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Trials of Various Creameries Made in New England and the West.

The New England farmer, as well as those of the middle states, have had to work under many difficulties, not least of all being the fact that the soil of the vast and fertile west is a competitor, made formable by the building of railroads that bring transportation down to a figure that makes competition possible.

Farmers through the region alluded to practiced milk-selling until they found their pastures run out and their fields rereduced in fertility. This was the result of a system that failed to raturn anything to the soil, which had grown hav and grain crops continuously and received no return of fertilization. They were compelled to use fertilizers, at a cost that precluded all profit on farms with game fish has called forth the folwere compelled to use fertilizers, at a cost that precluded all profit, on farms that had enriched their owners in previons years. It was plain that something must be done, and finally it became ap-parent that selling the milk entire was a mistake, and they changed it instead to selling their cream. This involved the question of the best creamer to use and

required years for its solution.
This system had the advantage that it left the skim milk on the farm to be fed to caives and pigs. This was helpful in increasing the manure piles and adding so much to the fertility of the land as to make it unnecessary to buy commercial

So the creameries supplanted the old style butter factories, and, by accuracy of measurement of cream sold, there was better satisfaction all round. Whether a dairyman kept a fine herd and fed well, or had common cows and fed only fairly well, they got the worth of their cream by an accurate test, and nothing more. It an accurate test, and nothing more. It also saved labor as there was much less to carry to the factory of weight. Also, it was necessary for the factory to send around for its cream, and the reduction of quantity made this easily possible.

The success of three separate cream-eries located within a few miles of each other, close to the Massachusetts Agricultural college, at Amherst, is given in the American Cultivator, as also of many more such establishments located in Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Illinois and New York. The factories near Ambers only met success when they severally adopted the Cooley creamer, some of them changing to that at a heavy cost for their proprietors. Each patron finally chose the elevator style of creamer. In all New England there are 125 creamer, in all New England there are 125 creamer, in the sickness may prove to be, and in any ordinary disease will effect a speedy cure.

Sominating conventions.

One of the creameries near Amherst was about to disband and give up the business, when it was decided, at the in-stance of a few enterprising men, to in-vestigate the causes of failure. They

not done before that we know of.

The Wapping creamery paid its patrons an average of 25% cents a pound for the cream used for three years, and the payment for last December was 20% cents. The Lemont creamery in Pennsylvania, near the State Agricultural College, was erected at a cost of \$750, and can work up the product of 2,000 cows. Farmers' ap the product of 2,000 cows. Farmers' wives are relieved of care, and have more time for household duties and make more money than when they made their own butter. They receive 25 cents a pound for cream, average for the year round. The average of pounds of milk to make a pound of butter, for eight months, as compiled from the tests of several creamenes, is as follows. Milk-several creamenes, is as follows.

months, as compiled from the tests of several creameres, is as follows. Milk of native cows, 22 pounds: short-horn high-grade Durham cows, 20½ pounds; Holstein-Friesian cows, high grades, 24½ pounds: high grade Jerseys, 18 pounds. They also estimated the total make of butter, per cow, for eight months, as follows: Native cows made 202 pounds; Durhams, 241 pounds; Holsteins, 225 pounds; Jerseys, 265 pounds. The Troy creamery, at Troy, Pennakes nearly a ton of butter a day. The Spring Mills creamery, near it, during its first nine months, produced 1,265 pounds a day and had to be enlarged. They garanteed to care y gather cream at a distance of twenty-five Care is sold by us

gather cream at a distance of twenty-five miles. Throughout the eastern and mid-dle states they average to pay 25 cents a pound for cream the year round, and farmers are doing better than when they sold their own butter.

The success of creameries is distinctly shown in a long article published by the American Cultivator, and one important fact therein is that nearly all, after thorough tests, have adopted the same process and have found their success in thorough tests, have adopted the same process and have found their success in so doing. The result has been that farmers are receiving monthly pay for their cresm alone greater than their butter sales had formerly reached. Another important fact is that by the system pursued each patron gets his just due. Cream seems to be nike, whether from a highly-fed herd of Jerseys, or from only commonly-fed native cows. Purchasing cream puts all on a just level, whereas milk has very different valuation. The dairyman strains his milk into the cans of the creamer, then he lowers them under water. The cream gatherer, sent out from the factory, calls in due time and raises the cans out of the water. He records the spaces of cream shown on each can: first draws the milk, then the cream, which he carries to the factory to be made into butter. Each patron receives his pro rata amount for the cream furnished each month, and thus averages 25 cents per pound the year round for what each furnishes.

The price paid in Pennsylvania or New England is no criterion as to what may be expected in Oregon, but the same principle applies, and if farmers are satisfied there they must be contented here if they receive as much for their cream as they have been getting for their butter. Of course the creamery realizes a profit by making more butter from the same milk than the farmer's wife did, and the butter being made on scientific principles is pure, and really better than

and the butter being made on scientific principles is pure, and really better than any farmer with only ordinary appliances

Correspondence between J. Q. A. Bowlby and Senator Dolph concerning the stocking of the lakes on Clatsop Plains with game fish has called forth the following letter:

U.S.Commission of Fish and Fisheries, Washington, D. C., Meh. 1, 1888. Hon. J. N. Dolph, U. S. Scnate, Washington, D. C.

ington, D. C.

Dzar Sra:—In reply to your letter requesting that the lakes between Skipanon and Seaside be stocked with some suitable variety of game fish, I beg to say, that I do not think it wise to introduce into waters in Oregon predacious species of fish, such as the bass of our Eastern waters, which in time of high water would make their escape into the Columbia river, and work very serious detriment to the salmon fisheries. I infer that the summer temperature of the ponds is too high to permit the introduction of the trout species with any probability of success. The ponds as you describe them would be admirably adapted for the rearing of the carp, but this, of course, is not a game fish, and I presume the stocking is asked in the interest of sport for those who frequent the resorts in that vicinity during the summer case and resorts in that vicinity during the sum

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was about to disband and give up the basiness, when it was decided, at the instance of a few enterprising men, to investigate the causes of failure. They changed their creamer, and as a result realized a gain of over 10 per cent. in the butter yield. They were successful and satisfied thereafter.

At Wapping, Conn., a creamery was started in a locality worn out by long cultivation of tobacco. It proved a success, and farms that could only carry five or six cows at first, now keep twelve or fifteen. Skim milk is fed. nanner abounds, the hay crop is doubted, less fertilizers are bought, and instead of being in debt to merchants the farmers get their money every month and lany supplies "cheep for cash," which they had not done before that we know of.

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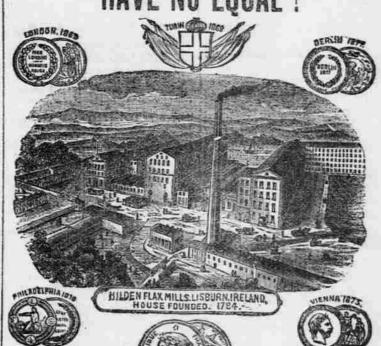
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