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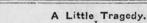
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She was young, beautiful, with violet eyes, a scarlet mouth, and hair of dull, pure gold,
She did not, could not, love him; yet

she was so poor that she had to wear \$2 shoes and eat patent breakfast foods which she prepared over the gas jet in her little room; while as for him, had he not motor cars, a yacht, a marble palace at Newport and an opera box?

Sometimes, looking at the old man, she thought of all these things. She would not, could not, give him love,

Smoking a 25-cent cigar he entered the Why did her heart beat faster? Why did

a delicate flush stain her cheek's ivory Surely he was smiling at her strangely. He drew nearer. His eyes were fixed upon her as in awe and wonder. It was as though he had never really beheld her

And bending over her, he murmured:
"I have a ribbon—a blue ribbon—for

Why did her heart sink? Alas, 'twas but a typewriter ribbon and hurriedly inserting it in her machine, she resumed her weary and monotonous toil.

Tricks of Milk Adulterators. "Of course, in this town," said a milk inspector, "all the milk is pure; but I've been in some towns where impure milk dealers have played some funny dodges

You know how I work? Sneak along the streets, hold up a milkman, and take a sample right out of the can. Well, it has been a common thing, when a milk-man has known me by sight, for him to pretend to trip onseeing me coming, fall headlong, and upset his can of milk all

over the pavement,
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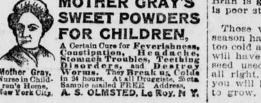
Getting the Habit. From the Washington Herald. "How do you get those clinging ways?" asked the country cousin. "Hanging from street car straps," an-

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swered the city girl,

The peach crop will probably be a failure this year. This does not apply to the summer girl.

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MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN,



RAISING CALVES.

The practice of twenty years ago, of every farmer raising all the calves possible to replenish and increase his herd, is gradually dying out, and farmers are depending more and more upon the cow seller, to keep up their herds. While it is some trouble to raise calves, yet one may be sure, when buying matured animals that they are paying some one animals that they are paying some one for that trouble and a good big profit besides. The farmer who keeps only a few cows should raise his heifer calves; and, on the large stock farms, we must get back to the system of having a group of calves; coming on every good crop of calves coming on every spring. Every farmer will be better off by growing young things and feed-ing them up to maturity.

SOW SOME SORGHUM.

Any land that will produce a good prop of corn will grow a good crop of sorghum. Don't be in a hurry to sow the seed. This is a crop that requires a warm soil to germinate the seed. Any time up to June 20 will be in good season. Drill it in good and thick and the way it thrives during hot weather is surprising. It can be soiled to advantage or may be pastured. If stock are turned in they should remain only a short time each day. When the crop is cut and cured, try to hit a week of sunshine. Cut with a corn binder and let the bundles lie on the ground for three or four days. The fodder must be thoroughly cured before it is moved away.

BUY GOOD BROOD MARES.

Never has there been such a de-mand for broad mares as there is this mand for brood mares as there is this spring. Here is just one instance of how farmers are buying up good mares that will breed. At the Chicago stock yards, a few days ago, a fine Shire mare was offered for sale for \$150. She had been injured in a car smashup and it was uncertain whether she would breed or not. The farmer was willing to chance \$150 on it and took the mare home. The demand is largely for heavy draft mares and the prices are running from \$200 to \$250. When such prices are paid one should get good, sound ones, those that will weigh from 1,400 to 1,600 pounds. Then breed pally to the best draft stallions. With right care a good mare will raise a right care a good mare will raise a good colt every year, and do her share of the farm work.

EARLY CUTTING OF ALFALFA.

Many start out with erroneous impressions about cutting alfalfa. They have been induced to put in the crop because of its great feeding value and that some three or four cuttings may be taken from the field during one season. If you want a strong, vigorous stand of alfalfa, don't be in too big a hurry to clip it to get rid of weeds, or don't cut the crop from a marky pressions about cutting alfalfa. a hurry to clip it to get rid of weeds, or don't cut the crop from a newly seeded field too soon. The crop should be pretty well matured before it is cut. It is important that the plant be well established and the crown buds set for subsequent crops, before the first crop is taken off. After the first year, three or four cuttings may be made, providing that each one is done at the right time.

work, will do in keeping a team in con-dition. If you want to keep your teams fat, sleek and ready at all times for hard work, here is the recipe: Let oats be the main grain, water regularly, feed bright timothy or upland hay, curry and brush thoroughly every morning and at night curry, brush and rub. That is all there is to it. Use 2 large piece of flannel for rubbing down the legs. Keep this up regularly and your team will be as sleek as moles and fit for the hardest kind of service.

Here are the results of top-dressing clover with fresh barnyard manure. Last spring a thin dressing of about five tons per acre was made on a strip of clover to determine what effect firip or clover to determine what elect it would have on the year's crop. The manured strip made nearly one ton more per acre than the adjacent field which was not manured. Besides, the manured field made a better aftermath. That manure was worth \$2 per ton.

It is not a good thing to stack clover in the same place two years in succession. And it is worse still to put new hay on the old stack bottoms. If you want to keep clear of the clover hay worm, clear away all the last year's crop left over, and burn the trash. If clover is put into mows, clean out the hay lofts before the new crop goes in.

Many farmers have been worried over the outcome of their oats crop, claim-ing that the cold weather during the last four weeks will be disastrous to the crop. There is no cause for alarm. This is ideal oat weather. The plants are making roots and the warm June days will develop the straw and mature the grain.

There are two very important jobs about the stock farm during the months of June and July. Keep the troughs sweet and clean, don't feed swill out of sour barrels, and then make sure that the windmill, or other source of water supply, is doing steady work. Stock need fresh water at all hours of the day. hours of the day.

Blue grass makes the ideal early and late pasture, but it is rather difficult to get it set. It requires a firm seedbed, and the seeds need pienty of moisture and soil warmth. Blue grass will readily growd out other grasses, and will soon cover a field if it is allowed to seed itself.

Shorts makes the finest kind of feed for the pigs any time, but more especially for the first month or two after they are weaned. Buy good shorts if you can; that is, stuff which contains but a small amount of coarse fibre. Bran is good stuff for the cows, but it is peor stuff for pigs.

Even where only enough butter is made to suply the family it will pay to use a small barrel churn. The best butter is in the churn. Draw off the buttermilk and put in about as much cold water. A few turns of the churn will be all that is necessary.

GROW MORE AND BUY LESS. Bran was formerly considered the main food which had to be bought. But prices of bran are now very high and dairymen must look for something to take its place. Alfalfa can be grown now over a wide range, and this can be substituted for bran to a very good advantage. It is has been shown that as much milk can be made from a ton of alfalfa as from a ton of high and ton of high and to high a ton of high and high much milk can be made from a ton of alfalfa as from a ton of bran; and, where alfalfa will do well three or four tons may be taken from an acre during one season. Surely alfalfa can be grown for less than \$10 a ton, while bran now costs from \$20 to \$21 per ton. In a ton of alfalfa there are 220 pounds of digestible protein, and in a ton of bran there are 224 pounds of digestible protein. It will not take much figuring to determine whether it pays best to grow one and one-half to two tons of timothy per acre and sell it and buy bran, or grow alfalfa and feed it. All mill products are high. Dairymen must look to some other source for their suplook to some other source for their supply of protein.

MAKING COTTAGE CHEESE.

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Who does not like a nice dish of cottage cheese, and where else can it be so easily made as on the farm? The Minnesota experiment station tells us how to make it:

Separator milk is allowed to sour in a warm room. The milk is then heated to a temperature of about 100 degrees Fahrenheit and hot water (175 degrees F.) added at the rate of about one pint per gallon of milk. The addition of the hot water results in more complete coagulation of the milk. After, stirring for for one or two minutes the coagulated mass is allowed to settle, and then the whey drained off and the curd collected by straining through cheesecloth. If too much hot water is used, a tough curd results; if the milk is not a tough curd results; if the milk is not sour enough, it fails to curdle properly. When of medium acidity and favorable temperature, a soft, fine-grained curd is secured. The curd is salted and mixed with cream. The cottage cheese prepared in this way is found very pal-atable, and contains a large amount of nutriments in the form of proteids and

FEEDING SHEAF OATS.

There is an uncommonly large acreage of oats in this season, and with present prospects of a light hay crop it will be good business to store away a nice lot of oats in sheaf. When the crop is to be fed in this manner it should be cut while the straw is rather than the crop is to be fed in the straw is rather than the the straw is rather than the crop is to be the time the bears in the straw is rather than the straw i green—about the time the berry is in the dough. It takes careful work to secure the crop at this stage, for the straw must cure out thoroughly before it goes into mow or stack. Bind in rather small bundles and let the bundles stand in the shock until well bundles stand in the shock until well cured. When properly cured the sheaf oats make splendid feed and will carry the horses and colts through the winter in good condition. To keep well the sheaves should be put in the barn

DAIRY NOTES.

set for subsequent crops, before the first crop is taken off. After the first year, three or four cuttings may be made, providing that each one is done at the right time.

FARM FACTS.

When the writer was given his first team he was told to curry the horses morning and night. It is surprising what rubbing down, after a hard day's work, will do in keeping a team in conwork, will do in keeping a team in conwork. ter that people want and are will to pay 25 to 30 cents a pound for.

> A city young man asks the writer whether he recommends dairying as a good business. Dairying might not be good business. Dairying might not be a good business for this young man, because there are many essentials about this work that must be mass-tered by actual experience, and in this the city man is apt to be lacking. A safer course would be to grow and study crops for two or three years, and work into the dairy features gradually

> A cow must produce at least \$20 worth of butter fat during the year, over and above the cost of her keep, to make it worth while to milk her. It costs around \$13 a year to pay for labor of milking a cow, and about \$7 a year to raise her calf by hand. Unless a cow will provide enough to pay her way and offset these two items she has no business in the dairy.

An Illinois dairyman paid \$76 a head for ten heifers with their first calf. These were grade Guernseys and had been bred to a pure bred bull with a dairy record behind him. That was a big price, but the risk was not so great after all. These young cows had been handled right; they came from good dams, and, barring accidents, every one will make a profitable dairy cow.

The hardest thing for most dairymen to overcome is their reluctance about weeding out their herds. Many will struggle along with the problem for years without making any headway. One must drive the unprofitable cows out of his herd, or he himself will be driven out of the business, and it won't take long to do it.

A good feeder and a good handler can get the greatest amount of product from a herd of cows. We have all no-ticed that stock do better for some men than others. The reason is simple enough. The man who makes a success of it studies the conditions of his animals and he feeds accordingly. These things count in handling milch cows.

A common error of those using hand separators is to force the machine beyond its capacity, that is, put the mik through faster than the machine can separate the cream. The result is that some of the cream is lost, It is important that one know the capacity of his machine and thus govern the inflow accordingly. accordingly,

Those who planted corn early this season have missed it. The ground was too cold and the seed has rotted, Many will have to replant. Be sure that the seed used for the second planting is all right. Poor seed now means that you will lose your corn crop, if it falls to grow.

A milk house, where the milk and cream may be kept sweet and cold, away from stables and stock pens will pay its cost every season. Where ice has been put up the summer care of milk will be easy. If the cooling is done by providing cold water it will need close attention,

The American Abroad.

A western congressman who goes abroad each year tells of the militant republican-ism of an American he met in Brussles last summer. This man, it appears, was a merchant in a small town of Indiana. One morning they were out for a ride, and as they passed through the gates of a public park their equipage passed that of King Leopold, which was leaving the

park.
Following the custom, the congressman, as did every one else near by, except the merchant from Indiana, lifted his hat, whereupon the democratic Leopold also lifted his hat and bowed and smiled. The merchant sat bolt upright looking straight

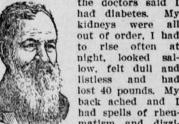
"Know who that is?" asked the congressman of the merchant. "Yes; I recognized him from his pic-ares. It's King Leopold." "Then why didn't you bow to him as

did ? The merchant from Indiana stiffened in his seat and squared his shoulders. "I don't bow to no kings," he said.

A WONDERFUL GAIN.

A Utah Pioneer Tells a Remarkable

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If the honest gambler stays with it long enough, he will outgrow his honesty If you wear anything white, it is particularly important that it be kept clean. Occasionally a man has a mean neigh-bor; but think of the nice ones he has! Drifting with the tide is a slow way to get anywhere; the tide flows both ways.

When a man begins to say he feels as young as he ever did, it is a sign he

What has become of the old fashioned man who was accused of having a white

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Senor Enrique Creei, the new Mexican ambassador, said at a dinner in Washing-ton, apropos of unpleasant truths:

"What should we ever tell them? They are always unnecessary, and how they "I have heard of an American countes

or duchess—I forget which—who said to her noble husband fondly:

"You were embarrassed when you proposed to me, Percival, were you not?"

"Yes,' the man answered, I owed £60,— 000." "

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