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400,000 Settlers a Year

Immigration figures show that the population of Canada increased during 1913, by the addition of 400,000 new settlers from the United States and Europe.

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GOOD CARE AND FEEDING OF WORK TEAMS



Fine Work Teams—The Requisites for a Working Horse Are Good Size, Quick Action and Strength.

(By R. A. GALLIHER.) Perhaps no subject is of more importance to the average farmer than the proper care and feeding of the teams that are relied upon to do the farm work.

The essential requisites for a working horse are good size, quick action and strength. A high-spirited animal or one of great value is not the most desirable animal for the farmer.

What we need is a good walker, as much of the usefulness and efficiency depends upon that quality. This faculty is quite as much a matter of education as inherited qualities.

Under ordinary circumstances it is judicious to use mares for working teams upon a farm. Except for a short time, the period of parturition and immediately after, they are fully as well adapted to farm work as geldings.

PRACTICAL HINTS FOR THE SHEPHERD

While Dipping the Sheep Just Dip the Lambs, Too—Keep All Good Breeding Ewes.

Do not let anyone deceive you by telling you that buck lambs will bring you as much money as wether lambs, for they will not do it.

Castrate all male lambs at eight days to two weeks of age, and any good operator will not lose one out of 100.

Dip all your sheep as soon as shearing is over. While you are at it just dip the lambs too, as the ticks will leave the shorn ewes for the woolly lambs.

Just as long as a ewe "holds her teeth" it will pay to keep her for a breeder, as ewes breed lambs up to quite an advanced age.

That old ewe might have brought \$2.50 last fall and the two lambs trotting at her side will bring \$5 or \$6 in July.

An old ewe or two may die during the winter, but you can lose one out of three and still make it pay to keep them at \$2 to \$3 per head.

The sheep get uneasy as soon as the hot weather comes on unless they get out on the ground. It is a good plan to let them out every day for a while.

If the coarse hay in the mangers is given to sheep they will nibble a great deal of it away.

The sheep is a dainty feeder and will not eat musty or unclean hay or fodder. Neither will sheep drink unclean water.

It is strange that some men will insist on raising a scrub ram when a thoroughbred costs so little in comparison to the improvement he will make in his flock.

Sheep will sometimes eat weeds, but it is generally because they have nothing better.

The reason why so many men fall in the sheep business is because they do not study it before they begin.

FENCE REVOLUTIONIZING HOG INDUSTRY



Pigs Find Money in Waste Land.

(By W. M. KELLY.) The woven wire fence is revolutionizing the hog industry in the whole country, and when farmers learn to utilize every bit of waste land for pasture for their hogs the herds will be healthy and the cost of production will be decreased many dollars.

It won't do to allow the pigs to lie in the shade of the corn cribs or to allow them only a run of pasture.

Comparing hens and incubators for hatching purposes, the hens are better than the incubators. They produce better chicks, which have more vitality and prove to be better individuals.

Such chicks are more easily reared and have the same advantages that natural products always have over artificial products.

Unsuitable Crop. Corn is not a suitable crop with which to follow alfalfa, unless there is an abundance of rain.

Set Plants in Rows. Arrange the garden planting so that all plants are set in rows like field

GOOD ROADS

GOOD ROADS PROVE BENEFIT

Improved Highways Increase Attendance at Rural Schools—States Making Greatest Progress.

While it is true that various factors contribute to increase or decrease the attendance at schools in given sections of the country, it is worthy of comment that in the states having a high percentage of improved roads a much larger percentage of the students enrolled regularly attend the schools than in the states having a small percentage of improved roads.



A Good Road in New England.

Improved, while in the latter group of states there are only 1 1/2 per cent of the roads improved.

That improved roads would benefit our country school system there would seem to be no doubt. Improved roads make it possible to consolidate or centralize the schools and to establish graded schools in the rural districts.

Such schools centrally located will accommodate all of the children within a radius of from four to five miles.

In many communities having the advantage of improved roads commodious buildings have been provided, more competent teachers have been employed, and modern facilities for teaching have been supplied at a minimum cost.

For instance, since the improvement of the main highways in Durham county, North Carolina, the number of school houses has been reduced from 65 to 42, of which 17 are graded and have two or more rooms and employ two or more teachers.

There are at the present time about two thousand consolidated rural schools in the United States. It appears that Massachusetts, Ohio and Indiana have made the greatest progress along these lines, and it is rather significant to note that in these states about one-third of the roads have been improved.

According to statistics of the agricultural department there was expended in 1899, \$22,116 in Massachusetts for the conveyance of pupils to consolidated schools, but in 1908 the expenditure for this purpose amounted to \$392,213.

In Indiana the expenditure for this purpose in 1904 amounted to \$86,000, while in 1908, \$290,000 was expended. This expenditure for transportation reflects, in a general way, the extent and progress of this new educational movement. It must not be understood that this is an additional burden, as the expenditure thus made is saved in other directions.

Benefit of Improved Road. Among Many Other Things It Attracts Investors Looking for Advantageous Locations.

A long stretch of improved road is one of the best advertisements a state can have. It attracts a class of tourists who are able and willing to pay for entertainment. It brings investors who are looking for advantageous locations. It includes agricultural investigation and consequent immigration and investment, not only along the line of the road, but in other accessible sections.

It changes, by the sheer force of publicity, backward localities into progressive ones; enhances values, and brings into general notice resources which had only been known locally; or, if known, not appreciated.

The advantages which such stretches of main roads cause to accrue are advantages which affect the entire state, as well as the localities themselves. It should, therefore, be assumed as a principle that such main roads should be built, in whole or in part, by the state; that their management and maintenance should be in the hands of the state authorities.

Raising Lettuce. Many market gardeners sow lettuce in rows 10 to 12 inches apart and thin the plants to stand from 8 to 12 inches apart. This plan is very satisfactory whenever good markets are available.

Any of the loose-leaf and heading varieties may be grown in this manner.

Using Kerosene. Kerosene may be used in connection with lard externally or a light film of it may be put on the drinking water, but it should not be used internally or externally otherwise.

Coca-Cola advertisement featuring a hand holding a glass of Coca-Cola and the slogan 'Drink this and be refreshed!'.

Private Jones was Late. Under the Circumstances the Probabilities Are That Congratulatory Visit Was Postponed.

Charles Lamb and Hastings. Hastings, which is to indulge in a pageant of heroes, was an object of particular aversion to Charles Lamb.

Complicated Courtesies. "I tried to apologize to my wife," said Mr. Meekton, "but it was confusing."

Hard to Understand. "I can understand how we got along without wireless, or electric light, or the telephone," said the society bud.

Waste little time in arguing with people who don't care.

Most men would be ashamed to preach half what they practise.

Libby's Luncheon Delicacies advertisement featuring a can of Libby's Vienna Sausage and a can of Libby's Dried Beef.

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