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Farm Crop Queries

Conducted by Professor Henry G. Bell. The object of this department is to place at the service of our farm readers the advice of an acknowledged authority on all subjects pertaining to soils and crops.

Address all questions to Professor Henry G. Bell, in care of The Wilton Publishing Company, Limited, Toronto, which they are received. As space is limited it is advisable where immediate reply is necessary that a stamped and addressed envelope be enclosed with the question.

Spring Rye for Ontario. Spring rye should prove a valuable grain for some sections of Ontario next spring. It has several advantages which recommend it as a bread grain.

United States Department of Agriculture Bulletin 894, produced by the Bureau of Plant Industry under the direction of Professor Wm. A. Taylor, has just come to my desk.

"Rye will grow on some lands not adapted to wheat. Sandy, exposed, poor, poorly prepared or old lands will usually yield better crops of rye than of wheat."

"Rye is not so badly injured by insects and diseases as wheat."

"Rye will endure more acid in the soil than wheat, and can therefore be used where wheat would require liming."

The author points out the great value of rye for bread-making, rye for grain, as a feed and rye as a cover crop, green manure and grazing crop.

The bulletin naturally deals with fall-sown rye. However, in increasing areas in the northern part of the United States, decided success is being realized with the growth of spring-sown rye. Especially will there be a place for a considerable amount of spring-sown rye in 1918.

As a healthy, spring rye does not yield as well as other spring grains, Ontario Agricultural College, following results were obtained: Spring Rye on Ontario Agric. College, 10 Years Average Yields.

Yield per acre of fertilizer analyzing 20-20-0: Common Rye 25.6 bus. per acre, Prairie Spring 25.6 bus. per acre, Rye will undoubtedly be highly valuable as a bread grain in 1918.

FIRST AID IN THE HOME

Besides a Cool Head We Need Right Remedies and Skill Using Them. By Lillian M. Montany.

It is an amazing fact that the home, where the child is supposed to be safest is usually the poorest equipped of all places to care for him in case of accident.

When an accident happens, keep a cool head and the steadiest hands. Have two things to remember them of: quick exact knowledge of what to do and the materials at hand with which to do it.

Every home should have a first aid closet, kept sacred for that use only. Every member of the family should know where these remedies are, what they are and when and how to use them.

There should be bandages, antiseptics, adhesive plaster and the simple remedies that may be safely used. The stock must be kept complete and in perfect order, properly wrapped, corked, labeled.

First, if the accident is serious, call the doctor. Better call too many than a lifetime to regret. The telephone number of the family doctor should be hung beside the telephone and the children should be taught to call the doctor in case of accident.

The doctor is far away or delayed, there is work to do while waiting for necessary articles are ready for use. Hands to work.

Poisoning: For vegetable drugs which produce sleep give an emetic to rid the stomach of the poison. Emetic articles are mustard and lukewarm water, or salt and water.

The Dairy

Every stockman should have a medicine chest for his stock. The chest should contain articles to be included in the chest: Scissors, knife, artery forceps, three or four thermometers, metal case.

Some of the most necessary articles to be included in the chest are: Scissors, knife, artery forceps, three or four thermometers, metal case.

The chest should also contain some simple remedies. A good antiseptic is necessary. A coal tar preparation makes a good antiseptic, and should be used in a two to five per cent solution.

Potassium permanganate one teaspoonful to two gallons of water is recommended for a mild antiseptic.

Lime-sulphur is a good physical disinfectant, and is more convenient to give and safer. Epsom salts are used for cattle but not for horses.

Use a quick physical disinfectant. The hypodermic syringe is used in the injection of one grain of arsenic into the wound.

Two liniments are recommended for the chest. One mild liniment is made from 1 ounce of turpentine, 1 ounce of strong ammonia, 48 grains of camphor, 2 ounces of alcohol to make a pint of the mixture.

A strong liniment is made from 2 ounces of camphor, 2 ounces of turpentine, 4 ounces of iodine, 4 ounces of alcohol.

If a blister is desired, use 2 grains of cantharides and 1 part of bichloride of mercury, or 1 part of cantharides and 8 parts of turpentine.

For treating distemper, first give a tonic then steam the respiratory tract with creosote vapor. This is done by covering a canny bucket with a head cloth and covered with it.

Which has been added one full of creosote. If any animal is coughing, but great care must be taken to cut an artery. If a swelling is present, a first aid closet should contain a list of antidotes for caustic poisons, gauze and muslin bandages, tourniquet, sterile cotton, adhesive plaster, alcohol, iodine, antiseptic, aromatic spirits of ammonia, tincture of iodine, ground mustard, boric acid solution, alumina, scissors, safety pins, eye cup, hot water, bag, ice bag, a good homemade substitute is a dried hog or sheep bladder, or starch on an oil-cloth bag, use the ice in chunks, placing sawdust with it for absorption of moisture and to retard melting.

Flaxseed, boric acid crystals, picric acid, caustic potash, caustic soda, alcohol, ethyl alcohol, vaseline.

Every bottle in this first aid closet should be plainly labeled and the label should give adult doses and doses for children. Your druggist will give you these.

Go over the contents of the cabinet every few weeks to renew corks, keep the order of arrangement, and supply needed stock. See to it that every member of the family knows as much as the housemother about the cabinet and its supplies.

Rheumatism Yields. Only rheumatic sufferers know the agony of its darting pains, aching joints or twisting cords. But some few have not known that SCOTT'S EMULSION has been correcting this trouble when other treatments have utterly failed.

Scott's is essentially blood-food in its rich, concentrated form that its oil gets into the blood to alleviate this stubborn malady. Get a bottle of Scott's Emulsion and advise an ailing friend.

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FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-lives" Because They Did Her Good

Rosen, P. Q., Jan. 14th, 1915. "I suffered for many years with terrible indigestion and constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-lives'. I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve and he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-lives'."

"I consider that I owe my life to 'Fruit-a-lives' and I want to say to those who suffer from indigestion, constipation or headaches—'Fruit-a-lives' and you will get well!"

Why Not Every Day a Mouthful of Fruit-a-lives? Nobody would suffer. Everybody would be benefited. Here are a few of the immediate benefits to be gained by discarding meat from the national bill of fare.

Prickly heat, eczema, and other skin diseases derived from meat would disappear from mortality tables. Disease of the heart and blood vessels, due to cholesterol poisoning and auto-intoxication would greatly diminish.

Prich's disease, cancer, skin diseases and many nervous disorders would fall off in frequency. Longevity would increase as the result of a return to a biologic life.

Comrades. One day I was not very good. I answered back and no one should. Then in the corner of a chair I had to sit my mother puts me there. Until I really sorry then. Perhaps I won't do so again.

The time has come when I must be a something not half gone and yet nearly all the bucket with it. Dear Fido's tongue at my side. He nudged up close to the dining pup. Soon mother called: "The milk is up! I must be careful what I do. If Fido dear is punished too."

Place of a slice of bread, eat one extra potato every day. Use less cream and more whole milk and cheese. Eat oatmeal, barley and corn, breadless foods and buckwheat cakes instead of wheat preparations.

Waste no milk; condensed milk is needed overseas. Drink fewer sweet drinks and limit them from cakes in order to save gas. Do not display the joint of meat on a table. It is an inducement to eat more than you need.

Curious: But you are entirely mistaken in your assumption that prices are higher in Canada than in the United States and even in Britain. A comparison of Canadian and United States retail prices of certain foodstuffs for October was made by the United States Food Administration.

It is 105 per cent of the Canadian price. Pork chops and bacon are cheaper in Canada. The American price of good quality fresh fish is 33 per cent of the Canadian price. It is 110 per cent. Bread is very cheap in Canada, the United States price being 1.47 times as much as in the Dominion. Other food commodities on which the average Canadian retail price is lower than the average American retail price are: canned tomatoes, peas, beans, prunes, tea and potatoes.

Have you any conception of the Bureau of Libques means? It was opened up in the Food Controller's office. Thousands of applications for Libques have been handled. The system is being controlled the food export trade of the United States and Canada in the interests of the Allies. The destination of every pound of foodstuffs is known. Therefore, there can be no leakage to enemy sources. The license system is one of the most progressive measures ever effected in the fiscal policy of Canada.

Do not eat meat in any form at more than one meal per day. Do not eat both butter and ham with bread. Do not eat candy which is made principally from cane sugar. There is an abundance of other delicious confections sweetened with honey, molasses and dark syrups.

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