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Sunflower Culture.

EDITOR "THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE":

I have noticed nothing recently in your paper in reference to the sunflower or its culture. Many do not realize the possibilities of a plot of this useful as well as ornamental plant. It is a plant of the genus Helianthus. It is named Sunflower from the form and habit of its flower, which is a large disk with yellow rays, and its habit of turning to the sun. There are a number of varieties. The Russian Mammoth is, I believe, the most profitable to grow on the farm, where its value as well as its beauty is appreciated. It is very hardy and produces very large seeds on large heads. They can be grown from seed planted in hills similar to corn, or the plants started in a bed and then transplanted, or any plants which may have come up on last year's plot taken up and moved to the new plot. Transplanting means less hoeing or cultivating which is an important factor these war times. The ground is prepared as for other garden or root crops, marked in rows or cross-marked if you intend cultivating both ways and seeds planted or plants transplanted as the case may be. Plants, as a rule are vigorous and a few hoeings or cultivations give them the start of weeds which they soon smother out by their shade and rapid growth.

It is quite common to see a few sunflowers on many farms, but I believe some waste corners around could be profitably utilized to growing sunflowers. It covers up unsightly spots and is just as useful for scratching ground and shade for chickens as the much extolled corn field. In fact better, as the corn field is invariably some distance from the house, usually too far for young chickens to be taken while the sunflower plot is nearer and can be used until chickens are large enough to be taken farther away. Half an acre provides an abundance of seed to give the hens an occasional treat during winter. Sunflower seed is exceptionally good for laying hens and is much relished by them for a change.

Harvesting presented many difficulties until I tried tying a number of heads together with strings and throwing them over wires put up in an open shed facing south. This gave the necessary air to prevent mould which was my main trouble and at the same time they were out of the reach of mice, which relish the seeds equally as much as the hens by the way they previously had disappeared. Do not forget to leave a few small heads for "our friends" the birds. My sunflower plot is near the house and I noticed many birds come for a feed during the winter.

I have read that in Russia an oil is made from the seed and the stalk is used for wood. I have tried burning them and find, if allowed to thoroughly dry, they take the place of kindling quite acceptably. If the inside of the stalk is well dried it only requires a match to start a fire quickly. The stalks are excellent for boiling a kettle in a hurry. They do not last long and do not heat up the house like wood, which is a very desirable feature in summer, especially if you are not the possessor of an oil stove. We break off the stalks and pile them near the wood to have handy and dry for kindling. Have often heard it said that sunflowers keep malaria away. If an odd sunflower is allowed to grow by itself it looks like a huge green pillar with a yellow flower at top. Of course the better care it gets the grander it will be. Have had them with leaves 22x23 inches. Needless to say the heads were immense. The seeds from these are saved for the next year's crop. The small boy or girl usually enjoys working among the sunflowers. Bees will be buzzing around them as soon as in blossom gathering honey. The heads can be used for feeding bees syrup after the seeds are taken out. In fact it was for the bees that I first started cultivating sunflowers. Even if put in late and cared for a little there will be a crop. Of course like all other crops the best results are obtained by good conditions and care.

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