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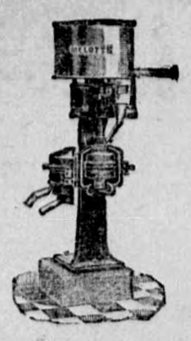

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INCREASE POTATO CROP

How to Check Serious Diseases in Ontario.

Leaf Roll and Mosaic Are Firmly Established and Reduce Yields One-third — How to Detect Diseases and Only Way to Control Them.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

THE two most serious seed-borne potato diseases in Ontario are Leaf Roll and Mosaic. Other seed-borne potato diseases common in the Province are Black Leg, Rhizoctonia, Blight, Wilt and Scab. Leaf Roll and Mosaic cause a very marked reduction in the yield, and the fact that these two diseases are so prevalent in Southern Ontario accounts for the poor crop of potatoes that has been obtained in many parts of the Province for the past four years.

Leaf Roll.—The cause of this disease is unknown. Data gathered by the pathologists of the United States and Canada shows that Leaf Roll may reduce the yield to about one-third of the normal crop.

Symptoms.—Symptoms of Leaf Roll are very variable. Affected plants are always more or less dwarfed and in some varieties the leaves assume a characteristic upright, almost staring habit, instead of drooping over in the normal way. Rolling of the lower leaves is always associated with the disease. The rolled leaves on plants affected with this disease begin to die early. The harsh, leathery texture of such leaves is a constant symptom. The tubers of affected plants are small and are borne generally on very short tuber-branches (stolons) or even attached in a cluster to the stem. Tubers from affected plants invariably produce diseased plants. There is also evidence to show that the disease may spread from plant to plant in the field.

Prevention.—The only sure way of avoiding loss from Leaf Roll is to secure fresh seed from districts free from this disease. Fortunately, this is possible, as Northern Ontario and certain sections of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island are comparatively free from this trouble. In experiments carried on in Old Ontario by the Agricultural Representatives with seed potatoes from South Ontario, New Brunswick and Northern Ontario, it was found that the average amount of Leaf Roll in the plants from the seed from the three different sources was as follows:—

Old Ontario	45.5%
New Brunswick	5.1
Northern Ontario	1.4

These figures strongly emphasize the desirability of obtaining northern-grown potato seed.

Mosaic.—The cause of this disease is also unknown. It has been observed in many fields in Ontario. When severe there is a very noticeable reduction in the crop. Data gathered by the pathologists of the United States and Canada shows that this disease may reduce the yield by one-half.

Symptoms.—The foliage of plants affected with Mosaic is somewhat wrinkled or corrugated and mottled with faint, light green or yellowish spots. The stalks of the diseased plants are often more bare near the ground than those of healthy ones, partly because the affected foliage does not spread out and drop down normally, and partly because the lower leaves sometimes fall off in the last stages of severe attacks. The tubers of affected plants are normal-looking and sound and their keeping or eating qualities are not impaired.

Prevention.—If Mosaic is abundant in a field the surest and quickest way of eliminating it is by obtaining fresh seed from a non-infected district. Such seed can be obtained at the present time from Northern Ontario.

General Suggestions For the Prevention of Seed-borne Potato Diseases.

In order to avoid loss from Leaf Roll and Mosaic, the source of seed is of the utmost importance. Seed potatoes free from these diseases can be obtained from Northern Ontario. Only certified seed, however, can be relied upon. For information concerning certified northern-grown potato seed write Mr. Justus Miller, Assistant Commissioner of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Canada.

Even certified northern-grown seed is not a panacea for all diseases. In order to avoid loss from such seed-borne potato diseases as Black Leg, Rhizoctonia, Wilt, Blight and Scab, the following precautions should be taken:

1. Select for seed smooth, sound tubers, as free as possible from scab, black, hard lumps on the surface, and abnormal discolorations of the skin or flesh.
2. Disinfect all seed before cutting with formalin or corrosive sublimate. The latter substance is the more reliable for the prevention of Rhizoctonia.
3. When cutting potatoes have at hand two or three knives and a jar containing a 20 per cent. solution of formalin. After cutting into a tuber which shows signs of rot drop the knife into the formalin, discard the diseased potato and take a fresh knife from the formalin solution for the next cutting.
4. Spray every year with Bordeaux mixture for the prevention of Late Blight and Rot. Such spraying is an insurance which it is not safe to neglect.
5. Rogue the growing crop once or twice during the summer, or at least that portion of it from which the seed is to be saved. This operation consists in the removal and destruction of any plants showing signs of such diseases as Leaf Roll, Mosaic, Black Leg, Rhizoctonia and Wilt.
6. Practice a rotation of crops and if possible plant potatoes after clover sod.—Prof. J. E. Howett, O. A. College, Guelph.

Can You Beat This?

The tall bookkeeper wound about three yards of lower limb around the leg of the table, and remarked as he gazed off into space: "I would like to know just what some people's idea of inconvenience is. For instance, the other day a small child belonging to one of our neighbors knocked at our back door. 'What can I do for you, little girl?' I asked. 'Well,' she said, 'my papa says he hopes it won't inconvenience you any, but he has sent our ice box down town to have a new lining put in, and he wants to know if you will lend us your refrigerator for three or four days until ours gets fixed.' Can you beat that?"

A Boy Tight-rope Walker.

It is told how Fred Stone practiced so hard tight-rope walking in the back yard, that next year, when the circus came, he was able to view it from the hole in the top of the tent, having walked thither up the guy-ropes. After a while the manager came out. "You'll break your neck up there, youngster," said he. "Pooh," said Fred's playmates, "he kin do smarter stunts'n anybody in your old show. So the manager asked Fred in, and then he offered him a job with the circus. And Fred's father let him go. But that was because his father was a snare-drummer. They make by far the best fathers.

Sudbury Thought of Its Unreadiness.

In transcribing the historic bulletin "the world war will come to an end," etc., the telegraph operator at Sudbury in his excitement omitted the word "war"—thereby precipitating consternation in a community the majority of whose residents are scarcely yet ready for the end of the world.

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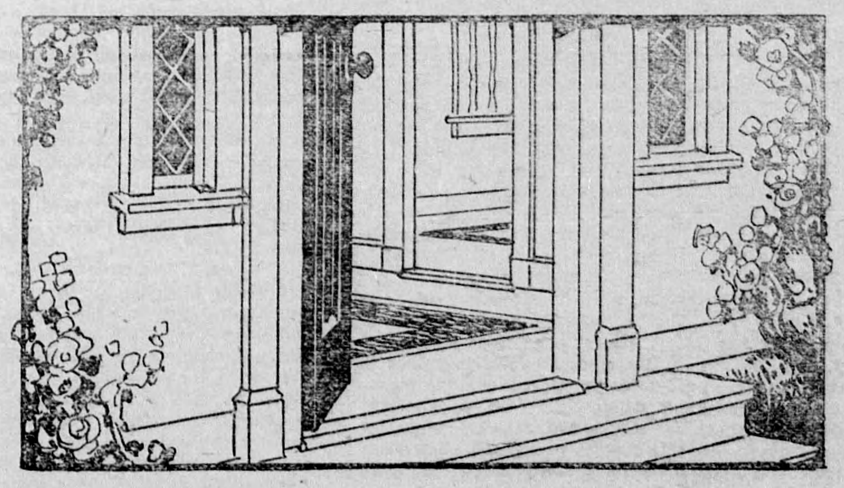

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