in their own locality and he would come over at stated times and conduct service in it.

Thither came the minister, and standing in the doorway of the rock-hewn pulpit he preached the gospel to the congregation sitting on the semi-circle of green sward in front.

Many years have passed since the last benediction was uttered there—the door is gone and the pulpit is a place of shelter for the sheep; but standing before it and looking up at the mighty boulder, whose summit is clothed with grass and heather, one can imagine how solemn and impressive must have been the scene when these devout Highlanders worshipped in their simple fashion in God's own temple.

The board of regents of Victoria University, Toronto, has appointed James B. Grafton of Dundas, and Dr. R. A. Reeve of Toronto, to the board in place of the late Senator Sanford and Dr. J. E. Graham.

AFTER EFFECTS OF FEVER.

Mrs. Angle of Merriton, Suffered so Severely That Her Friends Feared She was Likely to be a Permanent Invalid.

In the picturesque village of Merriton resides Mrs. William Angle, who, after months of suffering, has found a cure from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by going to the root of the disease. They renew and build up the blood, and strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system.

STANSTAD JUNCTION, P. Q., 12 Aug. 1893. MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & CO.

GENTLEMEN,—I fell from the bridge leading from a platform to a loaded car while assisting my men in unloading a load of grain.

Yours truly, C. H. GORDON.

P. E. I. OPINIONS

What Mr. Wm. Sharam Thinks About Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Used Them for Severe Urinary and Kidney Trouble—Took Ten Boxes all Told—Believes Dodd's Kidney Pills are a Sterling Medicine.

MURRAY HARBOR, P. E. I., October 9.—One of the staunch upholders of Dodd's Kidney Pills in this town is Mr. William Sharam.

Mr. Sharam asserts that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure any form of Kidney Disease. No matter what the name of the trouble is, if it can be traced to Kidney disorder, Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure it.

Of his own case Mr. Sharam says: "Having some three years ago sprained my back with lifting, which sprain resulted in Urinary and Kidney trouble, I was left in a very weak state. In 1895 I got so weak that I almost fainted and could hardly hold up. After using many other patent medicines in vain, it struck me that a remedy for my trouble should be one advertised for Kidney Disease only, and I got some of your Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"WILLIAM SHARAM."

The Ravages of Consumption.

The White Plague on the Increase.

A Cure Now Within the Reach of Every Sufferer.

The remarkable increase of deaths from Consumption (tuberculosis) within the last few years is now attracting the attention and earnest consideration and study of the leading medical authorities of Europe and America.

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