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IN LACES we are offering some very rare
bargains.

Union Cotton Mills Department Store.

Among the Problems

Among the questions yearly arising for farmers is that which asks, which is best, to grow a crop of wheat after one of clover, or to raise corn after wheat, or wheat after corn?

The time is always near or upon the tillers of the soil when these problems must be met.

The best wheat we have ever seen grown regularly year after year on one farm was planted in ground that had been in clover, it was not uncommon to get forty bushels of wheat to the acre, and this clover rotation was confidently regarded as the cause of the success.

We believe that, as a very general rule, rotation of crops is necessary to successful farming. Under a common system of dealing with the situation it is deemed essential to raise some small grain in order to get grass to grow. There are some who make a success of agriculture who do not regard this as the best way.

It is held to be wise as the way of a good rotation to plow the clover sod in June, seed to wheat in the latter part of September, plow under the wheat stubble in the fall, plant to corn the year following this, sow rye or oats in the spring, completing the round by getting back to clover, one of the great nitrogen-gatherers and enrichers.

We now come to the consideration more particularly of wheat as best calculated to bring out the principle bearing on the business in view.

It is the fact that the growing of wheat is not likely to be very profitable where the ground is able to uniformly grow other crops well.

All our leading crops must be thought of in connection with insect or other enemies, and wheat is no exception to the rule.

The Hessian fly, which is one of the worst of these enemies, may be conquered to a large extent by not sowing before the time for the first frost, after which the danger from this source is greatly lessened.

Winter killing is obviated to a large extent by the use of the drill, the young plants being in the little furrows made by the drill teeth, not being as likely to be injured as are those on ground harrowed down smooth.

To check smut, the use on the seed of a solution of bluestone or a strong brine made of salt and

water with lime or land plaster, after applying the wash, will certainly prevent this.

Rust is one of the very formidable enemies of the wheat crop. What is rust? It is a parasitic growth, propagated by spores, which at certain periods in the growth of wheat make a lodgment upon it and multiply with great rapidity, so destroying its vitality before the grain is matured.

It is at least largely the fact that such parasitic growths make a more effectual lodgment in the weakened structure than in the robust one; hence any system of cultivation calculated to help the constitution of the wheat plant will surely help it to get the best of this scourge.

Experience has shown it to be a fact that wheat on well prepared clover sod is less liable to rust than wheat sown on corn stubble.

While land is in clover, the mineral elements necessary to the healthy growth of the cereals, by the combined action of air, moisture and frost, are being prepared for the use of these plants, and are consumed only to a limited extent by clover. We need not here dwell on the peculiar power to enrich soil possessed by plants of the clover order.

We thus believe that for a farmer to be successful as a rule in raising wheat, he should select first class seed, wash and treat it as already directed, use the drill in planting, not sowing early, but on the contrary, rather late, and use for this clover sod plowed to a moderate depth only, plowing well in advance of the sowing of the seed, so that in every respect the seed-bed may be well made.

Corn will grow about as well after wheat as after clover. It is not subject to the diseases of the wheat plant and is less liable to be injured by the cut worm when planted after wheat than when planted after clover.

For these reasons we believe that when wheat is to enter into a rotation of crops, it is better to sow it after clover, and corn after wheat, than the reverse.

Sermonette by W. H. Foster.

In the morning sow thy seed, and in the evening withhold not thine hand for thou knowest not whether shall prosper, either this or that, or whether they both shall be alike good. Ecclesiastes 11th chapter,

6th verse.

Morning is the beginning or first part of the day, and conversion is the beginning of the Christian's religious career. The first impulse of the newly converted is to spread the glad tidings of salvation to sinners all around. If any man be in Christ Jesus he is a new creature. With him old things are passed away, and behold all things are become new. By this you may know that you have passed from death unto life because you love the brethren. The chief object of his soul is to show others the way. The word of God which hitherto was darkness to him is now the blazing lamp which lights the way to the sweet fields beyond the swelling flood of mortal life. He now stands with his loins girt about with the truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness, and for a helmet the hope of salvation. Taking the sword of the spirit which is the word of God, and goes forth conquering and to conquer. What a glorious mission if well fulfilled, He now sows beside all waters, and goes from house to house in the unity of the spirit and of the knowledge of the son of God, provoking all to deeds of love and good works so much the more, as he sees the day approaching. He now gives a portion to seven and to eight, not knowing whether will prosper, either this or that, or both be alike good. No man liveth to himself and no man dieth to himself. Therefore every Christian ought to teach both by precept and example, warning sinners to flee the wrath to come.

The morning light dawns in the soul, When Christ has made the sinner whole; He mounts on high with spirits bright, And now becomes a son of light.

On wings of love he soars above, Sings praises to the God of love; Invites all to the feast prepared, No more by Satan be ensnared.

His cup now runs over with joy, Songs and praises his tongue employ; By faith he views the promised land, And shouts, I shall forever stand.

Let all now search for Bible truth, And of a Savior's love make proof; Point sinners to the Lamb of God, And bid all come under His rod.

Green Woodson Dead-Inquest Held.

Green Woodson the negro, who was shot last week in the fight at Jerusalem church, died Monday and Coroner B. F. Gregory held an inquest Tuesday. Arthur Jeter who did the shooting with a double barrel shot gun is still at large.

Union as a Summer Resort.

The Southern Railway Co. has published a summer schedule, with week end rates from many points south and in this schedule Union, S. C. is put down as one of the summer resorts on this line of railroad. It is a fact not well enough known that Union is one of the most delightful and healthful localities in the Piedmont section of the State. It is comparatively cool in summer and very mild in winter, and for those living south of Union it will prove a most delightful change, and for those living north a most mild and balmy winter sojourn. The rates for board are reasonable, rents not high and provisions as cheap as elsewhere.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

State of South Carolina,
County of Union.
Whereas, a petition has been filed with me, as supervisor, containing the names of one-fourth of the qualified electors of Union County, which said petition is now on file in this office, praying an election to be ordered by me, submitting the question of "Dispensary" or "No Dispensary" to the qualified electors of the county, and in pursuance of "An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled" An Act to provide for the election of the State Board of Control, and to further regulate the sale, use, consumption, transportation and disposition of intoxicating liquors or liquids in this state, and prescribe further penalties for violation of the dispensary law, and to police the same, approved March 6, 1896, said Act being approved on the 25th day of February, 1904, an election is hereby ordered to be held in Union County at the various precincts in said county on the 15th day of August, 1905, on the question of "Dispensary" or "No dispensary," and those desiring to vote to retain the dispensary will cast a ballot with the word "Dispensary" written or printed thereon, and those desiring to vote against and for the removal of the dispensary will cast a ballot with the words "No Dispensary" written or printed thereon. Given under my hand and official seal this 18th day of July, 1905.
T. J. BETENHUGH,
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