

help on a farm are very well described by a hired man in one of our American exchanges. He says:

"There are two kinds of hired men. One is a time worker, and one is a worker. The first will perform his duties fairly well when the boss is around, but when out of sight will take it too easy. If quite safe from being espied, he may lie down and take a nap to make the time go more quickly. His one object is to pass the time away. This man is expensive at the lowest wages. The other man does the same service when his master is present as when he is absent. He endeavors to do all work assigned to him in the best and most speedy manner. He will not sit down and wait for orders, but when one job is finished will seek his master for further orders. His greatest delight is to see his employer contented with his services. In short, he works to his employer's interest. This man is cheap at the highest wages."

To Raise Quarantine

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has completed an investigation of the States now under quarantine for foot-and-mouth disease and finds no cases of the disease. A reward was offered of \$230 to any person reporting before June 30th the existence of any specific case of foot-and-mouth disease in either Massachusetts or New Hampshire. If no cases are reported by July 1st the quarantine will be removed from New England ports.

Fitting Horses for Market

It is one thing to breed and raise horses, and another to properly fit them for market. The farmers of this country lose hundreds of dollars because they sell unfitted or hardly fitted horses. On the other hand there are a number of people making a good living by buying these unfitted horses from the farmer and putting them in proper marketable condition. This should not be. Why cannot the farmer who breeds and raises a horse, put him in proper condition for bringing the highest market price? He can do so by a little careful study of the subject and the use of good judgment and common sense.

To stimulate an interest in it, and to secure the best available information on this subject, The Farming World is offering liberal prizes at the Dominion Exhibition to be held in Toronto next September, for essays on "Fitting Horses for Market." If our readers have any useful ideas on this subject that they would like to get well paid for this is their opportunity. It will not cost you anything to try. Write Dr. Orr, Manager, 70 King street east, Toronto, for a copy of the prize list giving full particulars as to our prize essay competition. Four different sets of prizes are given for four different essays on four different subjects. You therefore have a wide choice. Don't fail to secure a prize list.



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