Soil Map Quiz Number 4

(Identify the land forms and soil association as to soil region or state. Answer is elsewhere in this issue.) Readers are invited to send in a map and explanation for the next quiz.

Soil Map Legend: SOILS:

Ac Almirante clay (Yellowish Brown Lateritic soil)
An Almirante sandy clay (ditto)
Bc Bayamon clay (Reddish Brown Lateritic soil)
Bs Bayamon sandy clay (ditto)
By Bayamon sandy clay loam (ditto)
Cz Corozol fine sand (Ground-Water Podzol)
Ey Espinosa sandy clay (Yellowish Brown Lateritic)
Eo Espinosa loamy sand (ditto)
Sx Santa Clara clay (Chernozem)
Sk Soller clay loam, hilly phase (Rendzina)
Su St. Lucie fine sand (Regosol)
Ta Tanama stony clay (Lithosol)
Vf Vega Alta fine sandy loam (Red-Yellow Podzolic)
Vl Vega Alta loamy fine sand (ditto)

(For answer to May Quiz Number 4, see page 20.)

NEW TOPOGRAPHIC MAP USEFUL

In making generalized soil maps of states and regions of the United States, soil scientists are finding extremely useful the new topographic map made by the Corps of Engineers, but sold by the U. S. Geological Survey. The map is at a scale of 1:250,000 with a contour interval of 50 feet. It is a transverse mercator projection. Topographic provinces as small as a few miles across and land use provinces as shown by presence or absence of green over-print for forested land, call attention to locations of important generalized soil boundaries.

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