

## Commissioner Cato Sells Wants Indians To Do More Farming

Honorable Commissioner, Indian Affairs, Cato Sells, he say this way: "The farming season is at hand. Every farmer should at once become actively engaged in advising and teaching the Indians how to prepare the soil, the kind of seed to select, when and how to plant, grow and harvest, and the best use to be made of his crop when produced."

War Bow hear what chief, Mr. Sells, say and heap catch it, idea.

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### WAR BOW HEAP FARM

*By War Bow, Blanket Indian,  
Colony Oklahoma.*

War Bow think he goin' to farm;  
Like country life, got heap of charm;  
He goin' to raise it, plenty corn;  
Will heap much piow in early morn.

Go in pasture an' catch up pony,  
Use curry comb till horse looks tony;  
Throw on harness, give strap quick jerk,  
Heap strong push and get to work.

Heap plant kafir corn and milo,  
Raise plenty feed to fill big silo,  
Have nice sleek horse an' big fat cow.  
Goin' watch white man an' heap learn how.

An', may-be-so, at Indian fair;  
War Bow say, "Me sure be there,  
You bet me take'm lots of prize,  
Goin' show it punkin, biggest-size."

An' white man, no more goin' to say  
"Indian can't make farmin' pay"  
'Cause War Bow show how Indian can  
Just same like neighbor, smart white man.

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