

# HOW FARMER BOYS CAN FIGHT KAISER

**BRYAN WILLINGHAM, STATE PRIZE WINNER IN BOYS' CORN CLUB CONTESTS FOR 1917, SETS THE PACE.**

Columbia.—What one boy can do, another can do. There should be an American boy to match every German boy in producing food to feed the armies fighting at the front and the families of the soldiers left at home. In Germany the boys are working. On the farms in America, from which so many men have gone to take their places in the fighting line, there is a great opportunity for patriotic service for the farm boys not yet old enough to fight with a gun. Their weapons are the plow and the hoe.

Bryan Willingham, of Winnsboro, Fairfield county, first State prize winner in the Boys' Corn Club contest for 1917, has set the pace for the farmer boys of South Carolina. What Bryan Willingham has done, other boys in South Carolina can do.

Bryan is seventeen years of age. He has been a member of the Corn Club for several years. He has on more than one occasion won in his county contest. In 1915 he won a scholarship to a short course in agriculture offered by Clemson College. In 1916 he attended the short course, when he received valuable scientific knowledge of soils, plants and cultural methods, which, coupled with his practical knowledge, he has applied to his farming operations with marked success. He has learned well the importance of deep and thorough preparation of the seed-bed, the value of humus in the soil, and of good and well-selected seed. He has learned the value of commercial fertilizers and how to apply them for best results; the value of frequent and shallow cultivation, and the injurious effect of pulling the blades or fodder from the corn.

With these important principles well fixed in his mind, he started out with the determination of succeeding, and he did so, producing 157.3 bushels of corn on one acre at a cost of 17.6 cents per bushel. His net profit was \$287.75.

This being the best record made by any member of the Boys' Corn Club in South Carolina in 1917, Bryan Willingham was declared State champion for that year, and won as prizes a gold medal offered by Hon. A. F. Lever and an International No. 4, 6-shovel pivot axle Riding Cultivator, value \$70, offered by the International Harvester Company, of Columbia.

The past achievements of this young farmer have fired him with a determination to do even greater things. He will continue in the club work in 1918, after which it is his purpose to attend Clemson College and take the complete agricultural course to fit himself for successful farming, which he proposes to make his life work.

Bryan Willingham's achievement should prove an inspiration to the farmer boys of South Carolina.

## FARMERS URGED TO PLANT LATE CORN

Columbia.—After grain is harvested, every available acre of good land should be planted in late corn, says the Food Administration. The Conservation and Production Division of the Food Administration has secured, for the benefit of those who will plant late corn, expert advice.

Corn can be successfully grown, according to Clemson College experts, from Columbia to the coast when planted by the middle of June. There is yet time, therefore, if corn is planted after the grain crop is harvested, to add largely to the corn acreage in South Carolina, which is greatly desirable.

Only good land should be planted in late corn, however. The poorer land can be made to produce food by planting cow peas and peanuts.

It is stated that it will probably not be wise to plant corn after grain in the Piedmont section, because of the shorter season. For grain lands in this section, cow peas, soy beans and peanuts are recommended.

## NO REASON FOR HIGH PRICES ON WHEAT SUBSTITUTES

Columbia.—The Food Administration has sent out a warning to corn millers and to wholesale and retail dealers in corn, barley and oats products that at the present prices of these grains cornmeal and oatmeal should be selling at least twenty per cent below the price of wheat flour and that corn flour and barley flour should be selling at least ten per cent below wheat flour.

The high levels ruling in grains as a result of car shortages and storm weather last winter have now fallen materially with much greater freedom of transportation and the stocks accumulated by manufacturers and traders at the prices ruling then should have been liquidated by this time. In the view of the Food Administration, the maintenance of higher price levels by millers and wholesalers will require justification to the State and local administrators, and although retailers are not under control, wholesalers will be instructed to cease dealing with retailers who cannot justify their prices on the basis of the cost of their goods.

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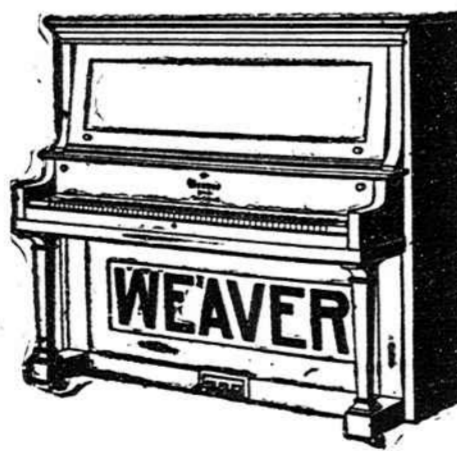
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