A LEAF of Bright Tobacco or of Kentucky Burley Tobacco has about 27% in weight of stem. The stem is woody. It does not contain the same ingredients as the tobacco. It does not burn like tobacco. There would necessarily be a sort of rankness or bitterness about the smoke from the stem. This 27% in weight of stem, therefore, is removed before the leaf tobacco is used in Chesterfields.

Everything is done that can be done to make Chesterfield milder and taste better.

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