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# TREATING SEED TO KILL GERMS

Corrosive Sublimite and Formaldehyde Good Remedies, M. A. C. Man Says.

## METHOD CAN BE SHORTENED

College Finds by Experiment That Soaking Potatoes in Formaldehyde 16 Minutes Will Kill Scab.

By Dr. G. H. COONS, Plant Pathologist, Michigan Agricultural College.

East Lansing, Mich.—No Michigan farm product has been argued over and fought about more within the last few months than the potato—wherefore the subject of tubers has for the most part become one that peace-loving men have of late liked to shun. Here and there, in fact, antipathy towards the potato has become so pronounced that many a farmer has decided to part company with it as a major crop—all of which is causing divers every grower to decide that in spite of current unfavorable market conditions, the present will nevertheless be a good year for putting in tubers.

"It has been my policy," Mr. Coons says, "to go more or less opposite to the crowd. When I see my neighbors here and elsewhere in Michigan going heavily for a crop, I decide that it will be a good crop to stay away from."

"On the other hand, when I observe them to be holding off and hesitating a crop, so to speak, I go in for it, for the chances are that under the circumstances the crop will be small and the market good."

So while there are those who have lost some of their faith in the potato, the crop will continue to be a favorite this year with growers whose foresight is better than their hindsight.

But irrespective of what market conditions may be, there will nevertheless be much profit in potatoes for the man who falls to take precautions against tuber diseases. A few of these diseases perhaps he said to snipe up on a crop and attack it without giving forewarning but by far the most damaging can be anticipated and guarded against by careful selection of seed stock and treatment with formaldehyde or corrosive sublimate at planting time.

In choosing seed select only sound and desirable potatoes for treatment, for scabby, bruised, and partially rotted tubers are unsafe.

The seed may be treated in either of the following ways:

First—With corrosive sublimate. Soak the seed tubers in corrosive sublimate solution for one-half hour. The solution is made with 30 gallons of water. This treatment controls scab and black scurf. Reinfection from untreated scab may be avoided. Disinfect these containers in the treating solution.

Corrosive sublimate crystals or the diluted solution should be used. The precaution and keep this material out of the way of live stock and children.

The crystals dissolve slowly in cold water, but rapidly in hot water.

Treated tubers are not safe to feed to stock.

Corrosive sublimate, as the name indicates, attacks metals. It must be used in wooden vessels.

Potatoes should be uncult when soaked.

Treatment with small lots can be readily given by use of a barrel, soaking one sack at a time, or a portable tank.

Time Can Be Shortened. Larger quantities can most readily be handled in a large vat made of wood or stave construction. It is well to make this vat

# DRY IN SEIZES BRISH RAILWAYS

ALL LINES OF COMMUNICATION TAKEN OVER AS GERMAN'S PREPARE TO REVOLT.

## CELTS SWEAR TO FIGHT DRAFT

Oath to Resist Conscription Administered Throughout Country by Catholic Clergy.

London—All of the principal railways in Ireland have been taken over by the British military authorities. The dispatch added that the post-office and telephone lines also have been taken over, and that all telegrams and telegrams have been removed from Dublin gantries.

It is supposed that similar action has been taken in other Irish cities. Throughout Ireland last Sunday the conscription by all possible means was advertised by priests and subscribed to in a quiet, unobtrusive manner, by hundreds of thousands of people.

From every Catholic parish conscription was the subject of a sermon and action by the bishops and political leaders was explained.

## GERMAN AIR ACE IS KILLED

Capt. Von Richthofen, Credited With 80 Victories, Brought Down.

London—Captain Baron von Richthofen, the famous German aviator, has been killed, Reuters correspondents at British headquarters reports. He was flying a "Fokker D.VII" of the German air force.

Since Capt. Boche was shot down in October, 1916, Capt. von Richthofen has been the most prominent and successful German aviator. He was credited with bringing down 80 ally planes.

Capt. von Richthofen first came into prominence as leader of the "Flying Circus," a squadron of German aviators which fought in a peculiar circular formation, following each other around so that in case one was attacked the next flyer could sweep the antagonist from the rear.

## BIG NAVAL BILL PASSES HOUSE

Framed to Develop Biggest Submarine Destroyer Fleet in World.

Washington—Framed to develop the largest submarine destroyer force in the world, the big naval appropriation bill, carrying approximately \$120,000,000, was unanimously passed by the house on April 20, and immediately sent to the senate.

Just what the destroyer program will be is not revealed by specific appropriations, but part of it is carried through by the president.

A large share of the fund will be expended on Henry Ford's "eagles," destroyer-hull plant, in Detroit.

Just what the largest naval appropriation bill in the nation's history and was passed in the record time of nine hours.

## WHOLE FAMILY HELD FOR MURDER

Royal Oak Man Charged With Slaying Young Woman Year Ago.

Pontiac, Mich.—That Augusta Steinbach was lured to Royal Oak from New York by a matrimonial advertisement made up of the furniture of the Schmidt home, is the belief of Oakland county officials who have taken the case.

All trace of the Steinbach girl was lost over a year ago, shortly after she arrived in Detroit, and accompanied a man, alleged to have been Schmidt, to Royal Oak.

## TWO MILLION MEN IN CLASS ONE

Expected That All Future Calls Will Be Taken From This Rank.

Washington—Under the classification of men for selective draft service, President Woodrow Wilson has advised the senate military committee, approximately 2,000,000 will be placed in class 1, from which it is expected all future calls will be taken.

These 2,000,000, according to General Crowder, at exclusive of between 500,000 and 1,000,000 more annually.

Those who respond to this appeal will be placed in military duty under the bill now in congress subjecting to registration youths reaching their majority.

## German War Debt \$24,000,000,000.

New York—Germany will have to observe the greatest economy, for her national debt is now \$24,000,000,000, and the hour of reckoning will come when there will be waiting on the part of the taxpayers. This reflection was made in the report by Count Arthur Posadowsky-Wehner, according to the Cologne Gazette. The count added: "Up to a few years ago the German cities were paying off their debts and indemnities resulting from the wars of the Napoleonic period."

## New Officers School May 15.

Washington—Two out of every 100 men in units of the regular army, national guard and national army, and men who have had not less than one year of training in the last 10 years in certain designated education institutions, will be admitted to division officers' training camps on May 15, it was announced. Military training at two Michigan colleges, the University of Michigan and the Michigan Agricultural college, will be accepted as the basic entrance to the officers' schools.

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