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DEEPENING FERTILE SOIL.

Some Objections to Deep Fall Plowing—Security Against Drought.

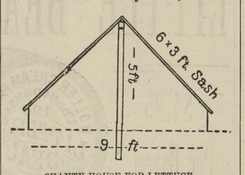
Every farmer who has cultivated land where an underlying bed of rock comes near to the surface knows what a disadvantage such soil has when a drought comes. It is hardly less a disadvantage to have only a few inches of fertile soil near the surface while all below is a hard clay or sand that contains little of the elements of fertility. To make such soils deeper is the first wish of the farmer. But it is a matter that is not always easily accomplished. Merely plowing up some of this subsoil and bringing it to the surface may or may not be good policy, according to what the subsoil is. Most clay soils have some potash, and some have phosphate also. To turn up a little of this to be acted upon by frost and air will help make these mineral elements available. But if done it should be always plowed in fall, so that the subsoil may be on the surface, where it is sure to get repeated freezing and thawing.

The most common objection to fall plowing, that it merely brings to the surface a larger amount of rich soil to be acted upon by frost and either blown away by winds or washed away during winter, is wholly done away with if the plow is run an inch or two deeper, bringing up soil that will not be washed away, because until winter's freezing, it has no soluble plant food. Some of this soil made into fine dust will be blown away into adjoining fields, but if they are in grass, this top dressing of subsoil that a few months before had no fertility, will produce remarkable results. If in spring this inch or two of subsoil can be cultivated in so as to mix with the richer soil beneath, both will be benefited. The fertility is of different kinds, and both are needed for most kinds of crops.

Some farmers still plow to a depth of seven, eight or nine inches for their corn. If the land has been used to this deep plowing and has grown several crops of clover, this will not probably injure their corn crop even if done in the spring. But it is far better where such deep plowing is contemplated to do the work in the fall, letting frost go through the entire furrow, as it will, and mellowing it to the full depth it has been plowed. Deep plowing in the fall allows the water from rains and snows to sink into the soil, so as to store a much greater amount than the soil could receive, if the plowing had been deferred until spring. Hence, The American Cultivator, which advances the foregoing view, concludes that the deepening of soil by deep fall plowing is one of the best securities that crops on land thus treated shall not suffer from drought the following season.

A Philadelphia Institution.

Lettuce is fall sown and grown without heat in the famous Philadelphia truck gardens. The following information about the "shanty house," an institution of high repute among Philadelphia gardeners, is quoted by Rural New Yorker from an extensive grower:



SHANTY HOUSE FOR LETTUCE.

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"The sides are formed with a single board one foot high, this being nailed to short posts in the same manner as one would do for a cold frame. The center posts and ridgepole are made of 3 by 4 scantling. The roof is composed of 6 by 3 foot sashes nailed or screwed to the sides and ridge. The ends are closed in with barn boards, or any kind of cheap lumber, and a door about 2 by 4 feet 6 inches for entrance. There are no raised beds, the lettuce being planted on the ground level. The shanty houses catch and hold a greater body of heat than the frames and hurry the salad along."

News and Notes.

So far as heard from, the rate of yield of potatoes in different sections varies greatly.

The last crop report of the department of agriculture gives no average condition of tobacco for the whole country, but reports for nearly all the important tobacco growing states from 89 per cent (as in the case of Kentucky) to 98 per cent (as in the case of Tennessee) of a full crop.

In regard to clover seed the government's crop circular states that it is manifest from the reports that have been received that the acreage is less than it was last year, and that the condition is in the main unfavorable. In many states there has been a more or less extensive conversion of clover fields to pasture, owing to the poor prospects.

The Ohio station concludes from wheat tests that Velvet Chaff is best for black lands, Valley for strong bottom lands and Poole for lighter soils.

In comparative tests of 11 varieties of rape at the Minnesota station Dwarf Essex produced the largest yield.

He Couldn't Grasp It.

Harry, aged 5, was taking his first ride on the cars, and was curious to know the meaning of certain signposts along the track. "Papa," he asked, "what does W. and R. mean?"

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Santa Claus Was in It.

"Those Americans down there," said Santa Claus, as he sat on the lee side of an iceberg and waited for Christmas eve, "seem to think I'm not up to date. Now I wonder," he murmured as he went in and rang up his polar stables, "what they'd think if they saw me at it just at present?" Then he pressed a button in the side of the iceberg and said: "Grizzly, run out that new deerless motor sleigh of mine, while I load her up. And look here, Grizzly, the next time you take out that new electric airship of mine and break it just when I want to use it, I won't let you play in that toy orchard of mine for a whole year!

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SHREDDING CORN FODDER.

About Machines and Expense—Precautions In Stacking.

Another season of shredding has emphasized the value of shredded corn fodder as stock food; but, according to The Orange Judd Farmer, it has also demonstrated that the process is still quite expensive, and the machines do not have sufficient capacity for rapid work. That journal says: Manufacturers must rise to the occasion if they expect their machines to sell widely. Under present conditions the cost of husking the corn and shredding the fodder is greater than it ought to be, often amounting to more than the farmer can get out of it as stock feed. This will keep many from attempting to shred.

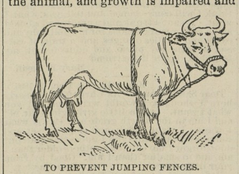
The matter of storing shredded fodder is better understood, and now there is not much loss from molding, as was the case when this method of keeping fodder was first attempted. The precaution is simply to let the fodder and the stalks become thoroughly dried out in the field before running through the machine. If it can be run into the barn and placed in the mow with little or no tramping, so much the better, for where compacted by being stepped upon moisture is apt to collect. It can be safely stacked under a shed or even on the open ground, if the work is well done and the top of the stack covered with a thick layer of hay or straw. Observe the same precautions as in stacking hay, keeping the middle full and solid and raking off the loose material from the outside of the stack. Stack as near the feeding place as possible, so that it can be fed out with the minimum amount of labor.

If it seems impracticable to shred, by all means store the fodder in a barn, shed or stack as soon as well cured in the field. It will not have to be as dry as for shredding, for close compacting is not possible with whole stalks. The loading and unloading is rather heavy work, but by the use of derricks in the field and at the stack this is greatly lightened and is not so formidable as it might appear. By putting the fodder into the barn or stack in sections it can be easily taken out when wanted for use.

The old practice of allowing the shocks to remain in the field until needed will still be followed by many in spite of the fact that much of the best material is washed out of the outer parts of the shock. This amounts to a considerable percentage, particularly if the shocks are small and the weather rainy. Better store the corn fodder in some way if at all possible.

A Restrictor For Unruly Stock.

It is not at all humane and never advisable to put blind boards, pokes, hopples and other "constrictions" of like nature upon cows and horses that are addicted to jumping fences. They fret the animal, and growth is impaired and



TO PREVENT JUMPING FENCES.

milk production impeded, not to mention that its life is often endangered, says a writer in Ohio Farmer in suggesting that a "restrictor" be used like the one illustrated. First arrange a light piece of rope upon the animal's head as a halter, then pass between the fore legs and around the body just back of the shoulders, making it secure. Have the connecting rope just long enough so that the animal can raise its head to a natural position and no higher, and it will be sure to stay in the lot and at the same time suffer no torture further than its possible desire to get out, for in order to jump over a fence an animal must always raise its head above the normal position, and this it cannot do when thus hampered. To prevent the fore leg from getting over the rope while the animal is feeding, it is a wise precaution to have it held up close to the breast by a light cord passing around the neck as shown. Of course the rope will stretch little by little with use, and accordingly all slack should be promptly taken up as required.

Steaming and Scalding Milk Dishes.

In an experiment in keeping milk in bottles sterilized by heating in live steam (212 F.) and in other bottles washed with hot water in the usual way the Kansas experiment station found a vastly larger number of bacteria in the latter. As far as the appearance of the bottles was concerned, the unsterilized looked the cleaner. The conclusion is: This shows that we cannot trust the eye to tell us when a dish is clean. Wherever possible every milk dish should be subjected to live steam, and the longer it is exposed the better. In some places where special pains are taken milk dishes are subjected to live steam under pressure for 15 minutes. Where steam cannot be had, scalding hot water should be used, and the longer the dishes remain in this hot water the cleaner they will be, since many bacteria that can withstand the heat a few seconds will be killed if exposed several minutes. This treatment will not insure sterility, but it will materially reduce the number of bacteria.

True Unity of Christianity.

Not fewer churches, but churches composed of individuals of a deeper and purer consecration are the necessity of the hour, and the unity pertaining to Christianity ought not to be like unto that of a row of dead animals in a museum, each possessed of the same inward emptiness of tow and cotton, but rather like a group of stately draft horses, each vigorous in its own strength, but all pulling at one load.—Rev. Charles E. St. John, Unitarian, Bellefield, Pa.

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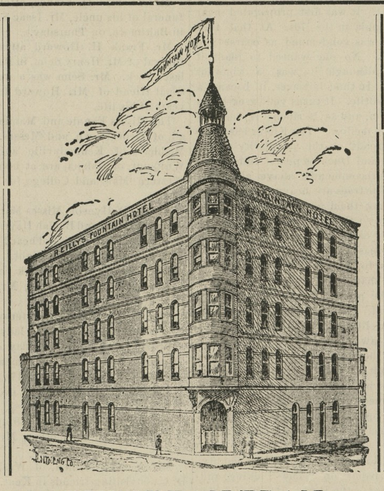

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STEAMER B. S. FORD.

Leave Centreville Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 8.00 a. m., stopping at landings on Corsica River, Bogle's, Jackson Creek and Kent Island; Leave Queenstown 9.30 a. m.; arrive Baltimore about 12.15 p. m.; leave Baltimore Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10.30 a. m.; arrive Queenstown about 1. 30 p. m.; arrive Centreville about 3.30 p. m.

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DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Rock Hall 9.00 a. m.; arrive Baltimore 11.00 a. m.; leave Baltimore 2.30 p. m.; arrive Rock Hall, 4.30 p. m.

GEORGE WARFIELD, President.
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Steamer Sassafras on and after Monday, October 17th, 1898, will leave Georgetown on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 A. M.; Shallcross', 7.15 A. M.; Cassidy's, 7.20 A.M.; Turner's Creek, 8 A. M.; Betterton, 8.30 A. M.; Buck Neck, 10 A. M.; Gale's Wharf, 10.15 A. M.

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