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OF INTEREST TO FARMERS

CUTTING AND PLANTING POTATOES

There is an old adage, that "the seed is cheap". This appears to be one of these years and whether or not the suggestion is worth following there is one thing sure: Everyone should be certain that they plant enough bushels of seed per acre. With very cheap seed there is no excuse for planting less than twelve bushels per acre. Fifteen would be much better.

Experiments in several states show that the number of eyes on the seed piece is not so important as the size of the piece. Medium sized pieces, weighing one of one and a half ounces, planted fifteen inches apart apparently give as large or larger yields than larger pieces planted farther apart, indicating that the amount of seed is an important factor.

A survey taken on 360 farms in Steuben County showed the average rate of planting as only a little over ten bushels per acre. The importance of the amount of seed used per acre is clearly shown in the tabular results of a Steuben County survey. Less than eight bushels per acre gave an average yield of 117 bu. 8 to 10 bu. of seed produced an average of 123 bu. 10 to 12 bu. of seed produced 138 bu. 12 to 14 bu. produced 147 bushels, 14 to 18 bushels produced 191 bushels.

This clearly shows that more bushels of seed per acre either by closer planting or larger seed pieces give more available plant food for the new vine; closer planting makes the vines cover the ground sooner thereby preventing evaporation of soil moisture which is often very lacking in late summer. It is impossible to say just what the maximum limit should be but it lies between 15 and 20 bushels per acre.

ALL CATTLE IN THE TOWN OF AMITY TESTED FOR TUBERCULOSIS

Number of Herds Tested 175
Total Number of Cattle Tested 2,214
Number of Herds having Reactors 46
Total Number of Reactors 136
Percent reactors 6

On Saturday May 26th three carloads of condemned animals left Belmont for the slaughter house at Buffalo. This is a result of the testing conducted by Dr. B. J. Cady in the town of Amity for the past six weeks. Previous to this time there were 145 reactors taken from the town of Amity most of which came from one herd. As a matter of interest a herd of 131 head was taken complete either on the original test or the succeeding retests. According to the reports received from Buffalo everyone of these 131 head had tuberculosis. There were three no lesion cases, one aged cow, one heifer and one calf. It is also of interest to note that most of the reactors on the recent test were found in one or two sections of the town. It is very evident from this fact that the disease gets into a community and spreads.

There has been considerable talk about cattle reacting and not showing lesions or having any signs of disease. As a matter of fact it is very difficult to determine the condition of a cow by general appearance. The Intradermal and Ophthalmic combination test is the best method at the present time. In following up most of the condemnations it is found that once in a while a cow reacts and shows no signs of the disease. But even if this is true it is the only method we have at the present time to stamp out this disease.

Word recently received from Albany indicates that new testing can not be conducted until after the first of July. It is the purpose of the Department in the meantime to pay up all past debts and start on the new system of "Pay As You Go". The remaining towns in Allegany county which have not been tested are requested to do everything possible to get the sign up completed. If it is possible to show by July 1st that the dairymen of the county want this work done there is a possibility that extra help will be provided and the work will be completed this fall.



The nose is the vital section in most colds. Practically all colds can be prevented if proper preventive means are taken. Germs are every where and ready to be stirred into life when lodged in the warm nose. They follow colds, grippe, tonsillitis and influenza. Fortify yourself against germs, prevent colds and colds. Orono is a preventive. If you suffer we give positive assurance that Orono will stop hawking and sneezing, reduce inflammation, stop excessive flow of mucus, make breathing easy and check fresh colds. A week's use will convince you. Don't suffer, send for it at once. Pay the postman or enclose one dollar with name and address and we will mail a large tube of Orono with guarantee of its efficiency. If you don't like to order, write stating your case, our laboratory will furnish expert advice. PHARMACAL LABORATORIES, Room 1205, 27 Cortlandt St., New York City.

VEGETABLES WIN MORE RECOGNITION AT FAIR

Greatly Increased Premium Money for Syracuse Show Pleases Growers of Empire State.

The department of vegetable gardening at the state college of agriculture is calling attention of the vegetable gardeners of the state to the fact that the state fair commission this year is placing more importance on vegetable exhibits than ever before. The premium list, further, has been prepared many weeks earlier than has been the custom in the past, which the college believes will be greatly to the advantage of growers who plan to exhibit.

Nearly \$800 more is being offered for premiums in the vegetable class than last year. The minimum first premium will be \$4, a considerable increase from previous lists. A number of changes have been made in collection classes, and a new class has been added for the best collection of vegetables grown on muck lands, for which the prizes aggregate \$50.

Organization collections will compete for \$350 in premiums. This class is open to any organization, society, club, or similar group. In addition, a silver loving cup is being offered for the best Grange exhibit. The upward revision in premiums is also found in the collection class for commercial gardeners, which has been increased to \$270, and in the home gardening collection class the increase is more than \$50.

TELLING OF A TRIP ACROSS THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

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at the mid-day and evening meals. Each diner consumed at least one pint bottle at every meal. "Monsieur," declared one of my neighbors to me at the table, "unless you learn to drink wine you will never learn to speak French, and right then I concluded that if such was the case I would never be able to speak French. I never saw so many different assortments of cheese as were served at the table, cheese of varying colors, sizes, consistencies and odors. The coffee was abominable, reminding me of the taste of quinine sulphate. A common custom with the French is to mix a little whiskey with the coffee. I took a nip of the mixture one time, and that a cupful of it would be poison. Of fish and meats there was an abundance. But to me a meal is not a meal without a cup of strong, black American Java.

The most popular place on the boat was the smoking room. "Fumoir" the French call it. Here men and women gather to while away the time, drinking, smoking, playing checkers, dominos, stud poker and poker of the ordinary kind. The last named is the most commonly played. With five others, all Americans, I took a hand in a few games, in which the limit was five francs, the equivalent to about thirty cents in American money at the present rate of exchange. There was one fellow who it was rumored, was a card shark and made a business of traveling on ocean boats trying to get suckers. Several times he watched us play, but evidently looked on the stakes as being too contemptuous to be of any interest. It is a dangerous thing, it is said, to take a seat in a smoking room game with high stakes unless you know your crowd.

The sight of land was most welcome. Seeing nothing outside of the boat, but the sky and water for ten days becomes monotonous. A trip across gives one but faint idea of the tremendous proportions of the ocean. Doctor Frank Lydston, of Chicago, one time compared this world to a great cheese and all the human being in it as mice. It would require a powerful microscope, he said, to detect the marks that a few individuals have made on the cheese. In that connection I thought that all the human being on earth could be buried in a relatively small part of the ocean and not even a scratch would remain.

No matter how comfortable a boat may be made, life on board soon becomes disagreeable. The vibration

going on continually makes one nervous, but it can't be avoided, for the huge engines of the vessel are laid not upon foundations of rock, but on the ribs of the ship.

THE WEATHER

Following are the weather observations taken by the Andover Co-operative Station for the week beginning Thursday, May 17, 1923.

	Temperature			5 P. M.
	High	Low		
Thursday, May 24, 1923.				
Thursday	70	29	41	70
Friday	78	37	41	75
Saturday	78	44	34	75
Sunday	75	43	32	65
Monday	76	35	41	73
Tuesday	74	44	30	66
Wednesday	70	33	37	63
Warmest 78; coldest 29; greatest range 41 three days.				

Precipitation	
Thursday	none
Friday	none
Saturday	none
Sunday	none
Monday	none
Tuesday	none
Wednesday	none

Barometer	
Thursday	30.15
Friday	29.96
Saturday	29.85
Sunday	29.98
Monday	29.92
Tuesday	29.95
Wednesday	30.00
Seven clear days.	

J. HARVEY BACKUS,
Local Observer.

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