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TESTING THE SEED CORN.

To grow a good crop of corn one must have first a rich soil in which to plant the seed. A second condition, equally important, is such selection and testing of the seed as will eliminate in the greatest degree possible all weak, malformed or infertile kernels. The general test, used by so many, may show with fair accuracy what per cent of the kernels of a given sample of shelled corn will grow, but it gives absolutely no light on the most important point in such a test—the elimination of those ears from which the poor seed was taken. The new method of testing the individual ears, and there are several ways of doing it, has this chief point in its favor—that when the test is ready for inspection a glance at the kernels of a square in the testing box corresponding to a given ear shows at once whether such kernels have sufficient vitality to justify the use of the ear for seed. The Holden testing box has been described in these notes before and need not be given again. Another device which is excellent and for which a patent has been issued is an upright rack equipped with a series of little metallic testing boxes large enough to accommodate five or six kernels of corn and attached to a spike or hook, by means of which they are secured to the ear from which the kernels are taken. Ordinary soil or sawdust is used to cover the kernels, which sprout under about the same conditions as they would out of doors in warm weather. The special method by which the seed is tested is not so important as that both sides of an ear, including middle, top and butt, should be tested and that it should give definite data of the vitality and seed quality of each ear that is to be used for seed. Any other method is slipshod and in the end unprofitable.

CITY PITFALLS.

There are all kinds of schemes and devices perpetrated by city scoundrels for separating the residents of rural communities from their hard earned dollars. This is bad and blameworthy as far as it goes, but it is not to be mentioned in the same day of the week with that trade which is piled by devils in human form in the center of populations when they use all blandishments in their power to delude the country girl and separate her from that which is so dear as life itself—her honor and purity. Such men—and women—ought not to be allowed to exist. But they do, and as long as they do it is well for the country lass not to be misled by alluring and enticing advertising announcements, which give promise of large salaries at easy work for all country girls who will go to the city and make inquiry at such and such a place. The only safe course to follow if a girl wishes to seek employment in a large city is to secure advice from a thoroughly reliable friend of the family who is acquainted with the conditions. Acting on this suggestion will often save heartache, heartbreak and a blasted life.

FEDERAL GRAIN INSPECTION.

Much importance is attached by grain growers of the country to the Macomber bill, pending in congress, which provides for the federal inspection of all grain. It is thought that a charge of from 35 to 75 cents per car will cover the cost of inspection and grading, which will be given a consignment of grain and remain as its standard until disposed of. As things are now there seem to be as many different standards of judging as there are men and markets, with no attempt at uniformity. Shoppers in the grain buying centers take advantage of this situation, buying grain of the farmer as a given grade and selling it to a third party without touching as a grade higher, thus cheating the grower out of a margin of profit to which he is in all justice rightly entitled. The bill means merely a square deal for the parties most interested and should become a law.

A SENSIBLE COURSE.

One level headed farmer whose case came to our attention the other day, desiring to locate ultimately in the west, has sold his holding in the Mississippi valley and has rented a small farm for a year near a good market town in Washington and will move there at once. His idea is that in this way he will have abundant opportunity to look around, discount where necessary the undue claims of overzealous land boomers, see things without bias or pressure and after having done this make his choice of a location which, in the many important respects which should be taken into account, is nearest to his liking. It will cost something to carry out this plan, but the all around satisfaction which will be derived will more than compensate for the cost.

Gems In Verse

OLD FAVORITES.

WOODMAN, SPARE THAT TREE!

WOODMAN, spare that tree!
Touch not a single bough
In youth it sheltered me,
And I'll protect it now.
'Twas his grandfather's hand
That placed it near his cot.
There, woodman, let it stand,
Thy ax shall harm it not.
That old familiar tree,
Whose glory and renown
Are spread o'er land and sea—
And wouldst thou hew it down?
Woodman, forbear thy stroke!
Cut not its earth bound ties.
Oh, spare that aged oak
Now towering to the skies!

When but an idle boy
I sought its grateful shade,
In all their gushing joy
Here, too, my sisters played.
My mother kissed me here,
My father pressed my hand.
Forsake this foolish tear,
But let the old oak stand.

My heartstrings round thee cling,
Close as thy bark, old friend,
Here shall the wild bird sing
And still thy branches bend.
Oh tree, its storm still brave!
And, woodman, leave the spot!
While I've a hand to save
Thy ax shall harm it not.
—George Pope Morris.

A LINCOLN POEM.

In "The Wisdom of Abraham Lincoln," a collection of Lincoln's best utterances, these lines appear as part of a poem written in 1846:

MY childhood's home I see again
And sudden with the view,
And start, as this stormy crowd my brain,
There's pleasure in it too.

O MEMORY, thou midway world
'Tis earth and paradise,
Where things decayed and loved ones lost
In dreamy shadows rise

AND, freed from all that's earthly vile,
Seem hallowed, pure and bright,
Like scenes in some enchanted isle
All bathed in liquid light.

AS dusky mountains please the eye
When twilight chases day,
As bugle notes that, passing by,
In distance die away!
—Abraham Lincoln.

THE HAND OF LINCOLN.

LOOK on this cast and know the hand
That bore a nation in its hold.
From this mute witness understand
What Lincoln was—how large of mold

The man who sped the woodman's team
And deepest sunk the plowman's share
And pushed the laden raft astream,
Of fate before him unaware.

This was the hand that knew to swing
The ax—since thus would freedom train
Her son—and made the forest ring
And drove the wedge and toiled again.

Firm hand that loftier office took,
A conqueror's leader's will obeyed,
And when men sought his word and look
With steadfast might the gathering swayed.

No courtier's toying with a sword
Nor mind across a lute;
A chief's uplifted to the Lord
When all the kings of earth were mute!

The hand of Anak, sinewed strong,
The fingers that on greatness clutch,
Yet, lo, the marks their lines along
Of one who strove and suffered much.

For here in knotted cord and vein
I trace the varying chart of years,
I know the troubled heart, the strain,
The weight of Atlas—and the tears.

Again I see the patient brow
That palm erewhile was wont to press,
And now 'tis furrowed deep and now
Made smooth with hope and tenderness.

For something of a formless grace
This molded outline plays about,
A pitying flame beyond our trace
Breathes like a spirit, in and out.

The love that cast an aureole
Round one who, lonelier to endure,
Called mirth to ease his ceaseless dole,
Yet kept his nobler purpose sure.

Lo, as I gaze the statured man,
Built up from yon large hand, appears,
A type that nature wills to plan
But once in all a people's years.

What better than this voiceless cast
To tell of such a one as he
Since through its living semblance passed
The thought that bade its race be free?
—Edward Clarence Stedman.

BONNY ELOISE.

SWEET is the vale where the Mohawk
gently glides
On its clear winding way to the sea,
And dearer than all storied streams on
earth besides

Is this bright rolling river to me,
But sweeter, dearer—yes, dearer far than
these—
Who charms when others all fall,
Is blue eyed, Bonny, Bonny Eloise,
The belle of the Mohawk vale.

Oil, sweet are the scenes of my boy-
hood's sunny hour
That bespang the gay valley o'er,
And dear are the friends seen through
memory's fond tears
That have lived in the best days of
yore!

But sweeter, dearer—yes, dearer far than
these—
Who charms when others all fall,
Is blue eyed, Bonny, Bonny Eloise,
The belle of the Mohawk vale.

Oil, sweet are the moments when,
dreaming, I roam
Through my loved haunts now mossy
and gray,
And dearer than all is my childhood's
hallowed home
That is crumbling now slowly away,
But sweeter, dearer—yes, dearer far than
these—

Who charms when others all fall,
Is blue eyed, Bonny, Bonny Eloise,
The belle of the Mohawk vale.
—Author Unknown.

PERPETUAL YOUTH.

THIS yet high day Thy staff resume
And fight fresh battles for the truth,
For what is age but youth's full bloom,
A ripper, more transcendent youth?
A weight of gold
Is never old.

Streams broader grow as downward rolled,
At sixty-two life has begun;
At seventy-three begins once more;
By swiftness to the nearest sun
And brighter shine at eighty-four.

At ninety-five,
Shouldst thou arrive,
Still wait on God and work and thrive.
—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

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