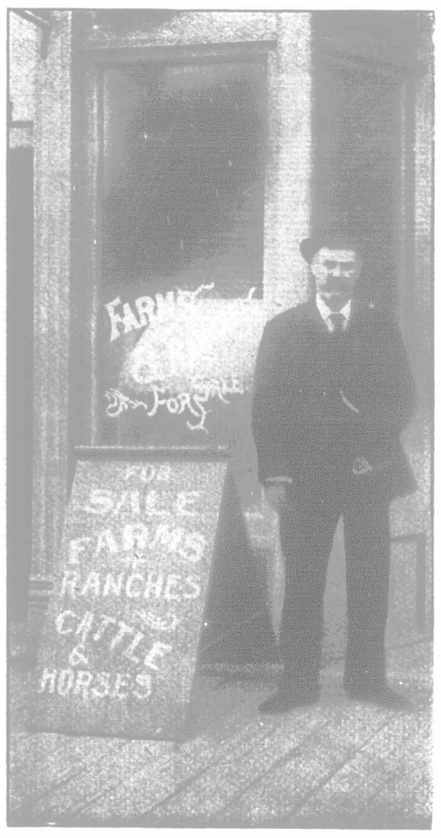

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Without these aromatic parts there can be no truly balanced ration. It is the food assimilated and not the food eaten that gives the results, and the more thorough the assimilation is, the more satisfactory will the results be. No amount of carbohydrates of fat will produce flesh or butter unless it is assimilated.

Nature's way is the true way and aroma is as necessary to the true balance of a ration as is nutritive ratio.

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Feed Herbageum to pigs and they will be mature bacon hogs at five months, instead of at seven months, and the pork will grade "firm." Feed it to calves and there will be no scours, and it will make separated milk equal to new milk for them, and that without the addition of any fat-containing indigestible meals. Feed it to horses and their coats will shine as though they were on a good June pasture, and this without antimony, arsenic, aloes, copperas, saltpetre, resin or any drug or dope that should not be fed regularly, or that has any ill effect. And so on through the whole list of farm stock. It will clean out lice and ticks by making pure blood. This is nature's plan, a good pasture will do the same thing in the same way. Pure blood is poison to all parasites.

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