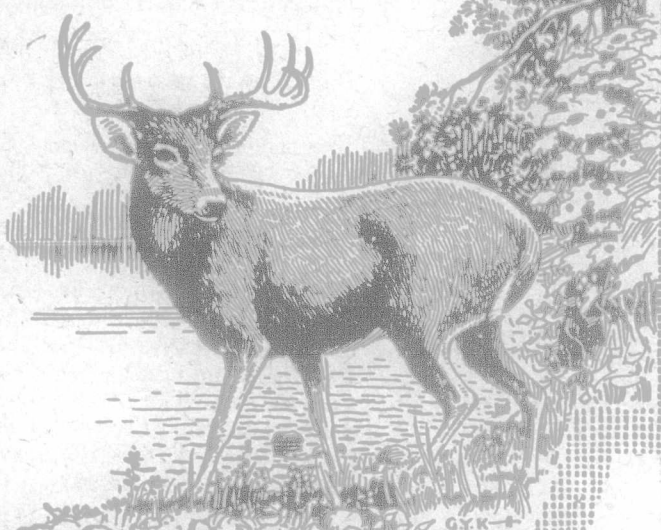


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Ans.—It depends upon local municipal by-law. See your township clerk.

Game Laws.

1. Can anyone from Ontario go down to Quebec and get license to hunt deer?

2. Could anyone ship the deer out of Quebec into Ontario?

3. When does the hunting season for deer open in that Province?

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Ans.—Write to the Provincial Secretary Quebec, Que., for the game laws and regulations.

Falling Quarter.

A cow frequently gives bloody milk out of one teat. The milk flow is now decreasing. What can I do to stimulate this quarter?

2. Which has the lighter draft and does the better work, small or large plates on a disk?

J. P.

Ans.—Bathing with cold water might help the udder, but it is doubtful if you can stimulate the milk flow in this lactation. The trouble may be rectified when the cow again freshens.

2. We would prefer the larger disk.

Hens Too Fat.

We have an up-to-date hen house, with a run of $\frac{1}{2}$ acre, also running water. We have 45 hens, Plymouth Rocks, White Leghorns and Brown Leghorns. We have got only 3 dozen eggs since August 20th, and just now we only get one every other day. Sometimes we feed clear wheat; other times a mixture. We give them sugar beets, cabbage, and other vegetables. I killed two and they were very fat. We have no mites. We have a dust box which we keep plenty of lime in. About once a week I give them a hot mash of potatoes, and shorts, also we give them coal ashes and wood ashes and gravel. I would like to know why they don't lay. Some moulted in August, others are moulting now.

W. A. M.

Ans.—Evidently the hens are too fat. It very often occurs at this season of the year that the hens moult. This always curtails production, and if hens are over-fat they seldom lay. They should be fed just enough grain to keep them a little on the hungry side, and if possible they should be made to work for it. It is well to eliminate the mash for the present. It may be started again when cold weather sets in. Some flocks are inclined to lay only for two or three months in the spring, and then eat their heads off for the remainder of the year. If the flock has always had a tendency to be shy layers during late summer, fall and winter, we would advise getting rid of the birds and starting in with a strain that is from heavy producing stock. In practically every breed may be found a laying strain and what is commonly known as an exhibition strain.

Gossip.

High-priced Jerseys Come to Canada.

At the sale of Ayr & McKinney, Delhi, N. Y., on Friday, 17th of Sept., seventy head of Jerseys were sold for an average of \$801. The highest priced cow was Jap's Mertha Lass; \$6,500 was bid by B. H. Bull & Son, for her, but she was purchased by T. S. Cooper of Coopersburg, Pa., for \$6,600. The second highest-priced female was an imported yearling daughter of the Cid and was purchased by B. H. Bull & Son for \$3,600. The same firm purchased a six-months heifer calf for \$110.

Attention is drawn to J. J. Merner's Shorthorn sale, to be held at Clinton, on October 12. The offering contains several very attractive propositions. Among the families represented are Bruce-Fanny's, Crimson Flowers, Minna, Claret's, Beautys, Roan Ladys and May-flowers. Several of these lots are extra choice. However, they are all offered in field condition. Anyone wishing to secure foundation stock should plan to be at this sale. The catalogue is ready and may be had on application to J. J. Merner, Seaforth.