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Money Made Selling Sumac.

Sumac, which grows abundantly in certain sections of the United States, may be gathered and sold profitably to tanners and dye manufacturers, say the specialists of the bureau of chemistry, United States department of agriculture. The price of sumac has increased in recent years because of the decrease in importations of this plant from Sicily. The American sumac, if properly gathered and cured, is equal to the imported article.

In certain sections of Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia good wages can be made, the department says, by gathering and selling sumac during July, August and September. Arrangements for the sale of the sumac should be made before it is gathered.

Retort Convincing.

Nine-year-old Edith insisted on playing with her three-year-old sister's doll. Her grandmother tried to argue with her. "Why, you're such a big girl—so much older than your sister," she said. "Don't you think for that reason alone you should not want her new doll so much?"

Edith looked at grandmother. "Oh, I don't know," she returned carelessly. "You're a lot older than mother and yet you want her new baby all the time."

Worse Than Flu.

My brother, while en route to Camp Pike, Ark., exchanged addresses with a young woman in Chattanooga. Soon after reaching camp he wrote her that quarantine was all over camp. In her answer she said she hoped quarantine was not so bad as "flu" and that he would not have it.—Exchange.

The more a man doesn't know the less he doubts.

It takes a woman to conceal what she does not know.

STUDIED FLAMINGO AT HOME

How Famous Naturalist Got "Closeup" View of Bird Remarkable for Extreme Shyness.

A few years ago a very great bird lover succeeded in getting close to a colony of Florida flamingos in the middle of a swamp. He had a queer basketlike contrivance made and covered it with palmetto leaves. While the old birds were off feeding he caused the device to be placed close to the breeding grounds and crawled into it. In this way he succeeded in obtaining much valuable information concerning the birds.

He observed that when they came flying home they came with a great rushing of wings and that the hundreds of them hurtling along through the air was the most marvelous spectacle that could be imagined. One very interesting feature observed was that each female bird went straight to her nest and settled down to covering her eggs without the slightest confusion. The males ambled about as though trying to show off their lovely plumage, for the flamingo is as vain as a peacock of his scarlet jacket. Then each went to his own little home and standing gravely on one foot beside his mate seemed to be discussing the weather with her.

When one of these great birds took a nap he curled up his long neck like a string with a double knot tied in it and laid it back between his shoulders.

The Way of It.

"In the passage of the fleet through the Panama canal they had to key expectation up, didn't they?"

"I suppose they did to negotiate the locks."

You may have noticed that multitudes of friends come to visit those who live on Easy street.

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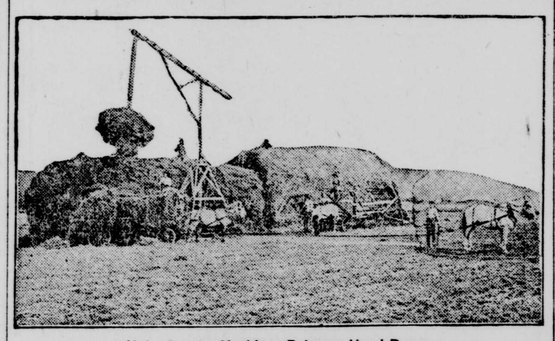
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HAY STACKERS ARE INEXPENSIVE AND WILL SAVE MUCH FARM HANDPOWER



Unloading by Machines Releases Hand Power.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Thousands of farmers who faced the harvesting of a large hay crop last year with fewer hands than usual to help do the work owe their success in handling and saving their crop to hay stackers. The hay stacker is to stacking what the horse fork is to putting hay in the barn, a saver of man and labor. It lifts the hay on the stack by horse power instead of man power. When hay is loaded on the wagon by hand and unloaded by a stacker one-half of the hand labor is eliminated. If push rakes or hay loaders are used in connection with the stacker the laborious task of pitching by hand is entirely avoided.

Useful in East and South.

In the East and South, where much of the hay grown is stored under cover, a stacker could be used to advantage when it becomes necessary to stack, especially where labor is scarce. A boy who can drive a team can take the place of a man in the haying operation. Two men and a boy using a loader and stacker will handle about 75 per cent more hay for each man during a day than a three-man crew loading and unloading by hand.

Hay stackers are classed in two general types, one having teeth on which the hay is gathered and brought to the stack on push racks; the other consisting of stackers that do not receive hay directly from push racks, but handle it by means of horse forks or slings. Both types are comparatively inexpensive and can usually be made at home with material that is available or which can be readily assembled on the farm without using special tools.

A stacker will last from 10 to 12 years under ordinary conditions, and the cost of repair is small. On 27 farms in central Kansas, which stack an average of 144 tons of hay a year, all charges against the stackers amounted to less than 7 cents a ton when the yield was one ton an acre.

Small Stacks Not Economical.

In building a haystack with a stacker it is scarcely economical to make one containing less than 10 tons, according to experience. In locating stacks long or difficult hauls should be avoided whenever possible. It is very common on many farms to see stacks of hay at the end or corner of the field next to the farm buildings, the site being chosen in order to have the hay handy for feeding. The total distance traveled in bringing hay to one side of a square field is approximately 50 per cent greater than in hauling to the center. If the stack is located at one corner of the field the distance traveled is 100 per cent greater.

To minimize damage by moisture from the ground, care should be taken to keep the hay in the bottom of the stack from coming into contact with the soil. The aim of all good stack builders is to make a stack that will not "take water." This can be accomplished by tramping the middle well and always keeping it higher than the edges during the process of building. To give the stack further protection, many farmers provide a canvas cover or sheets of corrugated galvanized iron roofing which, when properly put on, practically eliminates loss from rain.

DIFFERENT STORAGE HOUSES NOW IN USE

Insulated Structure Best Adapted to Southern Climates.

Aroostook Type With Concrete or Masonry Basement Walls and Wooden Superstructure Is Product of Maine.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The insulated potato house is not used extensively, and as a rule is better adapted to southern than to northern climates. The construction feature of such a house is the thorough insulation of its walls, ceilings, doors, and windows. In northern locations such a house must be heated by a stove.

The Aroostook type of storage house, with concrete or masonry basement walls and wooden superstructure, is distinctively a product of Maine and confined largely to that state. It is expensive and is always located on a side hill or knoll in order that advantage may be taken of a ground level entrance. The basements are usually from 8 to 12 feet deep, and most of them have a capacity of several thousand barrels. Generally the only provision for ventilation is by trapdoors in the floor through which the filling of the bins is completed. Occasionally a ventilator is found in the roof.

These houses, although practical in Maine, will never supersede the dugout pit or storage cellar now used in the middle and far western states. Each of these types of storages has distinctive features which peculiarly adapt it to its own environment, but do not necessarily preclude use in other localities.

The artificially refrigerated potato storage house is confined practically to the storage of northern-grown seed potatoes held in cold storage for second-crop planting in the South. There is little demand for such a house in northern sections, but it is thought that community cold-storage plants of this type could be profitably used by the southern truck growers, as they could purchase their supplies of seed in the fall and have them delivered before the arrival of cold weather. The seed potatoes could be stored throughout the winter in the house and be available in excellent condition when desired the following season.

Tuberculosis in Poultry.

Tuberculosis in poultry is much more prevalent than poultry breeders realize. It is responsible for a large share of the unexplained losses among chicks and adult stock.

Moist Mash for Chicks.

A moist mash will whet the appetites of the youngsters and hasten growth. They relish a feed once a day of the moist mash, but it should not be fed sloppy.

Helps Depreciation Charge.

The tractor operator who runs his machine without having the working parts protected from dust is increasing his depreciation charge.

Reduce Loss by Shattering.

Curing alfalfa or clover hay largely in the cock tends to reduce the loss of leaves by shattering.

Chicks Solve Beetle Problem.

A few coops of young chicks in an asparagus plantation will help to solve the beetle problem.

CHICKENS LIKE FISH HEADS

Satisfactory Protein-Containing Food for Poultry Flock Is Simple and Inexpensive.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A simple and inexpensive substitute for meat scraps, which often are hard to obtain at the average butcher shop, is to utilize fish heads in the poultry ration. Arrangements usually can be made with local fish dealers to save these heads, particularly if the poultryman will furnish buckets in which the refuse may be kept until he calls for them. As they come from the dealer's shop, the fish heads are tough and covered with heavy scales and gristle. However, underneath is fine tender meat which the hens relish keenly. The poultryman can soften the coarse outer shell by boiling the fish head in water for five to ten minutes and then pouring off the water and throwing the fish heads in among the chickens. In many instances the dealers are glad to get rid of the fish heads, and on the basis of actual food value the poultry keeper can afford to pay 4 or 5 cents for a quart of fish heads which provide a satisfactory protein-containing food for his flock.

GENERAL FARM NOTES

The silo's the thing.

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The early threshed barley usually fares best in the market.

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All of the vegetables raised in the garden should be utilized for food.

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Soils that have no crop on them, or the harvest fields as soon as the grain is off, will be better for a good disking.

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Vegetables in the late summer garden must be kept growing without check in order to obtain satisfactory results.

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It takes care and attention to improve land so that the crops may be larger each year the seasons are favorable.

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Shoveling silage out of a silo is play compared with prying corn shocks out of frozen ground and snow banks.

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Do not forget to continue the fight on mites and lice. They must be fought all the time in all sections and in all seasons.

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Plowing up the old pasture for flax has one drawback that must be considered—it may make the feed problem harder to meet.

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Careful packing means much. It pays to arrange vegetables in the most tasteful manner. Here is an opportunity to increase profits.

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Rape is an excellent substitute for weeds in the late cornfield. To get it, however, it will probably be necessary to buy the seed right early.

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The uncertain quality of the seed corn makes the building of a silo a matter of crop protection as well as a move for more profitable farming.

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A few crops well chosen and properly cultivated are preferable to a miscellaneous assortment, no one of which will supply enough vegetables to make a full serving for the entire family.

Lift off Corns!

Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.



With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly! No humbug!—Adv.

Valuable Recipe.

The schoolmaster had the boys out for a "hike," and stopping near a certain tree he said: "Boys, when I was a young lad I stood on this spot and threw a silver dollar to that large rock there." There was a short silence and then Sammie spoke up: "Aw, you couldn't do it now."

"Yes, I could," said the teacher. "In fact, I believe I could even throw it farther."

"Say, teacher," said Sammie eagerly, "will you please come home with me an' show my mother that trick?"

"There is no trick; what do you mean?" asked the puzzled teacher.

"Why, mother is always sayin' that she'd give a lot to know how to make a dollar go as far as it used to," explained Sammie.—Philadelphia American.

China's Trade Growing.

The exportation of vegetable oils long used in China as a cheap and satisfactory substitute for meat fats has become a great industry. The export of eggs is opening a new market to the farmer and householder. Nearly $15,000,000 (gold) worth of fresh, frozen and preserved eggs found their way last year from the farms and villages of China to the bakeries and homes of the United States and Europe. In spite of inadequate shipping facilities, high freights, internal dissension, military restrictions and unfavorable exchange, China's foreign trade in 1917 was the highest on record, reaching a total value of more than $1,000,000,000 gold.

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Short and Sharp.

"Your vitality is low."

"But, doctor," I danced the 'shimme' nearly all last night!"

"Also your morals. Here's a prescription for debility. I can't undertake to cure depravity. Five dollars, please."

Knows Her Business.

"Did you notice how attentively Miss Smarty listened to young Jones when he was talking?"

"Yes. He told me afterward she was the most entertaining girl he had ever met."

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The occasional use of Roman Eye Balsam at night upon retiring will prevent and relieve tired, watery eyes, and eye strain. Adv.

If mother were paid a salary, how much would it be?

He Did but He Didn't.

Carl Eisenschimel, one of the police department's handwriting experts, was on the witness stand, and the attorney for the defendant was more or less deeply interested in proving that as a handwriting expert Eisenschimel was a mighty fine bricklayer.

"Now, Eisenschimel," he asked, "have you ever made a mistake?"

"Yes, I have," the witness replied.

"Ah," the attorney snapped. "Tell us when you made a mistake."

"I never made one," said the handwriting expert, "but I don't like to hear a man say he's infallible. So put it down on the record—Eisenschimel once made a mistake. But I never made one; let that be clear."—San Francisco Chronicle.

His Translation.

"A husband and father should never speak a cross word in his home," a trifle severely said the presiding elder. "He—"

"Great guns of iron!" interrupted Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "You can't expect the poor cuss to hop up and tear outdoors in all kinds of weather, can you, parson?"—Kansas City Star.

At the Station.

"Well, good-by; be good to yourself."

"I will; I'm a kind-hearted man."—Boston Transcript.

RATIO MAKES FOR HARMONY

Peculiar Arrangement of Chinese Musical Instruments Said to Be Work of Chinese Emperor.

The characteristic musical instrument of the Chinese is a series of bamboo tubes, the longest of which measures about nine inches, and of which the remainder diminish in length at a regular ratio, each being just two-thirds the length of the one before. This arrangement was devised by the Chinese—they say, by the Emperor Huang-Ti—on the following principle: Between heaven and earth there is perfect harmony. Now, the number three is the emblem of heaven and two of earth. If then two pipes or tubes be made in the proportion of three to two, they will harmonize in tone as perfectly as earth and heaven. So the base tube of the instrument was made nine inches long and the second two-thirds that length, or six inches. Of course, the third has to be two-thirds the length of the second, or four inches; and so on. The result was that the note of the second tube was what we call an interval of a fifth above that of the first, that of the third a fifth above the second, and so on through the whole range.

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Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Hard on White Waists.

The coal mine labor troubles now fomenting all over the world led Samuel Gompers to say at a Pittsburgh dinner:

"Nobody would deny justice to the coal miner, for what life is so laborious, irksome and dirty as his?

"I heard a story the other day about a Pennsylvania woman who complained because her cook put seven white shirt waists in the wash every week.

"'Why, Emma,' the woman said, 'my own daughter doesn't dream of putting seven shirt waists a week in the wash!'

"'Maybe she don't, ma'am,' said Emma, 'and maybe she ain't engaged, neither, to a coal miner what insists on hard spoonin' every blessed night.'"

A Different Matter.

His integrity was hole-proof. His word was as good as his bond. Everyone said he was honest as the day was long and needed no watching at night. And he admitted that all this was true.

"But," we meanly asked, "wouldn't you short-change a circus ticket seller if you saw a chance to get away with it?"

"Well—er—h'm!—" he stammered. And we knew that, after all he was not so much superior to most of the rest of us.—Kansas City Star.

Once in a while a woman actually believes that her husband knows as much as he thinks he does.

It is human nature to want to abuse some one occasionally.

Take to American-Made Shirts.

American-made shirts are being worn by men of the better class in Vera Cruz.

A young widow hasn't much use for a man who attempts to kiss her and fails.

You Do More Work,

You are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC is not a patent medicine, it is simply IRON and QUININE suspended in Syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. These reliable tonic properties never fail to drive out impurities in the blood.

The Strength-Creating Power of GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC has made it the favorite tonic in thousands of homes. More than thirty-five years ago, folks would ride a long distance to get GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC when a member of their family had Malaria or needed a body-building, strength-giving tonic. The formula is just the same today, and you can get it from any drug store. 60c per bottle.

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KIDNEYS WEAKENING? BETTER LOOK OUT!

Kidney and bladder troubles don't disappear of themselves. They grow upon you, slowly but steadily, undermining your health with deadly certainty, until you fall a victim to incurable disease.

Stop your troubles while there is time. Don't wait until little pains become big aches. Don't trifle with disease. To avoid future suffering begin treatment with GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules now. Take three or four every day until you feel that you are entirely free from pain.

This well-known preparation has been one of the national remedies of Holland for centuries. In 1696 the government of the Netherlands granted a special charter authorizing its sale.

The good housewife of Holland would almost as soon be without food as without her "Real Dutch Drops," as she quaintly calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Their use restores strength and is responsible in a great measure for the sturdy, robust health of the Hollanders.

Do not delay. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Take them as directed, and if you are not satisfied with results your druggist will gladly refund your money. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on the box and accept no other. In sealed boxes, three sizes.

Proof that Some Women do Avoid Operations

Mrs. Etta Dorion, of Ogdensburg, Wis., says:
"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

How Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.
Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.
"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.



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