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twenty-eight inches apart?

sowing the soy beans alone in rows twenty-eight inches apart use 30 lbs. per acre. It is very good practice to assist the scy beans and corn to maturity by applying about 200 lbs. per acre of a fertilizer analyzing about This brings about rapid vigerous growth and a stage of maturity where corn and soy beans con-

elear petash and lime, to be sown with a grain drill? What proportion should effect on stock that runs in the field middlings. Later ground oats and at the base of the old stem should be I mix it? For eats, for cern, for where it is growing? Also, would it standard middlings can be mixed with divided among the several bulbs that tilizers, petash or phosphate, which feeds the kernels and which the stem that wild rice has had a bad effect

the phosphate, undoing what the fer- to high land to some extent. tilizer manufacturer has done. In P. H.: Is buttermilk good to feed order to make the phosphoric acid of pigs which are four or five months the phosphate rock soluble the manu- old? facturer has ground the rock and Answer: In actual experiments contreated it with acid, thereby making ducted by South Dakota Experiment The Sunday School ef the product will be 10-10, that is, exceedingly good feed for hogs.

Short Course at Bolton this winter.

Fairs. Teams have always keenly

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Cheltenham had the happy thought!

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Agriculture at County and Township next winter.

For Home and Country

Where Girls Have Good Times

BY MISS K. F. McINTOSH, COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATOR.

(into homes of their own, or to other meeting took the form of a shower.

places), but a new one was formed Bolton, the newest Junior Institute,

at the conclusion of the Three Months' promises well for the future. Public

too, had a good record.

do well if compelled to sleep at night on cold damp ground. R. D.: Can you tell me about how it will supply 10 per cent. available Plenty of shade should be provided much soy beans to plant with corn phosphoric acid and 10 per cent potash. the calves during the summer. Give fer filling sile? Also, how much is This will be very good to use on a them all the clean cool water they required per acre when sown alone soil that tends toward a muck type. will drink during the hot weather. If mixing for potatoes I would advise My experience has been that calves do Answer: In planting soy beans with you to use 750 lbs. of phosphate with much better where they have access 460 lbs. of potash, applying about 500 to drinking water at such times when to 8 lbs. per acre. The beans can be lbs. of this per acre. This will analyze they need a drink than they do when 6-10, that is, 6 per cent available watered from a pail twice daily. ate in the same row, so that culti- phosphoric acid and 10 per cent vation can be carried on one way. If potash. Phosphoric acid has a great deal to do with hastening the ripening and plumping the kernels. Potash strengthens the stalks and causes the formation of starch in the leaves and

> ater in the kernels. C. K .: Would you advise sowing the young pigs are started on their cannot grow. I have known of sevsweet clover on poor soil, a little career. When from two to three weeks eral instances where these tubers old, the little fellows should have a were planted and watched anxiously prominence with amazing speed in radio market reports bring news of an sandy, just clay over?

Answer: Sweet clover is a very good yard where they may be fed. This for weeks and hopes kept up because the last few months. Its use is of the unexpected down-turn in hog prices tain the greatest amount of food value. erop for use on poor soil. It binds the yard should be so arranged to keep they were always fresh and green utmost importance to farmers. With at the market for which his load is loose sandy soil together and gives it the older hogs from interfering with when examined. They will keep all reliable sets now offered at reasonable slated. If the farmer has been follow-

E. S.: Would wild rice have any bad very good and may be used with flour tuber joins it, and this heavy ridge spread to high land? Answer: I cannot find any evidence

on stock pasturing in a field where it corn and whole oats can be fed and a Answer: I would strongly advise you grows. The natural habitat for wild little later whole corn and oats make not to mix phosphate, potash and rice of course is low-lying, swampy a good ration to keep the pigs growlime, because the lime will react on land. It has been known to spread ing. As early as pos ble, the sow for its restful and mildly stimulating and litter should have pasture. Good qualities and for the relaxation that green clovers or other legumes should its proper serving brings to the mind

acid phosphate. If you add lime you Station buttermilk 17.1 lbs. and corn eats, corn or beans, I would advise you lbs., the buttermilk to all intents and to mix about 1,250 lbs. of phosphate purposes gave as good results as the with 400 lbs. potash and use about 200 skimmed milk. If water is not added the of this per acre. The analysis to the buttermilk it is considered an

Lesson try news in a flash that up to this will cause the acid phosphate to go 4.1 lbs. per day as an average ration tack to the insoluble form. If you are for 1,000 lbs. of hogs, as compared mixing this material for such crops as with skimmed milk 17.2 and corn 4 JUNE 4.

valuable substitute.

Profits in hog feeding depend not that the tuber of the dahlia has no

a little upon the manner in which eyes and if detached from the stem

the skim-milk. Corn meal is also a are attached to it, and only those

At five to six weeks of age cracked should be planted.

be available throughout the summer. and spirit.

Jehoiakim tries to destroy God's Word, Jer. 36; 4-8, 20-24, 32. Golden Text-The word of our God shall stand forever, Isa. 40: 8.

Lesson Foreword—Jeremiah had priests reported the matter to the radio will bring the church, the lec- or grain on the basis of old quotations. ahead to the best good of the comtwice been hindered from delivering princes, who commanded Baruch to ture platform, the latest play, the Weather reports are now being munity. Our common interest is to his prophecies. Once he was arrested read it to them. When they heard it, opera or the news of the world to the broadcasted to farmers in many sec- make our community a real good place in the temple and barely escaped with they warned him that they would have farmer and his family as they sit in tions. The immediate receipts of such for ourselves and our families to his life (see ch. 26). Some time later to report it to the king, and advised their own living-room. It offers them material is of immense value in the live in. he was arrested again by Pashur, the both him and Jeremiah to go into a very real and practical opportunity production and harvesting of crops Of the eight Junior Institutes in later entertaining the group at his culty Jeremiah experienced in securing when Baruch read the roll to them

Calves dropped in the fall and early

winter should be allowed to run on pasture during the summer. Pasture, however, should not be depended upon

altogether, as it contains too large an

amount of water in proportion to the

Calves should not be put on pas-

ture until the weather is settled.

Adequate protection against cold

storms and sudden changes of wea-

ther should be provided. Calves that

have been housed in warm barns are

sensitive to the chilling winds. It has

been my experience that calves do not

food nutrients to insure the calves a

satisfactory ration.

are described in this chapter. I. Writing the Roll, 4-8. speaking contests and debates are Baruch. Jeremiah's denunciatory kept For four years competitions have their specialty. Plans are under way preaching had driven from him both been put on by the Department of for a University Extension course his own kinsmen and his countrymen, on the palace staff (see v. 14). To fetch

have judged Home Economics sections themselves. They planned programs berlain to Zedekiah, ch. 51: 59. He of it. Lord. He would have to recall them | V. 23. Three or four leaves. Leaves

tered, only getting together once in papyrus" and again "in the Old Testa- burned.

a while. A team was entered in the ment leather or skins are not express- V. 24. Jeremiah's prophecies of the business man reads from his news it will be restricted largely to regular rows did not prove effective, Hies. Occasionally a letter from some Judging Competition, winning a sec- ly mentioned but it is practically cer- pleading, denunciation and threaten- ticker. ond place in sewing. A canning team tain that this material was largely ing made no impression on the king used and was the principal vehicle of and his court. Having no sense of sin, Streetsville has had a special sec- Hebrew literature."

tion on the Toronto Township Agrinecessarily mean that Jeremiah was The king had burned the roll Social activities have been sleigh cultural Society's prize list for the in prison (ch. 20: 3) but it may mean spite of the intercession of three was made in athletics last summer the best being "The Call of the Coun-

game, was popular with the Bolton month. A circulating library was for which the prophecies were comgroup. Rules are quite similar to freely used. The first rural Univer- mitted to writing. Since Jeremiah his life. these used in heckey only a football sity Extension course was carried on could not preach in the temple, the takes the place of a puck, brooms are there in the winter of 1920-21. only means for bringing his prophecies substituted for sticks and rubbers or Streetsville, Cheltenham and Bramp- to the ears of the people was to have sunk in the ocean, man's obligations to moceasins for skates. While a cer- ton have all done excellent work for Baruch read them. The fasting day. God would still remain the same. He group has individual activities. Settlement Board. On a fast day the temple would be would have the same path to tread, thronged with worshippers both from only his lamp would be gone; he would Alten Junior Institute has given In May, 1920, the branch Juniors cities of Judah.

played in the social and educational ing branches, to stimulate interest in pented, they would naturally supplipain is sent to warn us of the presence

Planting Dahlia Tubers.

tubers having this piece of stem

Tea is not a food drink. It is used

Many people do not understand

V. 20. They went in to the king. tural life of the city. No matter of hay or the harvesting of grain may where he lives, how far he is from Peel county, one has disbanded, as home where the practical application a hearing for his message and the (v. 12) but the king was in an inner limited his immediate resources for mest of the girls have graduated of the address was apparent. The last necessity of devising means such as court of the palace. In the chamber of pleasure, the farmer can adjust the Elishama the scribe. Elishama was the receivers of his radio at will and bring vegetables, grain and live stock. With king's private secretary and as such, to himself as he sits in his own easy ceived the command from God, vs. 1-3. There the state documents would be city.

Cheltenham meets occasionally with friend and disciple. Baruch appears scribe's chamber probably in the hope to farm marketing which makes the be inevitable. contested for places. Trained teams the Junior Farmers, and regularly by his brother Servich was chief show but would be content with their report his brother, Seraiah, was chief cham- but would be content with their report Market quotations, current conditions

Ebenezer, with proceeds from plays from memory, or he may have made is used here in the sense of columns. and garden parties, bought a piano notes of each prophecy when he de- The roll was written in columns which who sends it out and the use farmers the material they are receiving via All of these culls should be removed done for the home branch of the Sol- for their hall. As a result of one gar- livered it. This chapter is instructive ran down the width rather than the make of it. Any system, however, their wireless sets. diers' Settlement Board—principally den party, the School Nurse Fund was for understanding how the book of length of it. Cut it with the penknife; radio or otherwise, which hastens the the making of layettes and quilts. A linereased by \$50. A play is under Jeremiah (and possibly other Old literally a scribe's knife. "A knife distribution of accurate, unbiased news the farm paper or the newspaper as a line date will vary with the season, het of lonely families in Northern way new. All meetings are combined way new. All meetings are combined books) came to be written, was part of the equipment of a scribe of the world's agricultural markets is means of education, information and but will be approximately from June with the J.F.I.A., a member of each share of a roll (see Pa 40, 7, Freel, 2, all the roll was consumed. As every highly beneficial. Through the radio, entertainment. It leaves no permanorganization forming a committee of a roll (see Ps. 40: 7; Ezek. 2: all the roll was consumed. As every the sale of farm products can be put ent record which can be recalled for maggets were removed from six culls

they remained unperturbed.

rides, skating or tobegganing parties, last three years, and offer prizes as that on account of his clash with the princes, v. 25. Then he sent for may have ordered a car for loading his farmer whose operations compel him last three years, and offer prizes as that on account of his clash with the hogs at the skiling to be shipped on to take a long range view. times a dance—Junior Farmers al- Junior Field Day in June. A number temple. Peake says, "The authorities gone into hiding, v. 26. Another roll ways figuring then. A beginning of plays are to their credit, one of had probably forbidden him to speak was then written, dictation being employed as in the former. There were when volley-ball and soft baseball try," which was repeated by request miah, was free to enter the temple. Would certainly be added and probably were played. Broom-ball, a new ice in their own community within a Read in the roll. This was the purpose be delivered them down to the end of

Alten Junior Institute has given In May, 1920, the branch Juniors cities of Judah.

gererous financial support to the were consolidated to form the Peel V. 7. Jeremiah sought to convict the board. The destruction of God's word and alfalfa in particular may be ount of grain when the animals are at an embargo on celery, green beans in have the same voyage to make, only his chart and compass would be over-than good quality legume hays. Clover the amounts by increasing the am-Rehect Nurse Fund each year. Their Junior Institute. After a banquet, at records of sin. They could see no wrong still left Jehoiakim accountable to grown with the assurance that they hard work and decreasing the grain the pod, beets with tops, rhubarb, ally to farm work animals. We are reminded sometimes that Ear-corn and alfalfa hay alone are

and First Aid. Since their community and debates, to further social relationships and interchange of thought, and to promote all movements for the prohabits are used the C. G. I. T. codes. Brampton Institute is little more stitute has co-operated with the Brampton Institute is little more activated and proposed and life of the village. With the W. I all activities, to arrange competitions and then His of disease; so looked at in that light, and debates to further social relation anger would pass away and his threat it is a blessing in disguise. Only a light work. However, even though Brampton Institute is little more than a year old but has taken a creditable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmable place. With the Junior Farmable place with the Junior Farmabl

and bulk by replacing about one-

third of the corn with oats. Recommendations for feeding farm

PLACING THE HOME FIRST

We often get the cart in the wrong position. Perhaps this situation occurs as frequently on the farm as in any other place. This is particularly true of the relation of the home to the farmer's business. On a very large percentage of our farms the service of the home is accepted as a matter of course and with little or no recognition. On such farms the business of farming is always placed first. The matter should be viewed from the other angle. The home is of first importance. Farming is simply a means of supporting the home. Through the willing efforts of a contented and competent wife, the social atmosphere of the farm will be kept so wholesome and pleasant that the work will become a joy to the farmer and his family as well as to the hired help. Such a wife, too, will adequately supply the needs of her family. Certainly the highest recognition should be given service of this character. The duties and responsibilities of the home manager should be placed, at least, on the same level as are the duties and responsibilities of the farm manager. This would make the farm enterprise

Be of the Same Mind,

a partnership arrangement, which it

When the apostle Paul closed his

In building our communities we For years it has been possible to need to "be of the same mind." I cantime has never been disseminated soon obtain market news promptly through not be of much value to the commun. enough to escape being history in- the use of the telegraph but such mesity in which I live if I refuse to work sages were much less frequent than with my neighbor. I cannot work The general use of the radio will the radio offers and their cost was do as much to relieve rural isolation prohibitive to the individual farmer. the same general direction. It may as has the increasing use of the auto- With the radio in general use, it will not be desirable that I think exactly no longer have a monopoly of com- slip out into the country after the better that I do not; but both of us

to get in closer touch with the cul- when an hour's delay in the cutting To Control Onion Maggots.

mean the loss of many dollars. The same practice can be used in the marketing of perishable fruits and V. 4. Then; after Jeremiah had re-had quarters of his own in the palace. chair many of the advantages of the sive radio system and growers who are This method consists of planting volcan be put on the market so that heavy planting in the onion field. These act but Baruch remained his devoted the roll. The princes had left it in the radio is its practical value as an aid the past and more uniform prices will mercial onion growers omit about to interest every girl in their quite may have been a scribe or secretary by profession. From the mouth of the palace which was used for residence during the winter. (See Amos being broadcasted at regular inter
There are changes to be made and six inches, and from two and onequarter to four inches deep. These
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to the farmers in his problems of farm.

Frequent Weather Reports.

body to hold both moisture and plant- the youngsters. A little grain can be right but cannot grow for the eyes prices, the possibilities of the radio ing the market news regularly and "be of the same mind one to another." fed at this age. Skim-milk is also are in the old stalk just where the are almost unlimited. It is as easy intelligently, he can decide in his own We do not believe that this great to buy a radio receiving set as a tooth- mind whether the break is a tempor- student of human nature had in mind brush and equally simple to use one. ary one due to heavy receipts which as he penned these words that he It is not expected that the radio will not last long or whether it is the wished all the Corinthians to think will entirely supplant wire communi- beginning of a persistent price decline the same thoughts. He must have telegraph, and this amounts to the quite naturally their thoughts were same thing as making money for him. different. But all were aspiring to the attainment of a Christian character

A new method of controlling onion maggots was recommended by Oregon Experiment Station last year, and in tests the method was found satisfacall been successful. First prizes went his epistles by dictation (see Rom. 16: cember, the cold and rainy season of Just how the system of disseminat- marketing and as an instrument of flies appear, these cull onions show a to this group in both sewing and cook- 22). All the words of the Lord; the the year. (See Ezra 10: 13.) Hearth; ing market news by wireless will be of lessening rural isolation, its possibili- much more marked leaf growth than ing in the County Judging Competi- prophecies which up to this time had a brazier with glowing coals which positive benefit—the benefit one can ties are particularly promising, and the seedlings, and they prove a relay his fingers on—is yet to be deter- undoubtedly the next few years will markably attractive lure for the adult

and destroyed as soon as the majority shape of a roll (see Ps. 40: 7; Ezek. 2: all the roll was commenced to the same basis as commercial business and has limitations as to used as traps in a field where the Palgrave members are widely scat- lish museum, says, "The roll form im- were cut on and thrown in the mre, plies the use of either leather or until the whole roll was read and ness. The farmer will get from his the amount of material which can be to 555. Second read only 1 quotations and to current conditions as the flies would work along the The fact that accurate, up-to-the- which are continually changing. It seedling row on either side of the cull minute knowledge of current market cannot furnish analyses of factors Plants infested after the removal returns is to be made available to which bear on the market's future of the trap crop should not be thinned farmers can be turned into substan- which, after all, constitute the most out, as they will act as traps the recontrolled by predacious and parasitic

Inspection for Export.

Owing to the placing of an em-Corn is a good grain feed for horses would be: To use home-grown feeds. Ontario by the United States authorwork stock, based on experiments, bargo on certain garden crops from doing farm work, and legume hay is To make legume hay an important lities on account of the European Corn part of the roughage, feeding it along Borer, the Dominion Minister of Sound ear-corn properly fed with with ear-corn, or preferably ear-corn Agriculture has stationed inspectors legume roughage is a healthful and and oats. As a general rule, to feed at convenient points in order that satisfactory feed. For the roughage approximately one pound of grain and prompt inspection service may be part of the ration, no common feeds one pound of roughage per hundred given to shippers who intend to ex-

they are doing light work or are idle. themums, asters, cosmos, zinnias,

coming generation is being monkled.

cation as the limitations of sending and act accordingly. Without the radio known that this was impossible. One apparatus will prevent. But it will service, the news of the unexpected man was obliged to work out his develop into an important supplement- lower prices would not have reached destiny while performing the work ary service to the telegraph and tele- the farmer until after his load had of a carpenter; another did the same phone lines. Radio, unlike the tele- been shipped. This is but one ex- while he was in his boat catching fish; phone and telegraph which afford imamr'e of how the radio will save still another as a sailor, etc. All the mediate but personal contact genermoney for the man out on the land men were under different influences, ally only between individuals, covers who is not directly connected with the had a variety of temptations, and an area. In radio broadcasting is

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the means of immediate contact be-

bring to the farmer out in the coun-

Aid to Farm Marketing.

How Wireless Serves the Farmer Folk

By M. Adams

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