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FARM AND GARDEN.

Celery raw, stewed, or in soup is the cure for rheumatism, and a very simple and agreeable one.

Farmers should use less guano and diversify their crops as much as possible, raising everything on the farm that they need as far as practicable.

Save your hen manure. When properly managed it will prove cheaper, if upon quick-growing crops, than any fertilizer that the farmer can save or buy.

An implement which, with good care, would last twenty years, will, when exposed to the weather, become useless in five years, or even less.

Have plenty of live, clean, wholesome reading matter in the home—better have too much than too little. Give the newspaper a place on your table, and add a well-selected new book as often as practicable.

The country lad who is trained to simple ways and homely virtues, and who learns what a dollar is worth by actually earning it under the laws of imperative necessity, has a tremendous advantage over the town boy.

The only proper treatment for weeds gone to seed is to burn them. All that they contain of any value to the crop of next season is left in the ash. To burn the weeds and apply their ashes to the soil is a mark of good farming.

The Rural New Yorker is of the opinion that the real cause of a good proportion of the "malarial," rheumatism and other diseases, for which various patent medicines are administered, is trichinosis, a which disease enters the system through raw or half-cooked pork.

No better source of fertility can be found than forest leaver. Red stock with them, litter the chicken house with them, stack them up, moisten them and let them rot; let them form the base of your compost heap; you will find them a profitable investment used in other ways.

Among the causes which produce little heads in horses and cattle, it is standing on rotten manure heaps or in pools of liquid manure. Standing in such decomposing organic matter is still more injurious, when the animals' conditions are weak. The immediate cause is an infection which is added to the other conditions.

"If you would know your neighbor, look not upon the fair facade of his dwelling, but seek to learn something of his backyard," says Wm. H. Gibson, an artist author. Nothing could be truer. This very notable sentence is an emphatic way of stating an old fact, that is crystallized in many proverbs and epigrams.

The indebtedness of a nation to its rural population is generally underrated, since public attention is fixed only upon those men and things that make a great stir in the world. But not only is the maintenance of physical life dependent upon the cultivation of the soil, but their influence is invaluable in restoring all sorts of wild and dangerous schemes either in politics or other fields of human action.

It becomes more and more evident each year that much of the sickness prevalent in the country is directly attributable to the quality of the water. By carefully studying the matter it is found that nine cases out of ten typhoid fevers originate in families whose water supply is from a well, in which impure water comes, and quite generally, such is the case.

No matter how pure the water may have been when the well was first dug, sooner or later it will be contaminated by water flowing through the soil or barnyards and man-pools located anywhere near it. We have in mind a case in which four children died from diphtheria. An examination by the physician proved that the steps from the kitchen had so filled the soil for a distance of twenty feet between the back door out of which they were thrown, and the well, that the water in the latter was polluted by fecal gases, and from the use of which diphtheria had certainly resulted.

The teeth of horses often cause them a great deal of trouble, and we have no doubt but that the extra teeth called the "wolf-teeth" do sometimes affect the nerves of the eyes and lead to blindness or dimness of sight. It is the notion of horsemen that slying in horses is generally caused by defective eyesight. In some cases slying horses have been cured of the habit by removing their wolf-teeth. It is worth looking after, for a dodger is always dangerous. Driving with blinkers will sometimes keep a horse from slying, especially if he slyes from side looks. Some horses always do this and they are worst. When they see an object ahead which frightens them the driver has some warning but a slye takes one unawares unless, knowing his habit, one is always prepared,

and this is seldom the case. The horse frightened from some object ahead will do as well and vary likely better to have his eyes free. A man should study his horse's peculiarities and be prepared to meet them. Careless driving never is a safe way, for the oldest and safest horse will get scared.

The Culture of Roots.

Root crops of all kinds succeed well in the mountain and piedmont region. The culture of these crops is profitable in more than one way. The roots are excellent food for all kinds of stock, especially sheep and cows kept for making butter, and also for swine. As these special kinds of stock are well suited to our climate and locality it follows that we should grow root crops of some kind for their use. But their culture is exceedingly useful to the soil and improves it both by means of the manure used and the clean cultivation needed by which too prevalent weeds are kept down. Root crops are an adjunct of the best kind of farming and are therefore of great value to all farmers. They yield a very large quantity of food, by which many animals can be fed, and thus a large quantity of manure is made for the enrichment of the land.

The best roots are sugar beets and mangels, these being devoid of any ill-odor or flavor which might interfere with the quality of the butter made. For all other stock than cows, turkeys or runts-bags may be used but they are no more easily grown than the beets and mangels, and these are the most nutritious. The former contain about 11 or 12 per cent of sugar and are thus worth for feeding several times more than the others.

Sweet potatoes are perhaps the best and most easily grown crop of this kind, as they are rich in sugar and starch, which are the elements of food most useful in fattening. But they yield no more than a third as much as the roots above named, which will produce from 800 to 1,200 bushels per acre when well grown. As the culture of sweet potatoes, however, is well understood all over the Southern States this crop might be largely grown for feeding stock and the sugar beets might be tried in a small way as a beginning. As the manufacture of sweet corn, if done well probably, before many years, it is advisable that farmers should make themselves familiar with their culture.

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Condensed Schedule in Effect Nov. 14, 1876. Trains Run by 15 Minutes Time.

Southbound.	No. 2011	No. 202
Le. New York	12:50 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
Philadelphia	1:10 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
Baltimore	1:30 p.m.	2:35 p.m.
Washington	1:50 p.m.	2:55 p.m.
Charlottesville	2:10 p.m.	3:15 p.m.
Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	3:35 p.m.
Richmond	2:50 p.m.	3:55 p.m.
Danville	3:10 p.m.	4:15 p.m.
Greensboro	3:30 p.m.	4:35 p.m.
Asheville	3:50 p.m.	4:55 p.m.
Hot Springs	4:10 p.m.	5:15 p.m.

Northbound.	No. 2012	No. 203
Le. Danville	5:10 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Richmond	5:30 p.m.	6:35 p.m.
Lynchburg	5:50 p.m.	6:55 p.m.
Charlottesville	6:10 p.m.	7:15 p.m.
Washington	6:30 p.m.	7:35 p.m.
Baltimore	6:50 p.m.	7:55 p.m.
Philadelphia	7:10 p.m.	8:15 p.m.
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