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AGRICULTURE.

CORN CULTURE.

We entered so fully into this subject, in all our details last April, that we have left ourselves but little room to add a word more.

In the mode of culture we shall lay down, we do not wish our readers to suppose that we are so vain as to suppose that it is the best that can be adopted; but merely to explain the way in which, in good seasons, we managed to grow good crops.

Manner.—We desire to lay these propositions down as undeniable truths: First, that a very large crop of corn cannot be grown on poor land, unaided by manure.

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Of the whole plant, grain, stalks, cobs, &c. lists various agricultural products and their uses. Mentions 'Carbonic Acid' and 'Phosphoric Acid'.

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Less by a fraction than 800 lbs. in all. Predicting our views of the wants of an acre of corn upon the above analyses, we prescribe the following formulas of manure, organic as well as inorganic.

- List of fertilizers: 7 do do do of stable or barn-yard manure... 10 bushels of bone-dust... 4 " " ashes... 2 " " plaster... 1 " " sulphur.

This ash contains less potash, but more soda and gypsum, than those of the grasses, and hence, as you will readily understand, may be expected to exercise a somewhat different influence upon vegetation.

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to the state of a fine loam by the constant application of sea-weed alone, for a long series of years.

It may be opportune to say that no more corn should be taken to the field than can be dropped during the day, and that the tub containing it should be kept covered.

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