



How Calves are Raised at Hood Farm. We allow the calf to remain with its dam until it is from two to four days old.

We keep constantly in reach of the young calf some nice, soft hay, and it is also allowed to eat with a mixture of oats, bran and oilmeal.

When the calf is from five to six weeks old, if it is doing well, skim milk is substituted for whole milk, and the calf is removed to a larger pen with others of the same size.

In connection with these pens, which face the south, we have large yards in which the calves run during the day.

We believe that judicious feeding and handling, coupled with plenty of pure air, sunlight and exercise, will produce what we are seeking in our Jerseys, namely, size, constitution and capacity at the pail and churn.

In a damp climate and on some soils it is next to impossible entirely to eradicate "witch," "conch," "quitch," or "quack" grass (Triticum repens).

Blue-grass will make a fine lawn, but it is often quite difficult to secure a nice even stand. One of the most successful methods of seeding is to mow the ground well with fine manure, then cut a lot of blue-grass that has matured seed and use it as a mulch.

Stand Seventeen Hands High and Together Weigh 7300 Pounds. The greatest yoke of cattle ever seen in this country is owned by J. D. Avery, of Buckland, Mass.

Humus in the Soil. When land is first broken up it is full of humus in the shape of roots that have been accumulated through all the centuries.

Where there is available potash and phosphoric acid, and even a small amount of nitrogen left, these lands can be restored.

The teaching of temperance is now compulsory in the public schools of the province of Ontario.

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS.

To Remove Dust From Linen. Stains of dust may be removed from fine linen and similar fabrics without injury to the material.

Getting Sunday Dinners in Summer. There are any number of things which may be prepared on Saturday.

Lights in the rear of the horses are best for the eyes of the animals when in the stables.

A healthy, well-developed animal, male or female, may be expected to produce growthy stock.

Watercress Garnish—Pick and wash a quart of cress; dry in a towel and dip lightly in French dressing.

Italian Sauce—Put a tablespoonful of butter in a pan with one shallot (minced), a tablespoonful of chopped parsley and a tablespoonful of vinegar.

Breaded Tomatoes—Roll six sliced tomatoes in grated cheese or cornmeal, dredge with a tablespoonful of salt and fry in hot butter and suet.

Tutti-Frutti Jelly—Soak one-half box of gelatin in one-half pint of water (cold). Dissolve with one pint of boiling water.

Veal and Tomato Scallop—Slice enough cooked cold veal, rather coarse, to make three cupfuls.

White Velvet Sherbet—The juice of four lemons and the thinly shaved peel of one soaked in the juice half an hour.

Migration of Canadians. The migration of the French-speaking people of Canada to the New England States has assumed enormous proportions in recent years.

A Novel Industry. The hand-knitting industry which was organized by Lady Arrau in County Mayo, Ireland, to give employment to her husband's tenants.

A TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

THE DRINK EVIL MADE MANIFEST IN MANY WAYS. Turn It Down, Boys—Sketch of the Career of Father Mathew, the Great Irish Advocate of Total Abstinence—His Triumphant Visit to United States.

If urged to lift the glass that tempts, In city grand or humble town, But he that tempts the king or ear, Quick, turn your glass and set it down!

If in your troubles others say, "Is sea of drink your sorrows down," Look out lest drown the drinker be! Quick, turn your glass and set it down!

Cold water, boys, hurrah! Will help to health, wealth and renown. If urged to give these treasures up, Quick, turn your glass and set it down!

Theobald Mathew. A young correspondent, who has no personal recollection of Father Mathew, asks us for some facts concerning the great temperance advocate's public career.

This was born one of the greatest temperance advocates that the world has ever seen. By the close of the year 1800 had signed the pledge.

The Bicycle Said to Produce Temperance. The semi-annual reports of the two large brewing and malting companies of Chicago are interesting in many respects.

Total Abstainers in the White House. It is not as well known among temperance people as it ought to be that Mrs. Grant was the first woman to inaugurate the temperance system in the White House.

"That Beats the Devil." A Christian woman in Illinois recently followed a drinker, in whom she was deeply interested, into a saloon.

Most Degrading of All. What is more degrading, more shameful, more despicable in the eyes of God and man than intoxication?

Temperance News and Notes. Impure water and blows are often the accompaniments of drunkenness.

Australia has ruled out barmaids. Those now in service may be registered and licensed, but no more can be engaged.

The Oldest Railway Servant.

Joseph Smith, a native of Liverpool, but now residing in Washington, D. C., and who has just celebrated his ninety-sixth birthday, claims to be the oldest railway servant in the world.

A Fast Colt. Several men gathered about a horse near the western market in Detroit, says the Free Press, commenting upon the prominence of the beast's ribs and general lean and lankiness.

"What do you call your horse?" was asked. "Cyclone; and don't he look it?" replied the man from the rural districts.

"Next day I turned over the hen coop, which lay in the field half a mile away. Right in that coop and lying on the door, which faced down, was the colt. He commenced kicking when he heard us, and we took him out in a hurry.

Most men of genius have been giants or dwarfs, or at least have been tall or short, according to Havelock Ellis. He does not say, however, that all giants and dwarfs are geniuses.

Any one can follow out this line of comparison. To take a few familiar names—Washington and Wellington were tall, so were Sherman and Custer.

The Queen's Physician. Dr. James Reid is to Queen Victoria what Dr. Schweigger has been to Prince Bismarck.

Try Allen's Foot-Ease. A powder to be shaken to the shoe. At this season a poor foot will give you much trouble.

Cinnamon for Dysentery. A surgeon in the British army in India writes that he has for several years employed with success in the treatment of dysentery a very simple remedy.

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Without Tires or Handle Bars.

Joe Henley, the Kansas City wheelman, who has performed some daring cycling feats on the high bridge of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway over the Missouri River, set all his former efforts at naught Sunday afternoon.

The cost of running a first-class ocean steamer between this country and Europe, for a round trip, is about \$30,000.

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How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any one who can identify the portrait by name of J. J. Chas. Co. Proprietors, O. We, the undersigned, have known J. J. Chas. Co. for the last 15 years and believe him to be the inventor of the "Family Pills" and financially able to carry out any obligation on his part.

WEIGHTY WORDS FOR Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I lost my wife and two children from the effects of hereditary scrofula. My little child was dangerously affected with scrofula. I was unable to walk, his left foot being covered with running sores.

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