## Agricultural.

### The Guenon System of Judging Stock.

I am asked to state the leading points of the Guenon system of estimating the value of a cow. Mons. Guenon was a Frenchman, living in the vicinity of Bordeaux, who in 1823 first called public attention to a system he had planned by which a cow could be judged, as to the quantity of the milk she would give, and the length of time she would give it after calving; also whether a calf would be profitable to raise, or a bull as a progenitor. In 1837 two of the leading agricultural societies of France pronounced his system infallible, and heaped honors upon him. In 1846 his work was translated and published in the Farmers' Library and Journal of Agriculture, edited by J. S. Skinner. Like all new discoveries it has had its advocates and its critics. Guenon by long observation became convinced there were certain indubitable marks on the posteriors of neat cattle by which he could definitely fix their value for milk, butter or fattening properties.

These marks are the escutcheon, so called because it is somewhat shield-shaped, and the more it varies in correct outline, or is blemished, the less is the value of its indications.

Let us go into the field and examine the stock there. Here is a quiet cow, one of the first indications of being a good animal. Lift the tail to one side, and you see extending from the vulva down the perineum to the point where the udder begins to be seen, a difference in the shade of color of the hair. This hair from the down extends upon each thigh, including the udder. If it is a first-class escutcheon you will see this mark is much of the shape of a round-pointed shovel, or a shield. Now this difference is produced by up-growing hair while on the rest of the animal the hair grows down. Feel the difference with your hand. In a good animal this up-growing hair will be short, fine and soft, while the skin covered by it including that of the udder will be thin, oleaginous and soft, like a kid glove. And if the cow gives good milk this skin will have a rich golden hue.

This escutcheon varies in shape which induced Guenon to divide it into eight classes, to which he gave the names of Flandrine, Jelvage, Curveline, Bicorn, Demijohn, Square, Limousine and Horizontal. These shapes are either perfect or have irregularities in their outline, which guided him in subdividing his arrangement and classification of them into eight orders, the first being the most valuable and the eighth class and the eighth order being the least valuable.

He found the first would give twenty quarts, and continue to give milk until they are eight months gone with calf, or really they never go dry unless dried off, and the last would give but two quarts, and go dry upon being got with calf.

Now you can readily see the value of the system, for by a knowledge of it you can tell just where to place your stock in the intermediate grades. You can pick out the best cow and avoid the worst; you can tell which calf to raise and which to sell; which to raise and which to use; which steer to buy for fatteuing and which to refuse. And it is necessary that the farmer should learn at least this much of the system. But the opponents of it will not recognize its value unless you can tell to a quart what a cow will give, ignoring what Guenon himself said that the climate, the food, and the season will vary the yield somewhat.

In order to set at rest any doubts about its value, the Governor appointed a committee to test the system this summer and fall by actual examinations. The cows are examined and a record made by the commission on the spot. An account of the qualities of each said is drawn up by the owner. Each is made at separate times and without the knowledge of the other party. Then the two accounts are copied off into parallel columns for comparison. If the accounts agree in 75 per cent. out of 100, it certainly must be presumed the system is correct. Of course the result of the report to be made in November will be looked for with interest.

A partial report was made May, 1880, at the meeting of the State board of agriculture, at Doylestown.—*Willis P. Hazard, in Farm Journal.*

### Profitable Poultry.

Eggs have been scarce and dear during the winter owing to the unusual and continued severity of the season. Fowls appear to have had as much to do as they were able in keeping themselves warm, and in many cases have exhibited an utter indifference as to the need of eggs on the part of their owners. The complaint has been general among farmers, but there have been fortunate exceptions. One of these a resident of New Jersey, writes to the *American Agriculturist* as follows: "I believe in the necessity of supplying fowls with animal food in winter. I have demonstrated the fact to my satisfaction that poultry can be made as profitable in winter as in summer. I have about one hundred and fifty hens, and am now receiving on an average forty eggs per day, and the thermometer below zero. Eggs are bringing forty-eight cents per dozen, and the expenses about eight dollars per month. My hennery is built cheaply, has a glass front, fronting south, in which I have placed a small stove, and keep fire night and day. I keep constantly before them, in self-feeding boxes, corn, wheat, and oats, from which to choose; they eat much the most of wheat. I find it impracticale to furnish so large a number with green bones, but give them clover hay, which seems to answer the purpose, and of which they are very fond."

### Marriage.

Perhaps nothing shows the existence of the Divine idea in marriage so much as its incomprehensible mystery, which all those who enter it, save the most frivolous and thoughtless, are obliged to recognize, feeling themselves as much surrounded by it as if they lived among the great, primeval agencies that first set the world going—for to all it seems as strange as if they were the first and only ones, and they were at a loss to explain it or penetrate the meaning of the deep and sacred enigma. They understood a mother's love for the flesh of her flesh in her children, a child's love for the visible providence of its father, but who is to comprehend the love of the husband, who arrived at maturity with all his prejudices formed, his course marked out, meets one who, in scarcely more than an instant, becomes more to him than father or mother, sister or brother, or all the world—in short, on whose presence the happiness of the world hinges? And who shall comprehend the devotion of the wife, who, if need be, would die for her husband?

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**Agent for the**

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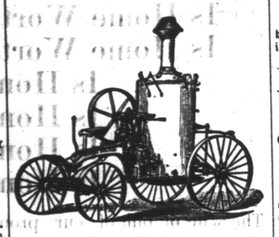

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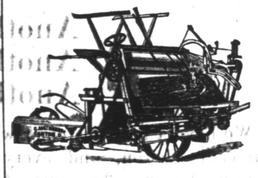

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ON and after Monday, Jan. 3rd, 1881, (Sundays excepted,) trains will run as follows:

GOING NORTH.

| STATIONS. | No. 1. | No. 2. |
|---|---|---|
| Oxford, Leave, | 7 15 AM | 10 00 AM |
| Trappe, | 7 27 | 10 13 |
| Easton, | 7 45 | 10 37 |
| Woodland, | 8 03 | 10 56 |
| Cordova, | 8 14 | 11 06 |
| Hillsboro, | 8 30 | 11 23 |
| Ridgely, | 8 42 | 11 35 |
| Greensboro, | 9 00 | 11 53 |
| Goldsboro, | 9 15 | 12 21 PM |
| Henderson, | 9 26 | 12 38 |
| Marydel, | 9 36 | 12 53 |
| Slaughters, | 9 49 | 1 12 |
| Kenton, | 10 07 | 1 40 |
| Clayton, Arrive, | 10 22 | 2 05 |
| Wilmington, | 12 07 PM | 6 50 |
| Philadelphia, | 1 19 | 8 25 |
| Baltimore, | 3 28 | 9 20 |
| New York, | 4 45 | 8 45 AM |

GOING SOUTH.

| STATIONS. | No. 3. | No. 4. |
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| New York, Leave, | 11 55 AM | 8 15 AM |
| Baltimore, | 7 30 | 9 15 |
| Philadelphia, | 8 15 | 11 45 |
| Wilmington, | 9 35 | 1 05 PM |
| Clayton, | 11 15 | 2 40 |
| Kenton, | 11 31 | 3 01 |
| Slaughters, | 11 49 | 3 22 |
| Marydel, | 12 01 PM | 3 38 |
| Henderson, | 12 11 | 3 49 |
| Goldsboro, | 12 21 | 4 00 |
| Greensboro, | 12 38 | 4 20 |
| Ridgely, | 12 52 | 4 37 |
| Hillsboro, | 1 04 | 4 51 |
| Cordova, | 1 20 | 5 11 |
| Woodland, | 1 30 | 5 21 |
| Easton, | 2 00 | 5 58 |
| Trappe, | 2 20 | 6 20 |
| Oxford, Arrive, | 2 42 | 6 35 |

All freights must be at the various stations at least Thirty (30) Minutes before starting of trains, otherwise they will lay over Twenty-four hours.

Freight Trains will have Passenger Car attached, which will be subject to delays incident to the freight business.

O. S. SANFORD, Supt.

Oxford, Jan. 3rd, 1881.

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Easton March 25th, 1879.

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