

The Ex-Convict.

I was walking one morning in the country near the bank of a river when a young man of twenty-two or twenty-three rose out of some bushes. He was dressed in convict stripes.

Cheapest Way to Fatten Hogs.

I think the reader will agree with me that the well regulated farm has at this season of the year some hogs that are in condition for fattening so as to make the winter's meat.

And another thing about these fattening hogs: I would not feed them too long. As the hog grows older and increases in size he increases in weight and at an increased cost in food.

Now I think the feeding pen should be kept as clean as possible. I do not agree with many people that the hog is a filthy animal. I think that he ought to have accommodations that are sanitary.

As soon as I received the letter I telegraphed Ryder to temporize with Hardy, and I at once took a train for Ryder's home. I found him and his wife together, the picture of despair.

the hogs, and ear of ground corn for the remaining part of the ration.

Don't try to have the biggest hogs.

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These hogs that weigh two hundred pounds are not increasing in weight as fast as they should. If you want a profitable hog from the standpoint of the farmer who feeds him, here is the most favorable hog for the market demand.

Another opportunity for skill in farming.

These few suggestions that are made here show what a big field the feeding of hogs opens up.

A "Billions Attack."

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First tract: Adjoining the lands of James Moore, L. Ward and others and bounded as follows: Beginning at a black oak, then East 16.30 chains to a post oak, then South 28 chains to a pine, William B. Farrow's corner, then East 15.50 chains to a stone in the dividing line, then North 27.75 chains to a stone, then East 45 links to a stone, then South 24.75 chains to a stone in Ward's line, then West on Moore's and others 27.25 chains to a post oak stump, Moore's corner, then North 45 degrees West 150 chains to a Hickory, Moore's corner, then South 7 chains to a stake, then West 30 chains to a black oak, then South 10 chains to a Hickory, John Farrow's line, then South 35.25 chains East 32.25 chains to a post oak, then East 4 chains to the beginning, containing 39 acres and more or less.

Second tract: Beginning at a stake in Stalker's line, then South 35 rods to a stone in Farrow's line, then East 24 rods to a white oak, then North 12 rods to a stone, then East 12 rods to the beginning, containing eight and one-quarter acres more or less.

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