

# SATISFACTORY PASTURE FOR PREPARING HOGS FOR MARKET

Rape is Excellent, as it Grows Quickly and Can be Sown Rather Late in Season—Grows Also Furnish Good Feed. Pumpkins Cost but Little and are Valuable in Fall.

This 80 and 90-cent corn that we have been feeding so far this summer to our fattening hogs makes some kind of a summer pasture abundant and necessary if we are to raise pork at a profit.

The ordinary stock pasture is only a very little better than no pasture at all for the hog that you are trying to put fat upon. I notice that while it is not a very good pasture, it is healthy and vigorous, yet the amount of exercise they get on such pasture takes some fat off them.

Rape is the most satisfactory hog pasture that I have been able to find, says a writer in Farm Progress. It grows quickly, and can be sown rather late in the season. The hogs

wagon loads of pumpkins that will come in very handy when the first hogs are put in the fattening pens.

The pumpkins that are grown down in the corn field's shade will not be as big or as yellow as those that are grown at the edge of the field, but they will be more than worth the trouble of hauling them and feeding them. They help the hog, the show that their pastures are on a heavy ration, over the period from pasture to grain feed.

When the corn field is "hogged down" the pumpkins that are grown scattered through it will serve as a fine change from the corn itself, and will give the porkers something besides corn. Piled up in the barn sheds

# Pea Patch Farm Exchange

OF WHITEHEAD & MITCHELL Exchange Bank, Birmingham, Mich.

The following is a partial list of Farms, City and Village Lots, and Real Estate generally which we have for sale. As our list is constantly changing, we request that parties will write us if they do not see what they want in this list.

- 241. Fine new house with all modern conveniences, within 300 feet of the water, electric light, hot and cold water, hardwood finish, lot 56x100, plenty of fruit trees, etc. Call on Pea Patch Farm Exchange, 1200 First St., Birmingham, for \$1,000, and that all we ask for the house is \$1,000.
- 242. All that we ask for the house is \$1,000.
- 243. Lot 4 in Block 7, Campbell's Subdivision, 100 feet front and 120 feet deep. Nice electric house, cellar, eastern exposure, fine location. Call on Pea Patch Farm Exchange, 1200 First St., Birmingham, for \$2,500, but will sell for \$2,100.
- 247. Without exception, the finest farm for stock raising in the farming belt of the county. On the line of the Rockwell and Birmingham roads, 100 feet front and 120 feet deep. The house is a fine one, with a large porch, and a fine view of the city. Call on Pea Patch Farm Exchange, 1200 First St., Birmingham, for \$1,000, and that all we ask for the house is \$1,000.
- 248. House, barn, wagon shop, blacksmith shop, etc. Call on Pea Patch Farm Exchange, 1200 First St., Birmingham, for \$1,000, and that all we ask for the house is \$1,000.
- 249. House and two lots on Willett street, half block from electric eight feet front and eight feet deep. Call on Pea Patch Farm Exchange, 1200 First St., Birmingham, for \$1,000, and that all we ask for the house is \$1,000.
- 250. Sixty acres of rich loamy land in Subdivision, twenty acres of soil and elm trees, etc. Call on Pea Patch Farm Exchange, 1200 First St., Birmingham, for \$1,000, and that all we ask for the house is \$1,000.
- 251. In three times of high prices for any other land, this is a fine opportunity for a farmer to get a fine piece of land for a small price. Call on Pea Patch Farm Exchange, 1200 First St., Birmingham, for \$1,000, and that all we ask for the house is \$1,000.
- 252. Forty-three acres with adequate buildings and all modern conveniences. Call on Pea Patch Farm Exchange, 1200 First St., Birmingham, for \$1,000, and that all we ask for the house is \$1,000.
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## WHERE SEEDLINGS WERE PLANTED

### EVERY DAY was Arbor Day high up on the slopes of Pike's Peak last spring. Government forestry officials replanted a vast area, which was first swept more than 50 years ago of thousands of pine seed and young trees were planted on barren slopes, marking the first important step toward reforesting the entire Rocky Mountain Range—or so much thereof as is included in the National Forests. With the denuded area on the slopes of the Rockies covered with a sturdy growth of young trees, the snowfall in the mountains will be much slower in melting. This will hold back the waters which now rush to the Mississippi Valley from the Rocky Mountain watershed in April and May. These late floods have done the most damage this season, as their addition to streams already bank full has proved too great a strain for levees to bear.

A force of more than 50 men employed in the Pike's Peak region for several weeks, planting seed or young trees, according to the estimate of the situation. The area that is being reclaimed is typical of millions of acres of once heavily wooded slopes in the National forests. After being swept by fire, many years ago, the reseeded process of nature has proved very slow, and the land has become more barren every year. The soil has been washed down by the mountain torrents by rains, until in many places only rocks are to be seen where once there was a goodly covering of earth. Charred and rotting trunks of trees are to be seen on every hand, and nothing would be more hopeless than to hope that these scarred mountain slopes.

The campaign against desolation has been waged ardently. No point has been overlooked by the forestry experts in carrying on the battle. If you tell the planter what is the best broadcasting seed in certain parts of the plantation, where such a method of planting seemed most advisable. Broadcasting on the snow is one of the most effective methods of planting under certain conditions, and most of the work is done on horseback, as the seed, cast from a great height, is imbedded deeply in the snow and is not likely to be blown away.

## SIGNS OF NERVE TROUBLE

Disposition to Make Much of Little Things Means That System is Out of Gear.

When the system is strained other people's faults and failings are magnified by the unfortunate person who sees everything out of proportion. A trivial mistake or stupidity on the part of a man causes such a tumult in the breast of the unhappy man that it appears a terrible disaster. Self-control is lost, high words are exchanged, and notice is probably given to your conduct and your manner. Then suddenly they become unbearable. Really it is not their fault that you see their antics out of focus, as you see your conduct and your manner. Then suddenly they become unbearable. Really it is not their fault that you see their antics out of focus, as you see your conduct and your manner. Then suddenly they become unbearable.

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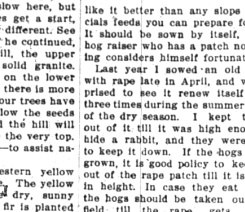
Try to take a little rest when you feel "jumpy" and "nervy" over trifles. Recline your body in a darkened room, indulge in a little nap. If possible, and things will look brighter when you emerge from your solitude. With a mind that is weary with a strong will against seeing things out of proportion.—Exchange.

Turkish Prince's Tact. Prince Damad Effendi Pasha, the sultan of Turkey's brother-in-law, presented the prizes at an agricultural contest at Stedman. Colonel Mark Sykes, M. P., said the prince had a great friendship for England and an old connection with Stedman and Sir Tatton Sykes. He once wanted a ram from their celebrated Leicester flock, but in transmission "knew" a barrel. Prince Damad said that with a strong will against seeing things out of proportion.—Exchange.

## WATER SUPPLY IS CONVENIENT

### FOR THE DAIRY FARM THERE IS GREAT NEED FOR CONVENIENT WATER SUPPLY FOR COOLING MILK, AS WELL AS FOR DRINKING.

For the dairy farm there is great need for convenient water supply for cooling milk, as well as for drinking. With a windmill the water can be pumped into the galvanized iron tank, as shown above. The overflow is carried to a second tank which is large enough to contain all the cans required. From this the water flows to the large watering tank, which may be situated some distance away. This illustration shows a modern system.



## GETTING FOWLS READY FOR FALL

Pullets Should be Put by Themselves as They Will Do Better Much Faster.

As soon as the sex can be determined, it is well to put the pullets by themselves. They will grow faster and do better. In fact, they will be fed differently from the cockers, for you will want to get them in shape for early egg production. Sometimes it isn't the seller's fault when a cow doesn't come up to advance notice. An old quarter saddle cow and some time afterward the buyer complained she was not yielding the desired amount of milk. "There should have been my pasture," it was the Quaker's significant reply.

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## Catching Mrs. Jones

If Mrs. Jones buys her coffee at Smith's each week— If the coffee in your store is better than Smith's and cheaper— Why, TELL MRS. JONES! Don't dash widely across the street to tell her, though; she'd laugh at you. Insert a sane, forcible advertisement in this paper about your coffee. We'll catch her eye by making your ad attractive. Then all that is left for you to do is to take in the money for the coffee Mrs. Jones buys.

THE VALUE OF THE PRICED neat-appearing stationery as a means of getting and holding desirable business has been amply demonstrated. Consult us before going elsewhere.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING has not affected our job printing prices. We're still doing commercial work of all kinds at prices satisfactory to you.