

PORTLAND PRODUCE MARKET.

Table listing various produce items such as Butter, Eggs, Apples, and other goods with their respective prices and quantities.

AGRICULTURAL.

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Farmyard Manure.

Among intelligent farmers who exercise considerable care in storing their manure there are some singular prejudices prevailing regarding the value and use of manure.

Of course there are crops in which a limited use of rotted manure is found in practice to be necessary for the successful cultivation of certain crops.

But since guano, bone dust and other portable manures became available for turnip and other crops that require immediate manurial action, it has been a well established rule that farmyard manure had better be used before it has lost any of its fertilizing constituents.

The common practice of carrying dung and litter daily from the various farm buildings to an open pit occasions the loss of a considerable portion of its most valuable elements.

Brussels Sprouts.

Farmers at the West scarcely know of the name, much less the virtue, of Brussels sprouts. It is a small cabbage, very much more delicate than the common cabbage, and superior in flavor to the favorite cauliflower.

It is a fall vegetable. In the hot weather of summer the little buds do not form a good, tender, compact head as they do in the cooler weather of autumn.

The picking of the sprouts commences when those near the ground begin to form heads, and is repeated from time to time about once in a week or two as they mature.

Willows for Fence Posts.

The fence post question is one of much importance to the American farmer, owing to the difficulty of procuring suitable wood for the purpose.

will not rot are had, already securely set, at the cost of setting out the trees only. But to this there is the objection that the swaying of the trees loosens the nails holding the boards or the staples fastening the wires, whether the nails or staples are driven into the tree or into a piece of timber fastened to the tree.

Monkey Labor.

The hemp-raisers in this vicinity now successfully employ monkey labor in competition with that of the negro. Perkins & Chrisman have a force of eleven large monkeys of the semiorilla species found near Capetown, South Africa.

Washington as a Farmer.

In an almanac of 1790 we find the following: "Gen. Washington possesses 10,000 acres of land in one body, where he lives; constantly employs 240 hands; keeps 25 plow gangs going all the year, when the weather will permit; sowed, in 1787, 600 acres of oats, 700 acres of wheat and prepared as much corn, barley, potatoes, beans, peas, etc., as he near 500 acres in grass and sowed 150 with turnips. Stock—140 horses, 112 cows, 235 working oxen, heifers and steers, and 500 sheep.

A San Diego (Cal.) beekeeper has most effectually settled for himself the question of the alleged damage done to grapes by his insect pest.

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The most careful estimates of the coming wheat crop of California vary from 20,000,000 to 21,000,000 cents. The San Francisco Grocer says: There is likely to be a surplus of 10,000,000 bushels or more in this State, which should give a possible export from the Pacific Coast of not less than 25,000,000 and possibly 30,000,000 to 35,000,000 bushels.

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