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### THE USE OF POTASH.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

In view of the fact that land planted continuously in tobacco for a number of years deteriorates or loses some very important plant life producing element in the tobacco crop, tobacco farmers instead of complaining as we are all prone to do about poor crops and low prices, should set about to ascertain what is lacking in the soil to make tobacco better. Tobacco culture is a branch of agriculture that requires the exercise of a good deal of serious thought and business judgment to make it profitable and unless it is profitable it is a most expensive crop.

The business of a bank president is to see to it that the deposits are not overdrawn, and when they are largely overdrawn banks sometimes fail. The farmer should see to it that his land is not overdrawn, and if he neglects this important duty it will not be very long before his farm will be bankrupt.

If a merchant realizes that under his established methods of doing business he sees his trade gradually, but surely leaving him, he will change his tactics in order to control his trade. If a farmer realizes that by his old system of farming his crops are poorer he should change his management just as any other business man.

There are not many farmers that have been planting tobacco for the past four years who do not realize that land planted continuously in tobacco does not produce as well as fresh land or land that has been rotated. This leads to but one conclusion, that tobacco produces a deficiency in the soil that we fail to put back by the ordinary use of ordinary fertilizer. Realizing this and not knowing what this deficiency was I wrote Dr. Battle, whose letter in reply to my opinion on this subject appeared in last week's REFLECTOR. Summing the whole thing up tobacco requires a great deal of potash and after being planted continuously on the same land for a number of years the supply of potash as a matter of course is largely demolished and unless potash in an increased quantity over what we are accustomed to use is added the crops are bound to become poorer each year.

Since the publication of Dr. Battle's letter I have thought over the matter considerably and have talked with a good many on the subject and every one agrees that where tobacco follows crops which require a great deal of potash it does not do so well, and vice versa. Again I have investigated the brands of guano that have given more general satisfaction under tobacco and I have invariably found that the brands of fertilizer which analyzed the highest per cent. of potash gave the best results. For instance in one locality in this county where formerly the farmers were accustomed to grow good tobacco, last year there was but one real bright crop made and that was made on land not especially extra for tobacco. I have made inquiries as to the guano used and I find that it runs from three quarters to one and a half per cent. higher in potash than the guano used by the

neighbors. This person was the only one using this brand of guano in his section.

After noting a good many instances of this kind I am led to the conclusion that in order to make better tobacco we need more potash. I think it would be a good idea for tobacco farmers in addition to the quantity of guano they are accustomed to use add enough potash to run it to at least 4 or 5 per cent. potash. Almost any guano man can order the potash for you and as this additional cost will not be very much it would pay to try it.

### Corbett Following Fitzsimmons.

San Francisco, March 30.—Jim Corbett, the ex-champion heavy weight pugilist of the world, left this city last night with his trainer, McVey, for Salt Lake City, where he is booked to give an exhibition on Wednesday evening.

Champion Fitzsimmons will also give an exhibition in Salt Lake City on the same evening, and the sporting people are anxious to see how the fighters will draw. Some small bets were made yesterday that Corbett will attract a larger crowd than the champion. The Californian says that he will try and exhibit in every town and city that his successful opponent will appear in on his journey through the states to New York.

Corbett says that he will keep after Fitzsimmons until the champion will afford him another opportunity to either win back his lost laurels or go down a whipped man for the second and last time.

### Superior Court.

The following cases have been disposed of since last report:

M. A. James, Sam James and Ed Mayo, assault with deadly weapon. A. A. James pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs. Others not guilty.

Silas Harris, assault with deadly weapon, pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

Louis Hines, affray, pleads guilty, motion for judgment continued.

L. B. Mettenger, A. R. Nelms and Joseph Walters, gambling, plead guilty, fined one penny and costs each.

Oliver Smith, false pretense, nolo contendere, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

Elias Daniel and Sampson Little, affray, guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

Jane Foreman, Jane Foreman, Jr., Ella Foreman and Willie Foreman, larceny and receiving, guilty.

Robert Gurganus, Henry Gurganus and Adolphus Matthews, affray. Robert Gurganus guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs. Others not guilty.

George Beach, carrying concealed weapon, guilty.

The grand jury Thursday afternoon returned a bill against W. B. Quiney for the killing of Levi Langley in February. This case was continued until September. The defendant gave bond for \$3,000.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1897.

Thirty merchants have been indicted in Surry county for not returning their purchase tax.

The Southern Railway is said to have had suits to the amount of \$500,000 brought against it in the past twelve months in the State of North Carolina.

Newton has a curious town ordinance. They fine a man \$2.50 if his chimney catches on fire. What would the fine be if his house burned down?

The decision of the Supreme Court regarding Trusts was thought to be pretty strong, but right on top of it comes an Onion Trust. Those who have tears, prepare to shed them now!

In Wilmington, on May 12th, the Grand Chapter of North Carolina, Royal Arch Masons, and the Grand Commandery of North Carolina Knights Templar, will hold their annual convales.

The anniversary of the surrender on April 9, 1865, of Lee to Grant, at Appomattox, is to be celebrated, in Philadelphia, by the Union Veteran League. It is said that President McKinley will review the parade.

The Record says Mr. R. R. King, of Greensboro, bought his little son an axe and, before he allowed the boy to handle it, he decided to show him how the axe should be used, so there would be no danger of his son cutting himself. But when the lesson of instruction began the very first pass the old man made he cut off a portion of his own toe.

Perhaps this country has never heard more insincere promises than during the past two years. There was a great battle between the two great political parties last year as to national interests, neither one of which could have possibly kept them all. In North Carolina there were many promises made the "dear people" by the fusionists, and the time has come and gone for the work of the Legislature and the "dear people" are much worse off than ever. We hear the cry of hard times everywhere, and we wonder why; but we ought no—the Bible says that when the wicked rule the people mourn. And who are the wicked if liars are not?—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

At a meeting of the Central Labor Union of New York on Sunday last one of the speakers declared: "There are about 100,000 persons working in the cigar industry in the United States, and should the duty on Sumatra wrappers and imported raw tobacco be increased fully two-thirds of the people now engaged would be driven out of work." The result of the meeting was the adoption of a formal protest to Congress against the enactment of the present tobacco schedule in the Dingley Tariff bill. It will be amusing to observe how the party which claims to be the bosom friend of American industry will get around this corner; but it will turn the angle, and will do it with incredible dexterity.—Philadelphia Record.

In directions where one would have supposed that no need of economy would ever be felt, there are signs of hard times. More than ever before since the beginning of the late war, people are taking care of the pennies in the hope that the pounds will take care of themselves. Thus we have just read an announcement of the purpose of the Ladies Club, of New York city, to disband. The membership and support of this swell organization came from the wealthiest women of New York, yet it is given out that its expenses of late have exceeded its income. Hence the conclusion to disband. So, too, we hear that, though the state of New York was confidently relied upon to appropriate \$50,000 to entertain certain guests who have been invited to be present at the Grant monument dedication, the Governor has declared his purpose not to consent to a bill allowing a greater sum than \$25,000. In Pennsylvania, too, they are not ashamed to practice a little economy now and then. For instance, the state house, at Harrisburg, was not long ago badly injured by fire. At once schemes for the building of a \$1,500,000 state house were formed, and had back of them some of the most influential politicians of the state, but Governor Hastings put his foot down upon them at once. He will only agree to an expenditure of \$550,000.—Richmond Dispatch.

### A GOOD MOVE.

On the 28th of April there is to be held at Southern Pines, North Carolina, a "Southern Inter-State Insurance Conference." The members of the Conference are to be delegates appointed by the Governors of Southern States, presidents' of Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce, Mayors of cities and towns, and editors of leading newspapers.

The object of the conference is to specially call the attention of the Southern people to the large amount of money that is annually going out of the South for life and accident insurance. It is said that for every dollar paid to persons insured South, two dollars go out. It is certainly time Southern men were investigating. There is no reason why this business can not be conducted in the South, and we are glad to see a movement under way, that will at least cause people to think, and not only to think but show them that they ought to patronize and sustain the insurance companies already established in the Southern States.

It is well for us to say, that this conference is not planned and worked up by the Southern Insurance Companies to boom themselves, but it is being promoted by men who have the good of the South at heart. In a conversation a few days since with the representative of this paper a gentleman said:

"In North Carolina we send out to foreign insurance companies annually, about two million dollars and get back just one million, and I for one am going to work until I can see the larger bulk of this money going into the treasuries of home companies. I haven't a dollar's interest in a Southern Company, and don't expect to have, but it is every Southern man's duty to keep all the money he can at home, and to sustain home enterprises."

It is said in reference to the conference: "It is to show how much money can be saved to the South if we will patronize home insurance and take such steps as will conclusively show our people, that the insurance business of the Southern States can be conducted by the Southern Companies or by those outside companies who will loan a fair part of their surplus to Southern enterprises."—Ex.

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Such is Life.

There is a great deal in the remark made to the young man to the effect that success is not the result of others friendship, but in spite of the opposition of men. This world is full of jealousy; envy, hypocrisy and insincerity. It will not be said that a majority of mankind are liars and slanderers and assassins of character, but there are many such and they are perniciously active.

There are men in every community, called men by courtesy, who bear the same relation to decent humanity as mosquitoes to men or fleas to dogs. Gossip is ordinarily harmless, but these creatures are malicious gossips and where they can get the ear of some one who will listen they spit out venom by the yard. One has spoken of them as nature's mistakes; but that is a misnomer; they are the devil's own creation. As a general thing such caricatures do not earn an honest dollar in a whole year—their cheek is their capital. If credited for a half dozen cigars or a suit of clothes they are just that much ahead, for it is against their principle to pay anything. They are here in Knoxville and everywhere else this side of the pearly gates, and their mission is to demonstrate how mean a man can be. They are the curs of creation, a biped cure, and when kicked and cuffed they accept as the only favor to which they are entitled.—Knoxville Journal.

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### Then You Said It.

Somebody is making a fool of himself about that railroad lease. All this talk about the State losing \$120,000 a year is rot. It reminds one of the remark made by a sort of a worthless fellow once when there was a heavy mast. He said he had lost \$100 that year. Whereupon, he was asked how it happened. He said he had sustained the loss because he had no hogs to get fat on the acorns.

It may be a wise thing for Butler and Russell to divert the attention of the people from more important matters, but we see no sense in the Democrats joining in the pursuit of this political will-o-the-wisp.—Lenoir Topic.

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Dated Nov. 15th 1896.	No. 25 Daily.	No. 23 Daily.	No. 49 Daily.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.
Leave Weldon Ar. Rocky Mt	A. M. 11 55	P. M. 9 14			
	1 00	10 9			
Lv Tarboro	12 12				
Lv Rocky Mt	1 00	10		5 45	
Lv Wilson	2 05	11		6 20	
Lv Selma	2 53				
Lv Fayetteville	4 36	1 07			
Ar. Florence	7 26				
Lv Wilson	P. M. 2 08			A. M. 0	
Lv Goldsboro	3 10			5	
Lv Magnolia	4 16			6	
Ar. Wilmington	5 45			9 45	
	P. M.			A. M.	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Nov. 1, 1896.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	No. 49 Daily.	No. 25 Daily.	No. 23 Daily.
Lv Florence	A. M. 8 45	P. M. 7 44			
Lv Fayetteville	11 10	9 40			
Lv Selma	12 37				
Ar. Wilson	1 20	11 35			
Lv Wilmington	A. M. 9 25			P. M. 7 00	
Lv Magnolia	10 52			8 50	
Lv Goldsboro	12 08			9 36	
Ar. Wilson	1 00			10 27	
Lv Tarboro	2 46				
Lv Wilson	P. M. 1 28			P. M. 10 32	
Ar. Rocky Mt	2 47			11 15	
Ar. Tarboro				P. M. 11	
Lv Tarboro	4 00				
Lv Rocky Mt	2 17				
Ar. Weldon					

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 3.56 p. m., Halifax 4.10 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.52 p. m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.27 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m., Arrives at Halifax at 11:00 a. m., Weldon 11:20 a. m. except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m., arrives Parmele 8.50 a. m., and 4.40 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parmele 10.20 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11.50 a. m., and 7.10 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p. m., Sunday 3.00 P. M., arrive Plymouth 9.00 P. M., 5.25 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6.00 a. m., Sunday 9.50 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.25 a. m. and 11.40 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 6.05 a. m. arriving Smithfield 7.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 8.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 9.30 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m., arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m., Clift 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clift 6.10 a. m., Dunbar 6.30 a. m., arrive Latta 7.50 a. m., daily except Sunday.

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Russell Maps, of Long Branch N. J., an octogenarian, writhing in the agonies of death, offered his doctor last Friday night \$10,000 for one drink of cold water. The aged sufferer was well able to pay this sum, and bigger, for relief from the thirst that consumed him. He counted his wealth by the hundreds of thousands. He owned broad acres in Monmouth county, handsome blocks in cities and strong boxes filled with stocks and bonds, yet all his wealth was powerless to purchase him an instant's respite from his torture.

It was a strange disease which held this wealthy Long Branch landlord, whose vitality, until a few weeks ago, had caused astonishment in the community. His jet black hair and beard, his firm tread and upright bearing, marked him as a man whose strength had not yielded to age.

It is said he had recently been contemplating a fourth marriage, having already buried three wives.

Then came that awful contraction of the throat, stricture of the esophagus, the doctors call it. The victim disappeared from the streets, and soon it became known that Russell Maps was doomed to death by slow torture, which medical skill was unable to combat. The disease clutched his throat tighter and tighter, until a length the sufferer could swallow neither a crumb of food nor a drop of water.

Then the doctors gave him food by artificial means, and in this way kept him alive for a while but as the trouble was intensified it finally became impossible to administer water to the man.

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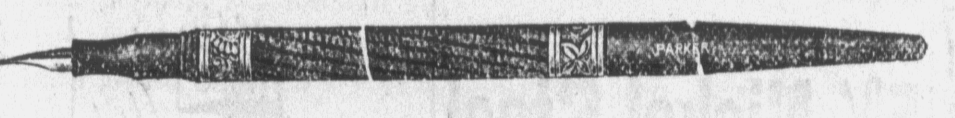
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"Di, won't you?"  
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"Sure?"  
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Butter, per lb	15 to 25
Western Sides	5 1/2 to 6
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 12 1/2
Corn	40 to 50
Corn Meal	45 to 60
Flour, Family	4 2/3 to 5 7/8
Lard	5 1/2 to 10
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	4 to 5
Coffee	17 to 20
Salt per Sack	75 to 1 5/8
Chickens	10 to 25
Eggs per doz	7 to 10
ees wax, etc.	0

**Cotton and Peanut.**

Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Commission Merchants of Norfolk.

COTTON.	
Good Middling	7 1/2
Middling	7 1/4
Low Middling	6 3/4
Good Ordinary	6 1-16
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### TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES.

Passenger and mail train going North, arrives 8:52 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:57 P. M.  
Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

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### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair, slightly warmer.

### THESE COME IN SHOWERS.

And You Get a New Sprinkling Every Evening.

April.

Fourth month.

Easter not long off.

Did the April fool catch you today?

The Keel trial begins tomorrow morning.

Services in the Baptist church tonight.

There was another heavy frost this morning.

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April will give us five Thursdays and five Fridays.

Fresh Carr Butter 1 pound package at S. M. Schultz.

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Charley Wilkinsoa got April fooled this morning. He got on the train to make the boys think he was going away, and intended to get off at the tank. The fun came in when the train did not stop at the tank for water. Charley says he jumped off, but it is believed that he walked back to town from House.

## HAND-CRAYON Portraits!

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## THE FOOL KILLER.

Don't Strike Such Folks as These.

J. S. Jenkins went to Danville today.

J. B. Cherry, Jr., came in Wednesday evening from a trip.

Miss Geneva Gardner arrived from Hamilton Wednesday evening.

Rev. A. W. Setzer arrived from Wake Forest Wednesday evening.

J. N. Gorman, of Richmond, came down Wednesday evening to visit the tobacco boys.

Night Watchman Daniel now rings the hours of the night on the new fire bell.

The printer made us say yesterday that the year was "one-half" gone, when his copy read one-fourth.

Rev. R. M. Bustler, editor of the Home Visitor, at Winterville, passed through Wednesday evening returning home from Tarboro. He tells us that he has leased the Tarboro Southerner and takes charge of that paper with its next issue. He will also continue his paper at Winterville.

March passed away yesterday very quietly but the twelve borrowing days are to come now. How much blow and snow they will give us is not known. The origin of the borrowing days is not understood by some but if you will turn to the 117th Psalm and read eight verses commencing with the third you will be able to decide for yourself.

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Polk Miller will appear in Greenville Friday, April 9th, at the Court House. Reserved seats 35 cents on sale at Wooten's drug store and at the door.

### Nominations by the President.

Washington, March 30.—The president today sent to the senate the following nominations: Frank W. Palmer, of Illinois, to be public printer; Alexander M. Thackara, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Havre, France.

### Married.

On Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. E. Mayo, in Falkland, Mr. E. C. King and Miss Daisy Mayo were married by Rev. J. B. Morton, of Tarboro. Only a few relatives and friends of the couple were present. A reception was held immediately after the ceremony.

### Lost

Some where in Greenville or between my home and Greenville a large yellow envelope addressed to Thomas J. Jarvis, containing blank proofs of death of my father, B. H. Sugg, partially filled out by Dr. O'Hagan, Edward Flanagan and Rev. N. M. Watson.

Any one finding these papers will kindly return them to me and greatly oblige. I. A. Sugg.

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