

TIMELY TIPS TO SPRING GARDENERS

By United Press.

Lead Poison Effective.
Although less powerful than Paris Green the American Forestry association, in its series of lessons for battling insects, points out arsenate of lead is cheaper than Paris Green, but must be used in larger quantities. The proportions for spraying with arsenate of lead follows:

Arsenate of lead (powder), one-third of a pound; or arsenate of lead (paste), three-sixths of a pound; water, Bordeaux mixture or lime-sulphur, solution, 50 gallons.

In small quantities use: Arsenate of lead (powder), one tablespoonful; water, one gallon.

Arsenate of lead may be obtained in two forms, viz., a thick white paste or a very fine powder. The powdered form, although not differing chemically from the paste, has advantages since it is not injured by freezing or drying. The paste arsenate of lead is one-half water and for this reason twice as much of the paste as of the powder must be used in the usual spraying operations.

The powdered form is coming into general favor and use for dry applications by means of dusting apparatus, the association says. The rapidity and ease of application and the good results secured are tending toward a widespread use of this form of the poison.

Arsenate of lead has advantages over Paris Green in adhesive quality, non-burning of foliage, and the white color by means of which thorough spraying is more easily determined. Arsenate of lead remains in suspension in water longer than Paris green, which settles to the bottom more quickly.

Cutworm, Real Pest.

The cutworm is the champion pest of destruction of the big army, says the American Forestry association, on how to battle the plant enemies. He is the "Seventy Five" animal artillery for action. This destroyer is called the "army worm" and poison bran mash is the thing for him the association points out.

Poison bran-mash is a mixture of Paris green, bran, syrup and water. Here is the fatal combination: Bran large quantity, 20 to 25 pounds, small quantity, one quart; Paris green, large quantity, one half pound, small quantity, one teaspoonful; com-

mon molasses, large quantity, one quart, small quantity, one tablespoonful; water, just enough to thoroughly moisten.

Cutworms generally hide under debris or rubbish or in the ground during the day, and come out to feed at night. A single broadcast application in the late evening of poison bran mash is generally sufficient for effective control of these troublesome pests.

A vegetable poison known as hellebore, which is manufactured by finely grinding the roots of the white hellebore plant, has been used quite generally on trees and shrubs bearing fruits which are nearly ripened and almost ready for picking. Hellebore quickly loses its poisonous properties on exposure to the air and sun; and it will lose its strength rapidly unless it is kept in air-tight containers.

Crowd The Suckers.

Action all the time is needed in the battle against the sucking insects, says the American Forestry association, in a lesson on how to get this brand of destroyer. You have got to crowd 'em and get every one, the association points out. Since these insects suck their food by getting into the leaf or fruit, stomach poisons cannot reach them unless you feed each one by hand. This being impossible, they must be controlled by the use of the so-called contact sprays. Certain materials which are corrosive or oily in nature kill the insects by contact with the body. In spraying for this group of insects it is necessary that the spray material hit every insect to be killed, and for this reason more thorough application of the spray material must be made.

A boiled, chemical mixture of lime and sulphur, containing many peculiar compounds of these two materials and known as lime-sulphur solution, has been for several years a standard spray for the control of certain species of scale insects and plant lice, particularly in the dormant season. In addition to its value as an insecticide, lime-sulphur is an efficient fungicide, adding greatly in the control of scab, mildew and certain other fungous diseases. It can be readily used in conjunction with arsenate of lead as a combined spray.

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Dr. James R. Angell broke the 200-year precedent when he was elected president of historic Yale college recently, the first time the directors have gone outside of the faculty or alumnae to fill the office. In his first address—he went on record as favoring athletics—the moral qualities of the coaches to be first consideration.

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A nurse emerged from his wife's room and told Widmer he was the father of triplets, two girls and a boy.

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The photograph of President Harding bears the alleged autograph with best wishes to a kinsman and the president's signature.

The family also had in its possession letters purporting to have been written by President Harding to Everett when Harding was a senator and a presidential "dark horse."

That young Harding, who still is in jail at Woodstock, Ill., will be indicted, seems probable. A new federal grand jury will be sworn tomorrow and the Harding case will be one of the first taken up.

Secret service men are compiling a list of "cousin Everett's" guests to the inauguration, said to be 22 in number, and including prominent Chicagoans. It was reported that they are to be dunned for the bogus kinsman's private car. Everett gave the Pennsylvania railroad a check for \$1,990.90 for the car, but the check was bad.

According to Capt. Thomas I. Porter, chief of the secret service here, Everett's arrest followed a "last straw" in the form of a bill for \$1,000 to the President from William Koehne, local photographer.

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