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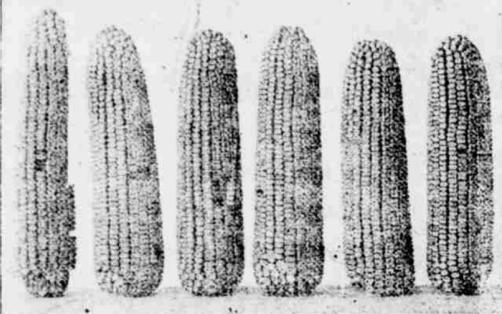
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## CORN IS THE GREAT SOILING CROP



Excellent Seed Corn Ears.

(By PROF. THOMAS SHAW)  
Corn is a great soiling crop, but the same objections obtain to using it for soiling food purposes as obtain to sorghum. The nutriment in it is less prior to maturity than after maturity. When fed in the form of ensilage it is fed virtually as soiling food, as it is then fed slightly short of maturity and in the succulent form.  
For this use no plant in America will equal corn, and this is unquestionably the most economical way of feeding it when it is to be fed for a number of years.  
Under such conditions it will abundantly pay to build a silo, relatively narrow and deep, that it may be adapted to summer feeding.  
The advantage of a narrow silo over a wide one for such feeding arises from the fact that less surface is exposed from day to day during the summer when small quantities are fed.  
The sowing of corn for soiling on the broadcast plan has but few advocates. It has been condemned chiefly on the ground of the small food value possessed by corn so sown as compared with corn grown in rows so far

apart as to freely admit the sunlight. It is possible, however, that too much has been made of this objection, as the experience of many has shown that much milk may be obtained by feeding corn grown thus on a given area of land.  
It is a very convenient way of growing it, but it is costly of seed and does not check weed growth so completely as when grown in rows.  
For purely soiling food uses, when corn is grown in rows the aim should be to obtain from it as much bulk as is consistent with the free and ample opportunity to cultivate the crop in the usual way.  
This means that while the rows should not be closer than three feet, the corn may be grown thickly in the row. To accomplish this the drill may be made to sow seed twice or three times virtually in the same place.  
The cutting may begin as soon as the crop is in full tassel, and may be continued until the crop is nearly, if not quite, ripe. The season of feeding may be prolonged by planting at least two varieties which mature at different times during a season.

## GENERAL FARM NOTES

Every farmer who keeps stock of any kind needs a silo.  
Horses are the most uneven grazers among our animals.  
Give the orchard a goodly share of time, thought and care.  
Calves will learn to eat hay early when it is kept within reach.  
The wise farmer keeps all the fertility that he can on the farm.  
It is well known that some bees are more inclined to swarm than others.  
The skim milk differs from whole milk in being deficient in butter-fat.  
There is positively no known treatment of any value for tuberculosis of chickens.  
It is very necessary to teach the calf to eat grain early, when raised on skim milk.  
Whatever breed of sheep meets your requirements it is the one for you to lead on.  
Size, vigor and activity of both cockerels and pullets are essential to good breeding of fowls.  
Why not clean out the poultry buildings as often and as thoroughly as you do the barns?  
There is no excuse for keeping cows that do not pay market price for the feed that they consume.  
The craving for salt by animals has been considered a whim of the animal, when in reality, salt was a necessity.  
When put in the milk the calves simply gulp it down which may mean indigestion or constipation. But it is a mistake to put it in with the milk feed. Let them have it dry.

## COWPEAS FOR HUMUS

Crop Also Furnishes Nitrogen When Plowed Under.

They Are Deep-Rooted and Can, Therefore, Use and Make Available Plant Food Other Crops Are Unable to Produce.

For green manuring purposes, no plant is better than cowpeas, crop experts in the Kansas Agricultural College say. One year of this crop will improve the soil for ten years. They are deep-rooted and can, therefore, use and make available plant food which other crops are unable to get. Nitrogen is the fertilizing element usually lacking in the soil. Cowpeas take this element from the air and make it available.

Cowpeas grow best in warm climates, but many varieties will grow in cooler regions. The Whipperwill,



Cowpeas.

Wonderful, Clay, and Red Ripper varieties are well adapted for green manure.

When corn is to be planted on wheat ground, cowpeas should be sown in fall at 50 cents to \$2 a pound. The grain is harvested. One and one-half bushels to the acre, sown broadcast or drilled in with an ordinary grain drill, will give the best results. If a drill is used, it should follow the binder between the dropped bundles and the standing grain. Where the field is trashy or weedy and can be cleared of the grain before July 1, it should be cleared and disked. In no case should the planting be delayed long after this date, but disking will make the sowing of the peas an easier matter. A thoroughly warm seed bed is necessary for success with this crop.

Cowpeas, seeded in July and grown through August and a part of September, may be plowed under late in September or early in October without any danger to the succeeding crop or to the soil. On light soils a part of the crop should be removed. On heavy clay soils plowing under the whole crop is best. The ground should then be fallowed until spring. Where it is possible the peas may be pastured before being turned under with hogs. In fertilizing value and a considerable additional gain in feed for farm animals.  
The expense of growing the peas will be about \$1 an acre. The ground will raise almost enough more corn the next year to pay this expense, and then there will be a diminishing gain for a period of nine years longer.

## ROUGH ON THE RABBIT.

The conjurer in the village school room had invited any gentleman from the audience to step up on the platform, and a rustic in a velvet coat responded.  
"Now, sir," said the professor, "I suppose you consider it a matter of impossibility for me to make that rabbit in the box on the table pass into your coat-tail pocket?"  
"I dunno about impossibility," came the reply, "but I wouldn't do it if I was you, sir."  
"Oh, you'll be in no danger, I can assure you," smiled the sleight-of-hand man, affrily.  
"I warn't thinkin' about myself," the rustic answered. "I warn't studyin' the rabbit. I've got a couple o' ferrets in that there pocket."

**Domestic Troubles.**  
Husband—What's the matter, dear? Why do you look so worried?  
Wife—Oh, I've just got everything all ready for Mrs. Monteligh's visit. I've done up all the curtains and pillow shams and bureau covers and center-pieces, and they're all spick and span.  
Husband—Well, if everything is in such apple pie order, why look so disconcerted about it?  
Wife (bursting into tears)—Oh, I just know, as soon as she sees them, she'll know I cleaned everything all up because she was coming.—Judge.

## A CASE IN POINT.



**De Quiz—Do you believe in palmistry?**  
De Whiz—Yes; to some extent.  
De Quiz—Do you think the hands can indicate that a man is about to acquire wealth?  
De Whiz—No, but in the case of pick-pockets.

**Transposed.**  
When Tommy had the mumpsache and the doctor came, said he, "Are you in pain?" and Tommy sobbed, "No, sir; the pain's in me."  
—Lippincott's.

**Leap Year.**  
A local youth is having trouble with his girl.  
"Why won't you marry me?" he demanded the other day.  
"I'll marry you, but not until next year."  
"Why the delay?"  
"I'm not going to have it said that I did the proposing."

**Poor Proof.**  
"It's astonishing how much more important women are than men."  
"But are they?"  
"Of course. My wife wouldn't wait a half minute to let me speak to some girls I once knew."  
"But she'd stand up for three mortal hours while a dressmaker fitted her."

**Their Worth.**  
The girl had demanded her letters back and he was shipping them by express.  
"Valuation?" said the clerk.  
"What's that?"  
"Valuation. What are the contents of this package worth?"  
"Put it at 30 cents," answered the young fellow with a sneer.

**SERIOUS OBJECTION.**  
Mrs. Wilson—Ain't you proud since your daughter's engaged to that French nobleman?  
Mrs. Hissom—No; I can't pronounce his name.

**A Flustered Bird.**  
The dove of peace  
Methinks to be best,  
But won't give her  
A place to roost.

**Where Algerion Led.**  
"No," said the dissolute girl, "I'm sure Algerion does not love me. His mind is not on me as it should be."  
"How do you know?"  
"I played bridge at the game table with him and he could remember what the trump was all the time."

## CURRENT WIT and HUMOR



**Incontestable.**  
One evening a father sat in his grandfather's old armchair, curiously scanning the newspaper news, when his little son came to him and proudly exhibited a brand new "colander," which he said he had found over at the links. "Are you sure it was a lost ball, Davie?" cautiously inquired the golfing sire. "Lost?" said David. "Of course it was lost. I saw the man looking for it."—World of Golf.

**Those Cold Storage Eggs.**  
Bill—Had a funny thing happen up to our house this morning.  
Jill—What was it?  
"Why, my wife put some eggs in the fireless cooker, so we could have 'em for breakfast, and the eggs must have took the thing for an incubator, for we got young chickens out of the eggs."

**Not a forcible illustration.**  
"Do you know," asked the abstainer, "that the money which the American people spend for drink in a single year would be sufficient to build a stone tower forty feet in diameter and a mile high?"  
"Would it?" asked the man with the spongy nose, "but what into a silly old stone tower like that?"

**Natural Curiosity.**  
"A man who was rescued from drowning at a seacoast a summer, as soon as he regained senses, turned round and said, 'I'm a fisherman.'"  
"He had a lawed no food, and he wanted to see if there was any left."

**OO BAD.**



**Any Day.**  
The girl who shoots  
And shoots to kill,  
Can be a star  
In vaudeville.

**Well Divided.**  
Two brothers, each of whom is nearly six feet and a half tall, were one day introduced by an acquaintance to a young lady. As she sat gazing up at the pair of giants in wonder and awe, she exclaimed:  
"Great heavens! Suppose there had been only one of you!"

**Not Enough Fanfare, Maybe.**  
"I thought it was reported that Mr. Bluffers, the millionaire philanthropist, would give away a large sum to charity on the first of the month."  
"It was announced that he would do so, but it seems that he couldn't get the net of donation properly staged."

**The Other Fellow.**  
"Why do you always frown when I say 'we must economize?'" asked one statesman.  
"Your grammar is at fault," replied the other. "You shouldn't use the first person plural. You should say, 'they must economize.'"

**Ignorant Lot.**  
"And so you found the western cowboys disappointing," remarked the star-at-home.  
"Terribly so," replied the girl who reads all the magazine articles. "They don't seem to know enough to speak their own dialect."

**Reason Enough.**  
Fleg—Don't you wish you could live your live over again?  
Fogg—Well, I should say not. I've got a 20-year endowment policy maturing this month.

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