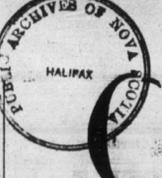


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### AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Chippendale Brothers, of Lewiston, have invented a machine to dig potatoes. The contrivance is hauled by a horse, digs the potatoes, removes the dirt, from them and drops them into bags.

Prices at Brandon to farmers last week were, says the Commercial, wheat, 50c per bushel for a few loads; oatmeal at 26c; butter, 15c with shipments going to B. C.; eggs scarce at 15; cattle, 2 1/2 to 3c, live weight; hogs, 4 to 4 1/2c. live weight.

Five acres of potatoes, or an estimated crop of one thousand bushels, were sold by a farmer in Bowdenham, Me., for the sum of \$2 for the entire lot. Such a loss of this crop has not been known for forty years when the potato rot was first felt.

The growing value of property in London is strikingly illustrated in the negotiations now going on in Lambeth on the subject of a park for Vauxhall. The promoters of this project speak cheerily of £47,500 as the "reduced price" for property of between eight and nine acres.

It is alleged that a firm of English seedsmen have originated a new variety of spring wheat with which even Canadian Red Fife, admitted to be one of the best imported into England, cannot compare in general quality, grain substance, thickness of straw and earliness.

Great distress from the drought is reported to exist in Frio county, Texas. The people in the rural districts have been reduced to a state of absolute poverty, begging on starvation. It is pressing the need for help that the farmer's alliance of Frio has issued an appeal to the benevolent.

A farmer in Ottawa County, Mr. Thomas Daly, of Upper Wakefield, lately bought a farm in this locality for \$1,000, upon which a rich iron mine is claimed to have been discovered. A firm of New York capitalists has already offered Mr. Daly \$25,000 for the property with the mining rights. So it is said.

Special cablegrams received at Ottawa say that the renewed outcry in England against the importation of Canadian cattle is really only a protest against the high prices of the butcher's meat. It is pointed out that the fact that good prices are given at Smithfield is a complete answer to the assertion that the cattle are ill-treated on the voyage and landed in a bad condition.

### The Roman Wife.

In the early days the strictest kind of marriage conferred on the Roman wife privileges which were considerable in extent and honorable in degree. When married by the law of "omn conventions" and with the form of "conferre" — the two cakes, and she, the sacred called to share with her husband water and fire — she was set in a place of personal dignity and moral power; and though she belonged to the family more than to the community, she took care of her interests and provided for her welfare. Her legal position was certainly merged in that of her husband, who was emphatically the master of the household; she was counted as one under the protection of her own; but she was secure from his caprice and could not be divorced at his pleasure. Nor might she be ill-used; and she was as much mistress in the house as he was master. "Ubi in Gains, age Gains," was the motto of her husband's child, but she was protected against that breadth of paternal power which made the father both the law and the executive in his own household and enable him to sell his children into slavery or to put them to death.

She was free from the domination of her own father, and her husband's was restricted. She inherited from her husband equally, but only equally, with her children, and as a daughter she shared with her brothers. Unlike the Greek heiress, who, as with the Eastern women, was something rather than the free holder of property — taken over as an obligation integral to the inheritance, like the fixtures in the house of the stock on the farm — the Roman widow inherited from her own woman, and the woman girl endowed the man she married. This legal consideration was the reward of personal merit, and dated back to the foundation of the empire. By their refusal to leave their Roman husbands when the Sabine Army came down to avenge the deed which had made their virgin wives and mothers, the women saved Rome. Romulus rewarded them with honors for themselves and the whole class of matrons. The curies were called by the name of the Sabine wives — *Fortinglity*.

No precautions are required for the preservation of beef, for it takes care of itself. Nearly all butchers kill at the beginning of cold weather a sufficient number of animals to furnish provisions for the entire winter and allow the meat to freeze. There is no fear of any food changing in such a temperature. The fish become so solid and stiff that they are set upon their tails against the walls of the markets, be the tail ever so long and the fish ever so heavy.

Often fruits preserved in ice are placed upon the table of the Siberian evening meal, the method of keeping them being similar to that employed with meats. As soon as the severe cold sets in they are exposed to the air, if possible toward the north, where there is no sun to reach them, they thus become completely frozen. When eaten they are found to have retained their flavor marvellously, notwithstanding their change from a frozen rigidity to the thawed state necessary for use. At the moment of being served they are usually as hard as wood, and, if they chance to fall, the rattle like stones upon the floor. The heat of the room gradually softens them and they assume their original form. — *Youth's Companion*.

It is almost incredible the number of times a robin-red-breast will come and go after berries, always with a great rustling of leaves, and his slighting and departing usually followed by a liberal scattering of fruit on the ground, which he never seems to think of picking up — wasteful marauder! — not only taking all he wants, but actually spoiling as much as he takes away.

Birds are probably responsible for the existence of many of the seed-bearing shrubs and herbs. They are seed-distributors, conveying seeds farther than the wind can, that is, of the kinds that form their favorite food. They sow garget where it is not welcome; berries they have scattered broadcast about their neighborhood (that is to be set down in their favour), and I suspect them of the lovely service of increasing the number of bushes of wild briar rose — the sweet-brier, or *eglantine*. — *Wide Awake*.

### Household Hints.

—Cut fingers and bruises of all kinds if wrapped in cloth wet in alum water will heal very rapidly.

—Kid shoes may be kept soft and free from cracks by rubbing them occasionally with pure glycerine.

—To remove paint spots from clothing saturate the fabric with equal parts of turpentine and water of ammonia.

—Paper will stick to walls that are washed in a solution of one-fourth pound of glue to a gallon of water.

—To rub with a damp flannel dipped in the best whitening, the brown discoloration may be taken off cups in which custards have been baked.

—To keep iron kettles from rusting, when new boil a piece of pork in them and let the solution cool before emptying; or simply grease them with the pork rind and heat it thoroughly.

—Ink stains may be removed from white goods by saturating the spot with water and then covering with powdered salta of lemon. Put in the sun for five minutes, wash with soap and rinse.

### WOMEN'S COLUMN.

#### Suggestions for Christians.

"Whether, therefore, ye eat or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God." — I. Cor. 10: 31.

1. Never neglect daily private prayer; if possible have stated times for this exercise, and when you pray, remember that God is present, and that He hears your prayer. — Heb. 11: 6.

2. Never neglect private Bible reading; and when you read, remember that God is speaking to you, and that you are to believe and act upon what he says. — Back-sliding generally begins with the neglect of private prayer and Scripture reading. — John 5: 39.

3. Never let a day pass without trying to do something for Jesus. Every night reflect on what Jesus has done for you, and then ask yourself, "What am I doing for him?" — Matt. 6: 13, 16.

4. If ever you are in doubt as to a thing being right or wrong, at once ask God's guidance and blessing. — Cor. 3: 17. "If you cannot do this, stand still." — Rom. 14: 23.

5. Never take your Christianity for granted; or argue that because such and such people do so and so, that therefore you may. — I. Cor. 10: 12. "You should ask yourself, 'How would Christ act in my place?' and strive to follow him." — John 10: 27.

6. Never trust your feelings if they contradict God's word. Ask yourself, "Can what I feel be true, if God's word be true?" and if both cannot be true, believe God and make your own heart a liar. — Rom. 3: 4; I. Jno. 5: 10, 11.

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Never a star 'mid the stars One gleaming at the bars Of her shining away Toward the unborn day. Mount, and an entrance win, Steal in, my soul, and in Sleep may this eyelids meet; Sleep on, O sweet!

Steal in, but breathe not above The lowest whisper of love; Hover around her there In that holy air; Glide into her dreams, and be A memory of me.

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young man laughed, and the lady looked at him frankly and laughed. "But the train will be full," she said, "and here comes my maid. You offered just now to help me, perhaps—"

"You will let me?" he said, joyfully. "Ah! and you will tell me," said the lady with her pretty foreign accent, "for the Metropole ought I to go to Victoria or to the Charing Cross?"

"No, but I thank you for it. Your English is difficult for me," she replied. "If you would speak in French—This marriage?—I am sorry to ourselves. *Senle! Que nous sommes hennues n'est-ce pas Veronique?*" she added, turning to her maid.

"I will come back," said the lady, turning quickly to her maid and speaking, curiously enough, without a foreign accent, and in English, "surely he will come back."

"The young man looked at her in amazement. 'How did you know how could you have known?' She lowered her eyebrows. In the shadow her pupils distended rapidly. The black encroached upon the red.

At the Lord Warden, Percy Hanbury found a letter awaiting him. It was from his sister, and it ran as follows: 'PERCY'S MARRIAGE, S. W., Wednesday. DEAR OLD PERCY: I direct this to Dover, for I suppose by this time you will have returned to your home, and last letter was returned to me from Venice. I concluded that you must have left just as you were, and I don't know your address, you stupid boy, when you move suddenly! And why did I write to you in the first place? I don't know what I did in that letter I had told you all sorts of things, and now I have to repeat them this time—'

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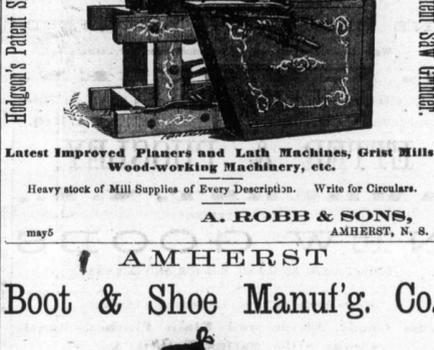
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