

LOOK AFTER THE STOCK.

There is no season of the year when stock needs more thoughtful attention than at the present time. The outdoor supply of feed is substantially exhausted...

CONFORMING TO THE TIMES.

A few days ago two enterprising farmers from an upper Kennebec town appeared at one of our successful butter factories...

THE SHIFTLER FARMER.

The American Farmer and Farm News while not really applauding the shiffler while he is in the saddle...

THE DAIRY BUSINESS.

The dairy business which has ruled for butter and cheese during the whole summer, even in face of the worst financial crash...

FEEDING STEERS FOR MARKET.

Through two years, experiments in fattening two lots of steers for market have been tried at the Kennebec station...

THE MERIT FIRST-CALF.

The heifer with her first calf is half a cow, as the saying goes. She is but at the dawn of her development for the purpose of producing milk...

THE LARGEST RAIN-BEARING INSECT.

Dr. Hoskins well remarks: "How completely the rain-bearing insects are excluded from the soil of the level West..."

THE ORCHARD ON THE HILL.

Grandfather's home—that dear old place, where I was born and where I was reared...

IMPORTING AN ANCESTOR.

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THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The first impression of the House of Commons is that it is so very small. It does not surprise you to find the House of Peers a hall of some hundreds of feet...

CHAPTER II.

On my arrival in London I halted there two or three days to make inquiries and get my bearings...

CHAPTER III.

I entered to stroll home with her. The Bradford of the Bradford of Bradford...

CHAPTER IV.

You know that my father, James A. Johnson, left San Francisco about four years ago...

CHAPTER V.

Sam then proceeded to tell me his story as follows: You know that my father, James A. Johnson, left San Francisco about four years ago...

CHAPTER VI.

It was in the village of Bradford that I met my father. He had just returned from a long absence...

WE WERE AGREED THAT OUR ENTERPRISE.

We were agreed that our enterprise must be kept a "dead secret" from all the villagers and all our own family...

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HIS POLICY OUTLINED.

THE PRESIDENT HARD AT WORK ON HIS ANNUAL MESSAGE.

Foreign Affairs and the Financial System. Mr. Cleveland Criticized by Silver Democrats—Protectionists May Want to Make McKinley a Presidential Candidate.

THE TOWN OF THETFORD AND TOWNS OF ITS ANCESTORS.

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THE JEWEL CASSET. Small diamonds are never used to more advantage than in the jewelry of the lower wealth. Brooches of table and toilet silver are appreciated, such as hot water jug, silver bread plates, mufflers, tooth racks and hair rollers.