SOUTHERN AGRICULTURAL.

The Corn Crop.

After sowing, during the past fall and down to the close of February, a liberal area to oats for summer feeding of work-stock, next in order is the corn crop, which has been, and will continue to be for years to come, the chief reliance for stock, and the most common, every-day staff of life. Farmers all know how to plant, cultivate and harvest corn; they know its great value for all the purposes for which it is used: they are slow to change the habits of thought and reliance of generations past.

We have before intimated our preference for the system of planting, on beds more or less raised above the original surface, those crops that are planted early in the spring. Some years of experience served to confirm us in the conviction that corn—early corn especially—will do better on beds than on a dead-plain surface. The essential advantage in planting on a bed consists in the fact that the "water-furrow" acts as a surface drain to remove the surplus water. That is particularly observable on level or comparatively level land, and especially if the spring be very wet—which is the rule and not the exception in the older portions of the South. The opening furrow, however, should be deep and the seed corn should be covered shallow—not more than one to one and a half inches. We are confident that a competitive trial of the two methods, making all the other conditions practically the same, and conducted for several consecutive years, would result in favor of planting on beds instead of on the level surface. We have tried planting in the water-furrow—between the beds—to our dissatisfaction. If we could certainly foresee a very dry, warm spring, followed by a dry May, June and July, it would, doubtless, be a wise expedient to plant in the water-furrow. But our springs are usually wet, and frequently cold and late. The corn plant, according to the variety planted, completes its growth and matures its fruit within a given period. It has its time for tasseling and its time for shooting and earing. The conditions of soil, fertilization, seasons and culture do not materially alter these periods. When it has reached one of these critical points, particularly the shooting, and silking and the earing stage, it will not stand still—so to speak—and wait for a rain. This is more or less true of all annual plants that are cultivated for their seeds, and which do not produce flower and fruit successively and continuously throughout a considerable period. It is therefore important that the seed should be planted under the most favorable conditions, and that the treatment in every detail should be such as will tend to the most rapid an perfect development of the plant. It should, as far as we can control it, come up quickly and commence at once, and continue without hindrance, its growth and successive development of the blade, the stalk and the "full corn in the ear." Cotton will bear a degree of neglect; it will recover entirely from the bad treatment and unfavorable circumstances attending its earlier period of growth—if the bad treatment be reformed and unfavorable conditions be removed. But we doubt if a field of corn ever entirely recovers from the effects of unfavorable and retarding circumstances.

The time of planting is important, but experience, after all, is the only safe guide, and experience has told every man, according to particular locality of his farm, or particular character of soil, or other unchanging circumstance, what is the best time to plant. The temperature of the air on any particular day, or the mean temperature of the week that has just past, the flight of birds, and the blossoming of plants, are not even helpful signs, except as indicating to a stranger in a strange land that spring is at hand. The rule we evolved from years of practical experience is this: Plant when the month and (if you please), the day of the month, has arrived, which previous experience tells us involves the least trouble in getting a fair stand, the least expense in after culture and the best results in yield; and when the ground is in good plowing condition. We have repeatedly planted corn when the ground was crusted by ice in the early morning, and yet a prompt germination and good stand resulted inside of two weeks. In such cases the "time had come" to plant corn; we were ready to plant; the ground was in plowing condition, and the cold snap was unseasonable and temporary. It requires from ten days to two weeks for corn to come up, when planted in the spring. What is wanted is good, sunny, warm weather during the sprouting and coming up. If we plant now, when the air is warm and balmy, we have no guarantee that the weather will not be rainy, or the temperature down to freezing a week or ten days hence.

If but a small quantity of fertilizers is to be applied to corn we are confident that it should be concentrated about the seed instead of scattered along between the hills. We want the young plant to be able to draw on the fertilizer just as soon as it has put out its tiny feeders—even while still drawing from the milk of the mother grain. The manure, especially if it be cotton seed, should not be thrown down in a "dab," all in one spot, but scattered around and near the seed corn. In the case of cotton-seed meal, or a fertilizer which consists largely of that ingredient, it is best not to apply it in direct contact with the seed, as there seems to be something in the meal or some product evolved in its decomposition that is fatal to a tender germ. The practice of making successive applications of fertilizer during the first half of the life time of the plant, seems to be growing in favor. The theory upon which it is based is undoubtedly correct, especially when the fertilizer is very soluble and promptly available. All coarse, only partly-decomposed matters should be applied before or at the time of planting. We have applied concentrated fertilizer (Peruvian guano) to corn with good effect even after tasseling, and just as the shoots were beginning to appear. But the rains were abundant and the soluble food was at once dissolved and diffused among the network of roots beneath the surface. If it had turned off dry it is probable the application would have proven totally useless if not absolutely hurtful. But of this hereafter. We would impress on every farmer the folly of planting a single acre of land in corn—or any other crop—that will not, under average conditions, pay the expenses of the preparation and cultivation. The estimate should include not the expense alone, but should also take into consideration, on the one hand, the farther deterioration of exhaustion of the land, on the other hand the probable recuperation that would attend a year of rest. Every farmer may calculate for himself, but it may be safely assumed that an acre of land that will not produce at least ten bushels of corn with average seasons, ought not to be planted in corn.—Southern Cultivator.

Guernseys.

We are asked about the merits of the Guernseys. They are a good breed. They come from the island of Guernsey. They are larger than the Jerseys; are very quiet, hardy, good feeders, and pay well for what they consume. One of their admirers declares they can rough it and "hustle" like a scrub, but to better purpose, having an unimpaired digestion. They can stand cold, if necessary, or heat if so circumstanced. Testimony from Guernsey herds in Georgia and the Carolinas, on the Atlantic seaboard, on the Pacific coast, or in the cold Northwest, is unanimously in favor of the hardiness of this race. Some of the most celebrated Guernseys inhabit the bleak, Berkshire hills, and others are coddled in warm farms in temperate climates. It is never the Rural and Stockman's purpose, however, to intimate that any cow can be abused and starved with impunity. That is not the way to keep cows.—Rural and Stockman.

Care of Sheep.

A writer says that it does not require much more time to take care of one hundred sheep at this season than it does for one or two cows, yet they need to be looked after every day. They need fresh water where they can go to it when they please. Sheep drink but little at a time, but drink often when not feeding upon green grass or eating roots. They need fresh bedding frequently. They need a shed that will protect them not only from snow and cold rain, but from drafts of cold air. The sheep shed should be opened upon the south side to admit the sunlight and allow of the escape of the effluvia from the manure under them, but it should be protected by a board fence high enough to shelter them from the wind when lying down.—Rural and Stockman.

Texas Muttons.

In Texas muttons to be desirable feeders must have age, so it is said, and it is a mistaken idea, says the Texas Live-Stock Journal. The best sheep to feed is the lamb first or a yearling in preference to a two, three or four-year-old. A table in the Mark Lane Express shows not only that the gain of a mutton sheep under full feed is considerable, but that the lamb outfeeds the yearling nearly two to one. The lamb will put on more flesh than the yearling and will do it on less feed. The table does not show the feed but Texas sheepmen can take that much on trust if so far they have not evidence to prove the assertion.

HERE AND THERE.

—Be ready to plant just as the soil is warm enough. There is no profit in doing it before. Seeds can not grow without warmth.

—Are all the sheep and cattle all right? Look over the flocks and herds and see if every animal seems to feel right. If not try to find out what is the matter.

—Give the lightning-rod man the go-by, and if he ever shows you a contract, call the dog. Every lightning-rod contract is loaded whether signed or not.

—A few dollars extra a month for a good competent farm hand is money well expended. If he is a clean-mouthed, gentlemanly fellow he is worth a good deal more than a man who is not.

—We find that if we compel ourselves to put things away the moment we get done using them, the better we are off. It sometimes requires an effort to do it, but we try to hold ourselves up to the duty.

—A filthy coop is not found in the yard of a good breeder, for he well knows that it is detrimental to the well-being of his flock, as well as a source of disgust to visitors, and of chagrin to himself when called to show people through his yards.

—Go into your poultry house at least once a week and carefully look for any cracks or holes in the walls. A piece of wall paper and some paste will enable you to prevent the ingress of cold, especially on very windy days, and it will save you from wasting a portion of your time trying to cure the croup or some other trouble due to colds.

—Especially at the start, or for the first three years, long enough to need a change of the bed, strawberries can be grown between the rows of grapes with very good results. The strawberry thrives best in a partial shade, and this condition is easily secured by planting in this way. Of course, the soil should be reasonably rich.

—It is said that in some parts of Asia, where melons are much grown, they are ripened in the dark by drawing the soil over them as they approach maturity. It is well known that some fruits are much improved in quality in the hot-houses by shading the glass during ripening, and the experiment of throwing earth over melons is worth a trial this season.

WIT AND WISDOM.

—How much better is the love that is ready to die than the zeal that is ready to kill.

—Study books to know how things ought to be; study men to know how things are.

—The great secret of avoiding disappointment is not to expect too much. Despair follows immoderate hope, as things fall hardest to the ground which have been nearest to the sky.

—It is not always safe to judge things by their surroundings. George Washington wore false teeth, but the words of his mouth will be remembered when some of the professional patriots of today are forgotten as much as they have forgotten his principles.—Puck.

—A cheerful temper, joined with innocence, will make beauty attractive, knowledge delightful and wit good-natured. It will lighten sickness, poverty, and affliction, convert ignorance into an amiable simplicity, and render deformity itself agreeable.—Addison.

—Almost all of us are wont to have an idea sometimes that we could have made this world better than it is, but how it would have staggered us a few thousand centuries ago if somebody had given us no material to work with and told us to go ahead and try.—Somerville Journal.

—Have you ever noticed what a profusion of apple-blossoms there is every spring, and how few apples there are that come from them? There are a million blossoms to a bushel of apples. Just so it is with desires and choices. Among all the multitude of desires that men have there is only here and there one that amounts to a choice.—Beecher.

"EDITOR'S BACK STAIRS."

The Interesting Views of the Late Dr. J G. Holland.

The columns of the newspapers appear to be flooded with proprietary medicine advertisements. As we cast our eye over them, it brings to mind an article that was published by the late Dr. Holland in Scribner's Monthly. He says: "Nevertheless, it is a fact that many of the best proprietary medicines of the day were more successful than many physicians, and most of them, it should be remembered, were at first discovered or used in actual medical practice. When, however, any shrewd person, knowing their virtue, and foreseeing their popularity, secures and advertises them, then, in the opinion of the bigoted, all virtue went out of them."

Is not this absurd?

This great man appreciated the real merits of popular remedies, and the absurdity of those that derided them because public attention was called to the article and the evidence of their cures. If the most noted physician should announce that he had made a study of any certain organ or disease of the body, or make his sign larger than the code size, though he may have practiced medicine and been a leader in all medical counsels, notwithstanding all this if he should presume advertise and decline to give his discovery to the public, he would be pronounced a quack and a humbug, although he may have spent his entire life and all his available funds in perfecting his investigations.

Again we say, "absurd."

If an ulcer is found upon one's arm, and is cured by some dear old grandmother, outside of the code, it will be pronounced by the medical profession an ulcer of little importance. But if treated under the code, causing sleepless nights for a month, with the scientific treatment, viz., plasters, washes, dosing with morphine, arsenic and other vile substances, given to prevent blood poisoning or deaden pain, and yet the ulcer becomes malignant, and amputation is made necessary at last to save life, yet all done according to the "isms" of the medical code, this is much more gratifying to the medical profession, and adds more dignity to that distinguished order than to be cured by the dear old grandmother's remedy.

This appears like a severe arraignment yet we believe that it expresses the true standing of the medical profession in regard to remedies discovered outside of their special "isms." One of the most perplexing things of the day is the popularity of certain remedies, especially Warner's Safe Cure, which we find for sale everywhere. The physician of the highest standing is ready to concede its merits and sus ain the theories the proprietors have made—that is, that it benefits in most of the ailments of the human system because it assists in putting the kidneys in proper condition, thereby aiding in throwing off the impurities of the blood while others with less honesty and experience deride, and are willing to see their patient die scientifically, and according to the code, rather than have him cured by this great remedy.

Yet we notice that the popularity of the medicine continues to grow year by year. The discoverer comes boldly before the people with its merits, and proclaims them from door to door in our opinion much more honorably than the physician who, perchance, may secure a patient from some catastrophe, and is permitted to set a bone of an arm or a finger, which he does with great dignity, yet very soon after takes the liberty to climb the editor's back stairs at 2 o'clock in the morning to have it announced in the morning paper that "Dr. So-and-so was in attendance," thus securing for his benefit a beautiful and free advertisement.

We shall leave it to our readers to say which is the wiser and more honorable.

BUKLAY, the newly-crowned King of Assam, is only ten years of age.

TRANSATLANTIC TOPICS.

OF 26,000 criminals arrested in Paris, 16,600 had not attained the age of 20.

MME. CARNOT, of France, has set the example among the ladies of the Presidential court of wearing lilies of the valley on all occasions, and these flowers are now regarded as the emblem of the Carnot regime.

THE latest expensive whim indulged in by the King of Wurtemburg is the photographing of the moon to ascertain whether it is inhabited. He had the negatives magnified one hundred thousand fold, and has thus far discovered nebulæ covered with little dots, which he believed to be lunar people.

IT has hitherto been the rule in Japan that all persons visiting governmental offices must alight fr m their horses or vehicles at the outer gate, unless they were of certain rank. This relic of feudal times has now been abolished. Every Japanese is now at liberty to go where he pleases on foot.

THE revival of beard wearing in England is said to be due to two circumstances. An impulse was given to it by the example of the throngs of heavily-bearded Germans and Russians who flocked to the first great exhibition, and another by the return of the British soldiers and officers, entirely unshaven, from the Crimean war.

AGRICULTURAL depression in Europe is not confined to Great Britain, but is felt even more seriously in Russia. The high charges for railway transit, for commission and shipping, the "hopeless indebtedness of all classes possessing land," the exhaustion of fertility by over cropping, are all given their due share of blame for the present state of things.

A NEW electric organ has been erected at the back of the stage of the Burg Theater in Vienna, and is connected by a cable with the orchestra, where the key-board is situated. The cable is long enough to admit of altering the position of the key-board within a radius of thirty feet. The signals are transmitted from the key-board to the relay lever by five Callaud cells.

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