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Flushing Ewes to Bring More Lambs

Flock Owners Always Interested in Any Plan to Increase Crop.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Flock owners are usually interested in anything that will increase the lamb crop. A bulletin put out by the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington on "Flushing Ewes and Other Means of Increasing Lamb Yields," Bulletin 996, gives the results of tests with 17 groups of ewes.

Gain Made by Ewes.
Ewes not fed in breeding season gained 1.7 pounds and had a 129 per cent lamb crop. Those getting feed of various kinds gained eight pounds per head and had a 147 per cent lamb crop. In terms of 1,000 sheep, this would mean 280 more lambs. The ewes got only one-half pound of grain per day at that time.

It made little difference how the ewes were fed so long as they gained. Some got extra pasture, some were fed oats, some corn and oats, and some various mixtures of corn, oats, bran and linseed meal. In the grain fed lots as well as in the pasture lots, some were above the 147 per cent average and some below, showing that the kind of feed was not important.

"Flushing" is an old English term and originally meant turning the ewes on some special green forage crop just before breeding season. In the government experiments the pasture-flushed ewes did better some years. Other years the grain-fed ewes had more lambs.

Have Ewes Gaining.
The main thing seemed to be not to have the ewes in high flesh but to have them gaining in flesh. Of those that gained from one to seven pounds, 34 per cent produced twin lambs. Of those gaining seven to thirty pounds, 44 per cent had twins. The two poorest lots among those getting extra feed were ewes that were already in high flesh.

Old ewes had a higher proportion of twins than did young ewes. There was very little difference between the breeds as to the number of twins dropped. The Dorsets stood at the top, however, with the fine woolled breeds at the bottom. The rams did not seem to influence the number of twins produced.—Charles I. Bray, Animal Husbandry, Colorado Agricultural College.

How Butter Is Formed by Tiny Globules of Fat

Milk really consists of a number of very tiny globules of fat, each one enclosed in a thin "skin," floating in a fluid. If the milk be left to stand, a certain number of these globules rise to the surface and become cream, or the separations can be made artificially.

The cream is then churned, and the violent motion breaks the skins of the globules, so freeing the particles of fat. These particles, under proper conditions (the temperature must be right, and the cream must contain a proportion of acid) then become adhesive and stick to each other. The result, after treatment by hardening with a little cold water, washing and probably salting, is what we call butter.

What is left is buttermilk, or the fluid that has been robbed of its fat.

Roughage for Sheep

Shredded corn fodder is very much more adapted to feeding these sheep capons, November to March. Packing in ice is practiced in very warm weather for long shipments.

Getting Rid of Mice

To rid the chicken house of mice keep the feed in the mouseproof bins. Prevent the mice from multiplying by removing their breeding places. These will be found under boxes, boards, loose flooring and the like. If a good cat or two can be kept around the premises, they will help hold the mice in check. The use of good traps is recommended, but not poison, unless it can be handled in such a way as to make sure that the fowls will not get access to it.

Large Yield of Milk

In order to secure a large yield of milk, it is quite as important that the cow or herd is handled properly as that proper feeding is practiced. There have been many instances where the best cows were kept, and where good methods of feeding were practiced; and still results fell far short of what might be expected, simply because the animals did not receive that kindly treatment which is so essential to a cow giving much milk for a long period.

Keep Best Milk Producers

The dairyman who put a sign on his barn with the slogan "A cow that enters through this door must milk ten thousand pounds or more" set a goal for himself. We can't all have every cow a 10,000-pound producer, but we can eliminate the poorest and keep the best producers in the herd.

Good Sires Should Have Best of Care

Dairy Bulls Need Exercise and Proper Management.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Good sires are absolutely necessary to dairymen, as it is largely through the use of good sires that high-producing herds are built up, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Because of their temperament, dairy bulls are often difficult to handle; consequently they do not always receive proper care, exercise and management, and as a result fail to give best service as herd sires.

Care and Management of Dairy Bulls, is the title of a new bulletin issued by the United States Department of Agriculture as Farmers' Bulletin No. 1412, which discusses briefly the numerous problems on proper management of dairy bulls, how to handle, and how to keep them in good condition.

Newspapers and farm papers frequently tell of persons being injured or killed by bulls, as a result of improper equipment or wrong handling. Because of such occurrences, dairy bulls have come to be looked upon in some cases as necessary evils. This attitude, says the department, often means neglect in such essentials as feeding, exercise, removal of manure from pens, and various other details of care. Proper care and management of the bull will eliminate much of the danger and resultant loss of his use. A copy of the bulletin may be secured, as long as the supply lasts, from the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington.

Sowing Sweet Clover in Spring in Small Grains

Sweet clover starts slowly and it is not often that conditions are favorable enough to get a stand by seeding in August. Some plants may make a start, but will usually not be large enough to live over winter, writes W. J. Fraser, Illinois College of Agriculture. It is much better to sow sweet clover in the spring in small grain. Where wanted for pasture the same spring as sown it can be either sown alone or with oats.

Since sweet clover starts slowly it is not as well adapted to pasturing the first spring, and two months' pasture season is lost over seeding in the spring the year before in small grain. It must not be used as pasture until the plants are at least six or eight inches high, which usually means two months after seeding. If the seed is sown the middle of April it will be the middle of June before it should be pastured.

I would sow ten pounds of scarified biennial white sweet clover seed per acre. It is absolutely essential that the soil be limed if acid, and inoculated if not already so.

How Capons Should Be Dressed for Shipment

In plucking capons the feathers of the upper neck, the flight feathers and the tail feathers should not be removed, the object being to distinguish them from other fowl.

Capons can be packed in boxes. A layer of excelsior or clean straw is laid in the bottom, then a layer of dressed fowls with feet extending outward, then another layer and so on until the box is filled. Any space at the top should be filled with excelsior, straw or paper.

As to packing to prevent spilling on warm days, this will hardly be necessary in the seasons for selling capons, November to March. Packing in ice is practiced in very warm weather for long shipments.

Sweet Clover for Pasture

The use of sweet clover as a pasture crop for cattle and sheep or a mixture of alfalfa with orchard grass or tall wheat grass will provide an excellent green pasture for the summer months. For hogs and sheep, rape makes one of the best possible summer pastures. The wise farmer will conclude that we probably will not have so favorable a pasture season next year and make provision for a green pasture through July and August.

Farm Hints

All things work together for good to them that use legumes.

Sweet clover pasture makes lots of milk. Plan to sow some next spring.

It's a wise hen that knows her own eggs, but a trapeze tells the poultryman every time.

Bees do not puncture fruit, though they will suck the juices after it is cracked or bruised.

Horses like pasture at any time, but it is not enough of itself to keep up the strength of work animals.

Farming without legumes may be compared to writing checks on the bank without making any deposits.

Co-operative marketing is being urged by government experts as a remedy for present agricultural conditions.

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The Woman's Home Companion offered some prizes for the "shortest short story." Among the many thousands of such "stories" sent in was this expressive one:

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WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

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Dolls Resemble Owners

Dolls made to look exactly like the little girls who mother them are an innovation among this year's toys. Artists model the heads of clay, cover them with stockinette, paint them, and attach silky goat's hair.—Popular Science Monthly.

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Three Cents' Worth

At the Faculty club at Indiana university a few nights ago the older professors were discussing how they saved the pennies when they were young professors. The story that took the prize was told by the head of a department. He said he ordered three cents' worth of meat from the butcher for his cat. The meat was delivered at his house, but before it came the cat had caught a mouse, so the professor called the butcher and asked whether he would come and get the meat and take it back—refunding, of course, the amount paid for it.

It was reported that the butcher took the meat back.—Indianapolis News.

College Calls Prisoner

Fred Morgan, while serving 60 days in prison for carrying concealed weapons, was so badly needed at the North Carolina State college as a baker that Governor Morrison felt warranted in granting a pardon. Morgan had been assigned to work on the county roads and had conducted himself properly, the officials reported, in recommending that the college's request be granted.

Eminently Qualified

"My boy, Runt, is an awful example, and no mistake," admitted Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "He's as lazy as a dad-burned turtle; he'll tell a lie when the truth would do just as well, or even better; and he steals everything he can lay his hands on. If the darn' little cuss don't mend his ways before he grows up he'll go to the legislature, as sure as a gun is iron!" —Kansas City Star.

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St. Peter's Cupola Safe

Cardinal Merry del Val says there is nothing to the report that the famous cupola of St. Peter's is unsafe. Some defects which have recently been made much of were discovered more than a century ago, the cardinal says, adding that in 1925 some improvements will be made.

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