

Farm and Household.

Thoughts for the Month. This is the critical month on a southern farm. The "May" grass must be killed now or never.

Editor Southern Cultivator. I sowed an acre of oats last September with a view of experimenting.

I made the land rich, sowed three bushels per acre of clean black oats. I made the first crop the first of September.

Early corn will be "chided" this month, and peas ought by all means, to be broadcasted at the last ploughing.

Give it every opportunity to push forward and make weed now. Bring to a stand at once if not already done.

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JAS. T. ROOPER. I cultivated forty acres the past year. Ten acres being a sand hill.

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