

Age for the Kiddies
Birthday Greetings

Many happy returns of the day... the wish of the C. C. to all the kiddies... On our list are the following names:

Edward Curtis, McElvay, J. J., 10...
Theodore M. Elliott, Young's Cove Rd.,
Harold Northrup, City,
George Hicks, Quinsigamville,
Earl Parks, Blair,
Berton W. Hubbard, Cassis,
Franky Perley Good, Bathurst,
Gordon L. Carver, Foxfield Ridge,
Conrad C. Glacie, Lincoln,
Evelyn V. London, City,
Linnie West, Hillsboro,
Hills M. Martin, Glasenville,
Josephine McNamee, City,
Dorothy A. Loughery, Black River,
Brother Lane, City,
Mary Flinley, Chatham,
Lara M. Farlee, Millstream.

KEEP INTO UNCLE DICK'S MAIL
Willow Grove,
May 9th, 1921.
Uncle Dick:—
I have been busy with school lessons and other little things. I have seen many strawberry plants, and the field in front of our house is full of them. They are very pretty and they freeze a brown color. I planted more today. I have a few little chickens, two black ones and the rest are all yellow. There are always some there every year. I had a white one and a canary. I was in his cage hanging on the side of the house. I had a white one and a canary. I was in his cage hanging on the side of the house.

Your friend,
GLADYS JARDINE.
If You Were Editor.
You were editor of this boys' and girls' paper and could do with it as you please, how much different would it be?
At things now in it do you like it?
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Warner—What is the unit of...
Warner—Quite right, the watt.
sparrows are rarely seen, even in the space of a March morning. I saw several birds singing at the same time or looking for grub in the shrubbery, showing that they came up from their south winter range together. How they scatter almost immediately after the autumn departure, and in great numbers, as do blackbirds, robins, and others, is a very useful and desirable quality, and may be encouraged by the home by feeding, spring and summer, especially by planting shrubbery that they shall find shelter and food.

FOR THE DWELLER IN THE COUNTRY

POSSIBILITIES OF GROWING FRUIT IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Possesses All Qualities of Soil and Climate for Success.

HER APPLES HAVE CAPTURED THE WORLD

Her Smaller Fruits Come on Market Late in Season and Bring Good Prices.

In tabulating the fruits and crops of Canada, as commonly known and appreciated, the province of New Brunswick does not feature very prominently, due not so much to modesty in publishing the successes of years as in the realization that they are insignificant in the light of the wonderful possibilities of development the fruit growing industry in the province is capable of. It may be surprising to a great many people to learn that practically all the fruits which thrive in the North American continent can be cultivated with much profit and success in New Brunswick, that the apple is indigenous to the province and wild apple trees lining the roads for miles in various sections, and that in certain valleys, largely undeveloped, the province has potentially some of the most reliable orchards, some of the richest orchard sections in Canada.

New Brunswick possesses all the qualities of soil and climate for successful fruit growing and all small fruits and a large number of varieties of apples, pears, and peaches are grown profitably. Each year the production of the various fruits is increasing, due to the constant efforts of the provincial government and local fruit associations, who have succeeded not only in encouraging the industry with native farmers following other phases of agriculture, but in inducing much immigration to the orchard lands.

Excellent Color and Quality.
New Brunswick apples have a high color and singular quality which is purely individual and distinctive, and which makes them a favorite in the market. The Wealthy, Bishop Pippin, Dudley, Fameuse, and Mackintosh Red—all good dessert apples and popular on the English market—are grown to perfection. The Duchess, Wolfe River, Milwaukee, Alexander, and Bethel, also succeed well. There is no doubt about New Brunswick apples being a favorite on the overseas market, which is always keen and steady, whilst the home market, which exists almost entirely on the local product, is constantly growing and expanding.

The proven apple districts of New Brunswick are in the Upper and Lower St. John River Valleys, and all parts of Albert, Charlotte, Westmorland, and Kent counties. The Lower St. John Valley, acknowledged to be one of the most fertile and beautiful valleys of the world, awaits only systematic development to rapidly blossom forth into one of the greatest apple regions in Canada.

Old-Fashioned Flowers Loved By Everyone

Garden Where They Grow Makes Special Appeal—Recalls Memories of Childhood

Everybody loves an old-fashioned flower bed. Even if the bed is discovered in a modern garden there is a charm and sweetness about it which is not entirely due to the flowers that grace its confines. It is the memory of some other dear garden makes the clove pink, the double sweet and the lemon verbena, the unusually potent, variously colored verbena, delicate heliotrope, phlox and iris seem in perfect harmony with the rose geranium.

Every community is entitled to a flower garden. It is not the gross weight of the hog which makes it profitable. A hog that looks big and bulky may have thick bone, a big head, shanks and feet, and much internal fat that will only yield cheaper by-product. None of these things are wanted for the Canadian trade, either domestic or export.

Actual Duties of Main Plantfood Providers

Nitrogen or Ammonia—(1) Causes leafy growth. (2) Causes straw growth in grain. Used alone in excess this may be detrimental. (3) Causes delay in ripening as a result of prolonging growth. (4) Used alone in excess may cause loss. (5) An excess of nitrogen makes plant growth weak in power to resist destructive forces such as wind, drought, disease.

KEEP TANKS FREE FROM SCUM.

One of the best methods of keeping tanks free from scum is to use a very small amount of copper sulphate or blue vitriol. The copper kills the organisms which form the scum, and the amount of copper in the water will not be large enough to poison livestock.

IDEAL BACON HOG WEIGHS 185 POUNDS

Best Breeds Are Yorkshire, Berkshire and Tamworth, or Their Crosses.

MERE BULK MEANS NOTHING IN ITSELF

Day of the Lard Hog is Quickly Passing Both Here and Across the Border.

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Prune Your Roses To Get The Bloom

After Proper Planting Care Must Be Given Them—Rules for the Amateur.

(By Owen Staples.)
He who would have beautiful roses in his garden must have not only the adaptation, but the technique, of pruning and watching of love.

SUPPLYING PLANT FOOD FOR THE SUCCESSFUL GARDEN

Must Be Well Balanced—Feed Every Part of the Plant.

FERTILIZER SHOULD BE WELL WORKED IN

Cultivation Should Be Early and Constant to Keep Down Weeds.

One of the first considerations in garden-making is plant food. Whether grown from seed or transplanted, quickly need the assistance of plant food in a quickly available form and in liberal quantity. This plant food should be balanced so that there will not be too much top-growth to the detriment of root or fruit production. Hence the following suggestions are made:

Live Stock Much More Profitable Than Crops

Prosperity of Farmer Depends on the Quality of the Stock He Keeps.

Livestock is the market through which the mixed farmer sells the greater portion of his crops. The quality of his stock ranks low in quality, the prices he receives for his grain, hay, silage and roots will be correspondingly low, showing the futility of growing large crops to market through poor stock.

Working in the Fertilizer

As soon as the fertilizer has been scattered evenly over the ground it should be thoroughly raked into the soil; then the ground may be struck out in plots as per the suggested plan. Asparagus, rhubarb and other crops have already been established, the fertilizer should be scattered on top of the ground, and raked in carefully, so as not to disturb these growing plants.

HELPING THE PIG CROP.

There were recorded by the Canadian Swine Breeders' Association up to December 31, 1920, the pedigree of 77,593 Yorkshire sows in Canada, of which probably half were sows. Since grade Yorkshires must number somewhere near the pure-breds, one would have to use a pencil to figure out the possible increase in the hog population of Canada in a year.

MIXTURE THAT FLIES SHUN.

Many malodorous mixtures, particularly of an oily nature, have some value as repellents for stable flies. In preparing these mixtures care should be taken that they are not made too strong, especially for use on animals.

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"Now I am going to give you an unqualified testimonial. I have had a profound and persistent rheumatism. One day last fall I had a severe attack in the back. I developed a severe pain in my lower back. I had been told that 'Minard's Liniment' was the best thing for such a case. I bought a bottle and used it. I had not used it long when I felt the pain was gone. I had not used it long when I felt the pain was gone. I had not used it long when I felt the pain was gone."

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