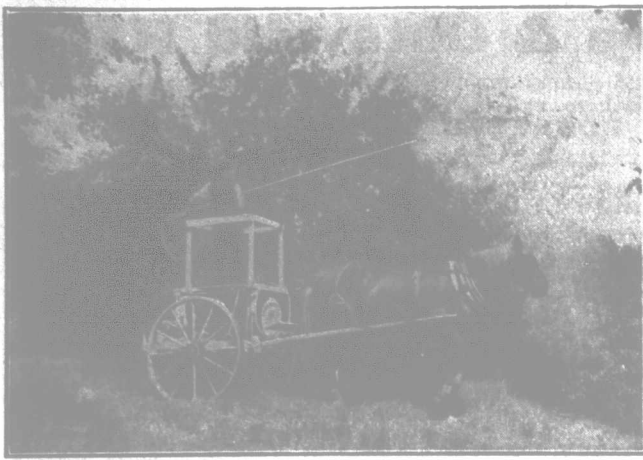


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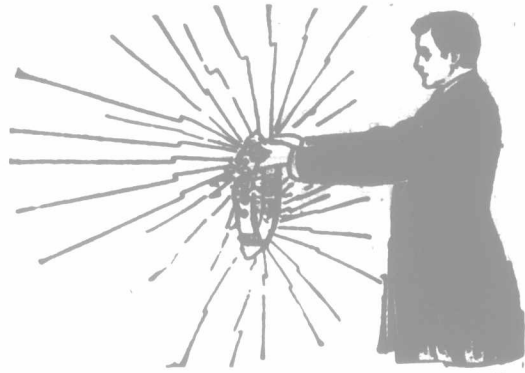
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In sowing peas and oats together, so I can cut them with self binder:

1. What is proper quantity of each to mix?
 2. How many bushels of the mixture to the acre?
 3. How do you set seed drill, at peas or oats scale? S. C. F.
- Ans.—1 and 2. From a bushel to five pecks of each per acre.
3. Try it about half way between the marks, and adjust according to the way they seem to be running. Such attention is always necessary, even when a single kind of grain is sown, as something depends on the sample and condition of the seed.

STRAIGHTENING AN ANCHOR FENCE POST.

Would you kindly give me an idea for straightening an anchor post, where the brace has broken? I understand it is easily done without taking the wires off. In my own particular case, the stretch of wire is only about 75 yards.

C. G. I.

Ans.—There are various methods of setting back end posts in vineyards and other places where the pressure is not very great, but to make a good job of straightening an anchor fence post is not so easy. Where a tree or stump is situated conveniently, several strands of strong wire may be run from the tree or stump to the top of the anchor post and twisted up with a piece of stout stick. Possibly a wire-fence stretcher would answer. Where no tree, stump or rock can be made to serve, a temporary post may be planted and braced. With double-pulley blocks, a strong team of horses might draw it back to place, or a screw-jack might be effectively used.

ALFALFA FOR QUEBEC.

I would like a little, plain, simple information about alfalfa. Last fall I plowed up old pasture; clay, more or less.

1. What would be the result if I sowed one patch (field) of alfalfa this spring?
2. How ought I to sow it, and how much to the arpent?
3. I have some new land, bush cut off it some ten years ago, and now I am taking out the stumps. This land is sand and black earth in many places. Could I sow alfalfa there and pasture, say, about July?
4. When one sows alfalfa in the spring, how soon can one take a crop off, and when can one cut a second crop?
5. Will this field have, the following spring or summer, a crop, or must alfalfa be sown every year? I want it for milking cows. B. F. C.

Ans.—1. The alfalfa would probably be crowded out by grass in two or three years. Put corn or potatoes on this field this year and cultivate thoroughly so as to get the grass roots killed. Next spring disk-harrow and cultivate till a fine, mellow seed-bed is produced, then sow the alfalfa.

2. It may be broadcasted alone by hand, and disked or drag-harrowed in; or it may be sown by a grass-seeder attachment on the grain drill. If a nurse crop is used, let it be barley, and sown at the rate of not more than a bushel to the arpent. Of the alfalfa seed, sow 15 or 18 pounds to the arpent.

3. It is likely that on this new land a sufficient growth for pasturage would be produced by July, but it is questionable whether the alfalfa would stand the winters well on such a field, especially if it be low or flat. Alfalfa is most often successful in Canada on clay hillsides.

4. Ordinarily, no crop of alfalfa is to be expected the first year. As a rule, it is better to clip what growth there may be in July, and leave it on the field as a mulch, unless it be extra heavy. The second summer it should yield a cutting the latter part of June, or, in Quebec, perhaps the first of July. A second and usually a third cutting may be expected the same season. Usually three cuttings per season are obtained in Ontario from an established field.

5. On suitable soil, especially on clay hillsides, alfalfa will often yield three good cuttings a year, for eight, ten, fifteen or twenty consecutive years without reseeding. It is a perennial.

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"See," said mother, "it is dark, dark; lie still, now, and sleep until it is light."

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