
Bales ...

<< **CONTINUED** from Page **B6**

special treatment beginning about ten days before planting time. First, keep the bales very wet for 3 days. Then apply 5 ounces (10 tablespoons) of urea fertilizer followed by two more days of intense watering. On the seventh day, apply 2 1/2 ounces (5 tablespoons) of urea, followed by watering for another 2 days.

On the tenth day, apply 12 ounces of 13-13-13 fertilizer and lightly water the fertilizer into the bale. On the eleventh day, apply a two to three inch layer of topsoil or potting mix to serve as a bed for the plants or seeds. Then, simply plant your vegetables, keep them watered and watch them grow. Vegetables like tomatoes, peppers, squash, cucumbers and melons will all grow well using this technique.