

Of Interest to Farmers

BOYS AND GIRLS ENJOY FIELD DAYS

Seventeen Counties Send Delegations of Youngsters to Summer Gathering - Attendance Estimated at 1100

Boys and girls were among the most interested of the Field Days visitors at the State Agricultural College at Ithaca, June 22nd and 23rd, according to word from the college.

For example, one group of boys interested in livestock spent the mornings in the college stock judging pavilion watching an instructor explain how to select good cows.

The college estimates that about 1100 persons visited field days; almost half of this number arriving Thursday in the rain.

The addresses of Dean A. R. Mann of the Agricultural College and of President Livingston Farrand of Cornell University on Thursday and Friday drew most of the visitors to the auditoriums immediately after dinner.

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PROFESSORS WIN HORSESHOE TITLE

Pitching their best against a team from Livingston County before a crowd of 400 persons, two college professors finally won the trophy in the first state-wide horseshoe pitching tournament, held at Ithaca during Farmers' Field Days at the State Agricultural College June 22nd and 23rd.

Of the 22 teams entered in the tournament, six represented local Granges, five were made up of county agents, four consisted of members of the college staff, and two were university employees.

State Champion Referees G. E. Snyder, fruit grower of Albion and high man from this state in the last national horseshoe pitching tournament in St. Petersburg, Fla., refereed the matches and awarded the silver loving cup, given by the college, to the winning team.

A revolving cupboard in an otherwise useless corner over the kitchen table provides a surprising amount of storage space for one housewife.

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GARDEN TALKS

Early as Late, a Gardener's First Rule, Transplanting Rules

Certain precautions are necessary for successful transplanting and "there's a reason" for each of them. A surprisingly large amount of water passes thru the plant body daily entering thru the roots and passing into the air by evaporation from the leaves.

A Hot Weather Crop New Zealand spinach is not a true spinach, but is a good substitute for it, with the advantage that it thrives in hot weather.

Homespun Yarn

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TRAJAN'S SOUL IN HEAVEN? Prayers of Pope Gregory Said to Have Resulted in Entry of Pagan into Paradise.

ions to this legend. One of them relates that Gregory, although his conduct was praiseworthy and successful, "broke the rules" by praying for Trajan's soul, and was therefore punished by numerous distressing maladies. Another is to the effect that Trajan's soul was sent back to his body, which was duly baptized by Gregory, whereupon the soul took immediate wing to heaven.

DON'T RISK NEGLECT

Don't neglect a constant backache, sharp, darting pains or urinary disorders. The danger of dropsy or Bright's disease is too serious to ignore.

SPRAYED POTATOES CHEAPER TO RAISE

A bushel of potatoes from sprayed vines costs less in cash and labor than a bushel from an unsprayed field says the College of Agriculture at Ithaca.

Demonstrations which the potato specialists from the college have conducted during the past year show that good business policy requires the grower to combat disease.

To watch the want ads is to "be in" when opportunity knocks.

III Cigarettes. They are GOOD! 10c. Includes illustration of a man and woman.

DOG LICENCES. All Dog Licenses Expire on June 30. The 1922 License Fee is Due July 1st.

Every dog must wear a tag of the current dog license year. A dog without such a tag is not protected by law.

THE A. B. C. OF EATING. E for Eggs which we should eat. Oft times as substitutes for meat.

A desirable house or apartment may be found, almost always, thru answering some of the "To Rent" ads that appear in any issue of this paper.

ATAJAX. BLACK TREAD TIRES With New Features. CORD ROAD KING PARAGON. Supreme in Appearance, Mileage, and Non-Skid Security. R. A. PARKER, ANDOVER, N. N.

ATLAS PORTLAND CEMENT. THE last quarter century has seen a big change in things built—a change largely caused by building materials—a change from temporary to permanent structures.

Agriographs

"Cockcrows no more will greet th dawn," The poet sings. The rooster's gone from modern flocks.

Golden Bantam and the other yellow sorts of sweet corn are said to contain more vitamins than white corn.

Uncle Ab says: "Money counts but don't let it count too heavily I'd rather be rich in friends than in dollars."

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YELLOWED ALFALFA HAS THREE CAUSES

Lack of Lime Called Most Common Reason for Failure in New York - Inoculation Necessary

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Lack of enough lime to counteract the acid in soil is given by the college as the most common cause of poor alfalfa in New York.

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GET ALL WATER FROM SKY

Bermuda Dependent for Its Supply on Moisture Which is Gathered on House Roofs.

In the early days the Bermuda colonists lived in houses built of cedar. Now they live in houses built of coral rock.

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If you have to kiss Andover kick her in the rear, she will go for you.

ANDOVER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. No. 788. I. O. O. F. Meets Every Tuesday Evening. Visitors are always cordially welcomed.

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