

Sugar Beet Growers Ask for Raise.

The Executive of the Ontario Sugar Beet Growers' Association met the officials of the Dominion Sugar Company on October 21st, at Chatham to discuss the prices for beets for the 1921 crop. The growers are asking for those delivering beets at the factory \$10 per ton for 12 per cent. beets, and a raise of sixty cents per ton for each per cent. beets test over 12 per cent. For those selling on a flat basis, \$10 per ton minimum when sugar is selling at \$8 per cwt. with a raise of \$1.50 per ton for each One-Dollar sugar rises above \$8 per cwt.

This does not necessarily mean that growers will receive no more for their beets next year than they received this year. It all depends on the average selling price of sugar for the months of September, October, November and December on which the basis of computation is fixed.

Considering the price of land, the increased cost of producing beets and the risk involved, the growers feel that they require a guarantee of at least \$10 per ton before they can engage in the production of sugar beets.

It may be of interest to the public to know that five sugar companies in the United States, the Utah-Idaho, Sugar Company, the People's Sugar Co., the Amalgamated Sugar Company, the Layton Sugar Company and the West Cache Sugar Company have agreed to pay a minimum price of \$12 per ton for the 1920 crop with a raise of one dollar per ton for every dollar sugar sells over \$11 per cwt. during the months of October, November, December and January. The Ontario sugar beet growers are receiving nine dollars per ton for their beets this year with a raise of one dollar per ton according to how sugar sells above eight dollars per cwt. during the months of October, November, December and January.

Gossip.

Guelph Winter Fair.

The dates for the 1920 Ontario Provincial Winter Fair are Dec. 3-9.

The classification and prizes for horses have not been changed to any extent from last year. The Clydesdale classes have an additional attraction in the form of two gold medals from the Clydesdale Horse Society of Great Britain.

The Beef Cattle Department presents the same classification as last year, strengthened by prizes offered for groups of 3 and 5 steers of handy marketable weights. In response to the wishes of a large number of exhibitors in this department the management have decided to have all animals owned by one exhibitor stabled together where practicable.

The dairy department promises to be of more interest than ever. Arrangements have been made for the thorough disinfecting of the buildings previous to the fair dates.

Questions and Answers.

Miscellaneous.

Physiological Disease of Apples.

What is the matter with the enclosed apple? They are all like that and appear to be taking a dry rot, starting from the inside. The tree is young, healthy-looking, and is well pruned, with nice, smooth bark. It is growing in rich soil which is kept cultivated. The only thing I see out of the usual is that the tree is perhaps too growthy. The apples are very large and there are plenty of them, but they are all like this one. What is the cause, and if I can do anything to remedy this condition or assist fruit production I would be glad if you would let me know through your valuable paper.

J. McF.

Ans.—Unfortunately, the exact cause for the condition of the apple sent us is not known. Scientists say that apples affected in this manner are suffering from some physiological condition and usually let it go at that. The disease is sometimes called "Fruit Pit Disease" and is due apparently to some deficiency in the soil or soil conditions. We could not answer the question in an entirely satisfactory manner without thoroughly studying the conditions under which the tree is growing.

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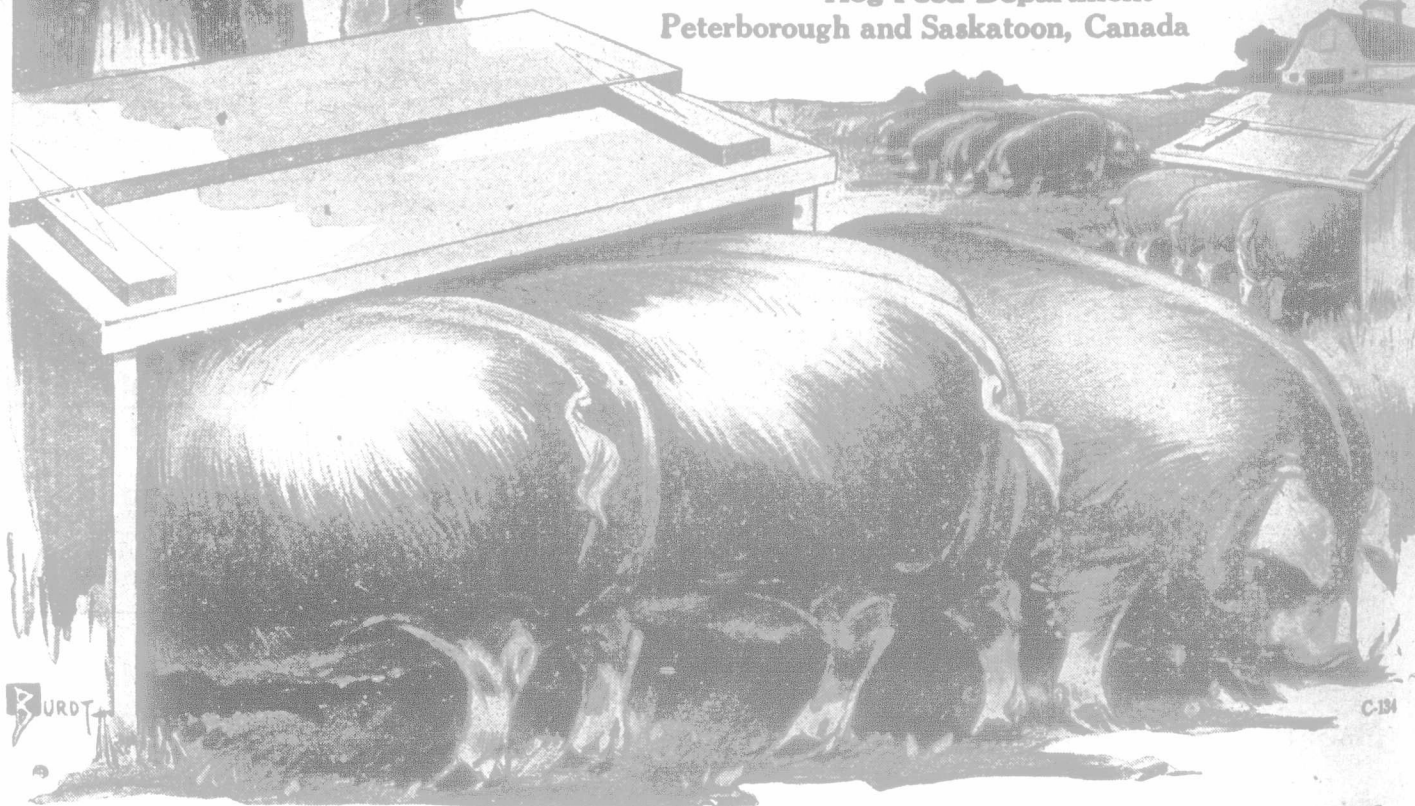
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