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**KARL FREEMAN, BRIDGETOWN, N.S.**

**Lawrencetown**

May 15

Rumors of June weddings.

Freeman Hatt has gone to Halifax to remain for an indefinite period.

Services for Sunday, May 21st: Baptist 11 a. m.; Episcopal, 11 a. m.; Methodist, 7.30.

Mr. I. C. Archibald has purchased Mr. S. C. Bancroft's residence and has taken possession.

Miss Carrie Dodge of Belleisle, visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bent, quite recently.

Pastor Mellick will be absent this week attending the Annapolis County Quarterly held in the Milford Baptist church.

We extend to the bereaved family of the late Mrs. John Hall our sincere sympathies in the sad loss of a beloved wife and mother.

Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Durling and little daughter, of Middleton, were guests of the doctor's mother, Mrs. Mary Durling, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Balcom, also Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Balcom and children of Margareville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Balcom on Sunday last.

The Bridgetown Detachment of the 219th Battalion marched to Lawrencetown on Wednesday morning. Dinner was served in the Baptist church. After speeches and music, they returned. The Band was in attendance.

A very enjoyable social was given by the Epworth League in the vestry of the church on Friday last. Next Friday an interesting topic has been arranged for the League. It will be "An evening with Florence Barclay." Meeting timed for 8 o'clock sharp.

On Sunday evening next a sacred concert will be given in the Methodist Church. There will be anthems, solos, readings, etc. The choir will be assisted by talent from Bridgetown and other places. Those who were present at the last musical evening given by the choir will certainly make a point of being present on this occasion. A silver offering will be taken.

**The Farm**

**HOW TO SUCCEED WITH CALVES AND COLTS**

**Good Calves By Hand Feeding.**

My method of raising good calves begins before the calf is born. A cow that has six weeks to two months' rest with good feed will produce a stronger and better calf than one that is milked right up to calving.

At birth every calf is washed on navel and belly with a good antiseptic solution; the cow's udder also is washed with the same solution. I find this a good preventative for scours. I leave the calf with the cow four days or a little longer if the udder is badly caked. When they are taken from the cow they do not receive food for 24 hours. This starvation usually makes them willing to learn to drink from the pail. They are backed into one corner of the pen for their first lesson, but after a few meals they come into the stanchions for their feed.

**Don't Feed Too Much**

The first three weeks they get their meals three times daily; after this they get along with two feeds a day. Eight pounds milk a day is sufficient for several weeks when their allowance can be increased to 10 or 12 pounds, depending upon the size of the calf. All milk fed is weighed until the calf is several months old.

Care is taken to keep the pails and mangers clean. Nothing will cause digestive troubles easier than dirty pails. The litter in the pens is removed often and pens are kept well bedded.

At the age of four weeks, skim milk is gradually added to the whole milk, so that in a week they are getting skim milk. Blood flour is fed in teaspoon doses as a preventative of scours. As a substitute for the fat removed in the skim milk, several ounces of ground flaxseed are added. This is a valuable calf feed if used in moderation.

**Give Them Some Hay**

Calves will usually begin to eat a little hay when several weeks old. I find the best hay a mixture of June grass and alfalfa. Too much alfalfa may cause scours. At the time they begin eating hay they also will eat a little grain. By putting a little oats into their mouths directly after drinking milk they will learn to eat grain and forget about sucking each other's ears.

I purchased a valuable heifer whose udder was injured by other calves sucking on her when a calf. Care must be taken to avoid this. If it cannot be accomplished in any other way the calves must be kept in separate pens or tied up.

Whole oats, bran and whole corn in equal parts make a good grain mixture for young calves. They are fed all the grain they will clean up until they are several months old when their allowance will be about 1½ pounds a day. It is surprising how much water young calves will drink. Do not forget to keep some before them at all times.

**More Milk, Better Cattle**

After the calves are several months of age the skim milk can be omitted. I get results best when skim milk is fed until they are four or six months old.

At times when I am short of milk I have quit the skim milk at the age of two months and substituted a homemade calf meal made of equal parts white wheat middlings, sifted ground oats and corn meal, to 100 pounds of which is added 25 pounds ground flax seed and 10 pounds blood meal. Calves do very nicely on this mixture fed in the form of a warm slop at the rate of a pound a day. They will not have as nice a finish as when skim milk is fed, however, nor can they be raised quite as cheaply.—O. R. Fraunheim, Sheboygan Co., Wis.

**SKIM MILK WORTH FEEDING**

"What is the value of separated milk as a feed for hogs?" asks a Montana reader. "Dressed pork sells here at about 10 cents a pound.

The value of skim milk depends wholly upon the grain combination with which it is fed. Separated milk alone is not a sufficient ration for pigs but it is a mighty good supplement to most all other hog feeds. If you feed it with shelled corn, wheat middlings and tankage or give it with corn to pigs on pasture, it is worth from 25 to 30 cents per 100 pounds. It can be purchased from creameries for a good deal less than this. Pigs fed on a mixture of about six pounds corn, one pound middlings, and a pound tankage with a quart or three pints milk a day make surprising gains.

**RAISING A GOOD COLT**

Who knows a good way to induce a mare to own her colt when she isn't inclined to do so? Whether or not the foal is able to suck during the first few hours of his life or in case the mare will not permit, you should milk the mare and give the foal the

first milk. This is necessary to the well-being of any young animal.

If the mare persists in refusing to let the colt suck or does not have milk enough, raise him on cow's milk. Mare's milk contains on an average 1% less fat than cow's milk and a little more sugar.

If the cow's milk is very rich add a little water and in any case put in a spoonful of granulated sugar with warm water enough to dissolve it. Add two or three teaspoonfuls of lime water and milk enough to make a pint.

**Feeding the Colt by Hand**

A good feeding apparatus is made from an old teapot. Clean and scald it thoroughly. Tie the thumb of an old kid glove over the spout and punch some holes in it with a darning needle. Warm the milk to blood heat pour it into the teapot and let the colt suck the old glove thumb. You will have little trouble in feeding him in this way.

Give him about half a cupful an hour for a while. Increase the quantity as he grows older, then decrease the feeding times to six times a day and then four, and when he is three weeks or a month old he can be fed milk and linewater or milk from a bucket, eliminating the sugar. Even at this age however, it will be easy to overfeed him on milk.

At the first sign of intestinal trouble cut down the milk supply and give him a dose of castor oil—two ounces if he is very young and three or four ounces when he is a month old.

At two months old give him some sweet skim milk and by the time he is three months old let him have all the sweet skim milk he will drink three times a day. Put ground oats and bran where he can get it when he is six weeks old and let him have green grass and hay just as he wants it. Let him have the run of a lot. Don't keep him penned up closely.

**LIGHT AND HEAVY HORSES**

If Great Britain found it necessary to utilize the race-courses of England for military purposes and thus put a check upon racing she also finds it necessary to encourage hunting and to maintain horse shows. The reason for this is to promote the production of horses for remount purposes. Without some utilization for horses of this description other than military there would become such a scarcity that even officers' mounts would be hard to obtain. Dragoons and hussars may have been used as foot soldiers during the present war but it must be apparent that the reign of the cavalry horse has not altogether passed. He will ever be useful in colonial disturbances and in warfare against semi-civilized nations and tribes. He will ever be useful too in open fighting. That His Majesty, the King, as well as his Government, takes this view is proven by his recent gift of the best bred horse in his stable of high class thoroughbreds to the Government of Canada for the purpose of getting remounts. That but one mind in this regard is entertained by the ruling authorities of Britain is further indicated by the fact that the Imperial Government recently accepted a gift of his famous thoroughbred stable from Colonial Hall Walker. From these points of view the advisability of Canada continuing to breed light horses and saddle horses is plain.

When peace comes, and the large number of officers that have been created return to civil life, they will doubtless continue their equestrianism. Therefore horse-back riding promises to become the vogue. Sport sports as hunting and polo playing will receive an immense impetus and with them horse shows will return to greater favour than ever. In addition to the history of the horse proves that after every irruption of other means of street and road travel he has ultimately returned to his own. An alleged horseless age came in with railway trains. It returned with the automobile and traction power. As in the two first cases so in the last instance, the horse will return. Possibly not to the same extent or exactly for the same purposes, but he will be restored for the reason, among others, that men with vitality in their veins like to handle and control living things, because the sportsmanship he makes possible, because of the exhilaration he affords in freedom and daring and because of his spectacular character in the show ring. And he will never pass as a military arm.

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**Middleton**

May 15

Mrs. H. S. Morris is spending a few days in Halifax.

Miss Eagles, trained nurse, of Wolfville, is taking care of Mrs. W. C. Feindel.

Dr. A. C. Fales is enjoying a three weeks' fishing trip in northern Queens County.

Mrs. H. A. Taite who has spent the past two years in the West arrived home on Saturday.

E. Dickie, son of Conductor Gus. Dickie of Kingsport, is reported wounded, at the front.

Capt. G. H. Vroom left last week for Deep Brook to join Major Walter Purdy on a fishing trip.

F. W. Pentz, who has been connected with the Middleton Pharmacy left on Wednesday for Toronto.

No service in Holy Trinity last Sunday, Rev. H. S. Morris being away at the closing of King's College, and the summer school.

Grover Douglas of the D. A. R. staff here has been transferred to Annapolis Royal and is succeeded by W. A. Baily of Round Hill.

One of the 112th boys, Randolph Sabeans, was taken ill on Tuesday suffering from appendicitis. He was sent to Windsor to the hospital.

The 112th boys leave for Windsor to-day. The people of Middleton are very sorry to see them go as they have been a very quiet and gentlemanly lot of men.

Miss Ethel Morse, B. A., graduate of Kings, won the Governor General's medal. Miss Morse is a sister of H. C. Morse, Barrister, of Bridgetown, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Meluel Morse of Middleton.

**ARLINGTON**

May 15

Miss Wyona Brown is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Hines.

Mrs. David Marshall of Outram, visited her sister, Mrs. Asabel Whitman on Tuesday last.

We are glad to report that Mrs. D. W. Marshall has quite recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. Jennie Philbrick who has been spending the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Esson has returned to Boston.

Our Sunday school was reorganized on Sunday last. Officers were appointed and we hope for a good attendance this summer. It will meet next Sunday at 2 p. m.

A fifteen cent tea was held by the Ladies Sewing Circle at the home of Mr. Silas Banks last Friday evening. The proceeds which are to go to the Belgian Relief Fund amounted to \$7.30.

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