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Xerxes.

Xerxes now ain't then drank xeres,
Mounted oft his xanthic throne,
Sailed in xebecs, fished for xiphius,
Played in xysts his xylophone—
But he
Never
Wrote it
Xmas.

—Chicago Tribune.

RAISING OF WHEAT.

Advantages of Correct Methods of Growing and Marketing.

By S. C. Armstrong, Washington State College, Pullman.

We must first find out what the existing demand is going to be, and then, if possible, meet that demand; for if we do not meet the requirements of the demand some one else will, and we will be forced to a lower level than we should be. Consequently, in the production of wheat, we have to study the problems we meet from a competitive standpoint; we must compete with somebody else who is growing wheat, not our neighbor, necessarily, but our neighbor's section of the country. A man will go where he can get the best wheat, if he wants to buy, and if we have not the best, we will lose the trade.

We of the wheat producing districts of Washington are fortunate in having the best country for the production of wheat on earth, and we should use the utmost diligence to see that we employ only the best methods. If we do this, we can place Washington at the head of the wheat producing regions of the globe, and the brand of the "Evergreen State" on a barrel or sack of flour will be known as a mark of perfection the world over.

We, the public, should commence to raise the grade standard. The state grain commissioner is at present forcing the purchaser to accept No. 2 as No. 1; we cannot expect to get as much for No. 1 wheat that tests 58 pounds as our neighbors can for wheat that tests better. Because this state of affairs exists, we are sending out, each year, wheat less sought for than wheat grown in many other countries.

We should insist that every grain grower in the state use such care in the productionh of his wheat that the resulting higher standard will increase the demand for our wheat. If we improve the quality of our product, the state grain commissioner will be forced to raise the standard; and we should in this way see that our standard is above the standard of every other wheat producing state. By doing this, we would cause our wheat to be quoted at fancy prices. We should make our product so good that we would be willing to have our name and address printed on it, so that as it goes out into the markets of the world, people the world over will know that we are proud of our product.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Valuable Information to Pacific Northwest Inquirers

By J. L. Ashlock, Washington Experiment Station, Pullman.

Ryan.—"Has mankind ever been able to devise a fence that will stop an Angora goat? Do coyotes annoy them?" L. L. V.

"There are no domesticated animals that are as hard to keep penned up as Angora goats. To secure them, a fence should be of a kind that will not permit the animals to climb, and from four to five feet high. It should be so constructed that a goat cannot jump over it, and preferably should be made of wire instead of boards. A wire fence made of woven wire and about fifty-four inches high should hold them. Remember that if the animals can get any sort of vantage from which to jump, they will go over the fence. The goats are pretty good on the defensive, hence coyotes do not as a rule make much headway in attacking them."

Glenwood, Idaho.—"Is 'quack grass' a dangerous pest? How may I kill morning glories?" C. B.

"'Couch grass' is another name for this pest, and it is certainly dangerous when it once has escaped into a garden. In the Eastern States it is reported quite often, but I have not been informed that it is in the Northwest in any great abundance. The morning-glory is even more dangerous than quack grass. Fall plowing and covering with straw or manure are fairly good means of destroying it, but it is nearly impossible to kill it by fall plowing."

Wolf Creek, Mont.—"How much alfalfa seed should be sown per acre? Which is better, fall or spring seeding?" W. C.

"If moisture conditions are all right, fall seeding will do in some regions. Spring seeding should be done so as to avoid damage by frost when the seed is germinating. Twelve to fifteen pounds per acre is about right for broadcast seeding, but if a drill or seeder is used, ten or twelve will do."

Grass Valley, Or.—"Please tell me concerning the comparative value of wheat, hay, and carrots as a feed for horses." L. M. U.

"Such a comparison is impossible, since the feeds you mention do not fill the same need. The food value of carrots is very low, but the effect they have in toning up the system, and keeping it in good running order is very important. A horse could eat a peck of carrots per day to a very good advantage, but you should not attempt to substitute them for hay. The same is true in making a comparison of wheat and raw carrots for hog feed, although up to the amount that a hog will eat, the carrots will replace a certain portion of the wheat. I can safely say that where carrots will yield twenty tons per acre, you will find it highly profitable to feed them to hogs to the full capacity of their appetities, provided you feed some grain in connection with the carrots; but you will be unable to keep stock hogs on carrots alone, as they contain too small a percentage of bone and muscle making material."

Getting Acquainted.

"My dad kin lick your dad," said the dirty faced boy.

"I don't know whether he kin or not," said the new boy on the other side of the back yard fence, "but I'll bet my dad kin outtalk your'n."—Chicago Tribune.

Missouri marketed 101,100,658 dozens of eggs last year, for which was received more than $16,000,000. Added to this are the items of live and dressed poultry and feathers, making the comfortable sum of nearly $40,000,000 for poultry products for the last year.

"Is she an artist?" "No, but she paints a little."—St. Louis Times.

"She seems like a very reserved girl." "Yes—I wonder who for?"—Judge.

Mrs. Trout—Any gossip? Mr. Trout—Yes, the shade have terrible skeletons in their family. The Fisher.

The Artist (showing new picture)—This is the best thing I ever did. The Critic—Oh, well, you mustn't let that discourage you.

Hewitt—Are you a believer in vaccination? Jewett—Most certainly. It kept my daughter from playing the piano for nearly a week.—Stray Stories.

"Maude was afraid the girls wouldn't notice her engagement ring?" "Did they?" "Did they! Six of them recognized it at once."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Heiress—But they tell me you are embarrassed by your debts. The Suitor—Don't you believe it. But doubtless my creditors are.—Chicago Daily News.

Patience—They say she has a wonderful command of language. Patrice—Well, she seems to command her husband's, but not her own.—Yonkers Statesman.

"I pay as I go," declared the pompous citizen. "Not while I'm running these apartments," declared the janitor. "You'll pay as you move in."—Washington Journal.

Jack—In the Oriental world a girl never sees her intended husband until she is married. Floss—How odd! In this part of the world she seldom sees him afterward.—New York Globe.

"On your trip abroad did you see any wonderful old ruins?" he asked. "Yes," she replied, archly, "and guess what." "Well?" "One of them wanted to marry me."—Harper's Weekly.

"You admit that you sometimes make mistakes," said the intimate friend. "You are wrong," answered the eminent statesman. "I sometimes make mistakes, but I don't admit it."—Washington Star.

Office Boy—I bought our fair typist a bunch o 'posies for her desk ter-day. Messenger Boy—What did youse loosen up like dat fer? Office Boy—Tryin' ter bait de old man fer fire de chesty bookkeeper.—Puck.

"Say," asked the first messenger boy, "got any novels ter swop?" "I got 'Big-Foot Bill's Revenge,'" replied the other. "Is it a long story?" "Naw! Ye kin finish it easy in two messages."—Philadelphia Press.

Mistress (astounded)—You can't read, Norah? Good gracious! How did you ever learn to cook so well? New Cook—Shore, mum, Oi lay it t' not bein' able to read the cook books.—Town and Country.

He—Yes, a daughter is a father's dearest possession, and I don't blame him for not wanting to give you up. She—Oh, if I were the only thing he had to give up he might not feel so badly.—Town and Country.

"Would you advise me to go into politics?" "Young man," answered Senator Sorghum, "the mere fact that you are so modest as to ask advice about it proves that you are unfit for the profession."—Washington Star.

Muriel—When you eloped with George, did you leave a note telling your people where you had gone? Gabrielle—Why, of course! If I hadn't, how would papa have known where to send us any money?—Illustrated Bits.

"And would you marry me if I were a poor girl, working for a living?" asked the heiress. "Darling," responded the accepted suitor, "it wouldn't be fair. You'd be doing enough in supporting yourself."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

"Tommy," said the hostess, "you appear to be in deep thought." "Yes'm," replied Tommy, "pa told me somethin' to say if you should ask me to have some cake or anything, an' I bin here so long now I forgit what it was."—Philadelphia Press.

"Where hav yez been this avenin'?" asked O'Riley of O'Toole. "Sure, I hav been playin' 'Bridget whist,'" said O'Toole. "Bridget whist? An' how do yez play thot?" "I sit in the kitchen wi' Bridget, an' ate pie an' cake an' chicken, an' whin Bridget hears the missus comin' she says 'whist.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Back to Simple Ways.

Abe, a light mulatto, called upon a minister for whom he had formerly worked.

"Yo' know, boss, I'se gwine be married nex' week," he admitted haltingly. "I'se gwine to marry Miss May Felicity Johnson, an' May she say she wants ter be married jus' like white folks."

"All right, Abe, I'll marry you if you want," the minister replied.

"How much you gwine charge?"

"It will cost you $5 to be married like white folks."

Abe scratched his head. "Guess we'll had ter be married like colored folks, then," he said. "You see, boss, w's goin' ter housekeepin', an' I ain't got but $8."

When a bachelor is among women, he always claims to be lonelier than he really is.

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The Page Between.

A New Orleans woman, well known for her work for charity, recently accepted an invitation to speak at an anti-tuberculosis meeting. On the platform she found herself seated between a bishop and a rabbi, and the tone of the meeting seemed to be rendered extremely solemn by the combination.

In order to lighten the solemnity, she said, turning to the rabbi: "Do you know, I feel as if I were a leaf between the Old and the New Testaments."

The rabbi turned a sad-eyed gaze upon her.

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"Most noble tyrant," said Pythias, venturing to correct him, "it's merely a sacrifice hit."

Many of the scorers, however, having only a superficial knowledge of the game, marked it down as a double play.—Chicago Tribune.

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"G'wan," retorted the mendicant, "you'se fellows that have all the so't snaps have a nerve."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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