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Oats, Fruits and Fertilizer.

1. Which is the better oat for sandy soil, Siberian or Banner, or is there a better?

2. The names of best peaches, pears, plums and grapes, for home use.

3. What would be a good fertilizer for corn on gravelly loam, rather poor?

Ans.-Both of these two varieties are excellent yielders. We are not in a position to state which would do the better on your soil. It is more than likely that there would be very little difference in yield. Taking all things into consideration, while the Siberian may slightly outyield the Banner, the latter variety is preferred by many.

2. Of peaches, we would advise St. John, Fitzgerald, and possibly a few Elberta; pears, Bartlett, Anjou; of plums, you might try Burbank, Reine, Claude, Lombard; and grapes, Niagara (white) Lindley and Agawam (red), Concord and Warden (black).

3. A very good fertilizer for corn on a sandy soil would be 120 pounds of nitrate of soda; 340 pounds of acid phosphate, and 140 pounds muriate of

Pasturing Hogs.

We purpose sowing some kind of a crop for pasturing hogs this coming season, and were thinking of sowing rape in drills and cultivating between the rows, and dividing the plot in the center and pasturing first one half and then the other.

1. Would you suggest any kind of crop as being likely to give better results than rape?

2. Will rape do as well when sowed as soon in the spring as the ground can be worked, as when sowed later on, or will it do nearly as well?

3. How much land would it require to feed 35 hogs, of different ages, through the season

4. How much seed per acre should be sowed?

5. Would it be likely to give good retions?

6. If you can recommend anything better than rape, would you kindly describe method of cultivation, etc.?

7. Do black spots from the size of a pea to the size of a quarter on a purebred Tamworth pig disqualify him from winning in the show-ring?

A. B. A. Ans.-1. We know of no crop which would give better satisfaction for a hog pasture than rape. You might improve upon the system, however, by sewing perhaps a small part of your plot to peas and oats, and pasturing this off before the rape is ready.

2. Rape will not likely do quite as well if sown too early in the spring. The general season of sowing is around about the end of May or early in June.

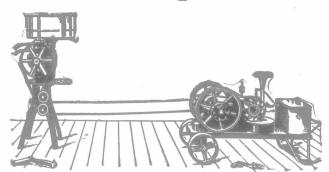
3. According to the amount of other feed given, and pasture properly handled, .rom two to four acres should be enough Of course, where the smaller acreage is used, a great deal of other feed is given. We take it that the hogs are being grown and finished with pasture as a supplement to other rations.

4. If the rape is sown in drills, one and a half pounds to the acre is sufficient; if broadcasted, four to five pounds per acre. If peas and oats are sown, sow about a bushel of each, or possibly a little larger proportion of oats. Peas make the best hog pasture.

5. Yes, if properly handled. 6. The crop of peas and oats needs only the ordinary spring cultivation

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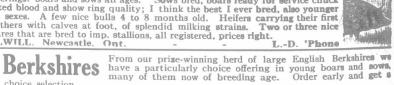
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