

Questions and Answers

GROWING CELERY AND TOMATOES.

Could you give me any instructions on growing celery or tomatoes? A. T.

Ans.—The seeds of both tomatoes and celery should have been planted about the middle of April, and as it is now too late for that, you will have to purchase plants. No doubt you can get these from any of the vegetable-growers in your section. In purchasing plants, it is desirable to get good varieties, and thrifty, stocky plants, which have not been unduly shaded by growing too close or in insufficient light. Some of the earliest varieties of tomatoes will give the best results, as many of the later kinds cannot be depended upon to mature a full crop. The varieties of celery most in demand are White Plume, Paris Golden Yellow and Evan's Triumph. The first is an early variety and the others are grown for later crop. The tomatoes should be planted in the open as soon as danger of frost is past, which I judge, would not be before the first of June in your neighborhood. Celery for early use may be planted the same time, while that for later use is not set out in the field until about the first of July. Tomatoes should be planted four or five feet apart for convenience of cultivation. Celery is set in rows four or five feet apart and the plants in a single or double lines in the row, about eight or ten inches apart. Growing them in double lines involves more labor in banking the stalks but gives larger yield in a given amount of ground.

The principal care required in growing tomatoes is to separate the branches, and spread them evenly over the ground as soon as they begin to make good growth, so that they get as much sun as possible and also as much heat from the ground during the night. Celery requires frequent cultivation to conserve soil moisture, and insure rapid growth, and as soon as the leaves get six or eight inches long they should be drawn together and the earth banked around them, care being taken that no earth falls into the head of the plant. This banking up should continue until the end of the season by which time the stalks should be thoroughly blanched and may be taken up for fall or winter use. To preserve celery for winter use, the plants should be planted in moist sand or soil on the cellar floor and packed together as closely as possible. If the roots are kept moist and the tops dry, there should be little difficulty in keeping a supply the greater part of the winter months.

DOING HOMESTEAD DUTIES.

I have homesteaded; can I work out and sleep on it nights and prove up on it by breaking forty acres and doing other necessary improvements?

Alta. Reader.

Ans.—We understand others have done so and have obtained their patents.

FEELS THE NIP OF THE COAL BARON.

Could you tell us the reason we cannot get coal at Waskada? We have the money to pay for it. Fortunately for me I built a new cement block house last summer and am now burning the logs of the old house or I would be in a great fix, like some of my neighbors. It is a great shame we cannot get coal when we want it. The price too for same is much too high; we have to pay \$4.50 per ton and at one time could get from same place good coal for \$2.30 to \$2.50, but the stuff we get now is not much better than black clay, hardly heat enough in it to boil a kettle of water.

H. W. Ans.—Write Roderick McKenzie, Secretary of the Grain Growers for information on this question; a special committee of that organization has been charged to look into the matter.

GROWING A CROP ON NEW LAND.

Do you advise growing vegetables and roots on breaking about three acres deep? If I take off sod and then plant again will garden produce grow the first year?

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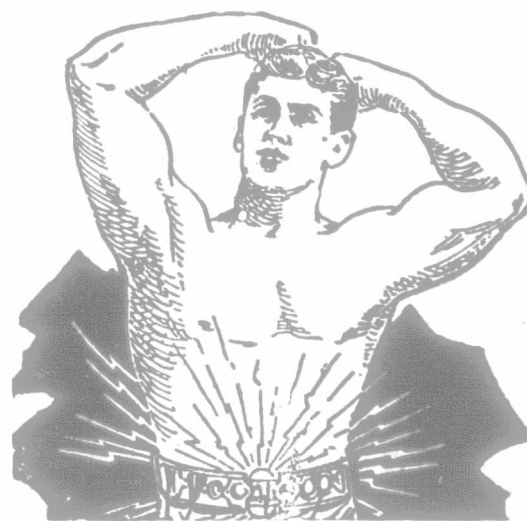
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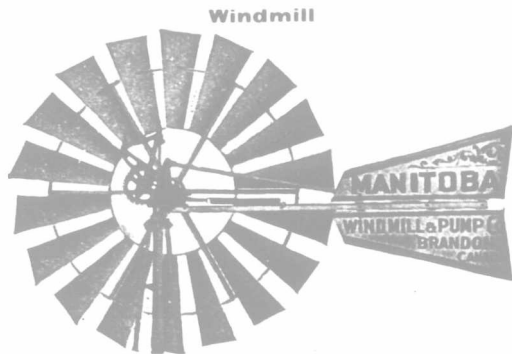
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