

SLEEPY-TIME TALES THE TALE OF THE MULEY COW BY ARTHUR SCOTT BAILEY

CHAPTER XIX A Question of Luck. "How lucky some people are!" said old Mr. Crow. He was talking to the Muley Cow in the pasture.



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a hard life I lead, and how I have to hunt around to find whatever I can eat. In winter it's usually poor pickings for me. But some people have their meals set right under their noses. They don't even need to stir.

"I suppose," the Muley Cow ventured, "you're thinking about us cows."

"I am," he admitted. "You have such an easy time that often I actually wish I had been born a cow myself."

The Muley Cow shook her head. "That would have been impossible," she murmured.

"Old Mr. Crow flared up at once. 'I'd like to know why!'" he shrieked. He was always ill-mannered when he was angry.

"You would have had to be a calf, in the beginning," she explained.

"Of course! Of course! Mr. Crow spluttered. 'Of course I knew that. You needn't bother to tell me things that everybody knows.'

"Being a cow is not all fun, I assure you," the Muley Cow continued. "The trouble is, you can't go and come as you please. You have to do about as you're told. And I'm sure you wouldn't like that, Mr. Crow."

"Perhaps not," he admitted somewhat grudgingly. "But they're not always looking for you with a gun," he croaked. "And you always have plenty of company."

"Too much, sometimes," said the Muley Cow. "You can get off by yourself whenever you want to. But how's a cow to get away from the herd?"

"She can jump the fence," said old Mr. Crow with a wicked gleam in his eye.

"Yes! Yes!" the Muley Cow agreed hastily. "But we won't discuss that. And remember—a cow couldn't go miles and miles around Blue mountain in just a few minutes, as you can."

The old gentleman couldn't see that there was anything specially pleasant in making long flights. "When I travel, it's generally because I'm hungry," he said. "It's because I'd starve if I stood still. And in winter I have to step lively. I can tell you. Food's scarce then, for us cows. We have to snatch a morsel wherever we can find it, while you fat cows are having the best of things in a warm barn. Yes!" he declared somewhat sourly. "You're enjoying the finest of food—out of season, too."

Common Sense

By J. J. MUNDY. Are You a Procrastinator?

What about that little job you have been putting off for days—maybe weeks?

When the thought comes to you that you ought to get to work on it, you begin to make excuses to yourself, and the work is left undone.

By waiting you are not lessening the effort required to get the job done, neither are you able to reduce the time it will take to perform it.

All through life you have been operating on this "put-it-off" principle. Haven't you seen the folly of it yet?

You are putting off the savings habit also, waiting till some future time when it won't be any easier than it is at present.

Putting off the study you need to fit yourself for a better place along your own line of work, till someone else will have the inside track for the job which might be yours if you were prepared.

How long will you drift? (Copyright, 1922.) Legion to Plant Tree for Each War Veteran

Grand Island, Neb., April 7.—(Special.)—Grand Island will have an Arbor day program, if present plans are carried out, more significant than any similar observation in the past.

A father who likes to fish has a little girl of 8 who has recently joined a humane society and thinks it cruel to catch fish. What shall this father do?

Perhaps the father could find more congenial diversion for the little girl while he goes fishing. Tastes differ: some people enjoy visiting operating rooms and the Chicago stockyards.

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Dog Hill Paragrafs

The Tickville Town Marshal was summoned to the Elite Millinery Imporium Tuesday morning to



frighten away a cow that was standing on the walk gazing at the green feathers in the window.

Washington Hooks says at times he has noticed that when there is a sick person in the house, such a big crowd of company comes in, it looks as if the patient is going to have to be moved out to make room for them.

Sid Kildew has brought to our sanctum the first fishing worm of the season, which he captured this morning in the garden.

Pioneer Woman Dies. Mrs. Mary Kinney, Omaha pioneer, died Thursday afternoon after a brief illness. She was 65. The funeral services will be held Monday morning at the residence of T. J. Fitzmorris, 3863 California street.

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