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LIVE STOCK

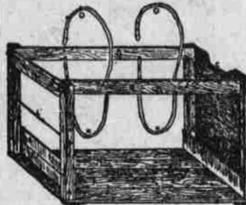


HOLDER FOR UNRULY EWES.
Device Which Will Prove Convenient at Lambing Time.

We have a plan for making a handy farm device for the holding of unruly ewes during lambing time, which we think will be of interest to others, writes a correspondent of Prairie Farmer.

This holder is used by us for holding stubborn ewes. We had a couple of very stubborn ewes last winter which would not own their lambs. We wanted to save the lambs, as they were very fine ones and we resorted to holding the ewes, but as this took considerable of our time we devised a holder which holds a sheep far more securely than two men can by hand.

We can place a ewe securely in this holder and go about doing other chores and the lambs will take care



Rack for Nervous Ewes.

of themselves. This holder might be very valuable to any farmer who has stubborn ewes. We would especially recommend its use in small flocks.

We saved all of our lambs last winter, which was quite a task, as they were born early in the winter when the weather was quite cold.

We make sheep holders of old fence boards, which did very well, as we find this material plenty strong, but when the lambs tried to suck they let us know that our device was not complete. We therefore resorted to iron rods, as shown in the cut and marked K and L. These are made adjustable for different sizes of sheep as shown in the cut by three rings which represent the holes which were bored through the corner posts.

We used the axes of an old children's playing wagon. These axes answered the purpose very nicely as they were just the right length. We then sawed two boards 34 inches long, marked BB in the cut. These were nailed to the inside of the corner posts. Then we attached a board across the front end with a portion marked C in the cut, sawed off so as to give plenty of room for the sheep's throat, enough to hold any of our sheep. In starting the construction we began with two boards, E and F, about 22 inches long, to which we nailed the bottom boards, which are 34 inches long. We made four posts of fence-boards 26 inches long, which we attached to the bottom or floor, one on each corner, as shown in the cut. These posts being marked A in the sketch. We then proceeded with our work and attached three boards at ends on bottom, one in front and two in the rear. These we thought would make the ewe stand in proper position.

We next attached an old hinge to a board for the rear end of the holder, which we then fastened to the holder by one nail through the bottom nail hole in the hinge which allows the board or end gate to drop down out of the way. This is quite a convenience, as it is out of the way and is not liable to be broken off by a sheep running against it. This board is marked D in the cut. This door is fastened shut by a small hook which goes over the nail in the end of the door.

We then found that we must strap our sheep in the holder to make them secure. So we nailed straps to the boards B, B, two straps to go over the sheep's back and two straps to go under the sheep's belly. These straps as shown in the sketch, are marked O. N. They can be made adjustable by putting any number of holes in the straps which may be found necessary for the size of the sheep which the holder is to accommodate. Four different straps are used for this purpose, one end being securely nailed to the board on the one side and the other end being slipped over a nail, which makes it a very convenient fastening.

For making the iron rods stay in place we fastened a wooden button, as it is called, which holds the rods in their place. We then inclosed the front end by nailing boards on slantingly. This makes the holder much more rigid than it would be were the boards nailed on straight across; the boards form a very good brace in this way.

Hogs Affected by Temperature.
In spite of the hog having a thick skin, he is easily affected by temperature. He should have warm quarters in winter and cool quarters in summer. The latter should be always free from dust, as dust in the lungs of the hog is a fruitful source of trouble. In the colder parts of the United States hogs are too often neglected in the matter of quarters and are forced to occupy drafty situations. They are sometimes even left without bedding. Hogs sleeping on bare boards are not only uncomfortable, but are losing much of the heat of their bodies. This means discomfort and loss of food that escapes in the form of heat. The hogs should always have an abundance of bedding.

FRIENDS HELP

St. Paul Park Incident.

"After drinking coffee for breakfast I always felt languid and dull, having no ambition to get to my morning duties. Then in about an hour or so a weak, nervous derangement of the heart and stomach would come over me with such force I would frequently have to lie down.

"At other times I had severe headaches; stomach finally became affected and digestion so impaired that I had serious chronic dyspepsia and constipation. A lady, for many years State President of the W. C. T. U., told me she had been greatly benefited by quitting coffee and using Postum Food Coffee; she was troubled for years with asthma. She said she was no cross to quit coffee when she found she could have as delicious an article as Postum.

"Another lady, who had been troubled with chronic dyspepsia for years, found immediate relief on ceasing coffee and beginning Postum twice a day. She was wholly cured. Still another friend told me that Postum Food Coffee was a Godsend to her, her heart trouble having been relieved after leaving off coffee and taking Postum.

"So many cases came to my notice that I concluded coffee was the cause of my trouble and I quit and took up Postum. I am more than pleased to say that my days of trouble have disappeared. I am well and happy. "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pgs.

MORE STOCK—LESS CORN.

Method by Which Soil Can Be Kept in Good State of Fertility.

Years of experience have taught me that the wise farmer is he who keeps his land up to the highest notch of fertility, if not by many means, then another. There are many different ways to accomplish this, and the plan for each man to follow is the one that gives best results, with material at hand, at least expense.

Here in Southwestern Iowa, writes the correspondent of Farmers' Voice, it is not necessary to buy fertilizers that are sold in the markets. Most farmers keep at least a few head of stock and the wise man is he who doubles the number of head of stock and divides his acres of corn. If he will then judiciously and systematically go about building up his land (supposing it has run down), his income would very soon double.

Every man must study his soil, and if he has a knowledge of chemistry so much the better; but for the ordinary farmer, I first recommend seeding down old worn out land to clover, using plenty of seed, and in three or four years plowing the clover under deep, and seeding some other part of his farm to the same.

So many farmers have the idea that they must have from 60 to 80 acres of corn, and perhaps not an acre of hay or pasture. The corn will average say 40 bushels, where if they had half the number of acres and made it yield 70 bushels, they would be the gainers; then seed the balance to hay. Timothy, clover and alfalfa bring always a good price, and if the farmer will keep hogs and cattle enough to feed this crop, put every ounce of manure on the land where it is most needed every year or two, plowing up a new piece and seeding down, there is not the least doubt but that his bank account will double.

Farmers that live on leased land cannot follow this method and move every year, but it is to the interest of both landlord and tenant to stay on the same place as long as possible and also to bring the land up to the highest productivity.

There is no more simple plan to follow for the average farmer than crop rotation. If we see a field of thin soil with the corn stalks no larger than one's finger and showing a yield of no more than 20 bushels, you will also find on the same farm manure piled around the barn so high one can find no room for anything else, and one can be sure that farm has never had a load of any kind of fertilizer and the only thing it is sure to have will be a mortgage.

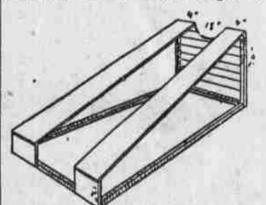
A BREEDING RACK FOR BULL.

Description of Stocks in Use by Experiment Station.

Following is a description of a pair of stocks in use in connection with the Pennsylvania experiment station herd, and which have been giving very good satisfaction:

The apparatus is constructed by sinking two 3x4 inch timbers into the ground, these being about three and one-quarter feet high and 18 inches apart. At a distance of 8 and one-half feet from these, and in line with them, place two similar supports one and one-half feet high. These supports are each connected by a plank, and a bar placed across the upper end, forming a pair of stocks into which a cow may be easily gotten.

They are also made adjustable, so that they can be made larger or



The Breeding Rack.

smaller as the case may demand. This is accomplished by fastening the planks upon which the bull's feet will rest, with movable pins, so that they may be placed close together, or the reverse.

In this connection, considerable trouble was experienced in properly gauging the width of them. If they are too wide the bull's feet will get down between the cow and the support and might cause injury to both animals. The width already given, 18 inches, is sufficient, and in case of helpers, may be somewhat less than this. It requires, too, several trials, before the bull becomes accustomed to his new surroundings, but when properly made, and with a little care and experience, it is found to give very satisfactory results.

We append, says Hoard's Dairyman, an illustration of a device, which embodies all the essential principles above described, but is made movable and more in the form of a box. It should be made very strong and the planks upon which the bull's feet are to rest should be supported from below by a plank reaching from the front to the rear corner posts. One of these planks should be left loosely fastened with bolts or pins so that the space between them may be increased or decreased to correspond with the size of the cow.

Barley as a Hog Ration.

Barley is a very good food for the production of prime pork and especially for prime bacon. This grain has not yet come into favor in America as a swine food, but it is one of the principal foods used by Danish farmers, and the pork made on that kind of ration sells at a high price in all markets. Danish bacon, which has such a high reputation in the English market, is made largely on barley and dairy products. The Ontario experiment station years ago decided that it was one of the best swine foods that could be secured. There it is regarded as a grain that should constitute one-third of the ration when the best bacon is to be produced.

Gentle Cattle.

Kindness, resulting in gentle cattle, pays both from the humane standpoint and the dollars and cents standpoint.

SEEDING COMMENCED IN WESTERN CANADA.

The Prospects for a Large Acreage to Be Sown in Wheat.

St. Paul, April 24, 1907.—Word has been received at the office of the Canadian Government in St. Paul that seeding has commenced at various points throughout Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The heavy snowfall during the past winter has left the ground in splendid shape for successful seeding operations. The fine weather of the past few days has taken much of the frost out of the ground and during next week there will scarcely be a district in which the seeder is not being operated. The most optimistic conditions exist and in all districts the farmers are busy getting things in shape. There will be a very large acreage sown in spring wheat, oats and barley. At many points throughout the three provinces the newcomers are busy unloading their stock and effects, working night and day in order to get on their farms and become active agencies in the effort to make the year 1907 the banner year in grain producing in Western Canada.

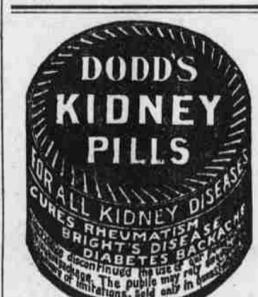
As compared with hundreds of miles further south than this, it will be seen that Western Canada ranks amongst the first in the line of seeding operations for the present year. It is safe to say that farmers who get in their crop before the 20th or 24th of May, will receive magnificent returns. A number of those coming in this spring, who had not their land prepared last fall, will break up enough land to get in a crop of oats and barley and probably some flax. This, together with the vegetables they will plant, will give them ample food for themselves and stock during the coming summer and winter. These early seeding operations are not confined to one district, but are spread over a country 900 miles long by 400 miles in width.

The agents of the Canadian Government, located at different points throughout the United States, are busy giving information regarding the many new districts that are being made available for settlers. Low railway rates, information and literature are given on application to the agent, whose name appears in advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

Her Chief Worry.

"Well, poor girl," said Mrs. Marryat, "you have been married just long enough now to begin to experience your husband's shortcomings."

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LABOR OF THE NOVELIST.
"The way of the novelist must be hard," said a librarian of an uptown branch. "The other day an immaculate gotten up individual came into the library and announced that he was a writer with a specialty of dialect stories. We got him several books that he asked for, and little by little he took me into his confidence. 'I want the Scotch dialect for the stern father,' he explained; 'then when I've got enough of that I want some dialect for a sea captain, and then I want a duke—or maybe you can tell me, would a duke drop his h's?'—N. Y. Sun.

Relief Works in China.

Relief work to employ 3,000 men have been established in the Chinese famine centers. The English-American relief fund amounts to \$250,000.

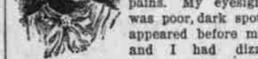
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PUT RELIGIOUS DUTY SECOND.

Stern Laws of Business Come First, Says Austrian Court.

An interesting case at law, which centered on the observance of an old Jewish custom, was decided in Vienna recently. A merchant, says the American Israelite, discharged a clerk on account of neglect of duty. Among the charges against him was that he came to the store late in the morning because he attended service at the synagogue in order to say Kaddish—the prayer for the dead—for his father. The clerk argued that it was his privilege and his duty to say the prayer for his departed father, while the merchant, who was also a religious man, maintained that "if Moses had known that a man had to pay 8,000 gulden a year rent he would have made different laws." The judge would not allow such an argument, but decided in favor of the merchant, "because the daily attendance at the synagogue could not be considered the right of the clerk without the consent of the employer."

FAMILY'S SKIN TROUBLES.

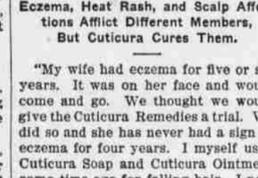
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