

Stock.

Raising a Colt.

A colt is regarded as an incubance because he is useless until he arrives at a suitable age for work, but it really costs very little, compared with his value, to raise a colt.

Again, when a colt is foaled in the fall he must pass through a period of several months' confinement in the stable without exercise, or else be more or less chilled with cold from time to time.

When a farmer raises his horses he knows their disposition, constitution and capacity. It is the proper way to get good, sound, serviceable horses on the farm.

Sheep and Wheat.

We are satisfied that there are no two branches of grain and stock farming that can be so profitably combined as wheat and sheep farming.

By carefully utilizing all our products, our farms will grow richer and our pockets larger. It is very essential that every farmer keep a few sheep; first, as a source of profit; second, as renovators—they being very destructive to weeds, brush and such accumulations in fence rows and other obscure places.

We have carefully noted the growing and marketing of the great crops wool and wheat. We need to grow more wool, because we do not produce enough for home consumption; while with wheat we have to look to foreign markets very largely to make sales.

There are several ways of marking with paint. A very cheap way is to take a pinch of Venetian red between the thumb and first finger, and draw them over a lock of the wool letting the powder slip.

The amateur may ask what kind of sheep to keep. Well, if mutton is the object, take mutton sheep of the English breeds; if wool is the object, take the American Merino.

coarse wool sheep have been bred for hundreds of years on the Downs of England and are a fixed type; while the fine wools were bred in Spain as long ago as the time when the Moors invaded that country.

Milk for Young Colts.

It is recommended by those who have tried the experiment, to give cows' milk to young colts to drink instead of water, as it is not rich as that of mares rarely have sufficient milk for the proper nourishment of the colts.

Prepare winter shelter for stock. It is easier to do so now than when it is cold and stormy. If you can afford nothing better than a straw shed make that, and do not be ashamed of it.

FALL WORK—TIMELY HINTS.

At this season of the year farm life is busy, and a few timely hints cannot be amiss, so we append the following culled from our exchanges:

The barnyard manure should be hauled out in the fall. It will be thoroughly rotted by that time if properly treated. The best way to reduce straw to manure is to turn the cattle to the stack and let them pull it down as soon as possible.

In the fall is a good time to clean up and burn old rubbish. Old logs, chunks, brush and stumps should be piled up and burned. At this season of the year they are dry, and will burn readily.

See that all farm machinery is cleaned, oiled, and put in dry for the winter. Mud should be carefully cleaned from plows, harrows and other implements.

A talented lady, who lectured before a Brooklyn literary society, speaking of Job and his patience, remarked that all her sympathies went out to Mrs. Job, who made the poetical.

She laid her cheek on the easy chair against his head and murmured, "How I do love to rest my head against your head, Augustus!" "Do you?" said he, "Is it because you love me?" "No; because it is so nice and soft."

To remove stumps from a field, all that is necessary is to have one or more sheet-iron chimneys, some four or five feet high. Set fire to the stump and place the chimney over it, so as to give the requisite draught at the bottom.

The Apiary.

Moving Bees.

We have, many times, now and then, some swarms of bees that are not in a place to suit us; we would like to move them varying distances, from a few feet to as many miles. A few items of instruction may be of benefit to those who have had no experience in this particular.

When the calla pots cannot be had, use a common ten or twelve inch pot and saucer, and do not fill the pot quite full of earth. You can set the pot in the kitchen sink each morning and water the plant well with quite warm water, taking care not to pour it on the stalks.

two or three times during the summer, just as you would a hill of potatoes. In the fall, anywhere from the first to the 15th of September, lift your callas and re-pot in good, rich soil.

After the calla has been potted, keep it in a shady place for ten days or two weeks, and water but little; then it may be brought forward to the sunny south window.

Never allow the blossoms to wither and dry up on the plant, but cut as soon as they begin to fade, and other buds will soon appear.

Why Peach Trees Thrive in a Corner. At a recent meeting of a farmer's club near Lancaster, Pa., a farmer said he had better luck with his peach trees when he planted in fence corners and gave them no care.

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Gardens should be cleaned of old vines, leaves and bushes. Burn or cart off all this rubbish, and have the ground for the next spring.

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