Newsy Items from British Columbia From Farm and Dairy's Own Correspondent)

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A Progressive Dairyman One of the wide-wake young farmers in the Okanagan Valley is Richard Durtis, of Okanagan Landing, whose specialty is dairying, and who now milks about 20 head of good grade stock. Young Curtis learned good dairy practise at 0. A. O., and did not do to good the week of the control of

a mile route in Okanagan Landing. Only a comparatively small amount is left to be made into butter.

To an extent Curtis has had to figure out a new system of dairying, because his conditions are radically different from those obtaining in Eastern Canada and in the coast sections of British Columbia. He is in the dry belt and on multiparted lead tions of British Columbia. He is in the dry belt and on unirrigated land. Restricted pasture has naturally brought its problems, but with good prices obtained for the herd's output producing costs have not been prohibi-tive. Curtis has a modern dairy barn and a clean milk house. Of young stock, which is at a premium through-istic through the control of the columbia filter brach. He has been has a fine title brach. He has been a fine the the Okanagan for about a half-dozen pars. WORTH.

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Thus far this year eleven new
Farmers' Institutes have been organised in British Columbin. Five organised in March were along the line
of the Grand Trunk Pacific in Northern British Columbia. They were the
Carlboo, McBride, Fort Fraser, UpperSteens and Transcons Lake Institutes Last month Women's Institutes
were formed at Naramata and West
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The cooperative canning association at Grand Forks will install a jam plant

this spring.

Poultrymen have been a dissatisfied to ever since war opened and grain wat up to the dissatisfaction last fall was as nothing beside that felt at present. Eggs are down around the Boent mark, and the supply seems inchangible. It is hard on the specialist poultrymen. At different places in the province there is considerable agitation for an Egg Marks. Act, the belief being that it would tend to drive out American and Chinese eggs.

British Columbia produced three times as much honey in 1014 as in

1913. The average colony production was over 50 bls.

R. Hobertson, who organized cooperation in the Okanagan, and for two years has maraged the Central Selling Agency, is leaving the work this spring. His accessor has not yet been appointed.

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Stock raisers in the Northern Okanagan and around Shuswap Lake effected considerable awings in feeding costs the past winter by using alfalfa meal. Affalfa wall in feeding value is nearly equal to bran; the Market of the stock of the

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