







Agricultural

Improvements of Poor Lands.

Improvement of farming lands, the labor question and the question of stock-raising, covers, I think, the three great and leading questions in successful agriculture.

Of the most prominent causes of bad odor in milk. Many trees become hollow, or fall into premature decay from the rain penetrating through old sawn timbers made in the pruning.

In trimming of branches they should be cut close to the trunk, so that no dead stumps shall disfigure the tree; also that the bark may readily grow over.

Oats supply more nourishment and flesh making material to horses than any other food, but oats alone are not conducive to the best results. Mixed food is best.

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