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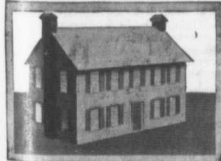


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The Potash Shortage

Practically all of the potash in the world is mined in Germany and users of commercial fertilizers in other countries will be seriously hampered for their potash supplies so long as the present war lasts. Nitrate of soda is therefore receiving attention as an indirect source of potash. Usually regarded as a nitrate, the soda base acts on the potash ingredients of the soil and makes them available for plant food. Writing of the effect of nitrate of soda in Rothamsted, experiments with mangolds over a series of 25 years, Mr. A. D. Hall states: "The plots receiving potash all gave about the same yield whatever the source of nitrogen, but on plots without potash the yield is only maintained on the nitrate of soda plot, on the other two the plant is neither supplied with potash by the manure, nor is the soil forced to yield some of its stored up potash as it is by the nitrate of soda, whereupon the yield declines by one-half or more. For 25 years then the use of nitrate of soda alone has enabled the soil to supply a mangold crop with the large amount of potash it wants, though the store of potash in the soil apparently soon becomes exhausted when a manure is used which cannot bring it into solution. With other crops the same results are obtained, though the lack of potash does not become manifest so quickly as in the case of the mangolds."

Mr. Hall further quotes the results of a ten-year series of experiments with barley to show that nitrate of soda "has dispensed with the necessity of a potash dressing, which after a time became necessary when sulphate of ammonia is the nitrogenous manure."

Again, with respect to a twelve-years' series on mangolds, Mr. Hall writes: "Here it will be seen that potash increased the crop in every case except where nitrate of soda had been used as the nitrogenous cross dressing, in which case the soda liberates so much potash from the soil that specific application of potassic manures is unnecessary."

Dairy Farmers of Middlesex County

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expressing my appreciation of the country that I had seen when he broke in with "Why, you haven't seen Middlesex at all. I can take you into lots of sections in our county far finer than any of the land lying right near to London. Come down again and I will really show you Middlesex."

Mr. Harding may be prejudiced in favor of the particular section of the county that he calls home, or it may be that dairying in Middlesex has achieved much fuller development than is generally known. I trust that this is so, for everywhere one finds the dairy cow working in cooperation with such a soil and climate as they have in Middlesex, he will find prosperous homes and prosperous people.

—F. E.

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