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October Farming

HINTS ABOUT MAKING GOOD HAY.

Hay-making claims the attention of farmers this month and should be pushed with all possible vigor. The high prices that have prevailed for the past few years should stimulate our farmers to make all the hay possible.

There are thousands of tons of crab grass in the territory covered by The Progressive Farmer that is allowed to go to waste that could be made into a fine quality of hay if cut at the right time and properly cured. Comparatively few of our farmers cut crab grass as early as it should be cut to make good hay. It should not be allowed to stand until the seed are ripe, nor should it be allowed to lie in the sun after it is cut until it is sun-dried before cooking or stacking. Cut when the seed are in the milk or dough state, permitted to take the sun a day, then cocked and cured in the cock, it makes hay about equal to timothy hay.

There are other grasses than crab grass that can be cut this month which will make fair hay.

GATHERING AND SAVING COTTON.

Cotton picking in the cotton growing sections will claim pre-eminence this month. While it is well to pick the cotton as rapidly as is necessary, we should not do that at the expense of everything else; and especially do we advise against the custom of picking and ginning immediately. It will be far better to let the cotton lie in bulk for some time before ginning provided the seed cotton is dry when picked. No gin can make its best turn-out either in quality or quantity on green cotton. Again, when cotton is ginned put it under cover. A \$60 or \$75 bale of cotton is too valuable to leave out to be weather-damaged.

TAKE YOUR EYES TO THE CORNFIELDS.

This is the month to select the seed corn in the field, provided it has not already been attended to. It has been fully demonstrated that varieties bearing two or more ears to the stalk will yield more corn per acre than varieties bearing only one ear to the stalk. At the Edgecombe Test Farm last year there was a difference at the rate of about twenty-nine bushels per acre in the yield of different varieties of corn, and the yield at the other Test Farm of different varieties bore about the same ratio to each other. These facts should impress us with the importance of seed selection.

In field selection, we advise taking for an ideal, a strong, vigorous, symmetrical stalk, not too high, bearing two or more good well-shaped ears, some four or five feet from the ground, and that have medium shanks so as to permit the ears to turn down and shed the rain. We do not advise selecting ears that stand upright so as to permit the rain to run in and cause the grain to rot, neither do we advise the long shank so often seen in corn. A medium between the two extremes is best. Use care in selecting, for if one selects only a dozen or two stalks in a day and the stalks so selected are of the ideal type for planting a seed plot, it will be time well spent. Make a start on such a selection this month.

SEEDING SMALL GRAIN.

This is the month for sowing wheat, oats and rye in a great deal of the territory occupied by The Progressive Farmer. In all these crops thorough preparation is not meant plowing up the land and leaving it in a loose condition; but rather in a fine compact condition. Land intended for wheat, if fallow land, should have been broken in July or August, and harrowed and rolled until fine and compact before sowing the wheat. Of course this does not refer to stalk land. When one sows wheat on stalk land the only preparation necessary is to go over the land with a cutaway or disc harrow, giving it a good working with that implement.

We want to get out of the slipshod ways that have given many of us an average yield of wheat of about eight bushels per acre. To do this, we must pursue more intelligent methods of preparation and seeding. A great many farmers are not careful enough about the quality of seed to be planted. Let us all remember this one truth: The best seed are none to good, and if we want big yields we must sow good seed.

Again, it is the custom of many farmers to sow only three pecks of seed wheat per acre. With this light seeding it is impossible to make a maximum crop. The light seeding may make large plump grains, but not enough of them. A bushel and a half per acre on good land will pay better than half that quantity.

INCREASE ACREAGE IN OATS AND RYE.
The fact that it has been demonstrated by farmers that oats can be raised more cheaply than corn should stimulate our planting. With this crop, as with wheat, the land should be well prepared, and only good seed should be used. For oats, sow two bushels of seed per acre of some good winter variety.

RYE is another crop that should receive more attention than we are giving it. Almost any land will grow some rye, but the better the land the more rye we will get. Sow one bushel per acre if for seed, and if for pasture or soil improvement, sow two bushels per acre.—Progressive Farmer.

'Pneumonia's Deadly Work

I had so seriously affected my right lung," writes Mrs. Georgia Connor, of Rural Route 1, Georgetown, Tenn., "that I coughed continuously night and day and the neighbors' prediction of consumption seemed inevitable, until my husband brought home a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, which in my case proved to be the only REAL cough cure and restorer of weak, sore lungs." When all other remedies utterly fail, you may still win in the battle against lung and throat troubles with New Discovery, the REAL cure, (quantities by Laurens Drug Co., and Palmetto Drug Co., \$60, and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.)

Wadsworth Farmers' Union.

County Organizer John W. Beeks recently instituted a local of the Farmers' Union at Wadsworth school house with the following officers: R. G. Wallace, president; J. L. Crawford, vice-president; J. P. Workman, secretary; J. M. Workman, chaplain; T. P. Davis, conductor; C. R. Workman, doorkeeper. Organized with fifteen members.

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<h4>CLOTHING! CLOTHING!</h4> <p>Special values in Men's Suits, ranging in price from \$2.98, \$3.75, \$4.98, \$6.89, \$8.75, \$10.00, \$12.39, \$14.75.</p> <p>The above suits are worth from \$1.00 to \$4.00 per suit more money, come and try on one and see the fit, finish and examine the quality. We know you will be delighted.</p> <p>Boys and childrens suits at money saving prices. \$1.39, \$1.75, \$1.98 to \$2.25, \$2.89, \$3.50 to \$4.39 suit. Bring the boys in and fit them up and have 50c to \$1.00 on each suit.</p>	<h4>Millinery</h4> <p>Beautiful Hats and prices are lower than elsewhere.</p> <p>Big line Ribbons, Feathers, Plumes at remarkably low prices.</p>	<h4>Notions and Racket Goods at Red Hot Searched Down Prices.</h4> <p>10 Cakes Washing Soap 2 1/2c 7 Cakes Octagon Soap 2 1/2c 2 Spools Thread (good) 5c 7 Balls Thread (good) 5c Best Six Cord Soap Cotton, price right, you come see. Needles, Pins, Hairpins, Key Chains 1c each. \$1.00 Watch, Red Hot 68c \$20.00 Gold Filled Watch, Special \$11.97 6 Foot Buggy Whip 10c, 2000 cab and buggy whips 15c 23c, 30c, 48c up to 80c. 1 lb. Gloss Lamp Starch 7c 1 pkgt. Celluloid Starch 4c Good yard wide Sea Island 7c Good Heavy Shirting 6c 1 Eight Day Clock \$1.98 1 Sewing Machine Guaranteed 12 years \$12.97 1 Set Solid White China Plates 50c 1 Set White Plates 18c 1 Nice Parlor Lamp 98c 1 Set Tumblers 18c 1 Set Hotel Tumblers 39c 1 Plug 15c Tobacco 10c 3 Plugs Baby Ruth Tobacco 25c 1 pkgt. Piedmont Cigarettes 4c 3 Boxes Searchlight Matches 10c 10c Can Good Luck Baking Powder 8c 5c Can Good Luck Baking Powder 4c 5c Gold Dust 4c</p>
<h4>SHOES! SHOES!</h4> <p>For the whole family, every day shoes, school shoes, Sunday shoes, full dress shoes. Baby shoes 15c and up. Men's Shoes \$1.18 up to \$3.98. Ladies shoes 98c up to \$2.89 per pair. Childrens shoes 48c up to \$2.39.</p> <p>Extra size shoes, 12 and 13 for men, and 9 and 10 for women.</p>	<h4>Dress Goods Specials</h4> <p>36 inch Broad Cloth 39c. 54 inch Broad Cloth 48c. Serges, Brilliantens, Mohairs and Plaids all going at cut prices, also Sea Islands, Gingham, Outings, Calicoes, Bleach Goods, and at less than market value.</p>	<h4>Underwear</h4> <p>Big line Men's skirts 23c. Men's heavy fleeced Shirts 39c, 43, 48c. Wright's Health Underwear \$1.00, cut price 85c.</p> <p>Ladies Under Vest, heavy ribbed 25c 39c, 45c, heavy bleached fleeced lined Shirts 45c.</p> <p>Come and get your good warm Under Shirts at our cut prices and you'll save some money to keep your pocket book warm.</p>
<h4>Socks and Stockings,</h4> <p>Stockings and Socks for all sizes, from baby to Grand Pa, 5c, 8c, 10c, 13c, 15c, 18c to 23c per pair.</p> <p>Extra size pants for men, 44-46 and 49 waist. Come in and see, we can cover you up.</p> <p>Hats and caps for men, boys and children. Hats, 25c, 39, 48c, 75c, 98c up to the best John B. Stetson for \$3.47, worth \$4.50. Caps, 10c, 13c, 18c, 25c up to 48c. Red Hot Values.</p> <p>Ladies Jackets, Long Coats, \$2.98 up to \$10.00.</p> <p>Skirts, Dress, \$1.48 up to \$8.25.</p>	<p>Pants for everybody, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.39, \$2.98, \$3.50 up to \$3.98 per pair, worth a \$5.00 bill straight.</p>	

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL MENTION.

Spartanburg will hold a horse show, beginning November 4th.

Miss Winona McDaniel, daughter of Mr. M. E. McDaniel, left Saturday for Due West to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. M. A. Mahaffey, one of the State organizers of the Farmers' Union, was in the city last Wednesday and Thursday.

The Court of Common Pleas was adjourned last Thursday at noon. Judge Gary returned to Columbia in the afternoon.

Mr. Claude Boyd, eldest son of the Hon. R. Dunk Boyd, has entered on his High School department of the city graded schools.

Mr. J. Frank Walker has been elected to a position on the Laurens police force, and Policeman Jernigen has been promoted to assistant chief.

United States Senator Asbury C. Latimer made his first speech since his return from Europe to a Greenville audience last Thursday night, under the auspices of the Farmers' Union.

Mrs. Ethel Blair, who was found guilty of manslaughter, charged with the murder of her husband in Columbia last winter, has entered on bail in the sum of \$2,000, she having been granted a new trial.

Miss Ella Wharton, daughter of Col. J. H. Wharton of Waterloo, and a graduate of the Greenville Female College, class '07, has taken a position with her alma mater in the department of elocution as an assistant instructor. The G. F. C. opened last week.

Church of the Epiphany, Sunday 6th., October 1907 Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity. 11 A. M. Morning prayer. Sermon and Celebration of the Holy Communion. 5:00 P. M. Evening Prayer and address. W. Edward Callender, Rector.

Mrs. S. S. Boyd, of Laurens, arrived in the city yesterday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. J. H. Mattox, on Ware street. Miss Agnes Boyd of Laurens, has returned to her home after a month's stay in the city with relatives and friends.—Greenville Daily News, Sept. 28.

Mrs. Ann H. Jeter, widow of Governor Jeter, has donated \$15,000 to the University of South Carolina for the purpose of building an infirmary, to be called the "Wallace Thomson Infirmary," in memory of her nephew, the late A. Wallace Thomson, an alumnus of the University.

Notice Opening Books of Subscription.
Notice of subscription to capital stock to Eureka Foundry and Supply Company:

Take notice that on Saturday, October 5th, 1907, at ten o'clock a. m., at the office of Hudgens Brothers, in the city of Laurens, S. C., the books of subscription to the capital stock of the Eureka Foundry & Supply Company will be opened and remain open until the amount of stock \$8,000.00 has been subscribed.

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