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Of Special Interest to our Farmers

Selection of Potatoes for Planting.

The North Dakota Experimental reports on experiments during two seasons in the selection of potatoes for seed, making comparison of the growth from large and small tubers from the same vine. In 1894 the tubers were selected from hills of normal growth, which indicated that their origin was from a single seed piece and which showed considerable difference in growth, number, size and form of the potatoes. Small tubers were selected from those weighing between 1 1/4 and 2 oz., and large ones from those exceeding 6 oz., in weight. The specific gravity of the tubers was found to be essentially the same for large and small tubers from the same hill, but often very different in different hills. After the selected potatoes had been treated with corrosive sublimate for the prevention of scab, one piece, an ounce in weight, was taken from the bud end of each tuber. These pieces were planted in the spring of 1895 three feet apart each way and four inches deep, with the cut surface down, only one piece being planted in each hill. The average weight per hill from the small tubers when dug was 2.1467 lbs lbs., and of that from the large tubers 1.92 lbs.

The preparation for the next year's crop was made as above, the only hills from which no seed was planted being those which had produced only large or only small tubers. The average yield per hill in 1896 was 36 5/8 oz. from those planted with pieces of small potatoes, and 25.45 oz. from those planted with pieces of large potatoes.

At the Wyoming station the yield from small potatoes planted whole was greater than from cuttings made of large potatoes, but the percentage of marketable tubers was less from the whole seed. Potatoes planted eight inches apart in the rows gave the best results. Green manuring with peas resulted in an increase in yield of more than 38 per cent. During a cold, wet season it was found that seed treated for scab with corrosive sublimate produced a good stand; untreated seed planted with bone meal in the furrow produced a partial stand, while untreated seed without bone meal failed to grow.

Agricultural College.

An agricultural college for the Maritime Provinces is likely to be established at some Nova Scotia point. Mr. W. C. Archibald, of Wolfville, N. S., has recently been on a visit to the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, with a view to learning something of how this institution is conducted. There are five students at Guelph this year from the Maritime Provinces and every year a number go to colleges in the United States. Mr. Archibald is of the opinion that if a good Agricultural college were organized there would be no need for young men in the lower provinces to go so far for an education and that a good attendance could be secured at the start.—Farming.

The grade of eggs required for the British market is one that will weigh a pound and a half to the dozen, and for every half-pound which eggs weigh less than fifteen pounds to each ten dozen, the value is lessened by about one cent per dozen. It is believed by those engaged in the import trade that in large eggs the albumen is thicker than in small ones, and that ninety per cent. of the stale or bad eggs are small eggs with white shells. Shells of a brown color are preferred, and must be clean without having been cleaned.—Exchange.

Professor Roberts, of Cornell University, states that the manure of one sheep for a year is worth \$3.17. This is good value, and increases in a large measure the value of keeping sheep on the farm. Twenty sheep, which is none too many for the average 100 acre farm to keep, would, if this estimate is correct, bring into it every year \$63.40 worth of fertility.

ESTEEMED EXCHANGES

Toronto Globe: A clergyman or a church may stand aloof from the press and criticize it and cry out that the times are out of joint, but that church will accomplish most in the way of regeneration which gets closely into touch with the press and with the people, and works on a practical basis and not in the air.

Mail and Empire: Mr. Fielding creates a surplus in his accounts by charging expenditures up to the debt. This is how it happens that whenever he shows a favourable balance our liabilities exhibit an increase.

Montreal Gazette: The conflicting reports that come from the Philippines indicate that one feature of modern civilization is well established there. The yellow news maker is up to his elbows in his work.

Montreal Gazette: There are too many great spending departments in too full blast for the future good of the country. Unless they are checked there will be mischief to pay.



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Liberal Conservatives ATTENTION!

Notice is hereby given that the Liberal Conservative Conference for Prince Edward Island will hold its annual meeting in the Masonic Temple, Charlottetown, on Thursday, the 26th day of January, inst, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Conveners for the Dominion Ridings, Local Assembly Districts and Polling Districts are requested to take immediate action in securing a full representation of Delegates from all parts of the Province.

The meetings of the Conference will be open to all electors who agree with the Opposition in Federal and Local affairs.

Reduced rates on the P. E. Island Railway will be obtained as usual.

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