

## Liberal Prizes to North Carolina Farmers.

Hundreds of Dollars in Prizes for Best Exhibits of Corn and Other Farm Crops at Farmers' National Congress, Raleigh, November 3rd to 8th.

We referred last week to the liberal prizes offered by the North Carolina Department of Agriculture for best agricultural exhibits at the Farmers' National Congress, Raleigh, November 3rd to 8th, and we now take pleasure in printing herewith the complete list of premiums.

For the corn exhibit the State has been divided into three divisions and first and second premiums will be given to the winners in each of these districts. The premiums offered on exhibits other than corn apply to the State at large.

The divisions for corn exhibits are as follows:

Eastern District: Scotland, Cumberland, Harnett, Johnston, Nash, Halifax, Northampton, and all counties east of those.

Central District: Cleveland, Catawba, Alexander, Iredell, Yadkin, Stokes, and all counties east of those to the eastern district.

Western District: All counties in the State west of the Central District.

### Premiums Offered by the State Board of Agriculture.

	First.	Second.
Best ear of prolific corn, any variety	\$ 5.00	\$2.50
Best ear Gourd-seed or Horsetooth type	5.00	2.50
Best ear of any other variety or type of corn	5.00	2.50
Best ten ears prolific corn, any variety	10.00	5.00
Best ten ears Gourd-seed or Horsetooth type	10.00	5.00
Best ear, any other variety or type of corn	5.00	2.50
Best stalk of prolific corn, ears attached	5.00	2.50
Best stalk Gourd-seed or Horsetooth	5.00	2.50
Best stalk, any other variety, ears attached	5.00	2.50
Best five stalks prolific corn, ears attached	10.00	5.00
Best five stalks Gourd-seed or Horsetooth	10.00	5.00
Best five stalks, any other variety, ears attached	10.00	5.00
Best bushel of white wheat	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of red wheat	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of early or spring oats, any variety	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of Appler or any rust-proof type of oats	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of turf or any other variety of winter oats	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of rye	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of Irish potatoes	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of Irish potatoes, second crop	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of sweet potatoes, Red, Yellow or White Yam type	5.00	2.50
Best bushel of sweet potatoes, Southern Queen and the dryer varieties	5.00	2.50
Largest and best cabbage	2.50	1.00
Ten largest and best cabbages	5.00	2.50
Heaviest pumpkin	2.50	1.00
Largest mangel wurzel (sugar beet)	2.50	1.00
Ten largest mangel wurzels, (sugar beet)	5.00	2.50

### Value of Peanut Hay.

Will you please inform me in your valuable paper, if peanut vines are a valuable hay?

T. A. P.

Choctaw Co., Miss.

Editorial Answer:—The vines or tops of peanuts make a good hay. Owing to the manner of harvesting there is likely to be too much sand and dust in it for the good of live stock, especially horses. When the peanuts are picked by machine much of the soil and dust is knocked out of the hay and its quality is accordingly improved.

The following analysis of cowpea, timothy and peanut vine hays will serve to show that peanut vine hay is moderately rich in food nutrients:

	Protein.	Crude Fiber.	Nit-free Extract.	Fats.	Ash.
Peanut vine hay.	10.7	23.6	42.7	4.6	10.8
Cowpea hay.....	16.6	20.1	42.2	2.2	7.5
Timothy hay.....	5.9	29.0	45.0	2.5	4.4

### A Method of Eradicating the Wild Onion.

The office of Farm Management, United States Department of Agriculture, has now ready for distribution a circular giving a detailed discussion of the wild onion problem and outlining a plan whereby the pest can be exterminated. This circular will be sent free to any person requesting it

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