



## Thinking of Building a Silo?

### Better Build It of Concrete



**T**HE practicability of the silo for the general farmer as well as for the dairyman and stockman, has been so thoroughly proven that every up-to-date farmer is either building or contemplating the building of a silo.

With the price of feed steadily advancing, the cost of keeping cattle economically during the winter months presents a problem. Nothing which has yet been suggested, however, offers such a convenient and practical solution of this difficulty as the silo which leading farmers and farm authorities are agreed is becoming more and more an absolute necessity.

There is no longer a question as to whether or not a silo pays.

The only question is, "What sort of a silo will best serve my purpose?"

Wood decays rapidly on account of the juices from the silage. Metal corrodes, and is also too expensive to consider. Then, too, none of these materials will be airtight for any length of time.

Concrete has been put to the test and has proven itself the ideal material for silos.

A properly built silo will be an everlasting structure and everlastingly air tight. They are the least expensive, for there are no bills for repairs, painting or insurance to be paid. Concrete silos are fireproof—no danger of them blowing down; and the silage taken from them is sweet, pure, clean and wholesome.

A wooden or stave silo is not and cannot make the perfect silo. Ten years covers the life of most of them, and during that time they are in constant need of repairs. They must be painted every three or four years. They must be insured or there is danger of loss by fire, or destruction by wind storms; and even though the first cost of a wooden silo were less than that of a concrete, it would be far more expensive in the end.

As in everything else generally and silos in particular, the best is the cheapest in the long run.

Build of Concrete and reduce expenses.

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Culverts	Houses	Steps
Dairies	Milk House	Tanks
Dipping Tanks	Poultry Houses	Troughs
Foundations	Root Cellars	Walks
Fence Posts	Silos	Wall Copings
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Gutters	Shelter Walls	Wind Walls
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