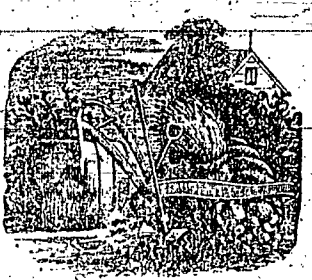


Agricultural.



New York Premium Farms for 1854.

The last volume of the Transactions of the New York State Agricultural Society, contains an account of the farm management of W. P. Otley, Phelps, Ontario county, and of G. W. Coffin, Aenia, Dutchess county, N. Y., to whom the Society awarded the first and second premiums on farms.

THE SOIL. Mr. Otley's farm contains 100 acres, soil, a gravelly loam and muck, with a tincture of clay; subsoil about the same with a lighter color and porous. Mr. O. says: "I consider the best mode of improving my soil is a three year lay of clover, turning it under about the month of June for wheat, or the first of May for corn, with application of barnyard manure."

Is not clover apt to die out the third year? and would it not, therefore, be better to plow it up the second instead of the third year, as there would be more clover to turn under? If this is cropping the land too heavily with grain crops, the barley, instead of being followed by wheat, could be sowed down for a year or two with clover. Will our readers give us their experience on this point?

Mr. O. usually plows from seven to ten inches deep. He has used the "subsoil plow," as it is termed in the report, but which, as we learned by corresponding with Mr. Otley, is in reality the Michigan double plow—a very different implement from the true subsoil plow, which only breaks up the subsoil without bringing it to the surface. "The first crop after the subsoiling was unusually light, but the succeeding crops were productive, and the result on the whole satisfactory. Mr. O. has not tried true subsoiling, but intends to do so, and thinks that he will obtain in this way the benefits arising from a deep soil without diminution of crop the first year."

THE CROPS. Mr. Otley's method of cultivating corn is as follows: "Take a three year lay of clover, cover it with manure; if possible, break it up immediately before planting with a double plow, eight inches deep, harrow with light harrow to avoid tearing up turf, then drill three and a half feet width of row, together with ashes and plaster; then roll, and as soon as up pass through with one horse cultivator. Continue to cultivate till the middle of June; hoe once; cut up about the first of September, five rows into one, shocks large, as the stalks will be of better quality; husk during fall, product usually fifty bushels per acre."

Is it better to plant corn in drills, as above, or hills, three and a half feet each way, four kernels in the hill, horse hoeing each way? "Barley is sown on corn stubble, plowed as early as possible; seed drilled in, two and a half bushels per acre, from the first of May. Product from twenty-five to fifty bushels per acre."

The method of cultivating land for wheat is not given, except when it is sown after barley, when it is as follows: Plow as soon as the barley is off, with double plow, from eight to ten inches deep, in hands two rods wide, harrow fine just before the time to sow, drill in the seed, two bushels per acre; clean out furrows and water furrows. Product usually from twenty-five to thirty-five bushels per acre. Clover and timothy seed are sown with the wheat.

Oats are drilled after corn as soon as the land can be got in good order, three bushels of seed per acre; cut when fully ripe with reaping machine, bind and stock the same as wheat. Product about seventy-five bushels per acre.

Potatoes and carrots are cultivated as follows: One potato in each hill, split; plant as early as possible, harvest when fully ripe. Usually plant but one acre in corn field; use no manure; hoe once; produce light, owing to the prevalent disease.

"Carrots—Sow thick in drills eighteen inches apart; plow ground, manure high with rotted manure, sow the first of June, hoe as soon as up; continue to hoe and thin out till the weeds cease to trouble. Product from 600 to 800 bushels per acre.

DRAINING. Mr. Otley also obtained the second premium for experiments in draining,

there being none offered which were considered worthy of the first premium. Surely this is not a true indication of the estimation in which underdraining is held in the great State of New York! Mr. O. laid 200 rods of stone drains in nine acres, and the result was quite satisfactory. He says: "The increased value of the land, taking the field (twelve acres) together, I estimate at \$5 per acre annually, better than before its being drained. It is safe reckoning that draining will pay for itself with interest of cost in two years."

Mr. O. also laid down 100 rods of tile underdrains, from two to two and a half feet deep, and four inches wide at the bottom. The cost was, for digging, 12 1/2 cts. per rod; tile on ground, 16 cts. per rod; laying and filling, 3 cts.; total, 31 1/2 cts. per rod. The drain laid with stone cost, for digging, 20 cts; and for laying the stone and filling, 24 cts.; total, 40 cts. per rod, or 8 1/2 cents more than the tile drains. Unnecessarily high as is the price of tiles, it pays better to use them than stones in most cases.—Gaines Farmer.

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JR. GEORGE Z. BRETZ, Dentist, Office at the residence of his brother on North Pitt Street, Carlsle.

C. P. HUMRICH, Attorney at Law, Office in Beeson's Row. All business entrusted to him will be promptly attended to.

WILLIAM C. RHEEM, Attorney at Law, Office in Rhea Street, Carlsle, Pa. Business entrusted to him will be promptly attended to. Feb. 7, '55.

A. N. GREEN, Attorney at Law, Office in North Hanover Street, Carlsle, Pa. All business entrusted to him will be promptly attended to.

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