

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

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Try, Try Again



CHIPS AND SPLINTERS.

Prepare to treat the fall grain. Eggs are cheap, so now's the time to can. There may be a scrub purebred. Look for the best in production. Can only fresh and clean fruits and vegetables. Efficient use of the man and horse labor on the farm means money. Phosphate may be added to manure as the spreader is being loaded. More and better fencing helps make more and better livestock. Farrowing time is the swine herdsman's harvest. Keep the hand cultivator going in the home garden. Hogs develop better when their pens is clean. The fireless cooker in the back of the car, means a warm picnic lunch. Certified seed is coming to mean as much to the farmer as purebred cattle. Keeping records on the cows, tells the difference between a scrub purebred and a real purebred. An oil can is a better tool for the amateur on the gas engine than a monkey wrench. In watering the home garden, a good soaking is worth a number of light sprinklings. Keep the collars of work horses clean. Dirty, infected collars make sore shoulders. Livestock raising to be successful must be planned and entered into as a business, not as a speculation. Manure is the means of providing the soil with a new supply of bacteria so necessary for a healthy soil activity. A purebred dairy cow may have a low milk production. Don't buy just because she is a purebred, but look at the records. Keep a record of your harvest expenses, study the items, and may be it would be possible to reduce the cost.

Now is the time to pick out the seed potatoes for next year. Watch the vines and stake those selected for seed. In these days of diversity, The farmer who is wise, Will help shun adversity If he will advertise. Mild production depends somewhat upon good feeding. The Scotch put it "It is by the head the cow gives milk." A chick that costs 30 cents and lays 190 eggs is worth \$1.00 more than a chick that lays 140 eggs and costs 20 cents.

PRESERVE EGGS AT THIS TIME. An Egg in the Crock is Worth Two on the Shelf.

This is the time of the year to make it possible to have eggs the year around by canning them for winter use. A few simple rules, if followed, will almost guaranty good preserved eggs. Preserve only absolutely fresh, infertile eggs, is the recommendation of W. D. Buchanan, extension poultry specialist of the State College. Dirty eggs which have been washed, should not be used because the washing removes the protective mucilaginous covering from the shell. When using commercial water-glass solution, mix one part of water-glass with 10 parts of cold freshly boiled water. Stir the mixture until the ingredients are thoroughly mixed. Earthen vessels are the best to place the eggs in for storage. Two eight-gallon jars hold 30 dozen eggs. Galvanized iron containers may be used, but are not recommended. Before packing the eggs in the containers, the vessels should be well sterilized. After placing the eggs in the vessels, pour the thoroughly mixed water-glass over the eggs so that they are covered by at least two inches of the liquid. The jars should then be covered tightly to prevent evaporation and placed in a cool place. Eggs will keep in water-glass solution, if properly packed, for one year. When taking the eggs out of the solution for use, rinse with water, so as to remove the preservative. If they are in good condition when removed, they will keep at least two weeks.

POISONED BAIT SUCCESSFUL MEASURE AGAINST CUTWORM

Cutworms can readily be controlled by the use of poisoned bait, the United States Department of Agriculture has demonstrated. This is the way to prepare and apply the poison:

To 1 bushel of dry bran add 1 pound of white arsenic or Paris green and mix thoroughly into a mash with 4 gallons of water, in which has been stirred one-half gallon of sorghum or other cheap molasses. This amount will be sufficient to treat 4 or five acres of cultivated crops. After the mash has stood for several hours scatter it in lumps of about the size of a marble over the fields where the injury is beginning to appear. Put it about the bases of the plants which have been set out. Apply the mash late in the day, so as to have the poison in place around the plants before night, when the cutworms are active. Apply a second time if necessary. Cutworms destroy hundreds of thousands, even millions, of dollars' worth of crops every year throughout the United States. They especially attack tomatoes, cabbage, lettuce, and other vegetables that have been started under glass and transplanted. Cutworms sometimes appear in great numbers in the spring and early summer, and frequently do severe injury before their ravages are noticed. Their method of attack is to cut off the young plants near the ground. They are of large size and are voracious feeders, capable of destroying many plants in a single night. Often they cut down more than they can devour.

MOISTURE CAPACITY OF SOIL INCREASED BY ORGANIC MATTER.

In addition to adding plant food to the soil and improving its texture, organic matter, supplied by green-manure crops, stable manure, or in any other form, adds greatly to the moisture-holding capacity. It has been shown, says the United States Department of Agriculture, that while 100 pounds of sand can hold only 25 pounds of water and 100 pounds of clay 50 pounds, the same weight of humus or decaying organic matter will hold 190 pounds. Clay soil containing organic matter is more friable than similar soil without organic matter. When the organic matter is entirely removed the clay remains compact during freezing and thawing. When the organic matter is returned the soil crumbles after freezing, just as the original soil. Not only do the higher plants grow better in a soil rich in organic matter, but the activities of the soil bacteria are largely dependent on the supply of decaying vegetable matter. These bacteria need food and air. Their food is the dead vegetable matter, which they break down and make available to the higher plants. Most beneficial bacteria use air, and this they find more abundantly in a soil supplied with organic matter than in stiff clays poor in it. In sandy soils there is air enough, but the addition of humus helps to hold moisture and benefits the bacteria as well as the higher plants.

G. N. TIME TABLE

EAST	
No. 4 due out at.....	2:50 p. m.
No. 2 due out at.....	1:20 a. m.
No. 40.....	6:30 a. m.

WEST	
No. 3 due out at.....	2:35 a. m.
No. 1 due out at.....	2:00 p. m.
No. 39, ar.....	1:30 p. m.

A boys' and girls' dairy club helped to place a purebred sire at the head of a dairy herd in Snohomish county. New-laid, clean, unwashed, infertile eggs lose none of their food value if preserved in a good water-glass solution.

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MALE HELP WANTED—General woodsmen wanted for short logging. Teamsters \$3.75 per day, camp hookmen and swamps \$2.00 to \$3.50 per day. Board \$1.25 per day.—Cascade Lumber Co., Cascade, Wash. (25-4t)

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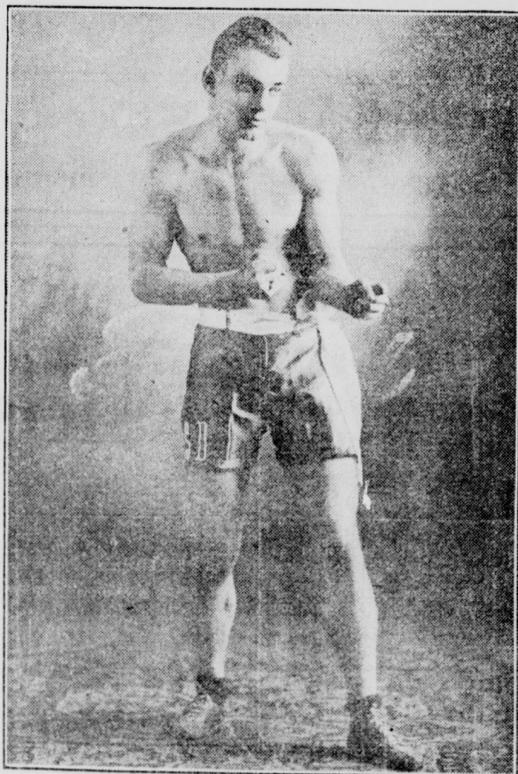
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"Submarine" Dean, one of the hardest hitting welters on the Coast, will meet Joe King, of Seattle, at Wenatchee, tonight, Friday, June 23, as the main event on a boxing card put on by the Elks and the Howitzer Co. of Wenatchee at the Elks' Temple. Leavenworth fight fans are trying to match Dean with Jimmy Cottrell for a bout in Leavenworth about July 4. Dean has already accepted the terms and Cottrell is expected to accept soon. Both men fight at 145 pounds, and if the match is staged here Leavenworth lovers of the fistic art will witness a real scrap. "Submarine" Dean is one of the best welters in the business and has fought and won against such tough customers as Young Stanley Ketchell, Jimmy Storey, Billy Wright, Percy Walker, Soldier Woods, Joe Riger, Ray Orton and Lester White.