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PAUL COMEGYS

AGRICULTURIAL NOTES

The outstanding features of the 1927 crop-season are, (1) The apparent strong finish of corn on a decreased acreage; the average of yields being given as 41 bushels per acre against 39.8 last year, and 39, the average of the preceding five years. (2) The generally poor wheat yields, averaging 17.5 bushels. (3) The unusually large white potato crop. (4) The abundant hay crop. (5) The generously good tobacco yields. (6) The small production of orchard fruits.

The situation in respect of farm labor is growing easier, according to our farm-reporters. Supply in per cent of demand on November 1 averaged 97 against 94 on October 1. The ratio of farm labor supply to demand November 1 a year ago was 82.

Care In Curing Meat Needed For Good Product

Curing meat is something of an art but the use of a good recipe and care in the essential features of the operation result in a satisfactory product.

A brine cure which is satisfactory requires 12 pounds of salt, 3 pounds of sugar, 2 ounces of saltpeter and 6 galons of water for each one hundred pounds of meat. The pulverized saltpeter, salt and sugar should be thoroughly mixed and some of the mixture rubbed into the hams, shoulders and bacon.

Care should be used to have the meat thoroughly cooled before cutting and starting to cure. Wooden barrels or stone jars should be provided in which to pack the meat and these should be thoroughly sterilized. The meat should be packed in the container with the skin side down except the top layer which should have the skin side up. The meat should then be covered with a hard burned tile or hardwood slab and weighted down so that it will not float.

The 6 gallons of water should be boiled to make sure of its purity and while still warm should have the remainder of the curing mixture dissolved in it. After the brine has cooled it may be poured over the meat so that every piece is entirely covered. The meat should then be set aside to cure about three days per pound for each piece of ham and shoulder. Two days per pound is sufficient for bacon. Hams and shoulders weighing twenty pounds or more should be skinned or trimmed down to at least twenty pounds for a satisfactory cure. Bacon weighing around ten pounds will cure in two to three weeks; the jowls will cure in one week.

In order to secure a uniform cure, the meat should be repacked in seven days, leaving out the small pieces such as jowls. The same brine may be used in repacking provided it is not sour or ropy. Sour brine should be thoroughly boiled and sweetened with soda before being used again although it is safer to make new brine, scald the barrel thoroughly and wash the meat. New brine should not be made quite so strong as the first lot and the meat should not remain in it quite so long. The brine should be watched constantly for ropiness and sourness. Another repacking of the meat on the twenty-first day of the cure will be necessary.

When the curing process has ended, the meat should be thoroughly washed in hot water, rinsed in cold water and then hung up in the smokehouse to drip about twenty-four hours before smoking.

KENNEDYVILLE

Mrs. Mary Green, of Church Hill, was a Sunday visitor at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Archinbald.

Mrs. Eva Primrose, Miss Annie Devine and friends, of Elkton, spent the week end with Mrs. Wm. Jewell.

Mrs. Charles Herzog and friend, of Baltimore, spent Tuesday with her brother, Mr. Harry Redmile near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hitch and son Bobby, of Queenstown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Huriock.

Rumor reports a wedding in the near future. Guess who.

Mr. and Mrs. James Caldwell are visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. John Hessner is spending some time in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Hill spent Tuesday with relatives in Media, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Dyke and daughter, of Galena, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Teachers meeting was held in the school house on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vansant, of Wilmington, spent a few days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scotten.

Quite a number are having electric lights installed we think by spring our little town will be well lighted also the streets, which are very dark.

Miss Reba Spencer, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with her parents here.

Miss Emma Shafer spent a few days of last week in Baltimore.

Mrs. Wm. Irving, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with her sisters the Miss Scottens.

Mr. and Mrs. Lin Redmile and Mr. George Johnston spent Sunday in Baltimore. Miss Emma Shafer returned home with them.

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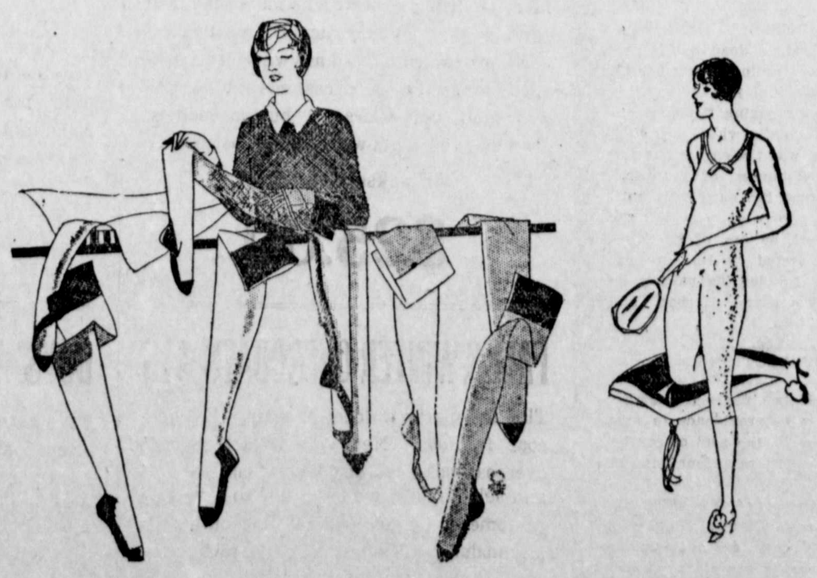

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