



### WAGON FOR HAULING STOCK

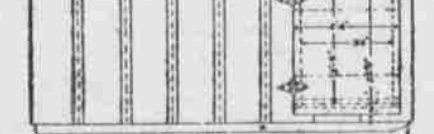
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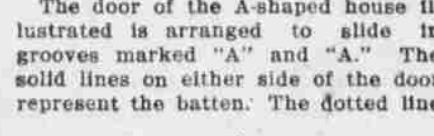
Front of Shed-Roof House.

without considering the importance of sanitation, ventilation and drainage. A hog house of any kind should be located on a high, dry site, and, if possible, on soil containing sufficient sand to drain well. A house located on an elevation may be somewhat colder in winter, but it is much cooler and more comfortable in summer.

Where a large number of animals are continually housed in one hog house and fed in or around the house, the surroundings are sure to become more or less filthy and unsanitary. If feeding is done on the inside it keeps a portion of the floor wet, and gives the entire building an offensive, disagreeable appearance. On the other hand, by using the portable house, moving occasionally onto a fresh piece of ground, and feeding the hogs at a different place one avoids these unsanitary conditions. These portable houses are built to accommodate from four to six mature animals or ten to twenty shoats. This method keeps them much cleaner and more thrifty than when allowed to congregate in larger numbers. Individuals of a herd showing evidences of a contagious disease can be readily isolated.

The shed-roof portable house, the end of which is here shown, is a building six feet two inches high in front and three feet in rear. When cut in the middle 12-foot boards can be used for boarding the front of the house. A small space left may be closed by a battens or frieze board at the top.

The door of the A-shaped house illustrated is arranged to slide in grooves marked "A" and "A." The solid lines on either side of the door represent the battens. The dotted line



Front of A-Shaped House.

"B" indicates the doorway. The heavy lines marked "d" are the cross-pieces or cleats on the door and should be nailed on the outside to give the back a smooth surface. A ventilator is shown at "C." This furnishes ventilation for two or three animals when all the doors are shut; if more ventilation is desired, it can easily be secured by opening the small sliding door in the rear. This simple plan of ventilation avoids any direct drafts upon the animals and proves very efficient.

Prevent Hog Cholera. It is stated that over 10,000 swine have been immunized against hog cholera by the Ohio department of agriculture since January 1, 1910. The Minnesota experiment station is satisfied that "hog cholera can be prevented; and, in recent cases, it can even be treated with a reasonable prospect of cure." The methods will soon be published; and it is believed that the long-sought discovery will be the means of preventing attacks which have cost Minnesota farmers over a million dollars.

Proper Way to Feed a Horse. The stomach of the horse is quite small—that is, it will hold about two gallons. If the horse is fed his grain first, then hay and then water, the grain will be pushed out of the stomach before it is digested.

The best way is to water first, then feed some hay and then the grain. In case the horse is warm it would not do to give all the water it would take, but it should be given a little even then.

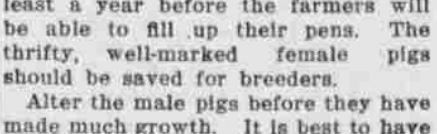
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Low-Down Stock Wagon.

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Hollow concrete blocks are used, both for the foundation and for the walls up to the eaves, a smooth finished block of uniform size laid up in concrete ashlar style being used. The gable ends are filled in with cement plaster on metal lath, the surface being divided off into panels by wooden strips after the English half-timber style.

The interior of this dwelling shows an exceptionally attractive arrangement. It is just what we would expect from the substantial, homelike appearance of the exterior. The living room and dining room form what is practically one large room, 24 feet by 17 feet 9 inches in size. This space is divided through the middle by a very attractive columned opening. A beamed ceiling is used in both of these rooms, and they are made attractive and homelike in other ways by means of built-in bookcases, open fireplace and mantel, large square bay window with window seat, etc.

The kitchen is located in an all projection at the rear, and so is separated from the rest of the house, at the same time being convenient to the dining room. The large built-in kitchen cabinet takes the place of the ordinary pantry. A cross ventilation is provided in this room which is a very desirable feature.

The two good-sized bedrooms are at the left from the living room. The bathroom is situated between them, a small hall or passageway connecting all three.

The total cost of this five-room fireproof dwelling is estimated at \$2,000, using the very best grade of material and most thorough construction.

Of all the manifold forms in which cement is being used in the various branches of construction work hollow concrete building blocks stand out most prominently. This without question is the most popular form in which cement is brought before the public, because it appeals to the home builder and to the contractor.

An extraordinary story of rural police methods comes from Pontcarre, a little summer resort situated on the edge of the Forest of Armainvilliers, France, where a tramp murdered an old woman, the proprietor of a small inn. Her neighbor, hearing of the old woman's screams, instead of giving the alarm, went off to fetch her husband in a village nearly a mile away, leaving the woman to her fate.

The husband thought he had better tell the local watchman, and went off to the latter's house. The watchman in his turn decided he must inform the mayor, who was working at M. Edwards' in Rothschild's chateau, which is in the neighborhood. The mayor immediately set out for the scene, accompanied by the watchman, a commercial traveler from Paris who happened to be in the village and a local wineshop keeper.

Through the windows of the murdered woman's inn they could see the murderer rifling the upstairs rooms, but the mayor refused to act until the gendarmes arrived. When the tramp came downstairs the party saw him stepping over his victim, who lay dead in a pool of blood. Only after the guardians of public order had watched the violation of the law for 20 minutes did the watchman decide to take action, crying: "Open in the name of the law!" and beating on the door.

Midwinter Vipers. The singular mildness of the last month was strikingly illustrated in the killing of a large viper at Christmas on a Dartmoor farm, 1,000 feet above the sea, by a lady. As a general rule vipers hibernate during the winter months, and small colonies are occasionally found in a torpid condition twined together for the sake of warmth. The reptile who met his Christmas death on Dartmoor was copper colored, and some naturalists contend that there is more than one variety of British viper, a reddish kind being peculiarly venomous. But vipers vary greatly in color, though they can always be distinguished from other snakes by the shape and markings of the head and by the dark zig-zag stripe running down the middle of the back.—Westminster Gazette.

Young Student. "Thomas," said the professor to a pupil in the junior class in chemistry, "mention an oxide." "What is leather an oxide of?" asked the professor. "Leather," replied Thomas. "An oxide of beef," answered the bright youngster.

Divorce in High Life. "Your wife says she will not contest your suit for divorce providing you will sign this document." "Hm! How much of an allowance does she demand?" "It is not for an allowance. It gives her the custody of the poodle."

### CANADA GETS \$1,500 TROPHY.

NATIONAL CORN EXPOSITION, AT COLUMBUS, OHIO, AWARDS TROPHY FOR PECK OF OATS GROWN IN SASKATCHEWAN.

Again Canada is to the fore, and has secured at the National Corn Exposition just closed at Columbus, Ohio, the magnificent Colorado silver trophy valued at \$1,500, for the best peck of oats. These oats were grown by Messrs. Hill & Son, of Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, and, as may readily be understood, were of splendid quality to have been so successful in a contest open to the world, and in which competition was keen. At the same Exposition there were exhibits of wheat and barley, and in all these competitions, the grain shown by Canada secured a wonderful amount of attention, and also a number of awards. During recent exhibitions at which grain from Western Canada was given a permission for entry, it always took first place. At the Spokane Interstate Fair, last fall, where the entries were very large, and the competition keen, the Province of Alberta carried off the silver cup, given by Governor Hay, for the best state or province display, and a score of prizes was awarded Canadian exhibitors for different exhibits of wheat, oats and barley threshed and in the sheaf. Vegetables also received high awards. A pleasing feature of these exhibits was they were mostly made by farmers who had at one time been American Citizens and were now farming in Canada. The Department of the Interior is just in receipt of a magnificent diploma given by the Tri-State Board of Examiners at the Fair held in Cincinnati last fall for agricultural display by Canada.

The Surveyor-General of Canada has just completed a map showing that a large area of land was surveyed last year in the northern portion of Saskatchewan and Alberta in order to be ready for the rush of homesteaders to that district during the coming spring and summer. It is understood surveys covering several hundreds of thousands of acres will be made in addition to these during the coming summer.

A return just issued by the Dominion Lands Branch shows that 48,257 homestead entries were made last year as compared with 37,061 in 1909; of this 48,257, 14,704 were made by Americans. North Dakota coming first on the list with 4,810, Minnesota gives 2,528, South Dakota 1,133, Wisconsin 745, Washington 730, Michigan 706, Iowa 645, while other states show less, but with the exception of Delaware, District of Columbia and the Indian Territory, every state and territory contributed.

The prospects for an abundant crop in all parts of Western Canada for 1911 are said to be excellent. In the districts that required it there was an ample rainfall last autumn, and the snowfall during the present winter is greater than in many previous years. Both are essential factors to the farmers, who look upon the moisture that these will produce as being highly beneficial.

A large immigration from the United States is expected, and the demand for literature and information from the various Government Agencies located at different points in the States is the greatest it has ever been. Since the above was written word has been received that in addition to honors won at Columbus, Ohio, Canada won first and second on wheat and first and second on oats, as well as diplomas.

Norman Cherry of Davis, Saskatchewan, who was in the reserve for first on wheat, secured the award, with G. H. Hutton of Lacombe, Alberta, second. J. C. Hill & Sons got first on oats besides the silver trophy. G. H. Hutton took second in oats.

Cause Enough. "What's the bearded lady so mad about?" inquired the armless wonder. "Somebody sent her a catalogue of a safety razor factory," said the living skeleton.—Chicago Tribune.

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