

FARM COLUMN.

HONESTY IN BREEDING.

The man who tampers with pedigrees in any kind of stock is a villain, no matter how respectable his name. Those who have charge of herd books should insist on the utmost accuracy, and the breeder who is caught forging pedigrees should be forever excluded from the herd books.

GLEANNING GRAIN AND HAY FIELDS.

Preaching economy has become monotonous; yet on the farm, as elsewhere, waste takes more than storms, frosts and insects. It is the worst form of waste to prepare the land, to manure it, to cultivate the plant, and then leave a good part of the crop on the ground.

INJURIOUS INSECTS OF NEBRASKA.

[A Card from the Industrial Experiment Station.] To the Agriculturists and Horticulturists of Nebraska:

Having been employed by the Agricultural Experiment Station, of the University of Nebraska, to study up the injurious insects of the state, I would respectfully ask from those whom such work will particularly aim to benefit, that they give me their cooperation and assistance by answering the following inquiries:

- (1) What insects have damaged your garden, orchard, crops or shade trees?
(2) What time of the year have the insects been most abundant, and have they been more abundant one year than another?
(3) What methods have you tried for destroying them, and with what success?
(4) What experience, if any, have you had with the following insects:—Chinch-bug, Cottonwood beetle, Colorado Potato beetle, Cabbage worm, Strawberry borer, Strawberry saw-fly, Grape girdler, Grape flea-beetle, Apple bark-louse, Apple root louse, Apple-frog or Codling worm, Apple tent-caterpillar, Fall web-worm, White Tussock moth, Apple leaf crumpler, Plum curculio, Maple tree-tyer, Hessian fly?

old system of following the land, which was simply to give it a period of rest for recuperation, proved very beneficial; yet while the land is remaining unproductive advantage should be taken of the opportunity for assisting the soil to regain fertility. The soils that were heavily cropped and abandoned became slightly covered with scanty herbage, but as the feeble plants derived much of their food from the atmosphere, and, when plowed under, added that which they had gained to the soil, in a few years the soil became sufficiently fertile to bear a crop of some kind.

DIGESTION IN CALVES.

Too much sloppy food—that which is drunk rather than chewed—is liable to injure the digestive organs of calves, as well as of children. Of course healthy mother's milk, being especially adapted to the infantile stomach, is the best of all nourishment for the young; but whatever is added to milk, or substituted, should be of a consistency to require chewing—mastication.

SILAGE VERSUS DRY FODDER.

Advocates of silage have claimed that a given amount had a greater feeding value than an equivalent amount of the same material converted into dry fodder. Against this claim it has been objected that the silage can by no possibility add to the nutritive value of its contents, and that the same material converted into dry fodder would possess the same feeding value.

(ive stores) must result in a vast saving of force or digestive power; that is an economy, and this will go to the support of the animal. All the animal is compelled to do in extra power necessary to convert its food into a digestible mass calls for an extra food ration to sustain this greater demand upon the system. This must be made good by increased rations or the result is the animal falls off in flesh. The nearer the winter's food can be presented in the condition in which it grows the better. Then the food is broken down with the minimum amount of gastric juices or force; but when in a dried state, nature is compelled to both moisten this food and break it down by increased amounts of gastric juice.

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