



SPECIAL INTEREST TO FARMER AND STOCKMAN

Cover That Do Their Best. Success of farmers of the dairy... generally depend very largely on the care that is given to the cow and the comfort and convenience with which she is treated.

With a detailed report... of the dairy industry in Utah... the report shows that the dairy industry is one of the most important of the state.

Food Eaten by Sheep and Cattle. It is sometimes asserted that cattle and sheep require the same amount of food per thousand pounds of live weight.

Preventing Growth of Horns. A common method now in use to do away with the horns is to prevent their growth by the use of chemicals on the corium.

Dairy Cow and Herd. Following is from an address by M. C. Conroy, assistant agricultural chemist, Utah Agricultural Experiment Station.

More Business, the More Horses. The Nebraska Farmer has an sympathy with those who fear an early day of the "horseless age."

Great Cattle Exports. The Department of Agriculture says that the export of cattle in the United States for the fiscal year 1901, 1902, was 1,311,000 head.

Demand for Horses and the Future. Some striking figures are about to be published by the Department of Agriculture in a bulletin by Dr. George M. Bennett, an expert in the Bureau of Animal Industry.

conditions of the horse market... the price of the horse market in 1901... was not so good as in 1900.

It would relate what a well-to-do farmer told me a few days ago... he had a large flock of mixed fowls.

Now, on the other hand, these average farmers who keep poultry... are not so much interested in the business of producing eggs during the winter.

Prize Poultry Record. An Eastern woman who lately won a large sum of money for her prize poultry record and results in 1901, started the year with only thirty-three hens.

Western Horses. An Idaho range horse breeder recently in the Oregonian is quoted thus: "Range horses will not breed in the summer months as well as in the winter."

Period of Gestation in Mares. Much difference of opinion prevails as to the average time during which a mare carries her foal.

Poultry with the Farmer. How to make the best produce eggs, is the most important consideration with the farmer as well as with some others who are interested in this line.

Black Teeth in Pigs. While looking through the neighborhood for pigs, I would meet farmers who would say their pigs were not doing well that they had black teeth.

After reviewing the past and present... of the dairy industry in Utah... it is evident that the industry is one of the most important of the state.

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Feeding Pigs. The Indiana station has reported some data on a question which often arises in pig-feeding, viz: What is the advantage of mixing the grain feed with water.

Goats Make Good Farm Hands. Goats make successful farm hands in Missouri, G. A. H. Ellis, secretary of the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station, draws his conclusions from the results of a twelve months' experience.

Starting Tomato Plants. The New Hampshire experiment station has made some tests with methods of starting tomato plants. In one test, the plants were transplanted into small holes in the soil.

Poultry Raising for Pleasure and Profit. In all business enterprises it is an established fact that to insure a reasonable degree of success one must be in every detail.

Dignity of Farm Labor. The Bishop of Shrewsbury, preaching at a banquet in his diocese last week, made some remarks concerning farm labor on the land.

Value of Salt for Sheep. The value of salt for sheep is shown by an experiment in France, where three lots of animals, fed alike on hay, straw, potatoes and beans for 14 days.

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Alfalfa vs. Red Clover. The Department is coming to be a strong believer in alfalfa. It believes that it is a much better feed than red clover, where the farmer handles it with intelligence.

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