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WINTERING COWS.

How to Keep the Stable In Healthy Condition.

If you are so much afraid of disease in the stable, all you have to do is to keep the air pure by keeping the stable reasonably clean and using road dust or plaster as a disinfectant, writes Mr. L. S. Hardin in Home and Farm.

Having done this and bedded the cows with straw, leaves or other cheap stuff, worth more than its cost for manure, then comes the question of watering the cows. Most dairymen turn the cows out twice a day to water, but in very cold or wet weather, and especially when the water is a considerable distance from the stable, this is a cruel practice, especially when the ground is covered with ice or frozen snow.

To overcome this difficulty many progressive farmers are leading the water into the stables with pipes and laying these pipes deep enough to make the water comparatively warm in winter, for all acknowledge that it requires a great waste of food to warm up a cow that gets chilled with drinking ice water. I once ran water pipes under the mangers and had a tub sunk in the ground in each stall so the cow could drink at will. This proved a miserable failure, because the cows were constantly dropping food into the tubs, and in warm weather this would ferment and make the water foul.

Not only this, but water standing open in a cow stable rapidly absorbs all the bad smells that come over it. A large cistern covered with a tight floor in a shed adjoining the cow stable could not be kept sweet enough for use. The only way to keep the water pure enough for the cows to drink it is to have the basins out of which they drink only large enough to hold the amount they need at one drinking, and let the water all out of it when the cow is through. Once a day would perhaps be often enough to dry out the basin, provided each one was kept clean of ground food that the cow drops in it from her mouth.

Speaking of ground food getting in the water basins and fermenting, this is one great trouble, especially in warm weather, about the mangers. There are always little cracks that cows force the meal into, and they lick around it until it gets wet, and then in a few hours that meal has got to fermenting, and the flies lay eggs in it, and then the maggots. The wise dairyman will look out for this trouble and see that every manger is brushed out clean after the cows are fed and at the same time note which cows have refused some of their ration, and see that next time she gets only so much as she will eat up clean, even if a little salt must be sprinkled over it to help her appetite.

Stripper Butter.

The statement is often made, and recent experiments at the Oregon station go to show, that cream rises imperfectly in milk from cows in advanced periods of lactation (stripper cows) and that it is difficult to obtain butter of good flavor from such milk. The Iowa station has investigated this subject, using milk from fresh cows and from those which had been in milk over six months (strippers). The milk from the two lots was creamed and churned separately. The results show that when the separator system was used the butter from the stripper milk was as good as that from the milk of the fresh cows. Under a gravity system there may be some difference, as so many dairymen claim, and the following is a possible explanation: The fat globules, as is well known, are smaller in advanced periods of lactation, and when cream from such milk is raised by the gravity process more time is required for the cream to rise than when the milk is from fresh cows whose milk contains globules of much larger size. We have found that cream or milk when kept at a low temperature for some time develops a somewhat bitter flavor. There seems to be an organism which grows at that low temperature and which gives a flavor to the cream and to the butter. It is possible that this is why stripper milk is generally considered inferior for the production of butter. As a means of overcoming these difficulties it is suggested that the stripper cows be given some food of a succulent nature which will increase the flow of milk and thus render it less viscous, and that a strong starter of sour milk be used with the cream.

Raising Calves Without Skimmilk.

We are raising four heifer calves this year that came early in the fall, as we prefer them to arrive in the fall in preference to spring. The calves were selected from our best cows. We allow the calves to suck one day or night, as the case may be, then take them away and teach them to drink, giving them their mother's milk, about two quarts twice a day, for a week, and at a week old the calf is given a small strip of mangel, cut from the inside, not giving any of the rind, and you would be surprised how soon it will begin to eat them (the mangel is put right into the calf's mouth). The mangels are increased gradually until the calf eats a whole one. At the end of a week the milk is diluted with a little flaxseed tea, made by boiling a quart of flaxseed and two gallons of water to a jelly. About a tablespoonful of the jelly is taken, a little boiling water poured over it and added to the milk, and the flax and water increased and the milk decreased, so by the time the calf is a month old it will be getting only flaxseed and water. A little bran is gradually added to the mangels until at 2 months old calves will take a quart of bran, two quarts of mangels, cut fine, and about four quarts of flax and water, twice daily. After that time the flax may be dropped and warm water substituted. Of course a little clover hay of good quality is always kept before them. If any of the readers will try this plan, they will have no need for those calf feeders to keep the calf from getting scour.—M. Will Denton in Hoard's Dairyman.

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EXTRA EARLY TOMATOES.

Dwarf Sorts Started Under Glass In January and February.

The idea of utilizing tomato varieties of the dwarf champion type for the purpose of raising extra early tomatoes is considered by T. Greiner in The Farm and Fireside. He finds the two most promising sorts among these to be Fordhook Fancy, with purplish fruit, and another new kind, the Ideal, which has red fruit. Plants of either may be started very early under glass, and if given half a chance will make good, stiff, strong plants that can be transplanted to open ground at the regular season while in bloom or even fruit without suffering the least check in growth. He says: "This year (1899) I shall sow the seed in flats some time in January, and for a later lot some time in February. I hope to be able to have ripe tomatoes in June; have had them year after year as early as July 4, and plenty of them in the latter part of that month."

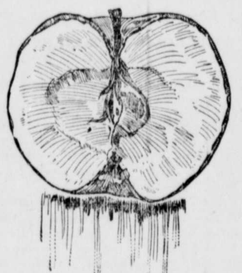
From the originator of the Fordhook Fancy Mr. Greiner has received an interesting letter, in which the following occurs: "Some time during the past year I wrote you that I intended to try your plan of raising early tomatoes—namely, by using the dwarf kinds and growing them under glass as long as possible, thinking that the dwarfs would grow to a much greater age with less trouble than the large kinds. The plan succeeded, much to my satisfaction and profit. I started my plants early in March, and they did not draw or get leggy by the time for setting out, about the middle of May to the 1st of June. I picked my first ripe tomatoes July 8, and commenced selling the 13th. For about a month I had the control of this small market, or until Aug. 15, and up to that time my tomatoes sold for 3 cents a pound, or $1.50 a bushel. Then they dropped to 50 cents, and finally got down to 25 cents. My profit came from my early tomatoes. My plants produced abundantly in the latter part of the season. It seems as if those that produced the earliest fruit gave also the most late fruit.

"I used dwarf Fordhook Fancy. It appears to me to have several points ahead of the old Dwarf Champion. The fruit is larger and of better shape. The plants are more compact and are more upright, and seemed to be slow to throw out laterals, so that the first fruit set gets the whole strength of the plant. It sets fruit under circumstances that the Dwarf Champion will not, as this does not seem to produce enough pollen to fertilize itself until it gets to growing thriftily. This I believe to be an important point with an early tomato.

"I have seen a new dwarf which might be called a Dwarf Early Advance. Like the Early Advance, it grows its fruit in clusters and seems to set its fruit under almost all circumstances. I tried the Ideal you sent me last spring and find it a very fine red dwarf, one of the best I have ever seen, and am certain it will be of value where such a tomato is desired."

A Promising New Apple.

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SEEDLING OF GRAVENSTEIN.

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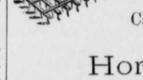
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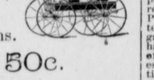


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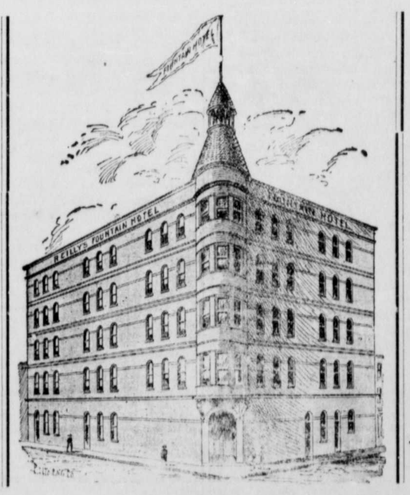
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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' ANNUAL NOTICE.

The County Commissioners of Kent county will meet at their office in Chestertown, Md., TUESDAY, March 14th, 1899, at Eleven o'clock a. m., and will continue to meet every TUESDAY until the 21 day of May next, for the purpose of noting transfers and correcting assessments. All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since their last sitting for said purpose, are particularly requested to appear at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted. After TUESDAY, the 9th day of May next, no alterations or corrections in the assessments will be made for 1899.

On first TUESDAY, (2d) of MAY next, a "County Health Officer" and a "Janitor" of Court House Buildings and Grounds will be appointed to serve for one year.

All persons having accounts against the county are requested to present the same on or before TUESDAY, the 6th day of June next, otherwise they may be excluded from the Levy of this year.

All accounts properly chargable to the county are required to be made out in a clear manner, itemized and rendered under oath.

All Applications for Pensions must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of the applicant and vouched for by THREE or more free-holders having a knowledge of the fact therein set forth.

All Mortgages or Assignments thereof, are particularly requested to have entered of record within the time required by Code of P. G. Laws, all mortgages executed since September 1st, 1898, and the payments on all mortgages executed since March 30th, 1896, that have not since been released, that the amount of mortgage taxes on gross amount of interest covenanted to be paid may be correctly estimated for the present year.

All Persons are also particularly requested to make application during the sittings for said purpose, to have any errors in their assessments corrected, otherwise allowances for taxes paid in error may be refused.

SAMUEL TODD, PRES'T;
DANIEL HILL,
JOSEPH R. USILTON,
GEO. W. HATCHERSON,
THOMAS J. FLETCHER,
County Commissioners.

Attest—T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk.
March 16, 1899—tm.

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