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Reply to a Michigan Correspondent

"I am growing sugar beets and my land seems to be decreasing in production. What rotation can I use?"

In some localities it has been found that beets do best following alfalfa, corn and small grains. A very good rotation is as follows: First, wheat; second year, beets; then clover for two years, last crop being plowed under; then potatoes, and the rotation repeated. If alfalfa can be grown in your locality it is a good plan to include this in the rotation.

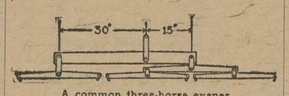
In Montana the best rotation for beet raising is as follows: Wheat, clover, oats, sugar beets, barley and peas. In Utah the following rotation gives good satisfaction: First year, sugar beets; second year, peas and oats for forage; third year, sugar beets; fourth year, oats, seeded to alfalfa; fifth year, alfalfa.

THREE-HORSE HITCHES

A Kansas correspondent writes: "In making a three-horse evener for a disk, I would like to know where the hole should be bored. Should two-thirds of the evener be given to the single horse to make an even distribution of the pull, or should it be measured from the outside of the singletree?"

You will experience but little difficulty in dividing the load equally among the horses if you take into consideration the fact that the amount of work each horse does is in proportion to the lever arm or the portion of the doubletree given to him. In the case of three horses the third horse, or one which works singly, in order to do the same amount of work as the other two, should be given twice the length of lever arm as the team. The length of the evener and also the length of the singletrees will depend upon the size of the horses and also whether you desire working them close together or somewhat spread out. For summer work the horses will stand the heat a little better if given plenty of room. This is advisable where conditions are such that more room can be given and at the same time not hinder accomplishing the work satisfactorily.

You will note in illustration No. 1, that the third horse is given thirty inches of the lever arm, while the other two are given only fifteen. This distance is satisfactory for medium-sized horses. Where larger teams are to be used, it should be increased accordingly.



A common three-horse evener

Sometimes it is necessary in working young animals, or light horses, to give them an advantage. This can be done by increasing the length of the lever arm. There is no set rule for determining the amount of advantage to be given in the case of small horses. The most satisfactory way is to use a number of holes and simply shift the clevis until the small horse is able to carry the load the entire day without becoming more fatigued than the other horses. Some claim that the amount of lever arm of advantage given the small horse should be in proportion to the weight, but this is not always satisfactory because it is not taking into consideration the physical condition of the horses, which is a very important factor. However, to begin with, this method of adjustment does very well; other changes can be made as occasion requires.

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The distinctive thing about the Ouled Nail, the professional dancing girl of north Africa, is her jewelry. She has so much of it, indeed, that there is no gold to be had in Algeria. Ask for napoleons instead of paper money at your bank in Biskra or Constantine and you will meet with a prompt "Impossible, m'sieur."

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"Because we have no gold on hand, m'sieur," is the polite response.

"Where is it then?" you ask, scenting a robbery or a defalcation.

"On the Ouled Nails, m'sieur," the cashier courteously replies.

And he speaks the truth. Every centime that a dancing girl can beg, borrow or earn goes toward the purchase of massive silver jewelry, anklets, bracelets and the like, and this in turn is exchanged for gold pieces—whether French napoleons, British sovereigns or Turkish liras she is not particular—which, linked together in trellised armor, clanking, clashing and shining, envelops her lithe young body from neck to hips. When her portable wealth has attained such dimensions it is usually the sign for the Ouled Nail to retire from business, going to her nomad husband with her dowry about her neck.—Metropolitan Magazine.

A Rebuke.

An anecdote about the late Rear Admiral Melville was told the other day at a Washington club.

"Melville one stormy morning at sea," said the narrator, "had occasion to rebuke a young officer for wearing soiled gloves.

"'But, sir,' the young officer remonstrated, 'the men have been so overworked in all this dirty weather one couldn't well ask them to wash gloves.'

"Melville took a pair of perfectly clean gloves from his pocket.

"'Here, wear these,' he said quietly. 'I washed these myself.'"—Washington Star.

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CHURCH WORK.

Preaching services at the Presbyterian churches as follows: Westminster at 10.30 A. M., Grace at 3 P. M., Worton at 7.45 P. M.. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 A. M. at Worton.

Rev. E. C. Makosky, pastor of West Baltimore M. P. Church, and a former popular pastor of St. James' and Lynch's M. P. Churches, this county, has been transferred to First Methodist Protestant Church, Newark, N. J., to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Rev. Dr. W. S. Phillips. Rev. Mr. Makosky is one of the most prominent young ministers in the Maryland Conference, and he will make a most acceptable supply at Newark, having had a very successful pastorate at West Baltimore.

Rev. Norman Ward, who had been elected assistant to Rev. Dr. T. H. Lewis, president of Western Maryland College, has determined to remain in the ministry and retain his present charge at Denton. Owing to the death of Rev. W. S. Phillips, the authorties of the college listened to the entreaties of the president of the conference and consented not to take Mr. Ward from the pastorate.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Bowers, president of the Maryland Conference has appointed Rev. J. M. Straughn, pastor of Laurel, Del. charge, secretary of the conference to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Rev. Dr. Phillips. The appointment is for the remainder of this year.

Owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. R. Graham, who has been assigned to preach at Shiloh camp meeting, there will be no morning service at Christ M. P. Church, to-morrow (Sunday) morning. The C. E. Society of the church will have charge of the twilight service at 6.30 P. M., and will conduct a specially prepared program. Dr. Graham will go to Westminster on Monday, where he will deliver an address on Tuesday at the Summer Conference of Ministers.

Bishop Henry W. Warren, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who was retired from active work by the General Conference last May, died in Denver on Tuesday night. He was stricken with pneumonia a few days before his death.

Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. L. E. Barrett, D. D., pastor. Services next Sunday, July 28th, as follows: 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor, subject: "Pilate's Opportunity;" 2.15 P. M. Sabbath school and pastor's Bible Class; 7 P. M., Epworth League song service followed by brief sermon by the pastor, subject: "How a Politician was Saved," the fourth in the twilight series. All invited.

The president of the Conference, Rev. Dr. J. S. Bowers, has assigned Rev. G. A. Morris, pastor of St. James and Lynches churches, to preach at First Church, Newark, on Sunday August 25th. Rev. F. A. Mullineaux, pastor of the Kennedyville charge, will fill Mr. Morris' pulpit during his absence.

Millington Items.

Dr. C. P. Gowman, of Mt. Airy, Md., spent a couple of days this week at his home in town.

Miss Mabel Price, of near Middletown, Del., spent several days this week with Miss Mattie Hazell.

Mr. W. I. Jarvis spent the week-end with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. Paul Harrison, driver of mail route No. 2, was the guest of friends in Baltimore last week.

Miss Helen Kendall, of Chestertown, visited her aunt, Mrs. Sudler Weist, several days this week.

Mr. J. R. Poore has purchased the property formerly owned by the late James Moore.

Mrs. H. L. Disharoon was the guest of friends in Salisbury, Md., a few days last week, and, while there, attended the funeral of her father-in-law, who died on Thurday, July 18th.

Mrs. R. E. Porter spent Tuesday with friends in Clayton, Del., and was accompanied home by her sons, Masters Eugene and Warner, who had spent the past week with relatives in the same place.

Mrs. F. A. McCall returned on Wednesday to Baltimore, after spending four weeks with Mrs. F. C. Numbers.

Miss Esther Spear was the guest last Saturday of Miss Elsie Dixon, of near town.

Miss Mollie Higman, of near town, was entertained a few days this week by Philadelphia friends.

Mr. Wright King, of Wilmington, Del., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch King.

Rev. H. S. Thompson will preach a sermon to the *young* of the community to-morrow morning, July 28th. All are invited to come.

Mr. R. J. Taylor and family spent a few days this week at Franklin City, Va.

Mrs. Washington Woodall and daughter, Dorothy, of Chestertown, were guests a couple of days last week of her sister-in-law.

Mr. Franklin Spear, of Baltimore, spent this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Spear.

Mrs. Hannah Mason and little daughter, Eva, of Philadelphia, spent the past ten days with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Armstrong, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Comegys.

Prof. J. A. Amsbaugh, of Wilmington, Del., spent a couple of days this week in town on business.

Miss Blanche Gowdin, of Philadelphia, spent a few days this week with her cousins, Misses Helen and Mary Numbers.

Senator John Walter Smith's automobile was wrecked at Newark on Saturday. To avoid a collision with a Pennsylvania train the chauffeur overturned the machine. Two other persons were in the machine with the chauffeur, one of whom was injured.

PROFIT IN POTATOES.

Mr. E. A. Corey, One of Our Progressive Farmers and a Prominent Granger, Profits by His Experience in New Jersey and Reaps a Harvest in His Big Yield.

Mr. Edward A. Corey is the "potato king" of Kent county. For some years Mr. Corey and family lived in the great potatoe raising section of New Jersey, where every year the growers load hundreds of cars and make thousands of dollars in growing white potatoes. Taking advantage of the high price of potatoes and the scarcity of the vegetable on the market, Mr. Corey determined to plant a large acreage this spring and to take a risk with the season. He planted 30 acres, at a cost of some $1500, paying $500 for his seed potatoes and using 1500 pounds of the best fertilizer to the acre. The cost of the labor in preparing and planting the crop was considerable, much of the cutting being done by Mrs. Corey, who is just as good a farmer as is her husband. Had the season been bad and the crop a failure, Mr. Corey's loss would have been heavy. But the old saying, "no risk, no gain," proved true in Mr. Corey's case, and he has been the winner. He estimates his entire crop at 9,000 bushels, a yield of 300 bushels per acre. He dug them last week, using a potato digger just as is used in New Jersey, and ten men were employed to pick up the potatoes, all of which must be culled and the "selects" sent to market first. Mr. Corey was busy all last week loading cars at Worton Station. He sold his potatoes to New Jersey dealers—the selects at 70 cents per bushel, and his second at a little less. Mr. Corey will "clean up" about $4,000 on his venture. It is the largest crop of potatoes ever grown on a farm in this county, and marks the beginning of a new source of income to the farmers in this county. Mr. Corey will put the patch in scarlet clover, turn under the sod and plant a crop of late potatoes. Mr. Corey on several occasions has discussed potato culture at our county and subordinate grange meetings, and he has proven by actual experience that there is big money in the crop, even though there is considerable risk and expense. Mr. Corey, however, will net more money from his 30 acres in potatoes than he could have made in wheat or corn in any three or four years combined.

Petition on Crothers Estate.

Dr. A. C. Crothers, of Havre de Grace, brother of the late ex-Governor A. L. Crothers, has filed a petition in the Orphans' Court for Cecil county against Emerson R. and Omar D. Crothers, executors of the estate of Austin L. Crothers, asking for a full itemized statement of the assets belonging to the estate of the late Charles C. Crothers, of which estate the petitioner and Austin L. Crothers were joint executors. Dr. Crothers sets forth in his petition that his co-executor, Austin L. Crothers, possessed himself of the entire estate of his deceased brother, Charles C. Crothers; he further alleges that the administration of said estate was entirely confided to the said Austin L. Crothers, who was at that time a lawyer, practicing his profession in Cecil county, and residing in the town of Elkton, he further alleges that the said Austin L. Crothers in his life time gave to the petitioner little or no information concerning the estate of their deceased brother, Charles C. Crothers; that no inventory of said estate was ever returned to the Elkton Court, and there has never been any account filed or distribution made in said estate, so far as the records of that court disclose.

Under the terms of the will of Charles C. Crothers, above referred to, Austin L. Crothers was to receive the "Cruikshank property" in Elkton and two building lots in Wilmington; Alpheus R. Crothers a small farm in the Eighth district, and $600 in money; Dr. Augustus C. Crothers the sum of $3,500, Dr. Reman R. Crothers the sum of $500. After making several other small bequests all the rest of the estate, real and personal, was devised to Austin L. and Dr. Augustus C. Crothers, share and share alike.

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