

MISCELLANEOUS. FIELD CROPS, 1873.

GENERAL AND SPECIAL PREMIUMS FOR FIELD CROPS.

The following General and Special Premiums for Field Crops, will be awarded at the Fifth Annual Fair of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association, to be held in the Fall of 1873:

GENERAL PREMIUMS. COTTON. For largest crop of Cotton upon four (4) acres or more of upland, with statement of quality of soil, mode of cultivation, amount and kind of manure used, the time of planting and variety of cotton, to be measured and the yield to be vouched for by affidavit—one bale to be exhibited: Premium, \$100

For largest crop of Cotton upon one (1) acre of land, regulations same as above: Premium, \$25 For largest crop of Cotton on one acre, by a boy not over eighteen years of age, \$20

CORN. For largest crop of Corn grown upon four (4) acres of upland or lowland. Regulations same as for Cotton: two (2) bushels to be exhibited as sample: Premium, \$50 each For largest crop of Corn grown upon one (1) acre of upland or lowland. Same regulations as above: Premium, \$20 each For largest crop of Corn on one acre of upland or lowland, made by a boy not over eighteen years of age, \$20 each

WHEAT. For the largest yield of Wheat from five (5) acres, under same rules and regulations for Cotton and Corn—two bushels to be exhibited: Premium, \$25 OATS AND RYE. For largest yield of Rye, Oats or Rye, same regulations as above; two bushels to be exhibited: Premium, each \$20

POTATOES. For largest crop of Sweet Potatoes upon one (1) acre; one-fourth to be dug and two (2) bushels to be exhibited as sample: Premium, \$10 For largest crop of Irish Potatoes upon one-half (1/2) acre; same regulations as above for Sweet Potatoes: Premium, \$10

PEAS, &c. For largest crop of Ground Peas upon one acre: Premium, \$25 For largest yield of Stock Peas upon one acre; for largest yield of Turnips upon one acre; two bushels of each to be exhibited, under same regulations as other crops: Premium, each \$10

HAY. For largest yield of stock hay on one acre; one bale to be exhibited: Premium, \$20 For largest yield of native grass, one bale to be exhibited; quality and quantity to be considered: Premium, \$20 The grass must be cut from land cultivated for hay. Largest yield of red clover upon one acre; largest yield of cultivated grasses, upon one acre; one bale of each to be exhibited: Premium, each \$20 To the farmer who raises and applies the manure to, and by each horse, mule or ox, used in the cultivation of his farm, the quality to be certified to by two or more competent witnesses: Premium, \$30

All the rules and regulations specified in the foregoing premiums must be complied with. Affidavits and certificates, as required to be filed by the General Secretary, when the articles are entered, otherwise the awarding committees will withhold the premiums. Largest yield of each of the following articles of fruit and vegetables, to be proved by affidavit and submitted to the committee: Garden Peas \$5 Cucumbers \$5 Tomatoes \$5 Asparagus \$5 Radishes \$5 Beets \$5 Spring Irish Potatoes \$5 Cabbages \$5 Cauliflowers \$5 Peaches \$5 Pears \$5 Grapes, Scuppernon, Mich., Flowers and Concord \$5

SPECIAL PREMIUMS By the Navassa Guano Company, 500 pounds Navassa Guano for the best yield of corn from four acres of upland, \$50 500 pounds Navassa Guano for the best yield of cotton from four acres of upland, \$50 500 pounds Navassa Guano for the best yield of oats from four acres of upland, \$50 500 pounds Navassa Guano for the best yield of sweet potatoes from four acres of upland, \$50 500 pounds Navassa Guano for the best yield of peanuts from four acres of upland, \$50 The Navassa Guano to be used alone for the above premiums, or only in combination with plantation manure or vegetable matter. Samples of the crops named must be exhibited at the fair of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association, under the rules and regulations of the Association, and decisions to be made by committee appointed for the purpose by the Association.

Competitors are required to furnish the General Secretary with a detailed statement of application and culture. By DeRossett & Co., Commission Merchants and State Agents of the Carolina Fertilizer, 1,000 pounds Carolina Fertilizer for the largest production of cotton to the acre, \$50 1,000 pounds Carolina Fertilizer for the largest production of corn to the acre, \$50 1,000 pounds Carolina Fertilizer for the largest production of wheat to the acre, \$50 500 pounds Carolina Fertilizer for the largest production of peanuts to the acre, \$50 500 pounds Carolina Fertilizer for the largest production of sweet potatoes to the acre, \$50 The above premiums are for crops produced by the use of Carolina Fertilizer only; and the awarding of said premiums is left discretionary with the Committee of the Association, under their rules.

Competitors will be required to furnish us with detailed statements of mode of application, and culture, and the results; and the awards of the committee will be fulfilled by shipment of the Fertilizer as directed, upon receipt by us of the above required statements. By Vick & Mebane, Commission Merchants & General Agents for Whann's Superphosphate, Star Phosphate and Bahama Soluble Guano, One ton Whann's Superphosphate for the largest yield of Cotton to the acre, \$50 One ton Bahama Soluble Guano for the largest yield of Cotton to the acre, \$50 One ton Star Phosphate for the largest production of Cotton to the acre, \$50 The above premiums are for crops produced by the use of either of the above Fertilizers alone, or only in combination with plantation manure or vegetable matter.

Competitors are required to furnish the General Secretary with a detailed statement of their mode of application and culture. By Wooten, Richardson & Co., Commission Merchants & General Agents for the Soluble Sea Island Guano, One ton Soluble Sea Island Guano for the largest yield of Cotton to the acre, \$50 One ton Soluble Sea Island Guano for the largest yield of Corn to the acre, \$50 The above premiums are for crops produced by the use of Soluble Sea Island Guano alone, or in combination with plantation manure only; and the awarding of said premiums is left discretionary with the Committee of the Association, under their rules. Competitors are required to furnish the General Secretary with a detailed statement of their mode of application and culture.

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