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### TOMATO CULTURE IN SUSSEX.

Down in Sussex the friendly tomato has more than come into it's own, and at this flourishing nursery, they're studying the culture of this tasty fruit,- in a big way.

After two weeks growth, the seedlings demand attention and are packed into boxes.

Then comes the business of potting ~~out~~ in the greenhouses., and the setting out on staging of all the different plants.

~~afterwards~~ The root action is <sup>later</sup> examined by experts at this fascinating industry.

Here they know just how to trim and tie up the plants that will turn into the delicious juicy fruit we know so well.

2 And after 12 weeks growth, these ~~healthy~~ healthy shoots are ripe for picking.

It's <sup>difficult</sup> ~~hard~~ to say exactly what leads to the best results in ~~tomato~~ tomato growing --- hard work has much to do with it- plus the blending of fertilisers which is a secret well worth knowing.

It is ~~interesting~~ interesting to note that the past season has been the best propagating time for tomatoes ever known.

These Sussex nurseries are amongst the largest to be found anywhere, producing one of the best tomato crops in the country.