

SUGAR BEETS.

Better Returns Reported Than For Some Years Past.

Where climate and soil are at all suited to the growing of sugar beets the returns have been entirely satisfactory and much better than were hoped for a few years ago. Is the report, given after due investigation, by Orange Judd Farmer.

Sugar beets are now grown almost everywhere, Colorado leading because of favorable climate and soil conditions. Michigan is at the forefront and is making good in spite of the fact that it does not have as much sunshine as Colorado and California. The farmers, however, throughout the state are becoming more and more interested in growing sugar beets and find that they are getting the way from \$30 to \$70 per acre. The help problem, while still serious, is not as difficult as it was during the early stage of development. Then very few people knew how to prepare the land and cultivate the beet. Now this knowledge is quite general.

Of Benefit to the Growers.

Sugar beet factories employ expert agriculturists, who spend all their time among the growers giving suggestions and assisting in every way possible. This work, though rather expensive, has proved profitable and paid the factory well. It has been of the greatest benefit to the growers, who, as a rule, accept the assistance gratefully.

The Yield of Beets.

A number of interesting features may be noted. In the first place, the yield of beets is increasing from year to year, due to better methods of cultivation and the use of better seed. The sugar content is also on the up grade. A few years ago it was with the greatest difficulty that most growers could produce beets averaging 12 per cent sugar. Now 13 and 14 per cent is the rule, and 15, 16, 17 and even 18 per cent is not unusual. It is still a little early to give an estimate of the amount of beet sugar produced this season. The run does not end until well into winter. Some factories, of course, close down along the latter part of November, but many of them run well into December, and in some localities where mild temperature prevails they continue operations until January.

SEED POTATOES.

Northern Grown or Second Crop Southern Preferred.

The general preference for northern grown or second crop southern grown potatoes for seed purposes is well sustained by practical results. The usual reasons given for their superiority over the ordinary home product are the benefits to be derived from "change of seed," more congenial soil and location, tending to perfect growth, and the better condition in which the seed potatoes thus grown keep over winter. Northern grown potato seed is best for the north and southern second crop for the south, as well as for intermediate localities, apparently for the same reason. Recent experiments in northern Europe, where the potato crop is of the utmost economic importance, tends to confirm the prevailing impression that seed pieces cut from the "seed end" are likely to be more productive than similar cuts from the umbilical or stem end. The reason given is that the seed end or growing point of the tuber is younger and less mature than the stem end, formerly attached to the plant, and that not only are the "eyes" or buds more numerous on a given area, but the stored food materials are more soluble and in a state of higher vitality.—Rural New Yorker.

"In 1897 I had a stomach disease. Some physicians said 'Dyspepsia, some consumption.' One said 'I would not live until Spring.' For four years I existed on boiled milk, soda biscuits, and doctors' prescriptions. I could not digest anything I ate; then I picked up one of your Almanacs and it happened to be my life-saver. I bought a fifty-cent bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received from that bottle all the gold in Georgia could not buy. In two months I went back to my work, as a machinist, and in three months I was well and hearty. May you live long and prosper."—C. N. Cornell, Rodling, Ga., 1906. The above is only a sample of the great good that is daily done everywhere by Kodol for Dyspepsia. It is sold here by Benson's Pharmacy.

Failures in Sheep Breeding.

A large number of failures in sheep husbandry are traceable to lack of knowledge of how to handle domestic animals. Some will give too much attention and others insufficient. One is productive of as evil results as the other. No animal loves natural conditions more than sheep, and the closer they can be maintained under such the better. I knew of a man who went into the sheep business by purchasing a few very high priced sheep. He had no knowledge of how to handle the animals, consequently after they had been in his possession a few months he was disappointed because he was unable to produce as good results as the breeder from whom he had purchased the stock. Instances of this nature are very common. It is not the fault of the sheep, but of the man, in the larger majority of instances.—National Stockman and Farmer.

THE EYE AND ITS CARE

By Dr. Franc Lucile Hard, Rooms 1-4 Chrisman Building, Eugene.

In this our last article upon the eye and its care, there are several important items which we especially wish our readers to remember.

1. The importance of having the children's eyes examined by a competent Refractionist, whether there are symptoms of eye troubles or not, but especially so if the little ones complain of headaches or seem listless or stupid about their studies. And if their eyes are red and and scales form at the margin of the eye-lids.

2. The necessity of heeding the warnings that the eyes give when they need attention. Such warnings as, the page blurring and becoming indistinct, inability to read any length of time without pain, and headaches, nausea, and dizziness when there is, seemingly, no cause for it. These are all never failing signs of eye troubles.

3. The importance of having a very thorough and careful examination of the eyes made by a competent Eye Specialist when getting glasses. For the eye is one of the most delicate structures in the body and is easily injured if not treated with the utmost care.

People who are unfortunate enough to be the possessors of poor eyes are not nearly so unfortunate as they would have been twenty or thirty years ago. Great progress has been made in the study of eye-sight defects and in the measures to correct these defects. It is in the latter, perhaps, that the advancement has been made. New methods of lens grinding have been perfected, new apparatus has been designed where-by results heretofore unattainable are now possible, both of which combining to enable us to secure a degree of comfort little thought of half a century ago.

Eye-glass fitting is a complicated art and requires not only a thorough knowledge of the eye, but the aid of costly and scientific apparatus.

Lenses should, with few exceptions, be ground to fit each individual eye and not taken from an ordinary supply case, with the nearest stock lens which is on hand.

The importance of securing properly fitted glasses is not appreciated as it should be by the public in general, and mistakes made in improper diagnosing, prescribing and fitting are seldom realized or even known until too late when irreparable damage has been done to the eyes.

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K. of P.

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Farm Telephone Notes.

The farm telephone line need not be of "standard construction" to give good service. Both poles and wire may be adapted to local conditions. Avoid hanging wires on trees in all cases. Interest the boys and girls in the principles of telephone operation. Volts, ohms and electro motive force are not such fearful words to the young as to the old. A "bridging" telephone allows two farmers on a mutual line to talk to each other privately without permitting the conversation to enter the homes of others. This is a case of giving the "listening in" fellow the go-by.—Farm and Ranch.

Fruit of First Quality.

There is not enough fruit of any kind raised in this country at the present time which is actually placed upon the market in the grade of first quality or better that is produced in sufficient quantity to meet the wants of consumers at a moderate price. The city family that has bought first grade apples in almost any recent year has paid a luxury price. This is true also of pears, plums, peaches and oranges, and it is true of small fruits, such as cherries and grapes. The assertion may easily be extended to most if not all of the commercial berries—strawberries, currants, blackberries and raspberries.

Moss on Fruit Trees.

Moss can be cleaned from fruit trees by spraying during the dormant season with concentrated lye. One pound to six gallons of water. This gives a clean bark, not only making the trees look better, but contributing to their thrift by destroying the parasite growth which renders the bark hard and brittle.—Pacific Rural Press.

Vitality of Seeds.

Seeds which are fully mature and well dried should be of good vitality the following season after being grown. Seeds which are kept in a moist condition are usually of good vitality if the temperature is not allowed to fall too low, but the presence of moisture and a low temperature will injure or destroy the vitality.

Keeping Seed Corn.

Seed corn should be placed in open racks or hung up by the husks in a room where there is a free circulation of air. Sometimes artificial heat is necessary, especially if the corn is late in maturing.

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Butter fat	32c
Eggs	15c
Chickens	10 to 11c
Onions, cwt.	\$1.50
Apples, bushel, according to quality	\$1.25
Chittam bark, old	5c
Hides, green	7c
Salt hides, dry	8c
Potatoes	\$2.00
Cabbage, cwt	\$4.00
Turnips, cwt	\$2.00
Carrots, cwt	\$1.50
Parsnips, cwt	\$2.50

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(Retail prices are quoted)	
Wheat, bushel	80c
Wheat and vetch, chopped ton	\$26.00
Oats, bushel	40c
Bran, ton	\$29.00
Clean wheat chop, ton	\$26.00
Oats and vetch, chopped, ton	\$25.00
Mixed, ton	\$24.00
Shorts, ton	\$25.00
Flour, valley, cwt	\$1.90
Flour (hard wheat, cwt)	\$2.40
Rolled barley, per 75lb sack	\$1.05
Rolled barley, standard, sack	\$1.00
Hay, baled, ton	\$12.00

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

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Veal, dressed	7c
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TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., Nov. 23, 1906. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

IRA D. HYLAND, of Lowell, County of Lane State (or Territory) of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 7620 for the purchase of the N 1/2 of SW 1/4; NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section No. 12 in Township No. 29 south, Range No. 2 west, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Eugene, Oregon, on Thursday, the 4th day of April, 1907.

He names as witnesses: Oscar Drury, of Lowell, Oregon; Grover Walker, of Lowell, Oregon; Willbur Hyland, of Lowell, Oregon; William W. Sailor, of Lowell, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 4th day of April, 1907.

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No 18 Cottage Grove Local	5:10 a m
No 12	11:20 a m
No 14 New Fast Train	6:13 p m

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No 15	1:26 a m
No 13 New Fast Train	4:30 a m
No 11	2:55 p m
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No 3—No 1	STATIONS	Elev	A.M.	P.M.		
2:30	0:30	0	6:21	12:09	5:15	
2:40	0:40	5.5	Walden	7:10	11:25	4:28
2:49	0:49	6.7	Cerro Gordo	8:07	11:16	4:50
3:00	0:54	8.6	Dorena	8:41	11:08	4:44
3:18	1:01	8	Star	9:17	10:40	4:37
3:26	1:03	8	Wicks	9:46	10:23	4:25
3:35	1:05	15.9	Red Bridge	10:20	10:28	4:20
3:38	1:05	16.6	Wildwood	10:40	10:15	4:17
3:50	1:15	19.0	Duston	10:50	10:00	4:03

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