

The South.

REASONABLE HINTS ABOUT FARM MATTERS.

Apart from what we have said in relation to farm work for November, there are certain matters in regard to the care of the household, the keeping of stock, and the preparations for spring crops to which we now take occasion to advert.

We have a word or two to say at this time in respect to the proper selection of seed corn. Every good farmer knows that by a judicious choice of the ears growing upon a field he may greatly improve not only the quality of his seed but also largely increase the yield of future crops.

We close this paper with a hint or two in regard to the fattening of swine in addition to what we have already said upon the subject. Many persons are in the habit of feeding small refuse potatoes to their fattening hogs, and these when mixed with a small proportion of corn meal constitute an excellent food, especially when given in the earlier part of the season.

A CHEAP BAROMETER.—It is said by a scientific journal that a very cheap barometer is made by dissolving some camphor in alcohol, and then throwing into the solution some soda.

AS EGGS IN A BOTTLE.—To accomplish this seeming incredible act requires the following preparation: You must take an egg and soak it in vinegar, and in process of time its shell will become quite soft, so that it may be extended lengthwise without breaking; then insert it into the neck of a small bottle, and by pouring cold water upon it, it will resume its former figure and hardness.

TABLE OF DISTANCES IN MISSOURI.

Table listing distances between various Missouri cities such as St. Louis, Jefferson City, Sedalia, and Warrensburg.

Now AND THEN.—The following extract is from a speech of Hon. Joseph Holt, four years since: "The South has ever deprecated agitation."

Hon. Edward Everett's letter of acceptance of the Vice Presidency in 1850. "The suggestion," said he, "that the Union can be maintained by the numerical predominance and military prowess of one section, exerted to coerce the other into submission, is in my judgment, as self-contradictory as it is dangerous."

NOTICE.—CHANGE OF DAYS TO THE FUTURE. On and after Saturday, September 25th, 1861, the steamer GEORGE WEEMS will leave Baltimore every SATURDAY MORNING, at 6 o'clock for the Patuxent River.

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"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights, among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness."

Yes, sir, we wish for peace, but how is this blessing to be preserved? I shall repeat here a sentiment I have often had occasion to express. In my opinion there is nothing more to be desired than that the Union should be preserved, in the national honor is involved.

Guard with jealous attention the public liberty. Suspect every one who approaches that jewel. Unfortunately, nothing will preserve it but downright virtue. It is not a gift to be bestowed, it is a duty to be performed.

As to the history of the Revolution, my ideas may be peculiar, perhaps singular. What do we mean by the Revolution? The Revolution was not a party of the people, it was a party of the nation.

The honorable gentleman who presided, told us that to prevent abuses in our government we will assemble in convention, recall our delegates, and choose a new set of representatives.

"A town meeting of Boston had been called at the Old South Church, in consequence of some new aggression upon the rights of the people. The effort was made to engage in a quiet and orderly manner the meeting, loud in complaint and accusation, but guarded and cautious on every point which might look like an approach to violence."

added upon the authority of a single ship... The British Court has been famous during the present reign, for the discussion of ministers, for which the British Court has been famous during the present reign, for the discussion of ministers, for which the British Court has been famous during the present reign, for the discussion of ministers...

"The glorious spirit of liberty is languished and left without hope but in a miracle, said Samuel Adams, 'we have, as Wolfe expressed it, a choice of difficulties, as Wolfe expressed it, a choice of difficulties, as Wolfe expressed it, a choice of difficulties...'"

"But in truth the cry of Danmore did not come among the Africans, it came from freedom. To them being in Virginia was not a lower condition of being than their former one; they had no regrets for ancient privileges lost; their memories were not even to wear black clothes for mourning. To encourage the growth and manufacture of wool, nearly all Boston signed a covenant to eat no lamb."

"The loss of officers was observed to be disproportionately great; and the gloom in the quarters of the British was deepened by the reflection that they had fought not against an enemy, but against their fellow-subjects and kindred; not for the promotion of civil or religious freedom, but for the supremacy of one part of the empire over another."

Upon the whole it has been the policy of the British authority to oblige us to supply our wants at their market, which is the dearest in the known world, and to cramp and confine our trade so as to be subservient to their commerce, our real interest being ever on the question.—Chief Justice Drayton, Charge to the Grand Jury, Charleston, May 25, 1776.

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