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How to have Good Milkers.

No matter what breed of cows you have, something is necessary to reach the highest success in raising milkers. And can farmers expect ever to raise good stock from cows to which, for the purpose of making them milkers, they have been in the habit of using any runt of a bull they could pick up?

It's a great thing to have good blood, whether it be Ayrshire, Jersey or short-horn grades, but apart from this important advantage the course of treatment in raising a milker is somewhat different from that in raising a beef animal or an animal for labor.

The calf should be well fed and petted while young. Well fed, to produce a rapid growth, so as to enable the heifer to come in early; petted, to make her gentle and fond of the presence of her keepers. Fondling helps to create a quiet disposition, so important in a dairy cow, and this education must begin when young.

For a milker, we would have the heifer come in at two years old, and if she has been well kept, so as to have attained a good size, she is then old enough to become a cow. She will give more milk for coming in early. It forms the habit of giving milk, and the habit, you know, is a sort of second nature. An older bull is better. We use too many young bulls. A three or four year old is far better as a stock getter than a yearling, and many prefer a five or six year old to any other. After the heifer comes in, let her be fed regularly. Clover is preferred to all others for the stall feed. A little oatmeal induces a large flow. Indian meal is rather fattening. In bad weather give her a clean, airy stall.

A cow newly come in should not drink cold water in cold weather, but moderately warm slop. Calves intended for raising should be taken from the cow within a few days, and they will be less liable to suck when old. Feed them first with new milk for a time, then skim milk, then sour milk, taking care that all the changes are gradual by adding only a portion first, and gradually a little meal.

Calves well fed and taken care of, with a quart or two of meal daily in winter, will be double the size at two years that they would have attained by common treatment.

Heifers thus treated may come in at two years old, and will be better than neglected animals at three, and one year of feeding saved.

Heifers dried up too early after calving will always run dry in after years; therefore be very careful to milk closely the first year until about six weeks before calving.

Hearty eaters are desirable for cows, and they may usually be selected while calves—a dainty calf will be likely to be a dainty cow.

Heifers should become accustomed to be freely handled before calving and drawing the teats.

They will not then be so difficult to milk. Begin gradually, and be careful not to startle them.

In milking cows, divide the time as nearly as practicable between morning and evening, especially at time of early grass, that the udder may not suffer.

Persons who milk should keep the nails cut short; animals are sometimes hurt with sharp nails, and are unjustly charged with restlessness.

To determine which cows are best for keeping, try their milk seperately, and weigh their butter—for sometimes a cow may give much milk and little butter, and *vice versa*.—*Colman's Rural World.*

Surface Manuring.

We take the following from the Western Rural.

I believe in it. I cherish the belief that surface manuring is the way to manure. Every farmer aims to enrich his farm. Let me tell him in a few plain words how to do it, and then, after reading this plan, let him think over his past experience in turning and see if it does not corroborate what is said here.

Apply manure chiefly to your tillage land while in grass. By so doing you produce a strong stiff sward, filled with grass roots. If these roots are of clover, so much the better. If you succeed in growing a good crop of grass on a poor soil you have done two things — made your land much better, and gained a good crop. As soon, or before the soil begins to show signs of failure, plow or manure again. If you plow you have a wealth of grass roots decaying for the food of growing crops. Re-seed before the land gets exhausted, and do it bountifully. If you scrimp and starve elsewhere, don't do it when seeding to grass. Aim to have a sward as early as possible. To accomplish this you should seed liberally. When the sward is formed you have another crop of manure to plow under. In seeding land it is better not to be confined to one kind of grass. In this manner lands may be managed for centuries without material deterioration.

As a farther argument in favor of surface manuring I mention that it is nature's way. The soil is on the top of the earth, irrigation deposits its fertilizing elements on the surface. Manure applied to the surface is acted upon by the light, heat and rains—its elements are much more slowly envolved in the earth than on the surface. Every farmer should investigate this subject for himself and make his own conclusions.

EARLY LAMBS.—Early lambs will suffer more or less from the weather. Some will come in the night, and when the cold is intense. These stand a chance especially if unprotected, to be chilled to death. Such a lamb is not only without wool, and is tender and small, unlike the old sheep, (and they suffer,) but is wet. Some, the hardiest, will survive; but many perish. To save such a lamb, when just come, take it at once to the house if it is chilled, and exhibits weakness—and do not wrap it up—this will not warm it—but put it near or under the stove—put it where it is so hot as not to bear your hand without absolutely scorching the lamb. Keep it there till it revives and shows signs of animation and intelligence. Then feed (keeping it still warm) with milk from the ewe. Some prescribe a little stimulant mixed with the milk. After the lamb is strong wait no longer and proceed to the ewe with it. As it has already been taught how to feed, you must direct it in the natural way, and aid in obtaining nourishment from its mother. Where the sheep are wild, this will be difficult; and where they are unhoused, still more so. But a lamb is worth the trouble, and should not be sacrificed. It requires but one or two trials and all will be right.—*Coleman's Rural World.*

Straw and Root Cutters.

Reader, there is much refuse matter accumulated about the barn and stables which a good straw cutter will enable you to work up to advantage, and with the assistance of a root cutter—provided you have a supply of roots of any kind—to convert much fodder of an indifferent quality into a means of sustenance for your stock. If you once make a careful trial of cutting the fodder for a stock of cattle, horses included, you will realize how much corn fodder, straw and hay of an indifferent quality you will be able to work up, and at the same time become convinced that your stock has grown faster or made more fat and flesh, than under the old practice of feeding out entirely long hay. If no grain whatever is fed to cattle, the cutting may not be so important; we do not know, never having tried it. Where a portion of the feed is grain, often the case in places where hay finds a ready market—cutting the hay will prove of essential advantage. We fed six or seven cows and five horses last winter on corn fodder, English hay, meadow hay and barley straw. It was all cut and thoroughly mixed, and sprinkled with cold water and a little salt as the mixing proceeded, then thrown into a heap. At the end of two days one end of the heap was broken down and meal mixed with it. That for the horses being equal to about three quarts of corn meal per day: and that for the cows, equal to one quart of corn meal per day. All the stock did well, and it seemed to us at a considerable less cost than in the old way of feeding. The experiment was not an exact one, but confirmed several others of a similar nature, made some years before. The season for feeding stock in the barn is at hand, and we know of no one item of economy with the farmer more important than the use of the hay cutter.

If roots are used instead of grain, they flavor the mass of dry fodder, so that cattle eat the whole eagerly. We know one farmer to feed 30 or 40 cows through an entire winter on wheat straw, cut, and flat turnips, also cut. The cows were in sufficient flesh, and were producing a fair average of milk.—*N. E. Farmer.*

A colored man is elected to the Massachusetts House of Representatives this year, Mr. J. J. Smith, who is of the Boston delegation, from Ward Six. He was on the same ticket with Mr. Harvey Jewell and Mr. Linus Child, two distinguished public men. The Traveller says: Mr. Smith is in every way worthey of the honor he has received. He is a gentleman of ability, intelligence, and integrity, and a consistant Republican.

It is shown by official documents that only five thousand five hundred persons are disfranchised in Virginia under the reconstruction acts. And that is all the punishment that congress has inflicted upon the Virginia that holds buried in her soil ten times that number of loyal men killed in suppressing treason. Copperheads call Virginia an oppressed and suffering state.

Mr. Alexander T. Stewart, the famous dry goods millionaire of New York, it is said will erect a block of dwellings, to cost $1,000,000, and to be forever the home of the workingwomen of New York. It is to be a home where women may find food and shelter at prices within their reach, and whatever revenue it may yield is to be employed in the erection of other like institutions.

A diminutive colored man, about 50 years of age, living in Frogtown, southwest of the Capitol, Washington, and well known to many of the residents of that locality as "Jeff," is now living with his third wife, and has been the father of thirty children. Of the thirty all were boys, with one exception.

The latest improvement in stock in Vermont is a new breed of cats which have tails only an inch long. The advantages claimed for such tails are that they cannot get under a rocking chair or be stepped upon, and that the door can be closed quicker when they go out.—*Boston Journal.*

☞ Lawyer Bradley, who was dismissed from the bar by Judge Fisher, at the Surratt trial, for insolence, has been denied the right to practice in any of the courts of the District. The decision on the part of the Judges was unamimous. The copperheads at Washington hiss at it.

Vermont has not, for never had, a theater of any kind. The migratory dramatic "show" of Dan Worcester isn't worth the name.—*Springfield Republican.*

The private and unsolicited subscriptions at Boston to the fund of $100,000 for the family of the late Gov. Andrew, already exceed $73,000.

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Banks.

BANK OF LYNDON.

This is to notify all persons that the Bank of Lyndon, located at Lyndon, in the state of Vermont, will redeem its outstanding bills, at its office in Lyndon, aforesaid, for the term of one year from Dec. 15, 1866, at which said Bank ceased to exist on the 1st day of December, 1866, and that the following is a copy of an act passed by the legislature of Vermont at its last session, viz:

An act relation to the redemption of bank notes.

It is hereby enacted, &c.

Sec. 1. After the expiration of the charter of any bank chartered by this state, or after the termination of the existence of any such bank, agreeably to the laws of this state, such bank may cause notice to be published in all the weekly newspapers of the county where such bank is located, for one full year, setting fo th that said bank will redeem its outstanding bills the day of the expiration of its charter or the date of the termination of its existence, and a copy of this act. And upon due publication of such notice, neither such bank nor its officers shall be liable to any action for the non-redemption of any of its outstanding bills, unless the same shall have been duly presented and payment thereof demanded within the year aforesaid, at the banking house of said bank.

Sec. 2. After the expiration of the charter, or after the termination of the existence of any such bank as aforesaid, such bank shall cease to be subject to the operation, or liable to the provisions of the sixty-third section of chapter eighty-nine of the General Statutes.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Nov. 19, 1866.

The notice is given in compliance with said act.

Dated at Lyndon this 6th day of December 1866.

1Dec6-6w SAMUEL B. MATTOCKS, Cashier.

NOTICE.

The existence of the Bank of Caledonia, chartered by the legislature of the state of Vermont and located at Danville in said state, was terminated agreeably to the laws of said state, on the 20th day of June, 1866; and notice is hereby given that said bank will redeem its outstanding bills for the term of one year from Dec. 8, 1866.

The following act of the legislature is published by direction of said bank. By order of the Directors.

OREN CROSBY, Pres't. J. B. MATTOCKS, Cashier.

Danville, Vt., Dec. 6, 1866.

An act relating to the redemption of bank notes.

It is hereby enacted, &c.

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Sec. 3. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Nov. 19, 1866. 1dec6

NOTICE.

The Passumpsic Bank, whose charter terminated Feb. 15, 1866, gives notice that it will redeem its outstanding bills at the First National Bank in St Johnsbury, for one year from December 1, 1866, agreeably to the following act. E. C. DONGTON, Cashier.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Dec. 1, 1866.

An act relating to the redemption of bank notes.

It is hereby enacted, &c.

Sec. 1. After the expiration of the charter of any bank chartered by this state, or after the termination of the existence of any such bank, agreeably to the laws of this state, such bank may cause notice to be published in all the weekly newspapers of the county where such bank is located, for one full year, setting forth that said bank will redeem its outstanding bills the day of the expiration of its charter or the date of the termination of its existence, and a copy of this act. And upon due publication of such notice, neither such bank nor its officers shall be liable to any action for the non-redemption of any of its outstanding bills, unless the same shall have been duly presented and payment thereof demanded within the year aforesaid, at the banking house of said bank.

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THE VERMONT RAW BONE SUPERPHOSPHATE of LIME

Is made of raw bones, with the other necessary constituents of the **best quality**, and with no other admixture whatever, at the works of the Company, at St. Johnsbury, under the direction of HORACE PADDOCK, Esq., well known as an agriculturist, and also by his position long held as an officer of the Caledonia County Agricultural Society. Its preparation is conducted with **skill and fidelity** and it is the determination of the Company to **fully maintain its high standard of excellence.** It is manufactured from materials of such a character as show it to be the cheapest and best fertilizer ever offered in our market.

"The Vt. Raw Bone Superphosphate is the best every way." JONA. LAWRENCE, Sec. of Caledonia Co. Wool Growers Ass'n.

"The most satisfactory of any I have used." RONAZEA A. PARKS, Ex-Pr't Caledonia Co. Agricultural Society.

"Has proved all that can be desired." S. S. GOULD, West Concord, Vt.

"Contains the most Bone Phosphate of any I have tried." J. P. FISHER, Barnet, Vt.

"Is altogether the best in market, I feel entirely secure from frost though all else in other wise." HON. BARON MCLEAN, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

"Has a marked and beneficial effect on root crops and pasture." L. W. SANBORN, ESQ., Sec. of Caledonia Co. Agricultural Society.

"It stands at the head of everything of the kind I ever used or tried." J. & L. E. VAENUM, Peacham.

"There was two bushels where it was put, to one where it was not used. Tried side by side with Improved Superphosphate of Lime," (manufactured by W. L. Bradley of Boston) in crops under similar conditions of soil and treatment, there was a marked difference in favor of the Vt. Superphosphate." L. C. MATHEWS, ESQ., Pastor E. Ind. Church, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

"I had a better yield and earlier crops than neighbors who used twice as much of other kinds of Superphosphate. Tried on a portion of my crop, they ripened two weeks before the rest of the field." CAPT. H. PERKINS, Cabot, Vt.

"I got one fourth more bushels where I used the Vermont Superphosphate alone than where I used side by side of other superphosphate" and "records of well rotted manure to the same field, crop and treatment the same." HIRAM HILL, Prop'r of St. Johnsbury House.

"It is cheap, concentrated and efficient, it greatly increases the yield and matures the crop two or three weeks earlier than yard manure. It was entirely devoid of the disagreeable stench put in by other manufacturers and I am much of the opinion, it is the best we get." GEO. GALBRAITH, Barnet, Vt.

It brand shall be sold as cheaply as such an article can be offered. If a lower priced Superphosphate, and yet of good quality, be desired, let the genuine article be sold by the Company, be mixed with one part dry muck or fine old compost and a good article is the result, and at a cost of less than two dollars a hundred.

"Those who buy and use it will lose nothing. I left part of my field without any. The result was, VERY MUCH in favor of the Phosphate all through the season. A neighbor has come round at what I ordered, and calls it better than "Guano." LONSON L. RICE, Fairlee, Vt.

"Seven dollars worth brought me in an acre of extra good corn which I certainly should NOT have got without the Superphosphate, as it was a very late, poor piece on poor land. Other brands of Phosphate had not done well with me and I had still less faith in applying after the corn was up—but I put it on at the first hoeing—and was astonished to see how quick and vigorously it took hold of the crop." W. D. GOULD, ESQ., Concord, Vt.

"I have taken some pains to observe the effects upon various crops of the Superphosphate of Lime manufactured by Paddock, Dean & Co. They use a new material for a dryer which is in my judgement is much better than those used by manufacturers generally. It is Plaster of Paris. I had no doubt this would prove an improvement for clayey soils; but to my surprise it proves equally useful on loamy or sandy soils. I have seen its effects on several pieces of corn and potatoes. The corn where about fifty inches high AVERAGES ONE THIRD GREATER in weight than that in the same vicinity where no Superphosphate was applied. On potatoes its stimulating power is most strikingly manifested the growth in one instance was NEARLY DOUBLE that where none was used." HON. A. G. CHADWICK, St. Johnsbury, July, 1867.

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It gives a quick, vigorous start to the young plant.

It promotes luxuriance of growth throughout the season.

It greatly **increases the product.**

It matures the crop two or three weeks earlier so as to **secure it from frost.**

In a great measure it prevents the ravages of worms, insects and other enemies. It contains no barn yard grass-seed. It is transported to distances with ease, and applied with trifling labor, and as home made manure must always be insufficient for the needs of agriculture, **genuine Superphosphate is an invaluable auxiliary.**

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Legal.

Guardian Notice.

STATE OF VERMONT, } At a Probate Court held at
Essex District, ss. } Lunenburg, in and for said
district, on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1867.

Leander G. Smith, guardian of Fred Sibby, makes application for license to sell the interest of his said ward in real estate situated in Lunenburg, being the homestead of the late William Sibby, representing that the sale thereof for the purpose of putting the proceeds of such sale at interest, or investing the same in stock or real estate, would be beneficial to the interests of said ward.

Whereupon, it is ordered by said court, that said application be