#### Farm Notes.

Potato rot is a term applied to sev eral diseases of the potato, as the real potato rot is sometimes confounded with what is known as "black blight," and the "scab" also comes under the same term, Many experiments have been made with the object of eradicat-ing rot, but little progress has been made, as the disease is propagated by spores which live through the winter and cause the disease to appear the succeeding season. The black blight, which causes the tops to die as if scorched by fire, is not so well known, | risburg and Pittsburg. and further investigations are being the experiment stations.

#### PREVENTIVE MEASURES.

The work of eradication of the disease should begin this season if the crop for next year is to be protected. Most farmers simply recognize "rot" as the disease, owing to their inability rive in Chicago 6.20 the next after to distinguish the several dissases; but as the remedies for one disease apply to all, it is safe treat for the rot. The spores must be destroyed or the disease cannot be prevented. The spores are formed in the leaves and decaying days, and will be accepted for passage tubers, and may be carried by the wind to other fields. The rains carry the spores down into the ground, which affect the tubers. The early crops are not easily affected as the later, owing to maturing sooner, but the spores remain for the next crop. As soon as signs of disease appear the whole field should be well sprayed with the wellknown Bordeaux mixture, and it will be better to begin spraying if disease is liable, instead of waiting for the first indications of its appearance. The Bordeaux mixture is made by dissolving six pounds of sulphate of copper (blue vitriol) in four gallons of hot water. In another vessel slack four pounds of fresh lime in four gallons of cold water. When the solutions are dissolved mix them, and add enough water to make 22 gallons, which may be sprayed with a force pump, or any kind of sprayer which throws a fine spray. The spraying should, be done several times during the season.

DISEASE IN THE SEED. Burn all of the tops (first carefully raking the field) before digging the tu-bers. In the fall apply thirty bushels of air slacked lime, broadcasted, over the field, and in the spring apply hal that quantity of lime again. Be careful of the seed. Never use seed grown in the neighborhood of any farm where disease has appeared if it can be avoided. Immerse all seed in the Bordeaux mixture before cutting into pieces, and have the knife used for cutting in a clean condition and disinfected. Disease is carried to great distances by the seed being distributed, and the greatest care should be used to avoid diseased tubers. If the rot appears, and the crop is destroyed, it netter to plant some other crop on the land with only the occasional visit of a phyfor several years before attempting potatoes again.

Potato-diggers are of recent invention but they are now very efficient, throwing the potatoes to the surface, leaving time ago from a degraded life, and for labor-saving arrangement which can only be appreciated by comparing it with the old method of digging out the potatoes with a hoe. The digger does the work as rapidly as plowing.

If the labor of destroying weeds is more than the farmer is willing to bestow he should plant a late crop, such as may demand cultivation or hoeing and if the crop does not more than pay for the labor there will be a profit in killing the weeds, as they will be fewer next year.

A prominent sheep breeder, who places higher value on lambs than on wool, states that if wool was the only product of sheep it would cost 50 cents per pound, but as lambs are the med ium of profit the wool should cost nothing.

A well-bred lamb should weigh 150 pounds when ten months old; that is, every lamb in the flock should be ful ly up to that weight. Lambs that have been made to attain such weight when six months old.

Late cabbages cannot be neglected. The crop thrives only when kept free from weeds, and it delights in frequent cultivation of the soil. Too much working among the plants cannot be bestowed on the cabbage crop.

It has been suggested that during the coming season each experiment station should take up a special sub-ject for experimental work on certain crops, and Pennsylvania is to have tobacco station for that purpose.

Dig the early rose potatoes clear of the land, fertilize the field and put in a crop of late cabbages or turnips, but plow the land well and harrow it down

The mammoth Russian sunflower is coming into favor as a crop, the heads of seeds having been found of great value as an addition to the ration of

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-The Chinese lepers of British Columbia, isolated on an island in the Gulf of Georgia, have had no one to attend them, and have been left alone sician to relieve them. A young wom-an of Vancouver. Lizzie Hensel; has heroically offered to devote herself to the care of these unfortunates. She was none in the rows, and also cleaning two years has been a devoted trained away the tops and weeds. This is a nurse in cases of small pox, etc. Her decision to care for the lepers will mean the sacrifice of the rest of her life.

> — The high-shouldered, pump handle shake of the hand, which was an importation from abroad and never seemed to get easily on our American manners has gone completely out of vogue. It is succeeded by the low swinging thrust of the arm. Nothing could be conceived that is more ludicrous than the attempt of two people to grasp hands, one of whom has acquired this new wrinkle and the other still clinging to the former fashion.

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