

SUPERIOR MANAGEMENT OF SOWS AND PIGS



The Large Hog Was Raised By a Member of the Boys' Pig Club; the Small One Was Raised By the Boy's Father.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

All hog lots should be built where the sun will shine upon some portion of them at all hours of the day, says State Farmers' Bulletin 566, of the department of agriculture. Sunshine is one of the greatest factors for destroying germs and keeping down diseases.

Some clean, dry straw should be placed in every house for bedding, as it is essential that the sow have a warm, dry bed when she farrows. Many young pigs are lost each year from cold and exposure at farrowing time on every farm where no shelter is provided.

dip the hogs in a solution of any of the coal-tar disinfectants. A rubbing post may be made by wrapping some gunny sacks about a stake and wetting the sacks frequently with crude oil, so that the hogs may rub against them.

Every year the loss of little pigs from canker sore mouth is enormous, and might be prevented by a little care. The disease is caused by infection through scratches on the nose or face of the pig, by a germ which is found in the droppings and filth from nearly all hogs.

In case infection has already taken place and ulcers developed, the dis-



Hogs Raised by a Pig-Club Boy in Alabama.

them the best of care for the first ten days and the death rate will be reduced greatly.

A flat-bottomed trough with sides not over three inches high may be used for feeding the small pigs and the feeding should be started as soon as they will begin to eat, or at about four weeks old.

Remedies for Hog Diseases. Charcoal, 1 bushel; hardwood ashes, 1 bushel; salt, 8 pounds; air-slaked lime, 8 pounds; sulphur, 4 pounds, and pulverized copperas, 2 pounds, is a good remedy for pigs suffering with scours and hogs affected with worms.

If the pigs show indications of scouring, keep the charcoal mixture where the sow can eat it at will, or give her 15 grains of copperas in her slop every night and morning until effective.

One of the best preventive measures for worms is to keep the mixture where the hogs can eat it at will. Mix the lime, salt and sulphur thoroughly, and then mix with the charcoal and ashes. Dissolve the copperas in two parts of hot water.

Examine the hogs frequently about the ears, neck, flank and the inside of the legs to see if they are lousy. Lice cause unthriftiness among hogs of any age, and death among many pigs. To get rid of them wash or

ease may be treated by scraping each ulcer thoroughly and rubbing it with a pencil of lunar caustic. Afterwards wash the sores twice daily with a 5 per cent solution of potassium permanganate. In mild cases good results have often been secured by dipping the head of the affected pig several times each day in a solution made by dissolving two ounces of potassium permanganate in a gallon of water.

TIMELY HINTS FOR DAIRYMAN

Practical Feeder Will Observe Manager Carefully—Cleanliness is Matter of High Ideals.

Every successful dairyman knows that cows should not be milked with lightning speed, but steadily and gently.

The good feeder will watch the manager, the eye, the coat and the voidings of his animals and soon experience a fascination in his work.

Cleanliness is not a matter of higher ideals alone but of careful business forethought, nevertheless dairymen should have high ideals and strive for greater perfection.

Fruit on Every Farm. No farm should be without fruit. A farmer who has a taste for fruit-growing, and land suitable for it, should have his orchards of such fruits as his local market calls for and of such varieties as succeed best in his locality.

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CHEW IT AFTER EVERY MEAL

TALES TOLD OF ULSTERMEN

Bull Worthy of Any One From the County of Cork—"Canny" About Marriage Fees.

The Ulsterman is not incapable of a bull, says the British Weekly. It was an Ulster marquis who endeared himself to his tenantry by the memorable bull uttered in his speech at an agricultural dinner: "I wish my farmers would use iron plows, because they last forever, and will afterwards sell as old iron."

No matter how large the bride's fortune, the Ulsterman generally grumbled over the marriage fee. "Wouldn't half a crown timplt ye?" asked a bridegroom of the officiating minister when the clerk demanded the usual five shillings.

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But He Didn't Hit Him. The Judge—What did you hit this man with? Prisoner—I didn't hit him with anything.

The Judge—But look at him. He's in a horrible condition. Surely you didn't do that with your fists. Prisoner—No, yer honor, I ketchered 'im by the heels and bumped 'im agen a brick wall a few times. But I didn't hit him with anything wanst.

True love seldom utilizes the postal card for tender messages.

When a girl jilts a young man she may do him a great kindness—but he doesn't realize it until later.

A woman is apt to get an impression wrong end first—if she steps off a moving street car that way.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of J. C. Fletcher. In Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

High Hats. The enormous height of the millinery of 1914 led Jane Cowl to remark:

"I know a man whose wife said to him the other day: 'Oh, dear, there's that old Christmas tree lying in the back yard over a month now, I don't know what on earth to do with it.' 'Can't you put it on your new hat?' her husband asked."

Testing Nephew's knowledge. There is a certain old German of Wilkesbarre, Pa., whose pride, like that of many self-made men, leads him at times into a sort of patronizing condescension toward those things he did not "have time for" when he was making his way in life.

Upon the occasion of the graduation of a nephew, he asked: "Vell, Wilhelm, vot did dey teach you up there?" "Greek and Latin," said the boy, "and German and algebra."

Ugliness a Qualification. Some bygone housewives appear to have regarded ugliness as a quality to be desired in their servants. When Eliza Coker, daughter of Coke of Norfolk, was about to marry, she wrote to her prospective mother-in-law:

"Pray, have the goodness to decide as you think best about the pretty housemaid. I wish she were less pretty and less fond of dress, but if her conduct and principles are good neither are really objectionable faults. I think our establishment will be a pattern of morality, particularly if Mr. Stanhope engages the squinting butler and the terrible housemaid he mentioned to me."

A Clue. Thornton had been taught never to tell tales, and he intended to live up to his teaching, but sometimes it was hard work.

"Thornton," said his mother one evening, "I left a dish of chocolate peppermints on my table this afternoon and there isn't one there now. Have you and Gerald eaten them?"

"I haven't eaten one," replied the boy stoutly, "but"—then he remembered he must not be a talebearer. "Well, mother," he continued, "perhaps, if—you'd better just smell Gerald, and I guess then you'll know all about it!"—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

DROVE GOURMET TO SARCASTIC

Evidently French Restaurant Wine Was Not Exactly the Quality He Had Ordered.

William E. Corey praised at a Pittsburgh club the wines of California. "Our California wines," said the steel magnate, "are much better than wines of a similar price in France, for French wines are so adulterated today that even a high-priced one often tastes like burnt sugar and water."

Mr. Corey shook his head. "Not always," he said. "A friend of mine, a gourmet with whom I lunched not long ago at a fashionable boulevard restaurant in Paris, ordered a bottle of very old celebrated Margaux. Pouring out a little of the wine and rolling it on his tongue in true gourmet fashion he made a wry face."

"Waiter!" he demanded. "What wine is this you brought me?" "It is what monsieur ordered," was the reply. "Margaux 1895, grand cru." "Humph," sneered by friend, "how lucky it is to be so old and to conceal its age so well!"

Talking Machines. "Papa, did Edison make the first talking machine?"

"No, son, the Lord made the first talking machine, but Edison made the first one that could be shut off at will."

An Economical Man. "We can't finish Europe. It will cost entirely too much." "We gotta finish it. I ain't going to let this \$4 guide book go to waste."

Mean. "I have a very thick head of hair." "I guess it's the result of environment."

Brilliant Idea. Young Mother—I really don't know why he cries so. Bachelor Friend—Perhaps it is his teeth coming through. Young Mother—No! He isn't teething. Bachelor Friend—Maybe it's his hair coming through that hurts him!

Nice Woman This. Snapp—Well, all the fools are not dead yet. Mrs. Snapp—I'm glad of it. I never did look well in black.

35 BUSHELS PER ACRE was the yield of WHEAT

on many farms in Western Canada in 1913, some yields being reported as high as 50 bushels per acre. As high as 100 bushels were recorded in some districts for oats.

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