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AGRICULTURAL.

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ANOTHER GOOD MOVE.

A member of the Illinois Constitutional Convention has introduced a provision in the Constitution requiring County Supervisors to cause trees to be planted along the highways, the cost to be paid by taxation. The plan is, that five per cent. of the highways in each county be planted each year.

The Editor of the *Western Farmer* calculates this, "that in a county 20 miles square there would be 800 miles of highway. This would require 40 miles of trees to be planted each year. Trees at 33 feet apart would give 12,000 trees in each county, each year." What would such a yearly effort accomplish for Nebraska in a very few years? The difference in the production of the soil, by reason of this protection, would be ten fold the expense. Few people understand the real importance of tree planting in a prairie country like ours. It not only adds wealth by reason of the presence of the trees planted, but the productiveness of the soil is actually increased, which can easily be shown by scientific demonstration.

One of the best things our State can do to-day, is to expend liberally of its lands to plant timber on remaining portions. Four per cent. of the State Lands about the Capital, especially expended in planting timber in other portions, would, in ten years, add fifty per cent. to the value of the lands planted. Will our Legislature give these matters the attention their importance demands? Our State is purely an agricultural region, and it wants agricultural effort and assistance.

A Good Sized Farm.

Maj. B. F. LUSHBAUGH, a gentleman well known throughout the State, has recently purchased the old home farm of Hon. GEO. P. TUCKER, one of the pioneers and permanent men in Johnson county. This gives the Major, with other lands he owned, adjoining this, a snug little farm, three and a half miles long. He now has five hundred and sixty acres under cultivation, and where he has already planted two thousand peach trees, and other fruits in proportion. He has also just given his order for one thousand apple. pear, plum, cherry, apricot and Nectarines, to be planted the coming spring. The Major has invested quite extensively in cattle and swine, and is in a fair way to show off a "big" farm in Johnson County.

As fine a lot of apples as ever eye beheld, was brought into this place on Friday last, by Mr. VALENTINE LIVINGSTON, of Atchison County, Mo., directly opposite our county. A variety known in Pomology as Danver's Winter Sweet, is certainly one of the most magnificient apples we have seen or tasted; fruit rather large, roundish oblong, flesh yellow, fine, sweet and rich, well handled will keep till April. Can be seen at Cy. Pollocks. The trees upon which these apples grew were fifteen years old, and yielded the past season, an average of twenty bushels to the tree. He sold his apples here for $2 per bushel, making $40 to the tree, one hundred and eight trees to an acre, twenty feet apart—the proper distance for this country—at $40 per tree makes the snug little sum of $4,320 per acre.

Mr. Livingston informs us that he has been a resident of Atchison county, Mo., for thirty-six years. He has a fine orchard and is successful in growing all kinds of fruits, particularly apples and pears. His orchard is situated on the bluff lands, near Rockport, on a Northorn slope.

The Plattsmouth Daily *Herald*, of Jan. 4th says;

We received a private letter from Lincoln a few days since, in we find the following sentence. "I saw a man breaking prairie close to Lincoln on the 18th of December, and he was doing a first-rate job of breaking."

We have known instances of farmers in Nemaha County, plowing on both Christmas and New Years day.

We were pleased to make the acquaintance, the other day, of E. M. LIPSEY, Esq., who has recently located in this place. He has purchased Dr. Blackburn's place in this city, and is going extensively into stock and grain business. He brought with him some fine Magee hogs, and has purchased others since here. Mr. L. is delighted with our country, and is taking hold in good earnest. Such men are not only welcome, but very desirable.

L. A. WALKER, Esq., Treasurer State Board of Agriculture, is "laying on his oars" and enjoying a little leisure in looking over the country. While at Fort Scott, Kansas, he wrote us, from which we extract the following:

To tell you the truth, the general appearance of fruit trees—contrasted with ours at home—would seem to justify me in usipg the leisure time just now at my disposal, in further examining that section of country on or near the 37th degree north.

One thing is sure, however, that deep, rich and mellow soil is very considerably scarcer on the elevated lands in the region of Fort Scott—than there in Nebraska on our high lands—but more of this when we have seen more of it.

For the exceedingly beautiful bouquet of Scarlet Geraneums which graces our editorial table, we are indebted to Mrs. L. HOADLEY of this place. Mr. L. is a devoted and expert cultivator of both house and garden plants. Thanks for the kind remembrance.

Quite a number of New York Millionars have got "Arab Steeds" on the brain, and are spending large sums of money in importing fine, pure Arab Stock. That is not a bad way for Bennett, George Wilkes, Jerome and others to get rid of their surplus cash. The country will derive some benefit from it in the end.

NEBRASKA APPLES.

Yesterday afternoon we met on the street, the veteran nurseryman and fruit grower of Rockford, Ill., J. S. Shearman, who has been traveling about Nebraska intending to invest in some of our lands. In answer to our inquiry as to his opinion about fruit growing here, he remarked Nebraska can beat the world, and I can prove it. And opening his carpet sack, showed us Holland Pippin, Pennocks Winter, Ben Davis and Talpahawken apples. Superb specimens, and as we surmised had been presented by Col. Furnas. Mr. S. said they were taken from a large bin, and in the lot he had not seen one that was wormy. We consider this testimony from an old fruit grower of Illinois, worthy of note, and just what we have often said was true.—*Omaha Herald.*

Mr. SHEARMAN spent a few days in this place, and was in perfect exstacies over specimens of Nebraska fruits. The varieties above mentioned far exceeded anything he had before seen anywhere, and he took specimens to the Iowa State Horticultural Society.

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The "Excellsior Warren Improved Hoe."—Our readers and citizens will remember this hoe as on exhibition at our County and State Fairs. It obtained premiums at both. We have heretofore given our opinion of this valuable implement. We learn from the manufacturers, WARREN & HEUITT, Ceresco, Michigan, that they are manufacturing extensively for spring trade. We have no hesitancy in heartily recommending this hoe. Specimens can be seen on our premises. We hope to see some of our Agricultural Implement Dealers bring on a supply of the Excellsior. For particulars address the firm at Ceresco, Mich., or 167 South Clark st., Chicago, Illinois.

American Pomological Society.—We have received the proceedings of the American Pomological Society—Twelfth Session—held at Philadelphia, Sept. 15th and 17th, 1869. It is a large volume of over two hundred pages, containing all the discussions, reports from various parts of the United States, reports of committees on fruits and complete list of all fruits worthy of cultivation, showing to what part of the country they are best adapted.

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SHERMAN, Jan. 25 1870.

Mr. EDITOR: Last December I invited a few of my neighbors to dress and weigh nine hogs, bred on my farm. Age when killed 17 months. The largest one cut up in three parts, weighed 562 pounds, net. The ballance fell a little short of that weight. I had not thought of saying anything about it until I saw in last week's *Advertiser* a claim from Nemaha City for the premium hog of the County, weighing 534 pounds, age 19 months. The following gentlemen are my authority, who done the weighing: Messrs. H. B. Shurtleff, J. Gavitt, A. Loofbourrow and Thos. Kipling.

R. A. STEWART.

Several of our farmers and others interested in good stock, are talking of getting up a Stock Importing Company in this county. A move in the right direction. Let some one take hold of it, and it will go like wild fire.

EVAN WORTHING, of this place has left with us a specimen of Barly Oats which weighs forty pounds to the bushel.

Capt. JNO. L. CARSON and Dr. McPHERSON have purchased the fine herd of young short horn Durham cattle, brought into this county last fall by John Crow. There are forty head in all. Cass, Otoe and Richardson counties must look out at next State Fair, Nemaha is going to be on hand.

We call attention to the advertisement of HARGIS & SOMMER, who advertises on an extensive stock of osage orange plants. They are experienced cultivators, and reliable men, and guarantee their plants to be No. 1.

The Prize Picture.—We have just received a copy of the large Steel Engraving that is presented to each subscribet to DEMOREST'S ILLUSTRATED MONTHLY, and we must confess we were taken by surprise. The whole engraving is done in line and stipple, and is a charming picture in all its details, independent of its pleasing subject it is a work of art, and would be a valuable ornament for any parlor. As an illustration of American genius in the design and execution of the engraving, it is unsurpassed. Each head is a picture in itself. The principal feature of the subject, however, is the seriocomic incident of the breaking down of a scup by a corpulent individual, who had been induced to try his skill in swinging.

There are sixteen figures under the largeout-spreading tree and near the scup forming the principle group, and seven others in the foreground, making twenty-seven in all. Each face has its own humorous, or startled expression, indicating the feeling that has been awakened by the accident. The figures in the foreground are interesting themselves in various ways. Fourth of July is indicated by the display of American flags, packs of fire-crackers among the debris of the dinner, and the pistol in the hands of a saucy urchin who, from behind a large log, on which a couple of lovers are sitting while the question is being popped, pops his pistol. These with other admirable details make up a picture that has no superior for its faithful representation of human life and character. Our wonder is how the publishers can afford to furnish so costly a picture to each subscriber at only $3.00. The Monthly alone being the acknowledged Parlor Magazine of the country, and worth all that is asked for it, while the engraving is worth three times the amount of the subscription. Address DEMOREST'S MONTHLY, 838 Broadway, N. Y.

New England Historic Geneological Society.—We are indebted to the author, for a copy of the annual address of Hon. M. P. WILDER, President of the New England Historic Geneological Society, held at Boston January 5th, 1870, to which are appended the proceedings of that meeting, a list of Life Members, and the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society.

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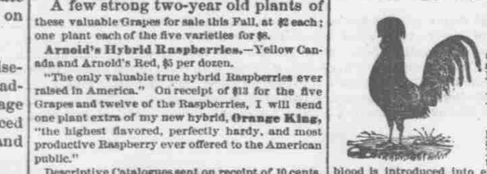

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