

# ORCHARD GLEANINGS

PREPARE FRUIT, FOR MARKET

All Farm Produce Should Be Shipped  
So as to Arrive First of Week  
—Consult Agent First.

Fruit for market should be hand-picked, carefully handled, placed in half-bushel baskets or boxes and stored in a cool, well-aired cellar until time to ship. Plums, damsons and grapes reach the consumer in better condition when placed in small packages. In sultry weather, fruit will sweat if put in bulk baskets and stored in a close room over night. Pick before the fruit is fully ripe, —pick when dry—grade—and give full measure. Have a farm truck mark and ship only first quality fruit.

The fruit and, in fact, all farm produce should be shipped so as to arrive the first of the week. Much better prices can be had when the fruit arrives Monday evening, or early Tuesday morning.

Sell through a reliable commission house. The regular commission men know the market, and can nearly always get full prices for first-class fruit. Unless you have first-class fruit, do not ship it; sell it in your home market, or keep it at home, you will save money by so doing.

There are large quantities of all kinds of farm products sent to market which will not pay the producer one cent, this is not the fault of the commission man, but is usually the fault of the grower.

The producer should consult his agent and get full instructions how to ship, when, and what fruit to ship.

## ORCHARD SITES NEAR WATER

Tendency Is for Blossoming of Peach Trees to Be Delayed Until Danger of Frost Is Past.

When an orchard occupies a site that is adjacent to a large body of water, the impact of a relatively high elevation largely disappears. To be a factor in the matter, however, a body of water must be of sufficient size and depth to have an appreciable influence on the local climate. Because the water warms up in the spring more slowly than the atmosphere, it acts in effect as a refrigerator, making the temperature in its immediate vicinity colder than it is at points somewhat distant from it. For this reason vegetation within the zone of this influence advances more slowly in the spring than it does outside of that zone. The tendency is for the blossoming of peach trees situated within the zone to be delayed until after the season of spring frosts is past.

## HANDY FRUIT-PICKING BAGS

Designed for Handling Lemons, Oranges, Apples, Etc., With Minimum Amount of Bruising.

Many Florida fruit growers are using a new patent fruit-picking bag designed for handling oranges, lemons, apples, etc., with a minimum of bruising. The bag is made of canvas on an iron frame and holds enough fruit to fill one-half of a regulation

Manilize a woman and she doesn't care if she isn't understood.



Fruit-Picking Bag—Bag's Contents Just Fill Regulation Fruit Box.

orange field picking box. A carrier strap about the picker's shoulders holds the bag at his side with the open bottom of the bag in a wedge-shaped and is closed by a rope and snap which catches it up against the outside of the bag—Popular Mechanic.

Burn All Rubbish. All dead growth or portions of trees or bushes cut away to prevent should be piled up and burned. It is a very poor policy for any orchardist to sanction and maintain a brush pile. It invites and harbors countless insect pests during the winter and is of decided injury to the orchardist. It may also be a shelter for mice, rabbits and other enemies of tender young trees and growth.

Prune in Vented Traps. Blight has been very bad in some sections this summer. Better cut out badly infested trees and bring out in felled parts of others. Distinctly pruning tools frequently with corrosive, sublimated and water in the proportion of 1 to 1,000.

# DAIRY FACTS

RIGHT RULES FOR DAIRYMEN

Wisconsin Agricultural College Gives Out Some Good Advice That Every Farmer Should Follow

The dairy department of the Wisconsin college of agriculture is urging that the following be stated up in every dairy barn in the state: Practice the following advice and you will make more dollars in dairying. Others have done it. Why can't you?

Use purebred dairy sires from cows having large and profitable productions of milk and butterfat. Raise well the better calves from cows which for one or more genera-



Purebred Holstein Calf.

tions have made large and profitable productions of milk and butterfat. Breed heifers at the age of sixteen to twenty months.

Feed heifers liberally and milk regularly.

Do not try to save feed by turning to pasture too early.

Provide plenty of pure, fresh water, shade and protection against flies during hot weather.

Supplement poor pastures with corn silage or green soiling crops like rye, peas, oats, green corn fodder, cabbage and other available feed.

Feed cows daily one pound of grain in winter for every three pounds of milk produced, 25 to 40 pounds of corn silage, and what clover or alfalfa they will eat.

Do not turn cows out to remain and suffer in cold, stormy weather.

Allow them to have water which is not colder than that from a deep well twice or three times daily.

Brush cows daily if you can possibly find the time, for it pays better than does grooming of horses, which as a rule is not neglected.

Keep cows in clean, well-lighted, properly-ventilated stalls and avoid excitement.

Keep cows gently and avoid excitement.

Weigh the milk of each cow at milking time.

Get your neighbors to share with you in buying a Babcock milk tester and test the milk of each cow.

Discard the cow which has failed at the end of the year to pay market price for all the feed she has consumed.

Keep cows in clean, well-lighted, properly-ventilated stalls and avoid excitement.

A small four-bottle tester with glassware and full directions can be secured for about \$5 of any creamery supply company.

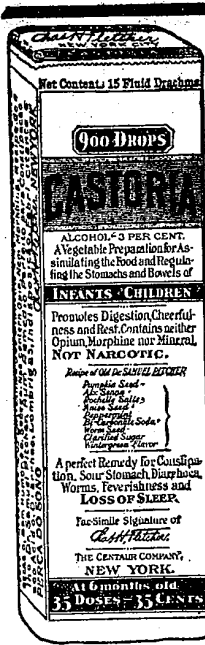
## ESTABLISH THE MILK FLOW

Best Time Is When Cow Is Fresh and Should Take From Three to Four Weeks—Feed Liberally.

The time to establish the milk flow of the cow is when she is fresh. It should take three to four weeks to bring her to a full flow of milk and to create a full ration. There is no other time in the period of lactation when care and judicious feeding have a more important bearing upon her record.

The dairy cow should be fed liberally, but care should be taken not to overfeed her and carry her beyond her capacity. This works injury not only to her milk function, but to her breeding powers.

Selling to Private Customers. Selling butter to private customers is almost a business by itself. You must have the market close to hand and you must be able to manufacture gold-plated butter and give proper delivery and be a salesman besides. Really, furnishing butter to private customers might be separated from dairying. It is a separate business, but one man can handle both.



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## Graven Knight.

"Never speak to me again," exclaimed the fair knight, as with flashing eyes she handed back to the foot ball hero the ring he had so proudly placed on her finger a few short days before. "I can never marry a cow and!"

"A coward!" he stammered.

"Yes, a coward I saw you with my own eyes at the game this afternoon. You had the ball under your arm and ran with it the whole length of the field instead of facing the crowd and fighting like a man."

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