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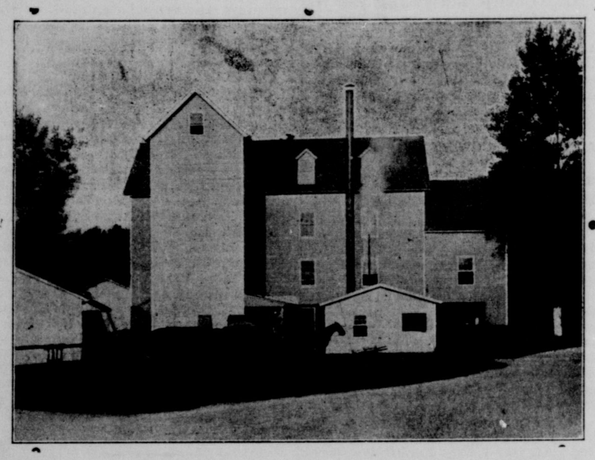
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PRIZES GIVEN BY MIDDLETOWN FARMS FOR YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1907.

The first prize, a Jersey or Guernsey bull calf, valued at $50, which was offered by the proprietors of Middletown Farms to the patron who had the least variation from month to month in the butter fat which they received from him, and who averaged for the twelve months not less than 250 pounds of butter fat per month, was won by Wm. B. Wilson, of St. Augustine, who delivered an average of 258 pounds of butter fat per month for the year, his highest month being May, when he delivered 283 pounds and the lowest month February, when he delivered 135 pounds, making a variation of 248 pounds.

The second prize, a Jersey or Guernsey bull calf, valued at $30, which was offered to the patron who had the least variation from month to month in butter fat received from him, and who averaged for the twelve months between 150 and 250 pounds of butter fat per month was won by William Price, of Sandy Branch, who averaged for the twelve months 226 pounds of butter fat per month, and who in his highest month, September, delivered 309 pounds of butter fat, and who in his lowest month, November, delivered 162 pounds of butter fat, making a variation between the highest and lowest months of 147 pounds of butter fat.

The third prize, consisting of a Jersey or Guernsey bull calf, valued at $10, which was offered to the patron who had the least variation from month to month in butter fat received from him, and who averaged for the twelve months between 50 pounds and 150 pounds per month was won by E. J. Davis, of Cecilton, who averaged for the twelve months 77 pounds of butter fat per month, his highest month being August, when he delivered 111 pounds and his lowest month being April when he delivered 48 pounds of butter fat, making a variation from the highest to the lowest months of 63 pounds.

The Guernsey herd belonging to Cook & Brady had an average during the year of 314 pounds of butter fat per month, the highest month being March, 397 pounds and the lowest month, April, 227 pounds, making a variation of but 70 pounds during the year, and the herd of Fred. Brady, had an average of 280 pounds of butter fat for the twelve months, the highest month being June, 406 pounds of butter fat and the lowest month being December 201 pounds, making a variation from the highest to the lowest months of 205 pounds of butter fat. Both of these herds would have won over Mr. Wilson, but of course, could not be allowed the prize.

Mr. John Piser, of Sandy Branch, made Mr. Wilson a close race, in this class, having an average 451 pounds per month, for the twelve months, with his highest month, September, being 670 pounds of butter fat, and his lowest month, December, being 262 pounds of butter fat, making a variation of 408 pounds between the highest and lowest months.

In the second class Mr. H. L. Neff came next to Mr. Price, having an average for the twelve months of 161 pounds of butter fat with a variation of 157 pounds between the highest and lowest months, while Mr. Harry Holt, of Massey, made a very good show in that class having an average of 175 pounds per month for the twelve months, with a variation of only 173 pounds between his highest and lowest months.

In the third class Mr. C. W. Davis, Jr., of Cecilton, came second to Mr. E. J. Davis, having an average of 78 pounds of butter fat for the twelve months, with a variation of but 64 pounds. Mr. James Burris, of Cecilton, came next with an average of 76 pounds per month for the twelve months, with a variation of 66 pounds, while Mr. H. A. Elliott, of Wye Mills, came next with an average of 51 pounds per month with a variation of but 67.

Will Burn Smoke.—John Henry Parsons, one of the best known engineers of the Delaware Railroad, has invented a smoke consumer for use on the locomotives of the Pennsylvania Railroad. This device has been tested now for more than a month and it has proven satisfactory. It completely does away with the black smoke from the locomotives, and at the same time is a great fuel saver. Last week two engines were fitted out with the device, one running from Philadelphia to Delmar and from Philadelphia to Washington. In passing through the tunnel at Union Station, at Baltimore, it was noticed that not a bit of black smoke issued from the engine. On each engine was an expert from the motive power Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad and it was noted that the device saved just one-third of the fuel as usually used on each of these runs. It is said that both experts made a most favorable report to the Altoona shops on the invention, and it is almost certain now that the Pennsylvania Railroad will adopt the device.

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