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Farm and Household.

Cow Peas at the North.

Owing to the fact that clover is frequently damaged by freezing in winter and drought in summer, there is some inquiry for another leguminous crop which is not open to these objections. With our present knowledge, no substitute for Indiana can be offered that is equal to the common red or large English clover, both of which are thoroughly acclimated and flourish throughout the state.

Notwithstanding this fact, the cow pea has some points of advantage, among which are: (1) greater capacity to endure drought, (2) ability to grow on soils too thin to nourish clover, (3) ability to produce a large amount of forage or green manure in a few months of warm weather and thus avoid the frosts of winter and early spring.

Cow peas are highly esteemed for forage in many parts of the South. They are pastured, cut green, and fed as a soiling crop, and also cured as hay. Where they seed well they furnish an excellent pasture for pigs, in which case the land is left in fine condition for subsequent crops. In this state only the earliest sorts would produce much seed. In the richer soils the tendency would be to run to vines. Cow peas produce a very watery growth, and are therefore not easy to cure for hay, although they have the advantage of maturing in the dry season of the year.

But tops and roots are valuable to fertilize the soil. Cow peas have, like clover, a very beneficial, mellowing effect on the soils in which they grow, and when truned under they quickly replenish the store of human and available nitrogen. It will doubtless be best to turn the crop under before the autumn frosts. If corn is to be grown the following spring, it will be well to sow rye soon after turning under the pea vines, to prevent, alike, washing of the soil and dissipation of the nitrogen stored in the vines.—[Bulletin Purdue University (Ind.) Experiment Station.

Children and Poisonous Flowers.

Buttercups and daisies are generally associated in one's mind with Wordsworth, children and Arcadian simplicity. It is difficult to conceive of anything hurtful or dangerous in connection with the pretty little yellow flower, but unfortuately it is not always the most modest and retiring plants or flowers that are the least harmful; for example, the deadly nightshade (Atropa belladonna). Not that the buttercup can vie with the deadly nightshade in poisonous quantities, and still when consumed in sufficient quantities it will cause death. A proof of this has lately been afforded in England in the case of a boy who after eating some buttercups died in a few hours with all the symptoms of irritant poisoning.

The buttercup belongs to the ranunculaceæ and nearly all the members of this group possess poisonous qualities, chiefly of an irrant nature, as deadly nightshade, laburnum and yew. Fortunately, buttercups though nice to look at, do not as a rule tempt children to eat them whole sale, otherwise the mortality from this cause would be much greater than it is at present.

A German authority states that the roots and stubble of a good crop of red clover weighs over three tons per acre, and contain a hundred and eighty pounds of nitrogen, seven pounds of potash, all of which is placed, when turned under, in the most available form for growing crops. Clover makes a good demand upon the soil for potash and phosphoric acid. If the resulting crops are removed from the soil it will be easy seen how clover may rob the soil, as well as restoring fertility if the substances taken out are not restored.

If we cut our grass before seed formation, or when just starting, our plant is in its fullest vigor. Elaboration and transformation of material is rapid. All substances are in a soluble, hence digestible condition. Drying or curing the plants does not make grass less valuable. Experiments at the Pennsylvania and Wisconsin experimentations indicate that there was a slight balance in favor of dried grass over green grass when fed to a milch cow; thus, if we cut it while in a condition to make the best pasture, we will have the best hay.

Pungent Paragraphs.

The wheels in a man's head are seldom able to score a century run.

Women never criticise the grammar of men who pay them compliments.

A man is more apt to tell what he doesn't believe than what he does.

When it comes to a toss-up between a man and a bull the man invariably loses.

True love is portrayed by a man and a woman who have been married three years and still ride a tandem.

Art may be "long" but time is too short for people to become artists.

About the time a man gets a large family of married daughters off his hands he has to begin setting sons-in-laws on their feet.

I have learned a new distinction between pessimist and optimist."

"What is it?"

"A pessimist always calls cream 'milk' and an optimist always calls milk 'cream.'

Humorous.

A Great Idea.

Mr. Frank Drew, the elder, told a good story recently that was illustrative of the gullibility of some samples of the rural mind. Mr. Drew was detained some time ago at a country railway station. While there he fell into conversation with a couple of idlers—the sort that usually hang around that centre of excitement, a rural depot.

Mr. Drew sized them up immediately. He drew nearer.

"It's a pity," he reflectively said, "that so much money is wasted in building railroads."

"That's so," agreed one of the natives.

"I've got a scheme," said Mr. Drew dreamily, "for cheapening the cost of them by at least 50 per cent."

"How's that?" quote the native.

"Of course I'm not peddling this idea around," said Mr. Drew mysteriously.

"Of course not," said the native.

"I don't want it to get out before I get my patent papers."

"To be sure," said the native.

"This is the scheme," said Mr. Drew. "I would have just a short length of track material put together, and it would run under and over the train like an endless chain. When the locomotive ran on to the rail in front, the last car would be picking up rails at the rear and passing them along over the roofs of the cars back to the engine again. You see? The train would be really laying its own track."

"By gum," said the native, "that's immense!"

"It strikes me so," said Mr. Drew modestly. "It certainly has a good many advantages. It is a great thing to have a train that will go anywhere you want to go."

"That's so," said the native.

There was a short silence. It was broken by the other native.

"Say," he said, "what you goin' to do when you come to a river?"

Mr. Drew was prepared.

"That's simple," he promptly answered. "We use ties, of course, in our endless track. Those ties will be made of rubber material and each one will be inflated. They will sustain 17,000 times their own weight and you can't sink 'em."

The natives looked at Mr. Drew with awe.

"Gosh!" they said, "you've got a good thing!"

Just the Tune.

"I took out a living picture show once," said the theatrical manager, "and I had several queer experiences."

"We always had trouble getting suitable music for one thing. I remember that we struck a certain town where music was furnished by a seedy, freckled faced young man, who officiated at one of those bangety-bang pianos. I asked him if he could think of music suitable to each picture as it was displayed.

"O, yes," certainly he could, "and do it impromptu."

The performance opened. He was seated at the piano, and he turned to look at the first picture. It was "Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden."

"He didn't hesitate an instant. Like a flash he turned and began pounding out, "There's Only One Girl in This World for Me."

Lord Russell, of Killowen, years before he took sick, was sitting in court when another barrister, leaning across the benches during the hearing of a trial for bigamy, whispered:

"Russell, what's the extreme penalty for bigamy?"

"Two mothers-in-law," replied Russell, promptly.

Skullins (the road agent)—"Lady, I stand in great need uv sympat'y."

—"Lady—"Indeed?"

Skullins—"Yes, lady. I'm one uv de unfortunate crew uv a Spanish merchantship de United States captured."

Lady—"Poor man! and so you are looking for work?"

Skullins—"No, lady; food an' money is all I require."—Judge.

A juror having applied to the judge to be excused from serving on account of deafness, the judge said:

"Can you hear my charge to the jury, sir?"

"Yes, I heard your honor's charge," said the juror, "but I couldn't make any sense out of it."

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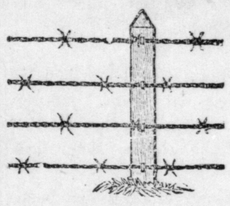

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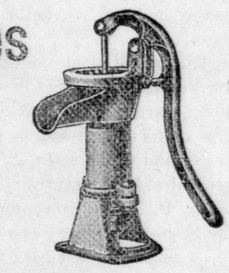

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