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THE SWEET POTATO.

Some of its Diseases and How to Treat Them.

Now that the sweet potato beds of the Eastern Shore will soon commence to sprout, and the Double Creek farmer to jubilate in his prospects of shad and potatoes, "Bulletin No 6" issued by the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station, is of more than usual interest and importance. The bulletin is profusely illustrated, showing the diseases with which the potato farmer has to contend, and gives valuable information as to the most satisfactory method of treating the troubles to which the sweet potato is heir. This little book is invaluable to the sweet potato grower, and may be had for the asking. Assisted by the agriculturists of the State in fulfilling its intended functions, the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station would be of incalculable benefit to the farming communities of the different counties. The experiments deal with those departments of greatest interest to the farmers and are carefully carried out. Nearly every farmer is a sweet potato grower to a greater or less extent, and the bulletin referred to would be of great value. But for want of space the TRANSCRIPT would gladly publish portions of the treatise. But even a greater drawback would be the impossibility of reproducing the illustrations. The farmers of the State should put themselves in touch with this splendid institution, the State Agricultural Experiment Staion. Write and ask for Bulletin No 60.

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THE WORK GOES ON.

Some of the Late Contributors to Town Improvement.

As an evidence that the interest of the people in the subject of town improvement has not abated, the following names are published of contributors who have assisted the fund since the publication of the last list:

Miss L. A. R. Thomas, Decatur Hadaway, Mrs. Wm. R. Kay, two friends of Miss Laura Thomas, Father W. J. Scott, W. A. Potts, Mr. Alfred C. Loud, Unknown, Unknown (Mrs. M.C. Ringgold), Horace W. Beck and family, two friends of Miss Constable, Samuel Mallalieu, Clarence Scotten, lady in New York, T. DeCoursey Ruth, Mrs. Wm. T. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carroll, friend of Miss Jennie Vickers, Miss Taylor, Jos. Downey and family, Rev. C. T. Denroche, Walter T. Pippin, John H. Clendaniel, Miss Irene Evans, Capt. W. C. Eliason, Father Geo. L. Ott, W. K. Robinson, D. Arthur Bacchus, Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort, J. Guion Roberts, Unknown, Howard Turner, friend of Miss L. R. A. Thomas, Unknown, John N. Roberts, W. T. Nicholson, Jesse H. Usilton, Mrs. Paul Turner, friend of Miss Emma Beck, John E. Hadaway, Mrs. Samuel J. Wickes, Father James McSweeny, McCall Blackiston, Mrs. C. L. Crisfield, Ambrose Carroll, Benj. Coburn, John M. Naudain, Alceus Hooper, C. Reynolds Bedford, Judge Wm. R. Martin, Samuel Beck, J. S. Vandegrift, Alday Clements, Mrs. S. M. Kraft, John M. Craven, Miss Lillian N. Taylor, some one in Easton, public school children, town.

HOW THE NEWS COMES.

To Reach Baltimore from Manila News Must Travel 14000 Miles.

Since our new possessions in the Philippines are assuming daily increasing importance, it may be of interest to know by what route the news would come from Capt. Morris K. Barroll were he to find it desirable to communicate with his home in Maryland. The chief stations enroute are as follows:

Manila to Bolinao, on the same island, overland telegraph.
Bolinao to HongKong, cable.
Hong Kong to Saigon, in Annam, cable.
Saigon to Singapore, Malay Peninsula, cable.
Singapore to Madras, India, cable.
Madras to Bombay, land telegraph.
Bombay to Aden, Arabia, cable.
Aden to Suez, Egypt, cable.
Suez to Alexandria, land telegraph.
Alexandria to Marseilles, via Malta, cable.
Marseilles to Havre, France, land telegraph.
Havre to Brighton, England, cable.
Brighton to London, land telegraph.
London to Valentia by cable and land telegraph.
Valentia to New York by St. John's cable.
New York to Baltimore, land telegraph.

MARYLAND AND THE SCALE.

How They Fight the Pest Here Watched by the Fruit Growing World.

The splendid work of fighting the San Jose Scale in Maryland, is attracting the attention of the fruit-growing world. Through the untiring efforts of Prof. W. G. Johnson, supplemented by the work of Capt. R. S. Emory, however strange it may appear, the eyes of the great fruit-growing centres of the world are focused upon little Maryland, and particularly Kent county.

So far as can be judged at this stage of the experiments with hydrocyanic gas, the new treatment promises to be a perfect solution of the San Jose Scale trouble.

The *Rural New-Yorker*, one of the leading agricultural papers of the United States, has just completed the publication of several protracted articles under the headlines "How Maryland Fights San Jose Scale." The articles are from an "editorial correspondent" and embodies a thorough statement, as given by Prof. Johnson of the method of the Kent county warfare against the scale. As a menace to our National wealth the San Jose Scale stands scarcely second to that great pension list which Uncle Sam annually pays off.

THE OLD MAID.—Tom—There is one mighty agreeable thing about calling on an old maid.

Jack—What is that?

Tom—She doesn't bore you to death by talking about "old times."

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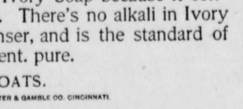
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Interesting Experiments at Storrs College in Connecticut.

Professor C. L. Beach of the Storrs Agriculture college of Connecticut gave in Hoard's Dairyman the results of some interesting experiments. The college herd of 25 cows included four registered Jerseys, three Guernseys, four Ayrshires and the balance mostly Jersey and Guernsey grades. The registered cows were selected for the college by committees of breeders of the respective breeds and were presumably fair representatives of the several breeds. The grades were selected and purchased from time to time and perhaps were better than the average run of dairy cows.

The feeding, milking and care of the herd are attended to by student labor. While this system offers many advantages to the student, the unavoidable



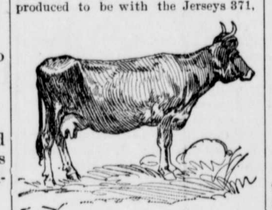
COW NO. 1—GRADE GUERNSEY.

irregularity is not conducive to the largest yields from the cow. But the management of the herd was governed by the idea of using the herd for purposes of instruction. In carrying out this idea a record was kept of the daily milk yield of each cow and the Babcock test for fat; also the hay, silage and grain were weighed out to each cow for each feed during the year. With these individual records at hand, the herd becomes of great value to the student in illustrating the types of dairy cows.

In the selection of concentrated feeds they were guided in purchase by the relative price of protein in each. The herd was fed a balanced ration of a nutritive ratio of about 1 to 5. In winter this ration consisted of from 25 to 30 pounds of silage, 8 to 10 pounds of hay and 6 to 12 pounds of grain, the latter varying with the ability of the individual to make good use of it. In summer, with scanty pasturage, soiling crops were supplied and some grain fed.

The best results were obtained from two cows characterized as very spare, with deep bodies and well sprung ribs. They approximate in form very nearly to the ideal dairy type, and in addition to this form were persistent milkers. In 1897 cow No. 1, after having been in milk one year and without dropping a calf, made a record of 466 pounds of butter. Cow No. 2 resented any attempt to dry her off. Cow No. 1 showed an annual profit of $40.42 and cow No. 2 an annual profit of $42.82. Less conspicuous dairy types showed profits of about $20 a year. Cows lacking depth and width of body and beef types showed normal profits or actual losses.

In comparing breeds with types they found the range in amount of butter produced to be with the Jerseys 371,



COW NO. 2—JERSEY.

Ayrshires 266, or a difference of 105 between the highest and lowest. The variation due to type is 273 pounds.

In a similar way the range in the cost of one pound of butter between the breeds is 4 cents, while the range between the types is 8½ cents.

The range in net profit between breeds is $16.25, while the range between types is $41.07.

We may conclude, then, says Professor Beach, that the form or type more than breed will determine the ability of a cow to produce butter economically.

The following prices were charged for feed per ton: Rowen, $10; mixed hay, $10; corn stover, $6; silage, $3; soiling crops, $3; pasture (for the season), $3.50; bran, $14; gluten, $18.50; cottonseed meal, $22; linseed oil meal, $25

Feeding Cows Too Much Grain.

Cows differ much in their ability to make profitable use of the grain fed them. Those which have the beef tendency strongly developed will at once begin to fatten on grain, unless it is fed in moderate amounts and combined with a large amount of succulent food. Those who have ensilage or roots, especially beet or mangel wurzel, can feed more grain to cows and have the fat go to the milk pail than those who only have dry feed. It is not safe to feed a farrow cow much grain, nor yet one that is near the time to drop her calf, as it will then stimulate the milk glands too much and probably cause garget. Yet it is an advantage to a cow to be in pretty good flesh when she drops her calf. The inside fat she then carries will mostly be used up in enriching the milk the following summer.—Boston Cultivator.

Cows and Sunlight.

Cows like sunlight, especially in winter. Be sure, therefore, to provide plenty of windows; even if the first cost does exceed the wall space they occupy it is money well spent. Plenty of light promotes cleanliness by bringing all dirt into prominent sight. Darkness and dirt are congenial partners.

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SIR—I sent you three weeks ago come Sunday a sketch of poetry which was wrote by my wife on her birthday. I told you to print it on Sunday and send the bill to me; but nary a sketch of it or bill has I seen. You has placed me in a damagin perdicament by not printin it 'cordin to instructions, for my wife thinks I either didn't mail it or got "full" and lost it. Will you please drop me a line and set me right about it? I know I mailed it to you in the postoffice, but I ain't got no witnesses. If you will set me right in the matter, I will write a piece for you myself!

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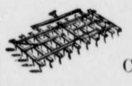
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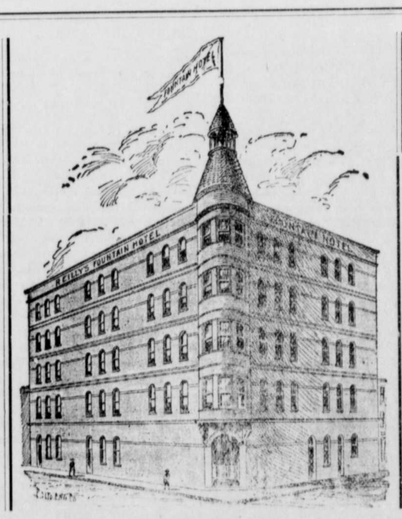
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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' ANNUAL NOTICE.

The County Commissioners of Kent county will meet at their office in Chestertown, Md., TUESDAY, March 14th, 1899, at Eleven o'clock a. m., and will continue to meet every TUESDAY until the 2d day of May next, for the purpose of noting transfers and correcting assessments. All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since their last sitting for said purpose, are particularly requested to appear at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted. After TUESDAY, the 9th day of May next, no alterations or corrections in the assessments will be made for 1899.

On first TUESDAY, (2d) of MAY next, a "County Health Officer" and a "Janitor" of Court House Buildings and Grounds will be appointed to serve for one year.

All persons having accounts against the county are requested to present the same on or before TUESDAY, the 6th day of June next, otherwise they may be excluded from the Levy of this year.

All accounts properly chargable to the county are required to be made out in a clear manner, itemized and rendered under oath.

All Applications for Pensions must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of the applicant and vouched for by THREE or more free-holders having a knowledge of the fact therein set forth.

All Mortgagees or Assignees thereof, are particularly requested to have entered of record within the time required by Code of P. L. laws, all mortgages executed since September 1st, 1898, and the payments on all mortgages executed since March 30th, 1896, that have not since been released; that the amount of mortgage taxes on gross amount of interest covenanted to be paid may be correctly estimated for the present year.

All Persons are also particularly requested to make application during the sittings for said purpose, to have any errors in their assessments corrected, otherwise allowances for taxes paid in error may be refused.

SAMUEL TODD, Pres't;
DANIEL HILL,
JOSEPH R. USILTON,
GEO. W. HARRISON,
THOMAS J. FLETCHER,
County Commissioners.

Attest—T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk.
March 16, 1899—4m.

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