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W. E. Walters
Farmington, Mich.

Anthraxnose of the Raspberry.

Considerable harm is being done to raspberry plantations by a fungus disease, which attacks the canes and to which the name anthracnose has been given. It is especially troublesome in old plantations and in most cases varieties seem to be more subject to attack after they have grown for a number of years than those of recent origin. For these reasons, it seems to be advisable to frequently renew the plantations and also to give up the old varieties for those of recent introduction, provided they are meritorious in other respects.

The fungus attacks the young canes when they are about one foot high and appears as oval, purplish spots. The tissues are soon destroyed by the fungus and the spots take on a brownish color and afterwards, become white. They gradually enlarge in size and have a purplish margin. The epidermis covering the cane being destroyed, the injured portions dry out and in this way not only does the plant lose a large amount of sap, but its circulation is often seriously checked.

As a result of the attacks of this fungus, it is not uncommon to have the canes die during the winter, but instead of being "winter killed," as is commonly supposed, the trouble is really caused by the fungus. Many canes that survive the winter frequently dry out during the spring or early summer and as a result, the top dies and the crop is lost. In some cases serious harm is done to the leaves and also to the pedicels and calyx of the flowers.

When the old canes are cut out in the fall, if the young ones are found to be much injured, it will be well to cut out those affected or the same thing can be done in the spring, removing as many as can be spared.

To prevent the anthracnose from attacking the young canes, it is well to give them a spraying of Bordeaux mixture of the usual strength (4 lbs. of copper sulphate, 5 lbs. lime, 50 gallons water), when the canes are about one foot high. If care is taken to coat them thoroughly it will not be possible for the anthracnose to obtain lodgment upon them. As they grow, however, the new portions will be subject to attack and a second application about ten days later will be necessary. With most varieties of canes, there will be little danger of spotting, the fruit with the lime of the Bordeaux mixture, but in the case of dwarf, early ripening varieties, it will be better to reduce the amount of lime to three pounds, which will be sufficient to neutralize the copper sulphate, provided it is not air-slacked and is of good quality.

In the case of varieties subject to attack and which have already become considerably infected, the attack upon the branches which bear the fruit and upon the pedicels themselves, can also be prevented, provided they are sprayed just after the fruits sets. As a rule this will be about the time the new canes are of the right height for the first application.

While spraying will do much to control the disease, it will be well to place the chief dependence upon the frequent removal of the plantation and the growing of new varieties as suggested above.

L. R. TAPT,
Agricultural College, Mich.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who assisted us during our late bereavement.
MR. AND MRS. WM. HARLAN.

No Mail on Holiday

An order has been issued by the postoffice department as follows:

"Effective May 1, 1909, two round trips of closed pouch service on holidays (7) are omitted between Farmington and Farmington, Mich."

As Decoration Day falls on Sunday this year, the following day will be observed, therefore there will be no mail service between Farmington and Detroit from Saturday night until Tuesday morning, June 1.

Elected Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Literary club held at the home of Mrs. Josephine McGee on Wednesday, May 19, the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. Martha Hatton.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Josephine McGee.
Secretary—Mrs. Eva Lee.
Treasurer—Mrs. Margaret Truscott.
Librarian—Mrs. Eva Lee.

The last meeting of the year will be held at the home of Mrs. La Verne Adams, Wednesday, June 2.

Double Wedding.

Invitations were printed at this office this week announcing a double wedding to take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gravin on June 2. The contracting parties are Mr. Chas. M. Gravin and Miss Hazel M. Conroy and Miss Ethel M. Gravin to Mr. Charles Lightfoot. The Enterprise joins in extending congratulations.

Decoration Day.

For Decoration Day exercises we expect everyone furnishing flowers or taking part in the march will be at the hall promptly at 1:30 o'clock that we may be off to the cemetery without delay and back to the town hall to have our program in good shape.

A. J. CROSBY, Adjutant.

Dramatic Recital.

Burburt O'Hara will appear in a dramatic recital of "If I Were a King" in the town hall Saturday evening, June 5, under the auspices of Farmington chapter, O. E. S. Mr. O'Hara comes highly recommended and it is hoped many will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear one of the best dramatic readers.

Don't forget the meeting of the Fadville Sewing Circle Friday and Saturday evenings at the town hall.

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