## Explanation and Acknowledgments

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Brief directions are given for preventing injury to crops by insects,

gophers, smut and potato scab.