

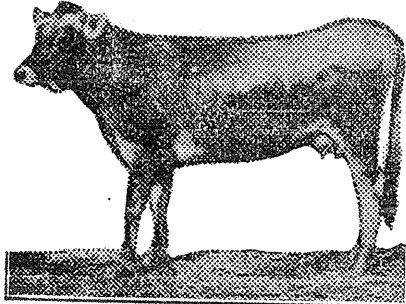
DAIRY FACTS

CLUB BOYS RAISING HEIFERS

Animals Are Relatively Easy to Handle While Owner Gains Experience in Feeding.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Many junior dairy clubs favor the maintenance of bred heifers by their members, because these animals are relatively easy to handle while their young owner gains experience in feeding and caring for the young females before they calve. Subsequently he learns how to handle the calf, which constantly is increasing in value. Where mature cows are distributed among the junior dairy club members



Let the Boy Start Raising a Heifer Which Will Develop into a Profitable Cow.

more risk is involved, as many of the youngsters are not experienced sufficiently to handle them properly.

The advantage of distributing calves among the next generation of stock breeders, according to specialists, is the low initial cost of the animal and the fact that its keeping involves less expense and care on the part of the attendant. On the other hand, it requires three years to complete the project. This may be considered undesirable, as interest of the club members will likely become lessened. In both the case of the bred heifer and the calf it is difficult to select the best animals which will prove to be profitable producers, while in the case of the cow, she demonstrates her worth if proper records of production and expenses are kept. The junior dairy club work develops potential breeders who will mature from raisers of a single heifer or calf into full-grown owners of extensive and quality herds.

CARING FOR EXPORTED COWS

American Animal Never Made Much of a Reputation in Europe Until Great War.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The American dairy cow, beauty that she is and has always been, has never made very much of a reputation in Europe until the war destroyed so many of the native milk producers. Now, the American dairy cow is crossing the ocean pretty freely, and the United States department of agriculture, largely for her benefit, has revised its regulations governing the inspection, humane handling, and safe transport of export animals. The regulations, in the first place, were fixed mainly for beef cattle. A dairy cow that is to live her life out and bear a responsible part in the upbringing of a human family requires more careful handling than an animal that is to be slaughtered. Consequently, better arrangements have been made for stalls, an adequate number of attendants is stipulated, and more careful handling in general is required.

SILAGE IS EXCELLENT FEED

Particularly Adapted to Dairy Animals and Should Be Combined With Some Legume.

While silage is excellent feed for dairy stock, it should be combined with some leguminous feed, such as clover, cowpeas, or alfalfa, owing to its insufficient productive qualities. The leguminous material will correct the deficiencies of the silage in dry matter, protein and mineral constituents.

DAIRY NOTES

The profitable marketing of dairy products is very important.

Grass by itself is not considered a balanced ration for the milk cow.

The general farmer is finding that the dairy cow is a valuable asset in his farming operations.

Improvement of the herd comes through the sire. Therefore, make sure you get a right good one.

Grass, hay, corn fodder and other roughage which may not have a ready sale are economically utilized by the dairy cow.

In order to make the dairy herd return a profit in this time of high-priced feeds, we must feed the cows intelligently.

For the same reason that it pays to groom horses, it also is invaluable to apply the brush and curry comb vigorously to the cow daily.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Faith, absolute, unconquerable faith, is one of the essential concomitants, therefore one of the great secrets of success. We must realize that one carries his success or failure with him, that it does not depend upon outside conditions.—Trine.

A SIMPLE DINNER.

The idea of a simple dinner is one that is reasonable in cost, appetizing enough to be attractive and not too much work to prepare.



Seasoned Cabbage With Meat.—Cut a medium-sized cabbage into halves and let it stand an hour in cold water to remove insects, if any. Into a saucepan put one sliced onion, a slice or two of bacon and cook together until the bacon and onion are fried. Add the cabbage, and water to cover, season with salt and cook until the cabbage is nearly tender. Add a few well-washed frankfurts and let them boil a few minutes. Serve the cabbage neatly arranged in saucers with the sausages over the top.

Rice Cooked in Chicken Stock.—Cook rice until nearly tender in water then add enough chicken stock to season well and finish cooking. Serve as a vegetable.

Cottage Cheese and Peanut Salad.—Mix a half cupful of peanuts, which have been shelled and put through the meat chopper, using the coarse cutter, with a cupful of seasoned cottage cheese. Make into balls with a spoon and serve on lettuce.

Rhubarb Pie.—Take one and one-half cupfuls of chopped rhubarb, one cupful of sugar, one tablespoonful of flour and a half teaspoonful of salt; mix with two tablespoonfuls of water and cook until thoroughly hot and the rhubarb nearly soft. Cool and add two egg yolks, turn into a pie tin lined with good pastry and bake in a hot oven at first then slowly until the filling is thick. Cover with a meringue, using the whites and two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar. Add a few quarters of marshmallows over the top and brown.

Miracle of the Thorn Staff. Pretty Legend of Ancient Britain That Is Often Repeated in England at Christmas Time.

It is one of the prettiest legends of ancient Britain—the old Christmas story of the thorn of Glastonbury. William of Malmesbury, the chronicler, told it hundreds of years ago in his "Antiques of Glastonbury." It is repeated often at Christmas time in England.

The legend tells how Joseph of Arimathea, was so persecuted by Pontius Pilate, because he had laid away the body of Christ in his sepulcher, that he fled to Gaul, carrying with him under a cloth of mystical white samite, the Holy Grail. In Gaul he found the Apostle Philip, preaching to the heathen, and he rested with him a few days. One night a radiant light awakened him, and an angel bade him go to Britain and preach the glad tidings to King Arvirgatus; and, where a Christmas miracle should come to pass, there to build a church.

He and a band of followers followed the instructions of the angel, and Arvirgatus gave them the Isle of Avalon, and bade them erect an altar there to the new God. It was a beautiful gift. The tiny isle lay warm in a verdant valley. Sparkling waves softly lapped its shore. Soft breezes played in its trees, and nowhere was the sky so blue as over Avalon.

When they reached the top of the hill called Weary All, Joseph planted his thorn staff he had carried with him on his long journeys over land and sea, deep into the ground, and lo it took root, and immediately there blossomed a bush of beautiful white flowers.

"This is where we will build our church," the good man said, and so, at Glastonbury Abbey—for so Avalon is known today—the thorn bushes bloom white at each Christmas time, lend their fragrance to the frosty air, and remind all who see them of the Christmas miracle.



DO THE MOVIE PLAYS ALWAYS END LIKE THIS?

GAGETOWN NEWS

Merry Xmas Party.—Burt Burton's home will be a merry place on Christmas. Forty relatives will gather at this home.

New Harness Shop.—Angus McCarty will soon have in full force the latest equipped shoe and harness shop in this part of the county. This is pleasing to hear.

Attend Funeral of Mrs. Peck.—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Palmer, L. C. Purdy and Mattie Babcock attended the funeral of Mrs. Robt. Peck in Akron Friday. Mrs. Peck has suffered a long illness.

Entertain Friends.—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stryhn entertained a party of friends on Wednesday of last week at a six o'clock dinner, the occasion being in honor of Mr. Stryhn's birthday.

Program at High School.—Mrs. I. D. McCoy and several others from Cass City were over Friday afternoon to help in the program at the high school given by Miss Koepfgen. The program was much enjoyed.

Crawford-Profit Nuptials.—Miss Hazel Crawford, beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Crawford, and Wm. Profit of Cass City were united in marriage at the M. E. parsonage at Cass City by Rev. Grattan, Friday evening at 6:30. The bride was prettily gowned in blue satin. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Russell witnessed the ceremony. Saturday a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents with immediate relatives as guests, and that afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Profit left on a wedding trip to Pontiac and Detroit. A reception will be given them at the bride's parental home Friday evening of this week. Mrs. Profit will finish her school year as teacher of the seventh grade in the Sebewaing schools.

Mrs. C. P. Hunter is among our sick folks. Esther Wald is assisting at the post office. Roy Havens is visiting his relatives in Lansing.

J. L. Purdy did business in Bad Axe Monday. Mrs. L. T. Hurd spent Wednesday of last week in Pigeon.

Floyd Teller, after a long illness, is able to be down town. Miss Carrie Hopkins spent the week end with Geneva Wills.

Mrs. Joe McDermitt is the happy possessor of a new piano. Miss E. Miller is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Hess, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wills spent Sunday with friends in Millington. Mrs. Farington from Milan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Maynard.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Karner returned to their home in Detroit Wednesday. Leland Turbush is clerking at the drug store during the busy season. Our station agent, A. Johlf, announces the arrival of a young son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Combs are the parents of a brown eyed baby boy. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stearns will spend Christmas day with John Williams.

The inclining icy sidewalks have caused a sudden and forcible "sit-down." Miss Sylvia Green will spend the Christmas vacation at her home in Sanford.

Mrs. Cora Clara closed her school in the Cogswell district Friday with a program. Mrs. Joe McDermitt was in Owendale last week Wednesday, the guest of Mrs. Hooks.

R. Boulton is doing the interior finishing at the beautiful farm home of Arthur Clara. Margaret Burleigh will spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Solden, in Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Livingston and daughters will spend Christmas with Mr and Mrs. E. S. Simmons. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wills and three daughters spent Xmas the guests of Mr and Mrs. L. McEldowney.

Bertrand Ottaway and Miss Acla Barber were married last week. The young people are well known here. Alvin Freeman from Detroit is expected home for Christmas to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Freeman.

Newkirk Maynard returned home from Detroit with his new car. Misses Grace and Helen returned home with him. Mr. and Mrs. A. Stryhn left Wednesday for Flint to spend a week with Mrs. Helen Gage and Mrs. Sarah Gifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Munro will entertain for Christmas Art Burdon and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. Burdon. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Purdy and daughters, Florence and Carolyn, spent Christmas in Pigeon, the guests of E. C. Leipprandt's.

A Wheeler, who came a few weeks ago to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Susan Wheeler, returned Tuesday to his home in Canada.

Law and Order. It does not matter what my enemies may accuse me of; in a life I have been on the side of law and order, and I have never inquired whether those twin institutions were white or yellow. Decency is like gold, the same in all countries.—Li Hung Chang.

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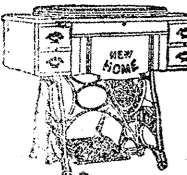
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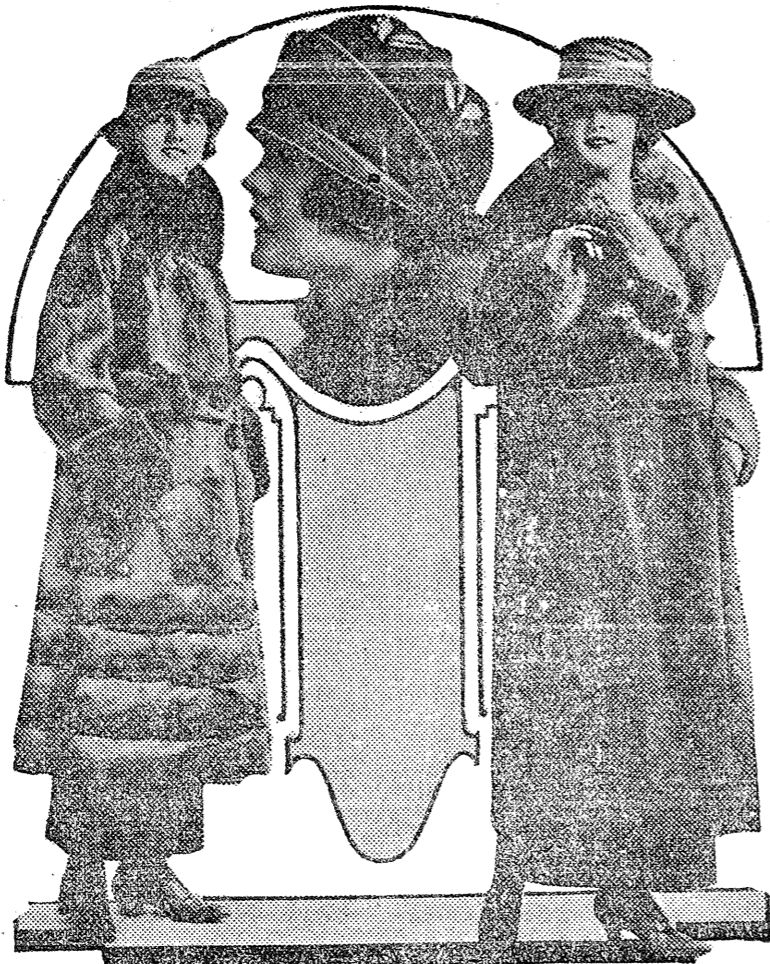
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For the Motorist



Motorists fail to be discouraged by the coming of winter; on the contrary, they lay plans that will give Jack Frost a merry chase if he undertakes to follow them. Any number of industrious and home-loving, average people acquire a car and become "gasoline tramps" in the winter time. Spring, summer and fall they labor and do all that they have to do, but comes the winter and they answer the call of the sun and the summer, spinning along the main lines of travel from north to south and east to west. Nothing daunts those who have become accustomed to touring about the country in their cars, with equipment to make themselves comfortable, and even the stay-at-homes don't store the automobile in the winter as they did a few years back. All the year round it is going and coming in this country of restless and enlightened tourists.

The lady tramp, who is about to see some of our great and glorious country from a touring car, insists upon being comfortable above all things. Also she aspires to looking as "slightly" as the circumstances permit and the circumstances—in the form of coats and hats—are most accommodating. Two motor coats and a motor hat are shown in the picture and they are convincingly good looking. The long coat of natural muskrat skins at the left has a collar and cuffs of Hudson seal and is a handsome and cozy garment that insures one against ordinary cold. The body of it is made of the whole skins set together. It is bordered at the bottom with four bands cut from the pelts, with the dark stripe running horizontally. For town or country this is a fine driving coat and the tourist will find it a joy for warmth. The belt is supported by slides and fastens over a big seal-covered button at the front.

The cloth coat at the right might be selected in any of the heavy, soft coatings—as cut Bolivia, silvertone or duvetyne. It is lined with a soft, figured silk and has a narrow belt that extends in two ends across the front only, allowing the back to hang free. The ends of the belt fasten at the sides with buttons. Selected raccoon skins make the ample collar and cuffs.

The hat at the top of the picture is made of duvetyne over silk. It covers the head very completely and has a visor that shields the eyes. But the crown is extended and turned up in a coronet that gives a bonnetlike effect and adds much to the dignity of this very clever and original headpiece. Cut-out figures in the crown reveal a silk lining in a contrasting color.

Julia Bottomley

December Presents New Blouses



There is a perennial interest in shirt waists and blouses which keeps their designers forever thinking up something new in their construction and decoration. These designers understand better than any one else that a single original and clever touch makes the success of many a blouse that would go almost unnoticed without it. In fact, it is ingenuity in managing the styles we have, rather than new styles, that makes the most certain appeal to women. In December we look for the utmost in blouses; for those critical and discriminating birds of passage—the fashionable women who journey South in January—are out looking for them and considering with unusual concentration—wherever they shall be clothed.

The fine and dainty lingerie blouse is always a part of the outfitting of the tourist. One of these, of organdie, presents its claims to consideration, at the left of the two shown above, and, at first sight, seems innocent of any claim to originality. It has a group of fine plaits at each side of the front and a single plait down the center, edged with a frill hemstitched on at each side. There are small and dainty hand-embroidered motifs on collar and cuffs—pretty details that we are familiar with and fond of. But the artist who availed herself of these favorites just happened to think to make the collar like a fischu and to have the cuffs wrinkled to match it, with handsome pearl buttons set in a row on

them, like those down the front of the blouse. This is so simple that we wonder why it has not been thought of before, and so novel that it will please everyone. It is possible that fine batiste would answer as well as organdie for this waist and that the frills might be of net; in either case it will be a fine model to wear with the dressier separate skirts.

Not many of the blouses for tourists are on display as yet, but georgette blouses like that at the right of the picture, are so sure of their popularity that they need not concern themselves in the matter. This pretty model is made in all light colors, and has full sleeves gathered into deep cuffs, with a row of covered buttons set close together, on them. It fastens at the shoulder and under arm, and is embellished with silk embroidery in the same color as the georgette.

Julia Bottomley

Tailored Coats for Girls.
 On one of the boats returning from France, a number of children were reported wearing tan covert cloth coats severely tailored; most of the models were belted and had raglan sleeves. They were exceedingly smart, giving a very trim appearance to the little girls.

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