

The Farm

Improvement of Worn-out Lands.

From the (Oxford) Farmers' Club.

In giving my experience in the attempt to run a farm on worn-out lands...

It is known to all readers of travel and natural history—have found out that a very acceptable drink is made by putting...

Our Receipt to make Currant Wine. For several years we made a ten gallon keg of currant wine...

The second writer that attracted my attention appeared a few years after, and denied the assertion of the first...

My observation goes to prove the theory of the second writer, that our poor woodlands, which cannot be made rich without lime in some form...

In regard to the application of lime over poor lands, it should be worked and worked shallowly the first year...

You may ask the question: "What will become of the cattle?" There are some farms with a marsh, a branch or hill-side that cannot be cultivated...

Some of the fast gentlemen may want a fast horse or two. Let me say to them that it is not a paying stock...

COMMENCED on the enclosing system; fenced off a standing pasture and adhered to it except with the horses and clover...

It is established that when the stalk begins to turn yellow, the plant receives more sap from the earth...

It has been equally well proved that the grain in process of ripening becomes more full, plumper from the heats of the sun...

THE MOST RATIONAL SYSTEM therefore for harvesting grain is: 1. To cut the straw at the moment it begins to turn yellow...

Each shock is formed by five or six sheaves placed standing a little inclined, and in a round form...

It is an important point at a period when, for want of force, there are always jobs in waiting...

REMARKS BY TRANSLATOR. The practice suggestive in the latter part of the above remarks is one which has been long followed...

Don't Cut too Low.—We think many of our farmers make a great mistake in cutting their grass very low...

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