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MILLIONS OF WOMEN USE CUTICURA SOAP, assisted by CUTICURA OINTMENT, for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp of crusts, scales and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening and soothing red, rough and sore hands, in the form of baths for annoying irritations and chafes, or too free or offensive perspiration, in the form of washes for ulcerative weaknesses, and for many antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women, and especially mothers, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery. No amount of persuasion can induce those who have once used it to use any other, especially for preserving and purifying the skin, scalp and hair of infants and children. CUTICURA SOAP combines delicate emollient properties derived from CUTICURA, the great skin cure, with the purest of cleansing ingredients and the most refreshing of flower odors. No other medicated soap ever compounded is to be compared with it for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, scalp and hair of infants and children. CUTICURA OINTMENT, the BEST skin ointment, is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery. Thus it combines, in ONE SOAP at ONE PRICE, viz. TWENTY FIVE CENTS, the BEST skin ointment soap and the BEST toilet and baby soap in the world.

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How the Colonel Lost Out

By Henry Harmon.

"Yes," said the colonel reflectively, "many queer things do happen—things that a man would have a hard time in explaining if he were called on to do so. I tell you, young gentlemen, that in this life of mine I have had at least one experience that would drive some men to drink." And the colonel looked around suggestively.

The colonel, a one armed veteran of the civil war, was the best raconteur of the club, and as such was eagerly listened to by the younger generation. A tip of the bell brought a round of his favorite beverage, and after sampling it, with glasses in easy reach, we all settled back in our chairs to listen to the story that was sure to come.

"You fellows have all heard how I lost this arm at Pine Ridge? When I enlisted in the Twentieth, like many another young fellow, I left a sweetheart at home whose promise had been given me—a beautiful, high spirited girl who kissed me goodly and saw the regiment march away with a cheer on her lips, and but few tears in her eyes. Before we had slipped a ring on my finger, and as I left she said, 'Wear this, dear; bring it back with you and be true to your flag and me.'

"Well, I wore the ring all through our long, hard campaign until that Pine Ridge cannon ball came along, took away my arm and left me unconscious on the battlefield. After a hospital stay of some time I finally recovered sufficiently to be sent home, with a colonel's commission, discharged as unfit for duty.

"At the old home I was, of course, treated as a hero. The young ladies insisted on showing me flattering attentions. I was asked everywhere and was quite the lion of the hour.

"I had my fiancée, who was devoted as became, I suppose, but her nature was such that she was too proud to show her feelings as plainly as my vanity sometimes wished her to do, and as a consequence I began to think that she had changed toward me. It may be that another girl, a little plump, black eyed charmer, had something to do with this idea, but at any rate I soon began to notice other charms in 'Bess'."

"One night my fiancée and I attended a reception, and Sadie, the black eyed charmer of whom I have spoken, was there also. Isabel and I had tired of mingling with the throng and had found a secluded place in the conservatory. We talked until weary and sat there in silence when Sadie came in. She did not see me, and as she stood by the side of a large plant in an attitude of waiting, grace I thought she formed the most beautiful picture that I had ever seen.

"Almost involuntarily I contrasted her charms with those of the proud beauty at my side. To my eyes the advantage was a decided place in the conservatory. We talked until weary and sat there in silence when Sadie came in. She did not see me, and as she stood by the side of a large plant in an attitude of waiting, grace I thought she formed the most beautiful picture that I had ever seen.

"I have told this story to several persons, and but one has ever been able to give me any explanation. He was an avuncle from India who was lecturing on 'The Influence of Mind Over Matter,' who told me that my desire to embrace Sadie had been impressed very strongly on my astral being, that my astral being for the time got control over my physical body and that the arm which I saw was the arm that I had lost and, being lost, was trying to follow the impulse that would have controlled it had it still continued to be a part of my body and subject to the control of my mind. His eyes did not accept this theory, and some I suspect to my great astonishment, while

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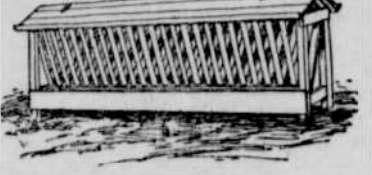
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FARM GARDEN

CARE OF SHEEP.

Back, With Troughs, For Feeding Grain, Hay or Cut Silage.

There is an undoubted demand for prime young beef and mutton made ready for the market under conditions that will produce rich, red, tender meat suitable for the consumers of choice goods, says C. W. Jones in the American Cattleman. This meat is difficult to secure in any market, and it is always high priced, for customers who can secure it are willing to pay extra for it. This meat cannot be raised without attention to what is needed. In the case of beef the cattle are not young calves, but animals that are brought to maturity rapidly and finished off perfectly. Old cattle finished off after their third or fourth year do not produce as desirable meat as the year and half animals brought to maturity under good feeding and care. The proper time to finish off cattle for the fancy market is from 1 to 2 years old. The better we get to the former the better, provided the animal has reached full maturity and weighs about as much as it ever will. It is a question of feeding and breeding, so that the animal grows smoothly and rapidly from the time of its birth to the day it is sold for the fancy market.

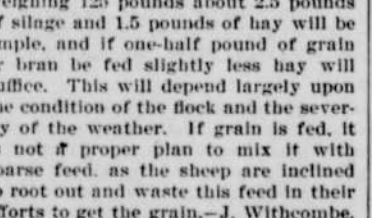


Experience has shown that the most profitable age to finish off cattle is from 20 to 24 months. That applies to the average animal and breeder and is a pretty safe rule to go by, but it is possible to finish off very fine cattle in 18 or even 15 months and obtain for them a larger profit than those which reach maturity later. It is all a question of breed and breeding. Animals selected for this fancy work should be without blemish and indicate a strong, vigorous constitution from the start. If they possess these merits, they will prove satisfactory at all times. They need good care from the start and should be allowed to suck the mothers until they are ready for weaning, and then they should be fed as liberally as they can stand of highly concentrated food. We are not looking beyond the year and a half period, no matter what grave results forced feeding may have later in life, the animals selected for this purpose should have it. The flesh is sure then to be rich and tender. When sucking, the mothers must also be fed liberally on rich, concentrated foods.

The whole question of whether cattle raised in this way will be profitable depends largely upon the market one can send them to. They cannot be classed with ordinary cattle, but must seek a special market where fancy stock is in demand. In nearly every large city there are butchers who make a specialty of securing fine beef cattle. They have a line of customers who demand better meat than can be found in the ordinary cattle yards. One must put himself in touch with this side of the market to make the most of such a specialty.

An Ideal Cheviot.

The Earl is an ideal Cheviot ram owned by Professor C. S. Plumb of Lafayette, Ind. The accompanying illustration gives a correct idea of the proper Cheviot head.



Do Bees Injure Fruit?

Apropos of the question how much in evidence as to whether bees can or do injure fruit by puncturing it, then sucking the juices, the following by an Illinois fruit grower and apiarist of 33 years' experience is reproduced from American Bee Journal: "But what is the actual physiological position of the bees in regard to fruit? The honeybee has mandibles, or jaws, in the form of spoons, working vertically instead of horizontally, as in animals. These mandibles are horny and entirely devoid of teeth. They can be used only for the usual purposes of the hive—to mold the wax, build the combs and handle and carry out any debris. They can be used to tear the corolla of blossoms or even leaves, and they also can tear cloth by taking hold of imperceptible protruding threads and pulling them out, one after another, till a hole is made. But the hole that they make in a piece of cloth is ragged and uneven; it is torn, not cut. They have no sharp, sawlike jaws, like those of borers, and it would be as impossible for them to bite into the smooth skin of a fruit as it would be for a man to cut with a smooth wall."



Caked Breast

Just two applications did the work

Gentlemen—I suffered for days as only a woman with caked breast can and in desperation applied Scotch Remedy, hoping it would ease the pain. The first application gave relief and the second restored the breast to its normal condition, without injuring or affecting the milk. I have used your TRIPLE MISTERY PAIN CURE, as a general household remedy, for nearly two years and consider it the greatest external remedy in the world. H. M. DODD, M. F. D., Oakland, Cal., July 14, 1900.

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YOUNG MEAT.

Tendency to Finish Off Cattle at an Early Age.

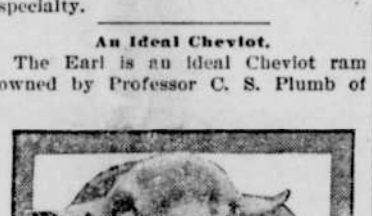
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Something New

Just published by the Southern Pacific company is a pamphlet upon the resources of Western Oregon, which includes an excellent map of the state, and contains information on climate, lands, education, etc., existing industries and their capabilities. Attention is also directed to such new fields for energy or capital as promise fair return. This publication fills a need long experienced by Oregonians in replying to inquiries of eastern friends. Copies may be had of local agents of the Southern Pacific company, or from C. H. Markham, general passenger agent, Portland, Oregon.

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