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PERFORMING POLICE DUTY.

Officer Muldoon—That fellow's flirting with my servant girl on my beat. I'll run him in if I could charge him with some offense.

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Sincere but Awkward.

It was at the private theatricals and the young man wished to compliment his hostess, says the Boston Transcript.

"Madam, you played your part splendidly. It fits you to perfection." "I'm afraid not. A young and pretty woman is needed for that part," said the smiling hostess.

"But, madam, you have positively proved the contrary."

A SPOON SHAKER.
Straight From Coffeedom.

Coffee can marshal a good squadron of enemies and some very hard ones to overcome. A lady in Florida writes: "I have always been very fond of good coffee, and for years drank it at least three times a day. At last, however, I found that it was injuring me. I became bilious, subject to frequent and violent headaches, and so very nervous that I could not lift a spoon to my mouth without spilling a part of its contents.

"My heart got 'rickety' and beat so fast and so hard that I could scarcely breathe, while my skin got thick and dingy, with yellow blotches on my face, caused by the condition of my liver and blood.

"I made up my mind that all these afflictions came from the coffee, and I determined to experiment and see.

"So I quit coffee and got a package of Postum which furnished my hot morning beverage. After a little time I was rewarded by a complete restoration of my health in every respect.

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Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

NOTES From MEADOWBROOK FARM



Put "grounds" in wire fences.

The open-front house is good for pigs.

The Shropshire sheep are prolific breeders.

For dressing at all ages the white color has an advantage.

The gestation period of cows is nine months, or 280 days.

Cockerels should be caponized when they weigh about two pounds each.

Realize the profit from your capital invested in beef as soon as possible.

A sandy soil is one of the most difficult ones on which to grow bluegrass.

There seems to be no limit to what the tractor engine can be made to do on the farm.

For potatoes only well-drained ground should be used, where no stagnant water stands.

The best sheep for any state are those that will bring the producer the most money for his labor.

Be sure to keep drinking vessels in a cool, shady spot; keep them clean and well filled with clean, fresh water.

Look after the horse's teeth. They require attention when they get along in years. The rugged teeth should be filed off.

The milker should wear clean outer garments, used only when milking, and kept in a clean place at other times.

A good mixture to feed calves is equal parts of bran, ground corn, and whole oats, with plenty of alfalfa or clover hay.

Young calves sometimes refuse to allow the milk to nurse because of chapped teats, sensitive udder, or nervousness.

Change your sheep to fresh pastures as often as possible, even if after a rest of say two weeks, you go back to the old pastures.

Kind and gentle handling brings its reward in the increased docility of the herd and in shortening the time required for milking.

It is well to have gunny-bags hung in the doorway, so that as the cow forces her way through, the flies will be brushed off her back.

There is no more use of allowing bees to pester with useless swarming than there is of allowing four cows to pasture on wheat or corn.

Give the setting hen a thorough dusting with insect powder two or three times during incubation. This may save your little chicks from lice and mites.

A baby beef is a calf not more than eighteen or twenty months old and weighing not more than 1,500 pounds. It must have quality and be in prime condition.

The ideal condition for the mother, preceding the birth of a foal, is to have access to a pasture where she may be watched daily during the latter part of gestation.

If Holsteins are selected do not expect them to thrive on closely cropped, scanty pastures where they are compelled to rustle all day to gather sufficient food.

Where eggs are not to be used for hatching it will be well to remove the male from the flock. Don't keep eggs in too warm a place. Below 50 degrees is better than above it.

With good milking cows, well fed and well kept, milk can be produced at a cost of 65 cents per hundred and butter fat for 16 cents a pound. This is an average for the year round.

Have something outly enough to cover the orchard within seven to ten days, if possible, or before the earliest blossoms close enough to prevent getting the spray into the calyx.

It is well to mingle as much as possible among the best cows, studying their habits and conversing with their attendants, who seemingly know more about cattle than they are given credit for.

In constructing the lambing pens see that they are tight at the bottom; this will not only keep the young things from wandering away from the dams, but also will keep off any cold or chill drafts.

If you have waste pasture land available try a few geese this summer. After they are well started they require very little attention except plenty of green range to graze on and plenty of water to drink.

It is generally advisable to place a sign in a pen by herself as such a sign of participation are observed, but it is the act of lambing her, because advanced before she is seen, it is best to allow the act to be completed before disturbing her.

Cull your chicken flocks often.

Alfalfa is the best soiling crop known.

Broom corn is marketed wholly in the bale.

It does not pay to be careless with farm machinery.

There is nothing equal to mother's milk for a young foal.

The honey bee is necessary in the pollination of fruit trees.

Whitewash is a cheap aid to the keeping of a sweet and sanitary stable.

This is the time of year when it is necessary to keep the cultivator going overtime.

After cooling, milk should in all cases be held at the lowest available temperature.

Good ventilation is absolutely essential, but drafts must be prevented in the lambing shed.

The best way to get rid of mosquitoes, like the balance of our troubles, is not to raise 'em.

The Guernsey when it comes to butter fat, holds a distinguished place as a record breaker.

The cost of 100 pounds gain in calves is about \$4.10, while it is nearly \$6.00 for two-year-olds.

The cultivation of beans should be along the same lines as corn, and if possible more intensive.

Spray the first time for the special purpose of filling every blossom on the tree with the poison used.

Breaking broody hens is not a hard task. A little care in the feeding and housing is all that is required.

The United States produces one-fifth of the wheat and three-fourths of all the corn grown in the world.

Do not wait until the broody fever becomes chronic, but discourage her as soon as she shows signs of it.

All animals produce stronger young when both sire and dam have a reasonable amount of exercise each day.

Alfalfa is one of the best plants to furnish green food for chickens, but ordinarily it soon kills out if over-pastured.

Shorn sheep sell at a discount because the wool cannot be pulled until it has a growth of three-quarters of an inch.

Brush the udder and surrounding parts just before milking, and wipe them with a clean damp cloth or sponge.

Keep small turkey poulters out of the long wet grass in the morning and see that they are under cover during heavy showers.

Butter from fresh and properly ripened cream not over one day old keeps better than does butter made from sweet cream.

An important feature in the successful management of the sow and litter is to get the little pigs to feed as early as possible.

Milk that is properly pasteurized and then kept at a low temperature will keep much longer, as a rule, than that which is not treated.

It is found that success in dairying depends as much on the kind of care and management bestowed on the herd, as upon the breed.

When you weed and thin out the family garden don't forget the poultry; they will relish the garden waste and put it to a good use.

Plan to raise a fine flock of general purpose standard-bred birds this season. They will yield much more satisfaction and profit than a mixed flock.

If a man has Jerseys, give them Isle of Jersey care and feed, for they cannot succeed on scrub fare and fodder. They were not intended for that purpose.

Cows must be kept clean and healthy, have pure air to breathe, and then they will return a volume of rich, nutritious milk in paying quantities.

The cow that wanders over bare pastures and looks wistfully at growing crops she cannot reach, is not happy nor contented and will not produce well.

By two or three plantings of sweet corn two weeks or so apart, one can have tender juicy corn on the table three times as long as one planting can give them.

Cooked fish makes good summer animal food. Beef scraps are less liable to cause indigestion and diarrhea in hot weather if well scalded and mixed with ground grains.

The butter fat from very fresh cream is apparently in a more stable condition than is the fat in the sour cream over one day old, and not so predisposed to decomposition.

If shod, the shoes should be removed at frequent intervals, because the hoof of the horse keeps continually growing. If the horse goes unshod trim the feet occasionally.

The ewe with the heavy fleece is better protected from the weather, remains more healthy for that reason, and her fleece keeps more free from dirt, sand, manure, bits of straw and other foreign matter.

A garden can be made to do almost double what it otherwise would toward furnishing appetizing food and change for the farm table, if several timely plantings of the same things are made during the growing season.

PRACTICAL CONSTRUCTION OF COMFORTABLE HOG BUILDINGS

Floor Problem Is Still an Unsettled Question—Concrete Is Satisfactory If Covered With Plank Overlays or False Floors—Ventilation Is Important Factor Often Overlooked.

(By R. G. WEATHERSTONE.)
The hog house floor is an unsettled question. A good floor is the ground with woven wire stretched on top to prevent the hogs from rooting. Electrically welded corrugated wire is very satisfactory. This makes a floor which is easy on the hogs, almost free from rats, and, if properly bedded, warm and dry. It is, however, more difficult to keep free from dust than some other floors. Many concrete floors are used, but they are cold, liable to be wet, and are hard on the hogs' feet. Often almost an entire pig crop and many sows are lost by taking cold on concrete floors. Concrete floors are, however, very satisfactory when covered with plank overlays, or false floors, which should be raised from the concrete about an inch by nailing cleats on the under side. The wood portion of this floor consists of 2 by 4 inch timbers laid about one-fourth inch apart to allow drainage.

Board floors are expensive, short lived, cold if up of the ground, and make the worst kind of rat harbors. The writer once visited an old hog house with wood floor in which the owner said the rats had gotten over



Feeding Floor.

stand out 6 or 8 inches to prevent the sow from mashing the pigs against the wall.

It will be found convenient to have the alley gates removable by lifting out. It is sometimes helpful, also, to have part of all of the partition fences removable. All partitions should be 36 to 38 inches high.

Six by 8 feet is generally found to be a very satisfactory size for pens, but if feeding is to be done inside, the pens will need to be longer in order to get room to feed and water without getting the bed befouled. Very large sows, such as are sometimes kept by breeders, may need more room, but the producer of pork will not need a larger pen. Small sows do not need this much room, and it might be good economy to make half of the pens 5 feet wide. Five by 7 feet will accommodate a small sow very well.

Hog doors should be 22 to 23 inches wide and 30 to 31 inches high in the clear. In cold weather a piece of burlap or ducking hung at the top of the hog door, with a stick a little shorter than the width of the door nailed across the bottom to prevent the wind from blowing it back, will help materially to keep the pigs warm. The pigs will soon learn to go through the door when they want to go through. The board doors in cots would not then need to be closed except in very bad weather, or while the pigs are very small.

In most cases either ventilation is lacking or the house is drafty. In a well-ventilated, double-walled building, little moisture will gather on the walls even in very cold weather, while in a poorly ventilated one thick coats of frost will often gather, and the whole house will be damp when the frost melts. It is not easy to secure a good supply of fresh air and prevent all drafts from striking the pigs. There are, however, several quite satisfactory methods of ventilation in use. The commonest one is to make some of the windows so they will either slide or swing on hinges. The cloth curtain window also does good work.

Whitewashing the inside of the house is an excellent practice. Besides going a long way toward disinfecting it, increases the light materially. When the sunshine strikes a whitewashed wall, much of it is reflected to the floor and does a great deal of good. Dark houses which should be used will be much improved by whitewashing.

BENEFITS OF FARM WINDMILL

In Some Respects It Serves as Hired Man—Affords Fresh Water for the Live Stock Day and Night.

(By F. H. HATLEY, Kentucky.)
I use my windmill to great advantage on my farm. In some respects it serves as a hired hand. When I purchased my windmill I secured two pieces of lumber, nine feet long, five inches thick and eight inches wide.

I placed the legs of the windmill on the two pieces of lumber which has a bevel on the bottom like a sled runner. I firmly screwed the legs to the timbers and nailed braces across from one to the other making it steady. Then it was ready to move from place to place by means of a pair of horses.

In the summer months when it is hot and dry I hook onto my windmill and take it to the pasture and connect it with the pump, keeping fresh water for the stock day and night. I save the labor of doing the pumping myself, watch before, took me about two hours twice a day and my stock enjoyed two good drinks a day. Now they enjoy cool fresh drink at all times through the day.

I have a pen around my windmill and pump to keep my stock from damaging either. My watering trough is made from gum lumber 15 feet long and 14 inches wide, 1 1/2 inches thick and is 18 feet long, 28 inches wide and 14 inches deep.

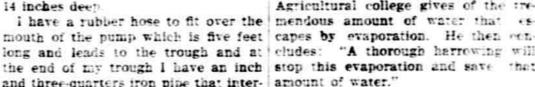
I have a rubber hose to fit over the mouth of the pump which is five feet long and leads to the trough and at the end of my trough I have an inch and three-quarters iron pipe that intersects it about one inch from the top. It comes straight down to the ground with an elbow allowing it to go along on the ground to a ditch.

My pipe is three inches under the ground from being mashed by the larger animals.

When the summer is over and it begins to rain I hook up to my windmill and bring it to the house, which requires but a short while, connect it to my pump at the house to use in pumping water for my stock after I

CONSTRUCTING MILK COOLER

The tank is made of galvanized iron and is set near the well with a pipe connecting from well to tank at the top of the cream house. In one side of the tank make a hole for a piece of gas pipe using a couple of locknuts, one on the inside, the other on the outside to keep from leaking. On the inner end of this outlet which connects with the water tank for cattle, use an elbow with a piece of gas pipe about sixteen inches long turned down so that the circulation is good in this



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bring them into winter quarters and also for the use of watering the house.

I have a rubber hose 14 feet long which I use in washing my buggy and wagon. I also use it for washing my horses' feet and legs as the windmill forces a powerful and effective stream.

By means of the patent self-locking and unlocking method I can stand on the ground and stop or start my windmill by pulling the cord which hangs down beside the frame. My windmill cost me \$54 but a good mill can be purchased for \$27.50 and up.

Counting the three months that I keep my stock in the pasture and three hours' work per day at 10 cents per hour which is the minimum wages for farm hands, the windmill will save \$27—half the price of the mill, while it would cost me that amount if I did not have it for a hand to pump water for the stock.

There are several other advantages that the windmill is to the farm. It can be attached to the grindstone, the cream separator, churn, etc., making it one of the most useful implements on the farm.

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In September go over the ground again making sure all weeds are destroyed, and next spring you may again use the space for a garden.

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