

CURING CLOVER HAY.

Resume of Mr. Henry Glendenning's New Plan—Details of the System Are Lucidly Described.

In a recent article I called attention to the desirability of cutting hay at a comparatively early stage of maturity. In this connection it may be of interest to have some notes from that well known farmer and Institute speaker, Mr. Henry Glendenning of Manilla, Ont., in regard to his experience with a new plan of curing clover hay. Mr. Glendenning says that he prefers to cut clover hay when it is in full bloom, or when the blossom contains the greatest amount of honey. Cut in the morning after the dew is off, that which is cut in the forenoon may be raked up immediately after the noon hour, and put in cocks. The mower should not be run later than four o'clock p.m., and all put into cocks before the dew falls. This hay should be put into the barn the next day, and well tramped into the mows. This plan can be continued from day to day until all is stored in the barns. Three things must be borne in mind in curing hay by this method.

First—Do not cut the grass until dry in the morning.

Second—Do not allow the fresh cut hay to lie on the ground over night, exposed to dew or rain.

Third—If any hay should get wet with rain, let it stand in the cocks until thoroughly dry before taking to the barn.

Last season Mr. Glendenning put up some 75 to 80 tons of hay in this way, and reports that it came out of the mows, in the finest condition he ever saw. It was as green as when put into the barn, and the leaves and blossoms were all attached to the stalks. It appeared to have dried out without much heating, as all of the alsike blossoms were pink, and the red clover blossoms were from a pink to a light amber color. If any great heat had developed in the mow the blossoms would undoubtedly have been of a dark brown color. No signs of mould were visible and the hay was very free from dust. No salt, lime or other preservative was used.

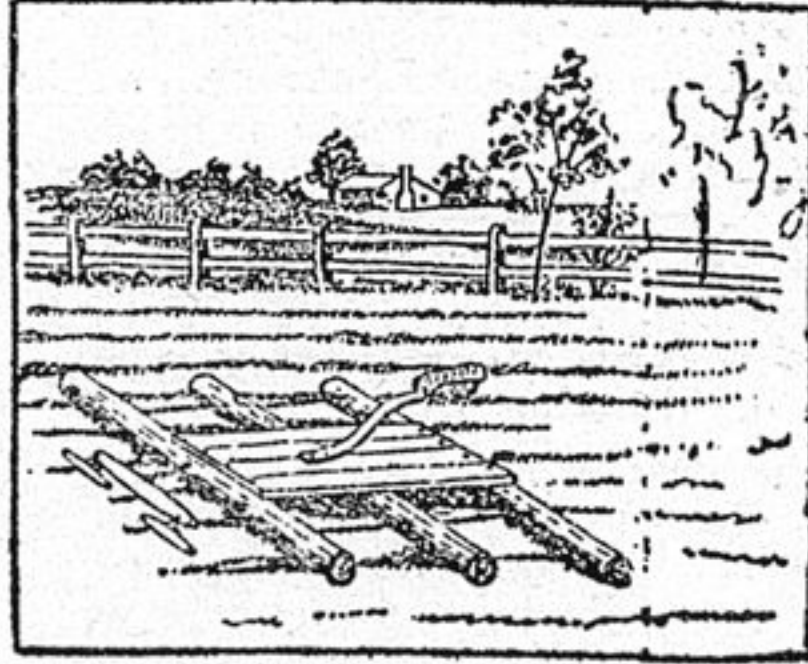
Two of the mows in which the hay was stored are 22x25 ft., with an average depth of 30 ft. of hay. These mows are tight floored with double inch boards over basement stables. Another mow is 24x36 ft., with a depth of about 24 ft., and the floor on the ground.

The outsides of all the mows are of inch boards without battens, with cracks between the boards averaging about three-eighths of an inch, just such as are usually found in the ordinary barn. The sides of the mows next the drive floor were open. The hay which consisted of red clover, alsike and a little timothy, was equally good in all parts of the mows. Mr. Glendenning says that he knows of three other farmers who have followed this system for several years with equal success, and it would seem well worthy of trial by our farmers generally.

Among the advantages of this method of curing clover are: (1) The saving of time between cutting and storing in the barn; (2) The fact that all the leaves and blossoms, which are the most valuable portion of the plant, are left on the hay, instead of being lost in the field as is often the case when the ordinary manner of curing is followed; (3) The hay is much cleaner and brighter than when cured in the old way.—F. W. Hodson, Live Stock Commissioner.

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A POLE DRAG.

a foot apart by means of short pieces of chain. For a seat bolt a short piece of board to the middle of the first pole and allow it to extend slightly beyond the last one. On this fasten an old mowing machine seat. This arrangement will hold the seat in place and allow the poles to work independently. The seat can be easily removed, making it much easier to store the drag when not in use. The drag may be drawn by a short chain attached to the centre of the first pole or the doubletree may be connected with chains from each end of the first pole, says an Orange Judd Farmer writer.

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