

FARM, DAIRY, and HOUSEHOLD.

THIS PAGE OF "THE NEWS" will hereafter be devoted to matters pertaining to the farm, stock interests, dairying, and to matters pertaining to homestead economy. In fact, every feature pertaining to farm life will be discussed from time to time. The News editor does not claim to be an expert in all farm matters, but has had considerable practical experience in farm life. Our boyhood days were spent on an Illinois farm and fifteen years of our residence in Oregon has been on a farm. Hence we may be expected to know something about—be it much or little—farm and stock matters.

It is our purpose to discuss these matters from a practical rather than the ornate view point. To this end we extend a cordial invitation to farmers, stockmen, poultry fanciers and housewives to furnish the News letters for publication on any and all questions pertaining to the various departments of farm life. You are, one and all, invited to ask questions, relative to any of these matters and we will answer them if we can; otherwise we will solicit some farmer that knows more about the matter than the News man does, to furnish the answer. We want to make this page an agricultural, stockbreeder, dairy and household feature. Will you help us to make it an interesting and instructive feature? Hours if you have a useful household recipe, that you think will be of benefit to your neighbor, write it out carefully and send it to us for publication. No matter what it is or what it is about, so that it pertains to the house hold, the garden, or the poultry yards, your experience and knowledge can be made a help to others, if you will be kind enough to grant our request. Now farmer friends, both in and out of doors, this page of the News is yours. It will be devoted to your interests. Let us make it the most interesting and useful page of the paper.

Lined Oil for Croup.

When a doctor can not be secured promptly in an emergency it is necessary to have a good remedy always on hand when children are inclined to be croupy.

A mother who will provide herself with a half a pint of raw lined oil can fight the worst case of croup she may meet with.

It is an unfailing remedy, and for quick results it beats anything else which can be given for that dread disease.

Half a teaspoonful is a dose, unless the child is choking very badly; then give a teaspoonful.

It acts two ways. In the first stage of croup, when there is not much mucus it is loosened and carried off through the bowels.

In the second stage it causes vomiting but, unlike ipecac, it leaves no soreness of the throat as an after difficulty.

It is rarely necessary to give more than one dose, when the child will get relief and go to sleep again.

This simple remedy is one that is within the reach of every mother and one that can be kept on hand at all times, and while it is in the house the dread membranous croup need cause no terrors.

Stray Notice.

Some time last May a white and red speckled red heifer, 2-year-old came to my place and succeeded in getting into the pasture with my stock. She has no ear marks or brands. The owner can have her by proving his ownership, and paying the pasture bill and for this notice. If not called for in a short time, I will post notices and advertise as required by law and have the animal sold. I live three miles Southeast of Scio on what is known as the Bud Hamilton farm.

J. A. CART.

A Splendid Paper.

The News has made a clubbing arrangement with the Breeders Gazette, of Chicago. The Gazette is a large magazine-like weekly. Stock breeders and farm journal. Of all the journals of this class, the Gazette, in our opinion is the best. We have a few sample copies to supply such of our readers as wish it. The subscription price of the Gazette is \$2, and it is richly worth it. We will supply it and the SANTIAM NEWS for \$2.25. No Stockbreeder should be without this standard publication.

The farmer who is not seeding one or more of his fields to clover, is allowing one of the greatest sources of profit, of a farm to pass him by. Especially should every dairyman have a clover pasture in which to turn his cows frequent y. If so he would notice quite an increase in the size of his milk check at the end of the month.

Pasture Land For Sale.

Three hundred and fifty five acres of pasture land, situated one-half mile north east from Gainer's station, on the Woodburn-Springfield branch of the S. P., at \$6 per acre; also 200 head of goats at \$2 per head. This tract is a number one goat and sheep ranch; has one million feet of pine and the timber, fair, plenty of running water, the rear road and all under good fence. For particulars, inquire of

J. A. BLYE,

Scio Oregon.

WHY AMERICANS IMMIGRATE TO CANADA.

Back in 1896, when forty-nine Americans crossed over and settled in Western Canada, there was nothing much in the fact to excite comment. But, in the following year their number was increased by 712, at least a few people on either side of the International Boundary began to realize that Western Canada had something to offer in the way of an inducement to attract the American farmer. In 1898, the number of immigrants reached the surprising figure of 9119, and the movement was on in earnest. Today from that nucleus of forty-nine people, there has sprung up a mighty tide of immigration such as this continent has never known. Each year since 1896 has seen the number doubling and trebling, mounting up, until, with the close of the twelve months ending December 31, 1905, a vast army of 137,000 Americans help to swell the grand total.

There seems to be no abatement in this movement and it is confidently predicted that at least 150,000 to 200,000 of our citizens will have crossed the boundary this year and taken up homes in Western Canada. The movement has now developed into a clearly defined plan of colonization, centered about Calgary, Southern Alberta.

The reason for this enormous immigration is easily given. Land in the United States that is worth from \$75 to \$250 an acre, if sold, will buy many acres of the finest land in Canada at a cost of \$10 to \$25 per acre. Behind him the American farmer has a thorough knowledge of the vast money making possibilities of appreciating land values. In many instances he has seen his land increase in value from \$1.25 to \$20, an acre, and believing that it had reached its maximum value is ready to dispose of it and take advantage of the present low land values in Canada. He is able to look into the future and see that land which is now being sold in Canada at from \$10 to \$25 an acre will, within a few years, double and triple its present value.

Then there is another fact which appeals to the American farmer, and particularly to those of the Western states. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company is now engaged in a great irrigation work, just East of Calgary, that will eventually bring under water 1,500,000 acres of as fine land as there is in all of Canada. They have just thrown open to settlement the first block of 110,000 acres, which they are selling at from \$15 to \$25 per acre. In connection with this irrigated land they are selling non-irrigated lands at from \$12 to \$15 per acre, which cannot be surpassed for grazing purposes, and affords a range where stock may graze throughout the entire year without shelter.

The future of Western Canada, and particularly the Southern portion of Alberta province, is assured. Calgary, its metropolis, a city of 20,000 inhabitants, composed largely of Americans, is a live up-to-date city. Its retail business is in the hands of bright, progressive business men, who handle enormous stocks.

There are any number of jobbing houses located there, and a home market for stock is afforded by a large packing house. Along the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Southern Alberta, there have been twenty elevators established the past year to be followed by thirty more next year, so that there will be no shortage for the immense crops produced in this section.—Pacific Homestead.

FOR THE KITCHEN

Waffles.

Sift a quarter of a teaspoon of soda and the same amount of salt into one and a quarter cups of flour. In another bowl beat the yolks of two eggs into a cup of sour milk. Then mix all together. Add three tablespoonfuls of melted butter and then the stiffly-beaten whites of the three eggs. Pour into hot, well-buttered griddle waffle irons and bake first one side and then the other until a golden brown. Remove from the waffle iron with a fork and serve at once.

Crumpets.

Beat two eggs to a froth, add a teaspoon of salt and one of sugar; pour in a quart of milk and beat again. Then add three pints of flour, in which four teaspoons of baking powder have been mixed, and beat it all into a stiff batter. Bake in greased muffin rings on a hot griddle. These crumpets are also very nice when split and toasted before a hot fire. When this is done, always butter both sides and put together again before serving.

Potato Puff.

Take two cups of cold mashed potatoes and stir into it one tablespoon of melted butter, beating to a white cream before adding anything else. Then put with this two eggs beaten extremely light, one cup cream and salt to taste. Beat all well and pour into a deep dish and bake in a quick oven until it is nice and brown. If properly mixed it will come out of the oven light, puffy and delectable.

Raisin Bread.

To make raisin bread scald a pint of

milk and stir into it while warm a rounding tablespoonful of butter and a level teaspoonful of salt. When lukewarm add half a cake of compressed yeast dissolved in two tablespoonfuls of lukewarm water. Then stir in flour to make a stiff batter. Let rise until light, add the beaten yolks of three eggs, one heaping tablespoonful of sugar and a cup of flour rubbed through them. Stir in also half a cup or more of flour, place in buttered pans, let rise and bake.

Rules for Baking.

- Beans, 8 to 10 hours.
- Beef, sirloin, rare, per pound, 8 to 10 minutes.
- Beef, sirloin, well done, per pound, 12 to 15 minutes.
- Beef, rolled, rib or rump, per pound, 12 to 15 minutes.
- Beef, long or short fillet, 20 to 30 minutes.
- Bread, brick loaf, 40 to 60 minutes.
- Biscuits, 15 to 20 minutes.
- Cake, plain, 20 to 40 minutes.
- Cake, sponge, 45 to 60 minutes.
- Chickens, 3 to 4 pounds weight, 1 to 1 1/2 hours.
- Cookies, 10 to 15 minutes.
- Custards, 15 to 20 minutes.
- Duck, tame, 40 to 60 minutes.
- Fish, per pound, 10 to 15 minutes.
- Gingerbread, 20 to 30 minutes.
- Graham gems, 30 minutes.
- Halibut, per pound, 15 to 20 minutes.
- Lamb, rare, per pound, 10 minutes.
- Lamb, well done, per pound, 15 minutes.
- Pie crust, 30 to 40 minutes.
- Pork, well done, per pound, 33 minutes.
- Potatoes, 30 to 45 minutes.
- Pudding, bread, rice and tapioca, 1 hour.
- Pudding, plum, 2 to 3 hours.
- Rolls, 10 to 15 minutes.
- Turkey, 10 pounds, 3 hours.
- Veal, well done, per pound 30 minutes.

Flannel Cakes.

Take two and a half cups of flour and four teaspoons of baking powder and a pinch of salt, and sift into a bowl. Beat the yolks of two eggs in another bowl, add two cups of milk and then mix with the flour in the larger bowl. Lastly, add the beaten whites of the two eggs and fry the batter in small cakes on a hot greased griddle.

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| | Arrives Albany | 11:40 A. M. |
| No. 2— | Trains leave Albany | 12:20 P. M. |
| | " " Corvallis | 1:20 " |
| | " " arrive Yaquina | 5:45 " |

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| | Arrives Albany | 5:15 P. M. |

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| | Arrives at Albany | 2:15 P. M. |
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