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May 20

# Agriculture.

AN OLD FARMER'S EXPERIENCE.

That the success of farming is in experi-

That to ask a man's advice is not stooping, but often of much benefit.

That to keep a place for everything, and everything in its place, saves many a step. and is pretty sure to lead to good tools and to keep them in order.

That kindness to stock, like good shelter, is a saving of fodder.

That to fight weeds is to favour grain, and to do justice to your neighbors.

That in making home agreeable, you keep your boys out of the city.

That it is a good thing to grow into farming-not jump into it.

That it is a good thing to keep an eye out on experiments and note all, good and

That it is a good rule to sell your grain when it is ready.

SELECTING CALVES FOR MILKERS.

A writer in one of our exchanges says: -" The points that indicate the good cow are discernible in the calf; and why not? This may stagger some dairymen, but that is just what we wish to do. This wholesale slaughtering of calves in the spring is wrong. A calf will show a good milk mirror as well as a cow, a rich-cream-coloured udder as well as a cow, and a healthy, thrifty look and strong loin as well as a cow-and these points make up the cow every time. Let the breed be what it may, this is our experience in the matter. A calf that is worth ten or fifteen dollars should not be killed for its mere hide, for the lack of judgment in selecting."

#### MANURE TRADE.

The manure trade has now acquired an importance second to no other branch of British manufacture. Put the annual increase of all our cotton, linen, woollen, and hardware together, and it is questionable if the sum will balance the increase of produce arising from the application of artificial manures to the British soil; and when we add to this notorious fact that this increase of produce is not half what it should be, something like an approximate estimate may be found of its value to all classes of the public .- Irish Farmer's Gazette.

### VALUABLE TREES.

A pine tree is likely to be valuable property in North Carolina, under a new mode of treatment. The wood is charred in a retort, and the production from a cord of wood is said to be ten gallons of turpentine worth \$4; eighty gallons of oil, \$28; fifteen gallons of black varnish, \$7.20; 100 gallons of wood acid, \$5; and forty-two bushels of charcoal, besides considerable inflammable gas; but besides this the product has a market value of \$2.50; all of which is obtained at a cost of wood and labor of \$10.

### SAVE THE BONES.

Every family should provide a barrel or box for receiving chicken bones, fish bones, and bits of beef bones which accumulate in the kitchen. A hundred pounds may be saved in a few weeks. Such bones are more valuable for grass-land, and for burying around all kinds of fruit trees and grape vines, than Peruvian guano, which is worth from three to five cents per pound.

There are three very essential things to. remember about butter making; in the first place you must have a good cow, in the secand you must have a good milkman or maid, and in the third, you must feed the cow well. Any one of these items being wanting, hinders success.

When making a good fence where the posts are liable to be lifted out by the frost, it is an excellent practice to cut a ditch three feet deep, lay two-inch tiles in the bottom, and set the posts in the channel. They will never be lifted so long as the water course in the tile has free outlet to carry away the surplus moisture, which is the main cause of heaving.

Lieing is like trieing tew hide in a fog; if yu move about yure in danger uv bumping yure head again the truth, and az soon az the fog blows oph yu are gone ennyhow. -Billings.

### MESSENGER ALMANACK.

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