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Advertising Louisiana.

The April issue of the Southwestern Trail, a periodical published by the Rock Island Railroad system, is devoted to the subject of profitable dairying, and, with reference to the favorable conditions for this line of endeavor which obtain throughout the south and southwest, gives Louisiana a "send-off" which should attract wide attention. The advantages offered by this state are clearly pointed out in illustrations, editorials and letters, among the interesting articles which make up the number being the following open letter contributed by H. M. Cottrell, agricultural commissioner for the Rock Island lines.

"Not a single town on the Rock Island Lines in Louisiana has enough milk, cream, or butter. I was in Louisiana last summer when the people in Chicago and New York were dying of heat. Down here the thermometer did not go above 96 degrees. The middle of February I held outdoor meetings; the men in shirt sleeves and the women wearing roses that bloomed outdoors. At that time you were shoveling a path through the snow from your house to the barn and warming the water your cows drank. Cheap land, root crops growing all winter, corn 18 feet high—think what silage it would make! My wife was born in Ohio and has always lived in the north, yet when she got to Louisiana she felt that she had gotten back to her home people. Your wife will feel the same way. Louisiana people spell 'welcome' in capitals."

In a letter to a northern relative, a man who formerly lived in the north, but who is now a resident of Louisiana, says:

"You have no idea of the fine pasture we have here. These lands produce six cuttings of alfalfa a year; they produce corn like the best of the Illinois or Iowa farms; the cows can have green pasture absolutely all the year round. There isn't a month here in which the grass isn't green, and just now the clover is six inches high. Do you see any clover from your front window as you read this? I suppose not. It looks white out there on your Michigan farm, doesn't it? How do you like chopping ice in the morning so the cows can drink? Pretty cold out in the barn these mornings, eh, John?"

"There are two kinds of lands here which are to be had at reasonable prices, some of it being very cheap. One kind is what they call the cut-over pine land. This is the cheapest. It is fine for hog raising and that is the line I am going to take up. I'm going to fatten hogs on peanuts. Now laugh, John, but do you know they make \$50 off an acre of this peanut land here in pork, and the hogs harvest the peanuts? They do; that's a heap easier than what you and I have been used to in the north. The other kind of land is the rich bottom of the Red river valley, which is, like the Nile in Egypt, the most productive on the globe. It raises two or three crops a year. You can take your choice of the two kinds, for there is plenty of each on the market. I could quote you prices, but you wouldn't believe me, so I'll tell you what to do. Take a trip down here, spend a week with us—it won't cost you a cent and we'd be awful glad to have you. If I get you down here you won't go back without buying and deciding to make this your home."

"We have every advantage of the north in the way of schools, city and country; the people are the nicest I ever met; everybody is hospitable. These southern people can't be beat for making a stranger feel at home. The climate is mild and healthy. The breezes in the piney woods remind me of the summer air of Colorado; the palm-trees give the forest a tropical appearance. It is a combination of rare natural conditions and opportunities for making money you can't overlook. I have my arrangements for moving on my place about completed. I got the lumber from a sawmill a mile from the place at a ridiculously low figure, and the house, while it looks rustic, is just as neat as you would want. Gertrude is just wild over it; she sees only the romantic side of this life, and I have to look out for the dollars and cents, but you bet your life I am a good hand at that, and when I can make money under such conditions as these, why, life is worth the living."

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the postoffice at Donaldsonville, Saturday, May 20, 1911.

- Albers, August; Ivanson, Johnson; Chatman, Alice; Clark, Melvina; Enster, Joseph; Fisher, Feamer; Gonzalez, Mary; Green, Mary; Ryan, Pierre; Marshall, Idu; Williams, James; Laton, Johnnie; LeBlanc, Ocasine; LeBlanc, Mrs. G; Peterson, Willie; Price, Lillie; Ed. Bird; Smith, Mary; Tarter, Lena; Williams, F. W.

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Alfalfa Growing.

Many farmers over the state have attempted the growing of alfalfa. In some cases where the attempt was unsuccessful, failure might be charged to imperfect preparation of the soil. Where other conditions are favorable to the growth of alfalfa, weeds and grass may cause a failure.

For this reason as well as for that of adding humus and nitrogen to the soil, land to be sown in alfalfa should have a heavy growth of cowpeas on it previous to planting in alfalfa. Cowpeas choke out the weed and grass crops largely, leaving the land fairly clean of that obnoxious growth.

Where this treatment is not sufficient to clean the land, the following plan may be adopted: Fall break the land as deep as advisable, rebreak in the spring and plant in corn. At last cultivation sow two bushels of cowpeas per acre, graze and turn under deep and sow in Louisiana rust-proof oats immediately. After harvesting the oats in May, break very shallow, not over three or four inches, and sow broadcast two bushels of cowpeas per acre. Cut for hay and disk land once or twice without breaking with turn-plow. Sow alfalfa seed at the rate of twelve to fifteen pounds per acre from October 15 to November 15.

This method of preparation for alfalfa insures a minimum of noxious growth. The last two seedings, that of cowpeas and alfalfa, should be preceded by the shallowest preparation in order to bring to the surface the minimum of grass and weed seed that have not been germinated. This is important. The land may be handled with much greater ease and quickness by using this plan than by following corn and cowpeas directly with alfalfa. The latter combination will give trouble in removing the crop successfully and in time for the alfalfa planting. However, the pea crop should always precede alfalfa because of the added richness and the good mechanical condition it leaves the soil in.—Dept. Agricultural Extension, Louisiana State University.

Barbed wire cuts, ragged wounds, collar and harness galls heal up quickly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is applied. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by X-Ray Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip F. Legendre, of Thibodaux, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Gertrude, to Henry L. Bourgeois, the wedding to take place at St. Joseph Catholic church in Thibodaux on Tuesday, June 6. Mr. Bourgeois is a brother of Mrs. A. A. Sarraed of this city, and for the past two years has filled the position of principal of the Belle Rose graded school. He and his attractive bride-to-be have a host of friends in this community who join in extending advance congratulations and good wishes to the prospective pair.

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An Object Lesson in Trucking.

Under the management of G. L. Tiebout of the Experiment Station staff, a truck farm has been established on the north side of University Lake at Baton Rouge. This statement alone might not be of much interest to truck gardeners, but certain features of this farm give it practical importance and interest. One of the objects in establishing the farm is to produce vegetables for the use of the University mess hall. The remainder of the output of the farm is to be shipped to northern markets. This will offer opportunity to study the important problems of marketing truck at distant points—problems which constantly confront market gardeners, and the correct solution of which frequently spells success or failure. The result of such study will be available for farmers engaged in vegetable production, and should prove of great value.

But probably the most interesting feature of this truck farm lies in the irrigation plant that has been installed. A 12-horsepower gasoline engine is used; the supply of water comes from the lake; it is lifted about 20 feet through a 6-inch pipe to the highest point on the farm; between 300 and 400 gallons of water are supplied per minute to the main irrigation ditch; from this main, the water is conducted into the several parts of the farm, the furrow-system of irrigation being used. The entire plant has been installed by the help on the farm, showing that such installation does not require the service of experts.

The crops now growing on the farm are Irish potatoes, cauliflower, cabbage, onions, egg-plants and tomatoes. These staple crops will offer an opportunity to study the diseases common to such crops in Louisiana, and thus prove of inestimable benefit to the market gardeners of Louisiana. Persons interested are invited to visit the farm at any time.—Dept. Agricultural Extension, Louisiana State University.

Calling a Bluff.

The other day when representatives of the grange and farmers' organizations called at the White House to talk about the reciprocity bills the doors were left wide open and reporters were called in.

The public got a full, first-hand report of that conference.

"You say," Mr. Taft remarked, "that the Republican farmers will desert us if we put that through. I am sorry if that is to be the case, because I have a personal liking for the Republican farmers just a little mite stronger than for the Democratic farmers, although they are all citizens of the United States, whose welfare I must hold equally in my care. But my conviction with respect to the advantage of this treaty is very deep. So far as the effect of this on my personal political fortunes is concerned it ought not to influence me and does not influence me in the slightest. I believe the treaty to be the best thing for the whole country, including farmers, merchants, laboring men and all."

The plain language and firm attitude of the president when he proceeded to express his belief that it was contrary to nature and like flying in the face of Providence to place an artificial wall between this country and Canada put a damper on the spirits of the assembled "farmers." They left the White House quite crestfallen and with the painful realization that their bluff had failed to work.—Shreveport Times.

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The following statistics relative to the public school system of Ascension parish are taken from official figures promulgated by the state department of education, and apply to white children exclusively: Per cent of educable children enrolled, 70; per cent children attending school based on enrollment, 70; per cent children attending school based upon educables in parish, 50; average monthly cost of each pupil based on average attendance, \$2.64; average monthly cost of each pupil based on enrollment, \$1.78.

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New Orleans has captured the next meeting of the American Bankers' Association, to be held in November. Between 4000 and 5000 delegates are expected to attend the gathering.