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He that by the plow would thrive, Eimself must citizer hold or drive."

What an old Farmer Says.

This is the advice of an old man who has tilled the soil for forty years :

"I am an old man, upwards of three scere years, during two scores of which I have tilled the soil. I cannot say that I am now, but I have been rich, and have all that I need, do not owe a dollar, have given my children a good education, and when I am called away will leave them enough to keep the wolf from the door. My ex perience has taught me that:

1. One acre of land well prepared and well cultivated, produced more than two which received only the same amount of labor used on one.

2. One cow, horse, mule, sheep or hog well fed, is more profitable than two kept on the same amount necessary to keep one well.

3. One acre of clover or grass is worth more then two of cotton where no grass or clover is raised. 4 No farmer who buys oats, corn,

wheat, fodder and hay, as a rule for ten years, can keep the sheriff away from the door in the end.

5. The farmer who never reads the papers and sneers at book farming and justice. improvements, always has a leaky roof. poor stock, broken down fences and complains of bad "seasons."

6. The farmer who is above his business and intrusts it to another to manage, soon has no business to attend

7. The farmer whose habitual bever age is cold water, is healthier, wealthier and wiser than he who does not refuse to drink.

Things that Pay.

It pays to have a garden, if you will take care of it; if you can't- or won't do not attempt it. Perhaps a dozen of your neighbors are in the same fix; in which case you might club together and hire a gardener on the co-operative plan. If you make a garden, it pays to enrich the ground liberally. Nothing from nothing is one of nature's by-laws, if not a part of the constitution of things. Stable manure is adequate for nearly all purposes. The value of wood ashes, especially for potatoes, peas. early beans, etc., is also very great. It pays to withhold your seeding until your ground is dry and can be thoroughly pulverized, particularly for all root crops and for corn. It pays to sow your vegetables in long rows instead of the old-fashioned beds. and to use stakes and line in planting everything that your rows may be strait and even. It pays to rotate crops from one spot in the garden to enother. When the ground is wormy ft pays to use lime. It pays to kill a weed wherever and as soon as you see it.

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They were walking by the seaside, and he sighed and she sighed; and she was by his side and he by her side, and they were beside themselves, besides Being at the sesside, where he sighed and she also sighed.

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ernor, of the State of North Caronna, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, de issue this my proclamation, offering a reward of Two Hundred Dollars for the apprehension and delivery of the said Edwin Farmer to the Sheriff of Wilson county, 8 the Court House in Wilson, and I do enjoir all officers of the State and all good citizens to assist in bringing said criminal to

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