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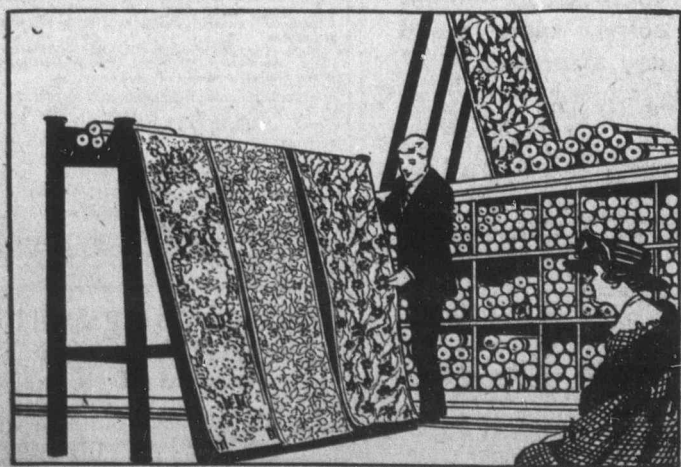
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## A SKIMMILK FED CALF

MAKE CHANGE FROM WHOLE MILK GRADUALLY.

Tests Have Proved That Farmers Can Experiment to Advantage--Amount of Meal to Be Given Depends on Size of the Animals and Youngsters Should Be Encouraged to Take Hay and Grain at an Early Age.

Many times a farmer selling milk has a surplus which he runs through the separator. This provides a limited amount of skimmilk which can be fed to calves to good advantage. In such case the milk in the ration can be gradually changed from whole milk to skimmilk at the end of two or three weeks by substituting an equal amount of skimmilk for each portion of whole milk removed, according to W. W. Swett of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. A complete substitution can be effected in a week or ten days, at which time a good, healthy calf should be receiving about six quarts a day. In case the supply of milk is irregular it is well to have on hand a supply of skimmilk powder, which can be mixed with water at the rate of one pound to every nine pounds of water. This can be fed the same as the whole or skimmilk.

When the calf is started on calf meal the amount to be added varies with the size of the calf and the brand of meal. Directions included



Teaching Calf to Drink, Showing Two Fingers in Mouth.

with the meal should be followed very carefully. In almost every case, the recommendations are to mix the meal with either hot or cold water in sufficient amounts to make a thick, pasty gruel. This is stirred carefully to remove all lumps and then diluted with boiling water. The gruel is usually added to the skimmilk and fed at approximately blood temperature. It should never be fed

more than 75 degrees Fahrenheit. It should be given at the same temperature every day. A thermometer is necessary; "guess work" has no place in calf feeding. The amount of skimmilk should be gradually decreased and the amount of calf-meal gruel increased. At the end of six weeks the milk can be discontinued. At this time the calf may be taught to eat the dry meal from a feed box if small quantities are rubbed on its nose after it has finished drinking. Feed the dry meal regularly and in small quantities so that none will be left in the feed box to spoil. Give just what the calf will readily eat, and develop the appetite slowly. The gruel can be continued until the calf is four months old and perhaps somewhat longer if desired.

It is always advisable to get the calves to take hay and grain at as early an age as possible. They will usually begin when three or four weeks old if given the opportunity. The early development of this habit helps greatly when calves are taken off the calf-meal ration, for they are already taking liberal quantities of hay and grain and the change to this ration alone will be gradual. The calves will not suffer such a serious "set-back" as they might otherwise experience. For the first six to eight weeks the hay fed should be a fine grade of timothy or a coarse alfalfa or mixed hay. Fine alfalfa hay is so palatable that the young calf will eat too much. Either feed a coarse hay or limit the amount of hay which the calf can get. After this time alfalfa may be fed liberally in safety.

**Wheat Straw as Fertilizer.**  
By scattering the wheat straw at this time the farmer should receive very much more benefit from it than if it is allowed to rot in the stack during winter and hauled out in the spring or summer. Chemical analysis shows that wheat straw contains 10 pounds nitrogen, 2.6 pounds phosphoric acid and 14.8 pounds of potash in one ton. From these figures one can readily see the fertilizer value of wheat straw.

**Improvement of Corn Crop.**  
Extra care in selecting curing, testing and grading the seed corn will do much to improve the stand and yield of corn, thus saving labor, reducing cost per bushel and increasing net profit per bushel. It requires the same labor to manure, to plough, to disk, to harrow, to plant and to cultivate a 40 per cent. stand as is required for an 80 per cent. or a 100 per cent. stand.

**In Mixing Concrete.**  
One of the most frequent mistakes in concrete work is the use of natural bank run material in place of the definite concrete mixture specified for the work. For instance, many persons think that when 1:2:4 mixture is specified, 6 cubic feet of natural bank run material can be used in place of the specified two cubic feet of sand and four cubic feet of pebbles. Bank run material almost always contains twice as much sand as pebbles. For strength as well as for water-tightness, there should be only half as much sand as pebbles. Bank run material should be screened so that the sand and pebbles may be correctly proportioned.



## DELICATE GIRLS MADE STRONG

Rich, Red Blood Needed to Keep Up Their Vitality.

If growing girls are to become well developed, healthy women their blood supply must be carefully watched. Mothers should not ignore their unsettled moods or the various troubles that tell of approaching womanhood. It should be constantly borne in mind that pale, bloodless girls need plenty of nourishment, plenty of sleep and regular open-air exercise. But a lack of appetite, and tired, aching limbs tend to hinder progress. To save the weak, thin-blooded sufferer she must have new, rich, red blood and nothing meets a case of this kind so well as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only enrich and increase the blood supply, they help the appetite and aid digestion, relieve the weary back and limbs, thus promptly restoring health and strength and transforming anemic girls and women into cheerful happy people. Among the thousands who have obtained new health and strength through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is Miss Violet Booth, Glenora, Ont., who says:--"For a long time I was in a badly run down condition. I was pale, breathless at the least exertion, and could hardly do any housework without stopping to rest. I often had severe headaches, and my appetite was poor and fickle, and I would get up in the morning without feeling the least bit rested. I had tried several medicines, but did not get benefit from anything until I began to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I had taken two boxes I could see an improvement, and after using six boxes I found my health fully restored. I feel altogether different since I used the pills that I strongly advise them for all weak, run down people."

If you are weak or ailing in any way, avail yourself at once of the splendid home treatment which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills so easily afford, and you will be among those who rejoice in regained health. These pills are sold by all dealers in medicine, or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville.

## A BASEBALL EXPERT

The following item from the Moose Jaw Times refer to an old Watford boy, Richard Gibson, son of Dr. Gibson:--"R. F. Gibson, Sporting Editor of the Evening Times, is now on his way to the Robin Hoods' training camp at Eugene, Ore., to get the first hand up-to-the-minute dope on every member of the Nick Williams team. He will arrive at Eugene some time on Wednesday, and will at once start the work of giving the baseball fans of Moose Jaw a pre-season service that is only surpassed in the Major League cities of the United States. "Dick Gibson knows baseball. He knows how to write it in a fashion that makes the fans want to read more of it. He has been appointed Official Scorer in Moose Jaw for the Western Canada League. He will be constantly with the Robins throughout their spring work, and he will not only give sketches of every member of the team, but will give for your benefit their batting and fielding averages, and will tell you the strong and weak points of each player. In addition he will cover all the exhibition games, and will be in a position before the season is started to accurately analyze for you the Robins' offensive and defensive power."

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