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Very Little of the Valuable Elements Escape by Evaporation, Says a Canadian Expert.

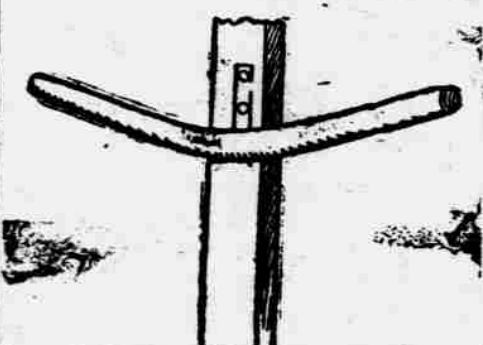
According to James McFadyen, an experiment conducted at the Ottawa experiment farm and covering a period of years, indicated that an equal weight of fresh stable manure and of well rotted manure were of practically the same value for application to all the principal crops. Practically the same results have thus far been obtained at that station. Mr. McFadyen says:

It is a great mistake to believe that manure wastes to any extent when spread upon the land. Unless there is considerable fermentation, there will very little of the valuable elements escape by evaporation. I do not recommend too heavy an application at one time. We seek to have it divided so that it will cover all the land every second year, if possible. If the manure is reasonably short, so that we may have it incorporated into the surface soil with the disc or spade harrow, cultivator or gang plow in the spring, and so about the same depth as we wish to sow our grain, its indirect value to the growing crop is greatest. Farmyard manure is the most natural and perfect plant food available, and it has indirect results that no commercial fertilizer can give, because it adds to the soil so much vegetable matter, so much humus, by which all clay and sandy soils especially are greatly benefited, though not just yet available as plant food. But whenever there is a decaying of vegetable matter there is always a degree of heat formed. We see this very plainly in the manure heap. Then let us have this heat formed in the soil, that the growing plants may derive some benefit from it, and the soil will be made more mellow, crumbly and porous, because of the heat and moisture.

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STRONG HARNESS HOOK.

Close up to each side of the iron brace. Then the bolts are taken from the crosspiece and the loose end of the iron is bent straight down. When putting the shaft on the barn wall turn it upside down and use spikes through the two holes in the iron where the bolts were taken out, as shown in the cut. These hooks are neat, and stout enough to hold a heavy set of work harnesses. We have used them for several years and the strongest point in the economy line is the safety in having new shafts when driving high spirited horses these frosty mornings.—Farm and Home.

AGRICULTURAL BRIEFS.

One of the latest novelties is canned Belgian hares.

Quails (partridges) are multiplying so fast in some California vineyards that they damage crops.

In one day recently there were received at Chicago 41,905 head of cattle, being 5,000 more than ever before received in one day.

Good country roads are not only in a sense distance annihilators, but they enable the farmers to double the wagon loads with no real increased labor for the teams.

Farmers should study the displays of farm implements and machinery at the agricultural fairs. In these days when it is so difficult to secure farm labor it is well to be thoroughly posted on all labor-saving machines.

The farmer has many enemies to contend with. It is estimated that \$50,000,000 a year is lost by hog cholera, and that \$300,000,000 worth of field crops are annually destroyed by insects. Fall plowing destroys many of the insect pests.

Legumes on Stock Farms. In some Delaware tests it was shown that alfalfa, cowpeas and crimson clover were great factors in reducing the concentrated feed bills of dairy-men and other stockmen. It was shown that the maximum crops of alfalfa yielded 1,230 pounds of protein per acre or an equivalent of 1 1/2 tons of cottonseed meal. The maximum crops of cowpeas and crimson clover contained each about 725 pounds of protein. A crop of clover and one of peas may be made into hay annually from the same acre of land, hence where alfalfa fails to thrive these crops may be used as a substitute.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Time Will Tell the Tale. The "wise ones"—those who watch weather conditions closely and who study nature, predict a bountiful harvest the coming year. Not for many years have we had so bountiful a fall of snow as this, and the steady cold that has settled over the middle west reminds one of the winters of "ye olden time." If there is virtue in snow and cold, we certainly have had enough to insure an extra heavy harvest; time alone will tell the tale.—Midland Farmer.

CORRESPONDENTS' CORNER.

Philomath.

Jas. A. Watkins, of Portland, is visiting friends and relatives in and near Philomath.

Clyde Fox has moved into G. W. Leeper's house.

Mrs. A. R. McDonald is quite ill with pneumonia fever.

Mr. Kent, of Five Rivers, passed through Philomath Tuesday with a fine drove of beef cattle.

Mrs. Hulbert and daughter, from near Albany, spent several days in Philomath the first of the week visiting relatives.

Working hours at the lumber yard have been shortened, the evening whistle blowing at 4:30.

Several fine wild geese have been bagged lately by local sportsmen.

Thursday Geo. Allen moved up to his timber claim in the hills, where he expects to do considerable logging this winter.

PEEK-A-BOO.

Bellfountain.

Dr. Bennett got home Sunday night from Grass mountain where he has been hunting for big game.

Mr. Dean has sold 100 acres off the east side of Cid Evan's farm that he recently purchased. Rev. L. T. Belknap, of Forest Grove, was the purchaser.

Frank Duges shipped another car of hogs to the Portland market this week. Farmers find it more profitable to sell at the present prices than to feed.

Married, at the home of the groom's father, R. C. Hall, on last Sunday, 14 Rev. M. M. Waltz, Erie Hall, of Bellfountain to Miss Mary Tozier, of Coos, Oregon.

A. W. Hawley has been so afflicted with boils of late that he is confined to the house.

Sup. Denman is visiting the public schools in the south end of the county.

The Bellfountain school is doing excellent work under the efficient teachers, Miss Dunlap and Miss Reader.

The prospect for grass and crops has not been so good for years.

J. H. Edwards is buying turkeys for Smith & Boulden, of Corvallis. The crop here is larger than usual.

Last Sunday Rev. Zimmerman, of the M. E. church, organized a class of 20 members.

There will be quite an elaborate entertainment here on the eve of Thanksgiving, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

T. K. Fawcett has sold to a California buyer about 100 head of cattle. S. A. Thorp is riding boss in the "round up."

The work on the new church at the cross-roads is progressing satisfactorily and when completed will be a credit to the community. The building will be finished in from two to four weeks.

S. C. Starr went over to Bodaville last week returning by way of Halsey. His daughter Mrs. Prof. Mack accompanied him home.

Owen Watkins, having completed his father's fall seeding, has gone to Beaver Creek to work with his brother Ralph.

Clara Starr has been sick for a week with jaundice.

Rev. A. L. Hawley, of Washington state, with his family are visiting their relatives and old friends here.

L. H. Hawley has so far failed to find 12 or 15 head of the cattle that he has been ranging in the mountains during the summer.

The neighborhood find the local telephone a great convenience in the transaction of business and other matters.

Jasper Rickard has gone to Southern Oregon for his health.

L. N. Edwards has about a carload of mutton sheep for sale.

Barney Carterline, the steel-hardener, expects to move to Portland the first of next week.

Oak Grove.

Prof. Davis has organized a class in vocal music at Palestine.

Miss Anna Pagenkoff, of Granger, was visiting friends here Sunday.

Arthur Hinkins and wife will leave for Nebraska some time this month.

Perry Prettyman, engineer on the S. P. R. R. for the last 12 years, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Prettyman.

Henry Prettyman left Friday for Rock Creek, Lincoln county.

Quite a large audience greeted Mrs. Jonas Jameson last Thursday evening at the Oak Grove school house. The elocutionary recital given was very interesting and instructive.

Rev. F. W. Lanner will hold special services at the school house Sunday.

The prohibitionists had their commitment on hand election day to see that they got a fair deal. He voted for the four electors but forgot to vote yes on local option. There was one other who voted the ticket and needless to say he voted right.

He Was the Real Thing. Scores, having sent a stupid servant to do an errand, was greatly annoyed on finding that he had done exactly the opposite to what he had been ordered. "Why, you haven't common sense," he remonstrated.

"But, sir—"

"Shut up! I should have remembered that you were an idiot. When I'm tempted to send a fool on an errand again, I'll not ask you—I'll go myself."—Tit-Bits.

His Great Qualification. The animals were preparing for amateur theatricals.

"I want to be the heavy villain," said the sheep.

"You!" snorted the intelligent horse. "You'd make a fierce-looking villain, wouldn't you?"

"Maybe not," retorted the sheep, "but I'll bet none of you can beat me saying 'Bah!'"—Catholic Standard and Times.

Consider. Consider what your actions. What's done you can't recall; No use to pull the trigger, Then to try to stop the ball. —Lippincott's Magazine.

HE DIDN'T SEE THE JOKE.



"Really, Capt. Blueblazes, it was so kind of you to make me a present of this little puppy," warbled Miss Nastinook. "It's so like you, 'yknow.'"—Ally Sloper.

She shops all day and she dances all night. And she gads all around as she wishes; But her mother complains that she's never found strength To tackle a pan full of dishes. —Baltimore News.

Difference in Taste. Sister Helene—To me there is not another opera like "Martha." Such soothing catchy melodies as they allure into forgetfulness! Really, I know nothing I like better than "The Last Rose."

Brother Herbert—Indeed! I prefer the first asparagus.—N. Y. Times.

No Time Lost. Mrs. Seldom-Holme—Do you know anything about these people that moved into the house next door to you yesterday?

Mrs. Jenner Lee Ondego—I know all about them. They haven't put any blinds on their windows yet.—Chicago Tribune.

Some Receipts. Buckeye—What does a member of the legislature get in your state?

Keystone—That depends. Sometimes one is sentenced for a year or two, but more frequently he gets off scot-free.—Catholic Standard and Times.

What He Meant. House Agent—Have you any children?

House Hunter—Yes; but they are very quiet and well-behaved.

House Agent—Oh, but I mean have you any children living, ma'am?—Judge.

Exemplifying It. "I heard Wiggleton deliver a mighty interesting lecture the other evening on 'Success in Life.' He seemed to be—what are you grinning at?"

"Nothing, only Wiggleton failed in business two days ago. Hadn't you heard of it?"—Chicago Tribune.

Had the Proof. "What happened when you called her father an ass?" asked Cholly.

"I discovered that he was sure-footed," responded Freddy, who had been lifted to the sidewalk.—Chicago Daily News.

Able. The Father—Have you the ability to support my daughter as her station in society requires?

The Suitor—Yes, sir! I have the ability—all I need is the opportunity to apply it!—Brooklyn Life.

Disagreeable Fellow. "I despise Chumpleigh."

"What's Chumpleigh's trouble?"

"When he tells me a joke he always pokes me in the ribs and adds: 'Think it over!'"—Town Topics.

More Guess-Work. Harry—I wonder who said that money is the root of all evil.

Harriet—Oh, some unhappy man who tried to marry for money and couldn't.—Detroit Free Press.

The Best in the World. Customer—Is this good country butter?

Grocer—Yes, ma'am, that was made in America, the best country in all the world.—Indianapolis News.

Married Life. Irene Father—Young man, you'll have to cease paying attentions to my daughter.

Suitor—So I will, if you let me marry her.—Sun.

No Excitement. "My wife believes everything that I tell her."

"Don't you find life mighty monotonous?"—Brooklyn Life.

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