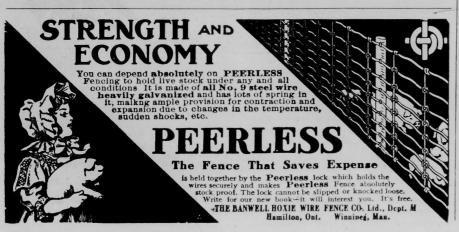


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to keep our seed free from other grain with formaldehyde, one pound to forty and weed seeds. We sow from one gallons of water, to forty bushels oats, and one-half bushels to one and three-covering the grain with sacks, letting fourths bushels of good clean seed, it remain covered for two hours and then So far we have not treated the seed for spread out to dry for the night. This smut. The sample is perfect except would be sown next morning. I a little off in color, which was caused by having had the crop in stooks too bushels per acre of dry seed, or three long. Barley should be stacked as bushels of the treated or swelled grain. soon as dry and not exposed too much. It was sown with a shoe drill at a depth to the weather. Barley should be of two inches. The drilling was fol-well ripe when cut as it does not fill lowed with one stroke of the harrow, to the same extent as oats when cut on no after cultivation was necessary the green side. In order to insure a as the land was nearly new and there good crop of barley and to keep land in were very few weeds. a good state of cultivation, it requires deep plowing, and thorough cultivation implement as it pulverizes all lumps

my barley, and if anyone would wish even start, besides conserving to a to purchase of same would sell at 60 great extent the major part of the cents per bushel, f.o.b., Didsbury; moisture. parties to furnish or pay for sacks.
Will guarantee same as sample.

G. P. LIESEMER.

OATS IN SASKATCHEWAN

my experience in raising a good crop of also at Macleod Seed Fair The soil was a black loam. seeded fairly deep to keep it in good moisture. It was good seed which I raised myself last year.

There are lots of farmers trying to do too much. If they would put their work on half the amount of acres, they would be surprised at the results. Then, another thing, it pays to invest in good seed, you can't expect good grain from poor seed.

Louis F. Ludwig.

cents per bushel.

or summer fallow must be sown in order the seed, which was well cleaned.

I believe the packer is an excellent f surface. and leaves a very uniform and even Am herewith enclosing a sample of seed bed where all the grains get an

Southern Sask. George A. HARRIS.

OATS AS PROFITABLE AS WHEAT

I will attempt to give you a summary of how I raised the oats that took first At your request I shall try to explain prize at Calgary Provincial Seed Fair, It first for standing field competition was mostly all spring plowed, then double disced, and well harrowed. I seeded two bushels per acre. The seeded two bushels per acre. The seeded fairly deep to keep it in good seeded fairly deep to keep it in good the seeded fairly deep to keep the seeded fa inches deep, disced it six times right after plowing, also twice at two dif-ferent periods between June and fall, so as to keep down any growth of weeds there might be. In the spring of 1908, I disced it twice and harrowed it twice. then about first of May drilled in the seed about three inches deep. I cut it about the 2nd of August, left it standing in stook ten days and then stacked it.

PREFERS OATS IN A DISTRICT

LIABLE TO FROST

As regards the seed, 1 equite a difficulty in securing good clean seed. I looked at a good many samseed. I looked at a good many samseed. I believe that the growing of oats and pies out found that barley in this district, liable to frosts, few wild oats in them, and were also barley in this district, liable to get then mixed as to variety. I said I would will prove more profitable to us than mixed as to variety. I said I would the growing of wheat. Oats sown after not buy any that I could find one wheat has always ripened on my farm, kernel of wild oats in, and I did not, but I have "Sheffield Standard" oats because if one can be found there are which ripen a number of days ahead probably more. I finally bought my of the Banner variety. And I have seed from a neighbor, paying \$1.00 always had more orders for oats for per bushel for it, while ordinary seed seed, locally, at 50 cents per bushel was selling at 50 cents per bushel. It than I could supply, and one year I is called Dodd's white oats. This man supplied a Western seed house at 50 got his seed from the experimental farm several years before, and has been The oats for which I was awarded taking pride in raising good oats, and first prize at the Winter Seed Fair, keeping them clean from foul seeds. Regina, were grown on third crop land, I treated my seed with formaldehyde from virgin prairie plowed in the spring, and sowed two bushels per acre. Here, and every evening the land plowed; I think I made a mistake in not sowing during the day was harrowed twice two and one-half or possibly three and packed, to retain all the moisture bushels. I am going to sow two and possible. When I had fifteen acres one-half bushels per acre this year. plowed I sowed the same in order to get I will tell you why. In my grain last the grain into the ground while the year there were small immatured kermoisture was still at its full. I treated nels attached to big plump kernels.



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This, I believe, was caus too thinly and causing to ing. I believe oats shou thickly that they will no the kernels would all be lar My oats yielded 68 bushe and weighed forty-six pounds per bushel. Bu reason why oats shou seventy-five or eighty bu

and weigh over fifty poun I believe the most imp in growing oats is, first, § which is hard to do in The wild oat is scattered although not thick enoug great harm. You will f