

Agriculture.

USE OF WIND-BREAKS.

Belts of trees—deciduous and evergreen—will break off the wind from a large tract of land, and render the local climate comparatively mild and equable.

Experiments of this kind have been tried on sea-shores, and with success. A recent traveller speaks of a certain district in England, on the cliffs of the German Ocean, which had formerly been a bleak, sterile promontory, but is now a beautiful and productive garden.

In visiting several fruit-orchards near Cayuga Lake, last summer, we noticed that two of the very best were shielded on the north and west sides by screens of Norway spruce.

But enough has been said to illustrate the importance of shelter, and to suggest some of the means by which such protection may be secured.

A CHEAP FARM GATE.

Take six pieces of stuff ten feet long, four inches wide, and one inch thick; lay these down on a level piece on the ground, leaving your first bottom space two and three quarter inches wide, the next three inches, the next three and a half inches, the next five and a half inches, and the next, or top space, nine and a half inches wide.

A FAMILY COW.

A writer who says his cow gives all the milk that is wanted in a family of eight persons, and from which was made two hundred and sixty pounds of butter in the year, gives the following as his treatment.

Be slow to choose a friend, and slower to change him; be courteous to all.

MESSENGER ALMANACK.

October, 1870.

First Quarter, October 1st, 5h. 3m. afternoon. Full Moon, " 9th, 9h. 28m. morning. Last Quarter, " 17th, 1h. 59m. afternoon. New Moon, " 24th, 11h. 21m. morning. First Quarter, " 31st, 3h. 47m. morning.

Table with columns for Day, Sun., Moon., High Tide, and Low Tide. Rows list days from 1st to 31st with corresponding times and phases.

THE TIDES.—The column of the Moon's Southing gives the time of high water at Parrsboro', Cornwallis, Horton, Hantsport, Windsor, Newport, and Truro.

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FOR THE LENGTH OF THE DAY.—Add 12 hours to the time of the sun's setting, and from the sum subtract the time of rising.

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