

GARDENING FOR THE MONTH. February is generally considered the opening month for general gardening operations in the Gulf States.

The land should be prepared by deep plowing, subsoiling and thorough fertilization. Hot beds should be made and the seeds of all tender vegetables sown for transplanting.

On thin soils with a retentive subsoil, such as are generally found in our pine woods, and when vegetables are wanted for family use alone, trenching the soil will be found well worth the trouble and expense.

The philosophy of this method consists in the fact that a deep, well-pulverized soil rarely suffers from dry weather, as the roots of the plants have ample space wherein to seek sustenance and moisture.

However, trenching on soils similar to those in the neighborhood of Biloxi, which consist almost entirely of sand, would be useless and labor thrown away.

Trenching very low and wet lands, infested with coco grass, is also a useless expenditure, plowing or spading to the depth of twelve inches being all that is necessary.

WHAT VEGETABLES TO PLANT. A variety of vegetables are almost indispensable to every family.

A few herbs, such as sage, parsley, summer savory and thyme should be sown in beds; mustard and collards for greens; lettuce, cabbage, beets, carrots, parsnips, onions, shallots and leeks; peas, potatoes, tomatoes, eggplants, sugar and Adams' early corn for table use.

HORTICULTURAL.

THE SMALL FRUIT GARDEN.

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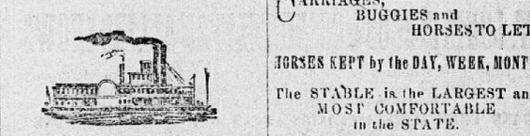
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