

MAPLE SUGAR MAKING.

Are you ready? This is a question that should be considered now, and how at once...

Let every one remember that drops, little drops of rain upon the mountain side fill the spring, the brook, the creek, the river that rolls a torrent down to the sea side...

Let every one remember that in a time of exalted granities, a recommendation to plant one acre more had its influence toward the great harvest result, adding many thousands of bushels of grain to the grand product...

That this will be another good season for the maple sugar-makers, we have all the indications that nature can furnish us. Now in the last week of January, at New York, the ground is not frozen...

In the first place, get ready. For that, there is a very good time; it is now; you never will find a better one.

Tap now. Never tap trees with an axe. Tap with a special tool, called a tapping-chisel, using the end of a hard-wood block for an anvil. Now grind one end sharp before you make them into troughs...

Drive your spouts into the bark only, and when the season is over, pull them out and store away, unless you intend to use before the next year.

Instead of boring a first or second time, you may use a gauge, cutting out a clean chip. This will not injure the tree. Boring, or boring with a slant down, holds water and produces decay.

Buckets. The best spout-buckets are the end and the cheapest, are made of tin, to hold four gallons, and just enough tapering to catch together with a loop in the rim to hitch upon a wrought nail, driven into a tree under a sprout and fastly pulled out again.

Painted pails make cheap, good spout-buckets. You can hang them by the bail upon a nail set in the side of a tree, or by the handle, or by the rim. Never try to set buckets under your spouts.

Home-made pails can be made without much cost during the winter, if you have any genius for cooping, and will use the surplus heat of the stove, or brick oven to season your staves.

Enough to bore a hole to hang upon the nail. Do not bore deeper than one inch. Never try to catch sap, if you catch a fellow upon your premises making spout-troughs, take a birch sprout, and start the sap out of him.

Boiling. The best things to use when you possess any of these old fables, use the only one that they are fit for, the storage of sap, or concentrated sirup, and get a set of sheet-iron pans.

Make the square. When the sap is boiled to the right point, which experience teaches, draw it from the last pan and strain it through flannel, or cloth, or tub, and let it cool. The tub is the best, with a cork half an inch above the bottom, so as to draw off the clear liquor, leaving the sediment that passed through the strainer to be re-filtered.

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or still better, a pint of milk and two or three eggs to ten gallons, and heat slow and skim carefully. The eggs should be well beaten with the milk, and thoroughly mixed in the sirup before it is heated...

Waxy sirup will make drained sugar, leaving a considerable residue of molasses to be reboiled or kept for use. Brittle, waxy sirup is required to make cake sugar. For dry-grained sugar, the sirup must be concentrated before straining, until when dropped upon snow and suddenly cooled, it is nearly as brittle as rosin.

Filtering through pulverized burned bones or charcoal—removes the coloring matter and other impurities. Charcoal is a purifier and acts both chemically and mechanically, but when made of wood it absorbs and wastes the sirup. Sand is only a mechanical strainer. Neither will injure the quality of the sirup, but only animal charcoal can be recommended.

Sugar is also made white by filtering with sirup through it in draining molds. That is simply mechanical, washing the molasses from the grains. It is also whitened by covering the mold with a coat of plastic clay. Whiting is not at all important, if the sirup is well strained and clarified with albumen, and the sugar not scorched. It will then be rich, clean and possessed of that delicious maple flavor that constitutes its greatest value, whether white or brown.

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Study economy in everything. Upon this alone depends the success of sugar-making. Don't suffer a hand-employed in your sugar-gang to ever carry such deadly weapons as guns and rum-bottles, nor articles so destructive to success as cards, dice, dominoes and novels. You must watch and work, and then you need not doubt success.

Another maple orchard has been used for eighty years, and yielded 6 lbs. per tree at this time, averaging the good and bad years 450 lbs. per acre.

One man made 875 worth of sugar from trees that he planted for sugar along the creek in New York, which he sowed in this hollow, and around bolt on, and hit that with a stop hammer, or an old axe. You can improve upon this by extemporizing a hand-saw both for cutting and shaping your spout.

Another says: "I think my sugar is all the sweeter that no lashed was used upon a fellow-creature to produce it."

Preparing sugar for market. If the sugar is cleanly and properly made, the best form it can be put in is cakes, and upon this point the sugar-makers will need instruction. Make a size of one or two cents a pound in this city, where maple sugar is so largely consumed by the cent's worth, and is only maple sugar in name.

Sugar made as directed and cast in such cakes, and those packed nicely in boxes and sent to commission houses here can always be sold at high prices, and when the market becomes known, his sugar will be especially in demand.

Plant trees. We urge you not only to use your own planted trees, but plant more. Plant them by the road side—plant them in farm lanes—plant them by the side of rocks, stone walls, brooks, hill-sides, and in waste places, and in your farm-house and stable yards; you can tap them above the reach of animals, and hang your buckets as we have directed, and the flow will be just as great as though tapped down at the roots.

Flow from the tree to its honey-like sirup on the hot back-wood cakes, and its sweet product, but that is not the grand object with us in urging its increased production. It is because it will greatly increase home happiness—the farmer's home. It is for that that we ask—are you ready?—Y. J. Tribune.

As Edward Cross, Commission—A man whose name is well known, walking on a considerable waste the streets of a town in Indiana, a few weeks since, was followed by another, named Carmichael, and Carmichael a member of a Presbyterian church. The Presbyterian was anxious to commune with his Methodist brother, but the Methodist did not wish to that kind of communion, and increased his speed. Offended with this unbrotherly conduct, the illudent Presbyterian fired upon him with a revolver. The parties were both from the Southern States. The Methodist was a slave, the Presbyterian was his owner—Illinois Baptist.

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