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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

A CHEAP PAINT MIXTURE-PAINTING WITH A SPRAY PUMP.

1. I saw in your valuable paper a prescription for painting barns, but mislaid it. It was lime, salt, ground rice and glue. Please give the proportions, and how to prepare them. What coloring or mixture is best to use in order to make it red?

2. Has any of your subscribers any experience in painting with a spray pump and with what result? W. G. Huron Co.

Ans.—1. Slack half a bushel of fresh lime with boiling water, strain through a fine strainer, and add one peck of salt (previously dissolved); three pounds of ground rice, boiled to a thin paste and stirred in boiling hot; one pound Spanish whiting, and one pound glue (previously dissolved). Add five gallons hot water to the mixture; stir well, and cover, letting it stand for a few days. It should be put on hot. About a pint, properly applied, will cover a square yard. With lampblack or venetian red any dark or reddish shade can be made.

2. Subscribers are invited to state their experience on this point. Generally speaking, paint put on this way does not last so well as that applied with a brush, but we have known cases where "water paint," put on in this way, gave fairly good satisfaction.

Mark Twain, in his lecturing days, reached a small eastern town one afternoon, and went before dinner to a barber's to be shaved.

"You are a stranger in this town, sir?" the barber asked.

"Yes. I'm a stranger here," was the reply.

"We're having a good lecture here to-night, sir," said the barber. "A Mark Twain lecture. Are you going to it?"

"Yes, I think I will," said Mr. Clemens.

"Have you got your ticket yet?" the barber asked.

"No, not yet," said the other.

"Then, sir, you'll have to stand."

"Dear me!" Mr. Clemens exclaimed.

"It seems as if I always do have to stand when I hear that man Twain lecture."

It might be supposed that English-speaking people would not venture to travel in a foreign country without some knowledge of its language; but our countrymen do so every year.

A lady relates that she was one of a party of English tourists that visited Madrid. She was the only one of the number who knew any Spanish, and her stock was confined to "yes" and "no" and "milk." By means of gestures they managed to get along the first afternoon and night.

The next morning at breakfast there was coffee, but no milk, and the party appealed to the lady to get some.

To her dismay she forgot the word for milk, and after striving in vain to recall it, she seized a piece of paper and pencil and drew the picture of a cow.

The waiter examined the drawing critically, went out of the room and returned promptly with a bundle of tickets for that day's bull fight.

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CROSSING

Robt. Miller, Stouffville, Ont., writes: "Since writing you last, I have sold some hundreds of Shropshires and Cotswolds. In the lot there have been a great many grand flock headers. I furnished every first-prize winner in the ram classes at Toronto in both Shropshire and Cotswold classes, excepting the aged Cotswold ram. Have also furnished nearly every first-prize winner at the principal State fairs that have been held up to this time, in both classes. But my greatest victory of all is in the fields at home, where I am showing and selling the best all-round lot of rams and ram lambs that have ever been offered to the breeders of Canada. I am not waiting for somebody to pay me more than one sheep is worth, but am selling them so that no customer need go past, and no man wanting to buy a ram has turned away this year without one."

One of Canada's younger breeders who is rapidly coming to the front, is Mr. J. A. Richardson, of South March, Ont. His farm lies in the county of Carleton, South March being on C. P. R. Mr. Richardson's specialty is Holstein cattle, but he also is somewhat extensively engaged in the breeding of Oxford Down and Horned Dorset sheep, Tamworth hogs, Embden and Toulouse geese. The Holsteins number 24 head. The stock bull is Emperor De Kol Wayne 3754, bred by Brown Bros., Lyn, sire Beryl Wayne Paul Concordia 3130, dam Empress Josephine of Brookside 2019. Mr. Richardson showed splendid judgment in selecting this bull, as his rich breeding and perfect individuality will certainly leave a favorable impression on the herd. The foundation cows were all of Bollert's breeding, which means that they were as good as the country produces. None of them have ever been officially tested, but are now milking from 50 to 65 lbs. a day, and if given an official chance would certainly score up to the required standard. The Tamworths are an up-to-date lot. The Oxford Downs and Horned Dorsets are the right kind, and parties wanting young stock of any of the above breeds would do well to write Mr. Richardson, as he can supply any of them at prices consistent with quality.

Among the stock breeders of Lambton, few have done the county greater credit the past couple of years than John A. Govenlock, Hereford breeder, of Forest, Ont., who has had the courage to face the best herds in Canada at Toronto and London exhibitions, where he was quite successful in winning a fair share of the honors, among them being three firsts on yearling and two-year-old bulls and upon a herd of four calves bred by exhibitor. This herd won also several seconds on nicely-fitted stuff. The thick, even-fleshed bull, Imperial 2034 160500, is sire of the young things in the herd, which are of splendid quality, just what anyone would expect he would produce with such breeding behind him, he being by C. W. Armour's (Kansas City) Majestic, dam, Butter Maid 2nd. This bull has been a prizewinner ever since he was a calf. Mr. Armour, it is said, has been offered \$4,000 for his sire, Majestic. The yearling bull, Forest Pride, that won first at Toronto and London last year, has repeated the worthy feat this year, which is sufficient to say about his good qualities. In the female line, Mr. Govenlock is strong. Gem 45th (imp.) is still in the pink of condition, and is doing herself justice as a breeder. Forest Lady, a daughter of Lambton's Pride, is a big, thick cow, with many prizes to her credit, that is also producing the right kind of stock. Among the younger things in this herd is Little Beauty, Rosebud and Little Sweetheart, each with straight, thick backs and mellow flesh, early maturers. Pansy, the heifer calf shown with this herd and winner of second prize, is a very promising youngster that is in good shape to continue to improve. The herd numbers nearly 30 head, and is richly bred. Anyone can get a good one or two out of it any time. The farm is about half a mile from Forest Station on the main line of the C. T. R., between Port Huron and Toronto. See Mr. Govenlock's advertisement in this paper.

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