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keep better than that killed im-To the President of the Queen's Central mediately after exercise. As anilie not so much in our improvement. They will then set earnestly to work

tinued prosperity which has been ex- butes it through all the veins. After climate. It is, therefore, of the ut tended to the farmer, and for the rest it gradually returns to the vitals, most importance to the interests of at the same time, the fact that, at least the arteries, and large veins being color-breeding, that we should raise in my humble opinion, no one in the cut, the blood is at one emptied. our voices loudly and constantly many walks of life, is, or can be, as Bnt, if he is killed while the blood is against it to the end, that not only at home and in the Island of Igray, but independent as he, few, if any, as well at the surface distributed through the equipped to battle with our long cold winter, and no one count to be made vinter, and no one count to be more and in the Island of Jersey, but in England as well, where the disease originated, we shall be able to countercenturies before the day in which we

marked as often as the seasons of the We lately gave the opinion of Mr. ings during the past year, yet these they were inferior to the Guernseys tended well to the transacting its owing to the fact that very many of affairs and I am happy to report, that falling away in the appearance of the During the past year, the purchase Jerseys in their native soil. Another fined to that of a Berkshire Boar Pig ment importation of sheep. These when sold, proved a pecuniary loss to

than pay in the not distant future. and experience of its promoters, together with an exceedingly propitious a decided increase of thickness of hide, for their butter. One effect of this day, proved a success in every way, coarseness of hair, hairness of neck reduction in the number of live stock drawning to it many of the people of the surrounding neighbourhoods, and will we trust, prove more than a mere monetary gain to all concerned. The manuary of the people of the surrounding neighbourhoods, and deteroriation of the breed to the places where, owing to the severe as Shorthorns or Durhams, but do gallons of milk, 480 pounds of cheese, manuary gain to all concerned. The monetary gain to all concerned. The monetary gain to all concerned. The monetary gain to all concerned. The manuary of the people of the surrounding neighbourhoods, and deteroriation of the breed to the places where, owing to the severe as Shorthorns or Durhams, but do gallons of milk, 480 pounds of cheese, he was persuaded, and the result was as mentioned. Now gambling and the first the sheep must have their pint per deteroriation of the severe as Shorthorns or Durhams, but do gallons of milk, 480 pounds of butter per annum. The fact is, sheep are manure of control of the street of the surrounding neighbourhoods, and deteroriation of the severe as Shorthorns or Durhams, but do gallons of milk, 480 pounds of bran or oil-meal even then.

The fact is, sheep are manure of control of the severe as Shorthorns or Durhams, but do gallons of milk, 480 pounds of butter per annum. the surrounding neighbourhoods, and ness in the udder. He attributes the will be plentiful and cheap in some

able, and particularly so in that of be supposed possible. Almost unversal and particularly so in that of be supposed possible. Almost unversal in stables and fatten them for the season has been favourable to undoubtedly working a decided de- British market next spring, instead for making cheese. The Shorthorns another fair unless I can be assurred a substance of equal value—because it still better prepared, the yield could horses, horned cattle, sheep and pigs. ly they condemn it, and say that it is in stables and fatten them for the The season has been favourable to the farmer in nearly every respect. By far the greater injury sustained, was in the loss of quite a large part where one part in the farmer is nearly every respect. By far the greater injury sustained, was in the loss of quite a large part where objections are the fortunately few farmers residing in fortunately few farmers who have been assurred a substance of equal value—because it derioration of the race. But that these objectionable things are is more available—with that these objectionable things are is more available—with that these objectionable things are is more available—with that which they received, and they get fat mean they received, and they get fat mean while in doing it. Just as we give of the low land hay, due the high and their breeding—they cannot expect the districts where cattle are being in England and America, as large milk of Ayrshire, when tested with vantages of fairs and some of the districts where cattle are being in England and America, as large milk of Ayrshire, when tested with vantages of fairs and some of the districts where cattle are being in England and America, as large produced by one farmer, who has been protracted rise of the water of the the smaller farmers to resist the decimated this fall have been in the microscope, is found well stocked advantages. Which weigh the most? get back exactly the same weight of patiently engaged for years in imriver. Excepting the above, hay has been a fair crop. Wheat, more exbeen been a fair crop. Wheat, more extensively grown than in former years, and resist the tendency to a very has yielded an average return. Oats great extent, not one of them is quite cept the old oxen and "slab sided" good in straw, will also be good in free from its influence; for example, I bulls, which cost too much to fatten, grain. Buckwheat a good crop. Potatoes are short of last year's yield which had any material amount of by quite a large percentage, but will white in his color; hardly one would utterly unsuited to the British marprove far more remunerative, owing to the increased demand and consequent higher prices. Fruit an unsully abundant crop. By fruit we mean the apple nore particularly; of his best, which he refused to a neighbor's bull with such this is the truth about it."

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for rendering butter firm and solid during the process of churning:—To the capture, or when well fed, the quantity required will be reduced by a difficulty required will be reduced by a diff many fine samples of which were me for £100-a bull which I consider over all imported cattle in the British seen at the show. We think, all that equal to any that I have ever seen, markets, since Canada is the only by this that they excel all others as a Acreage Required for A Cow.— have tried another, and mostly to no best specimens of Canadian cattle enter into the butter, and if it did it is required to make apple raising highly remunerative, is care and attention bestowed on New Brunswick who have seen him regard him as an ing the introduction of contagious grown trees. The root crop has been absolutely perfect Jersey bull. Mr. Arthur sold him to me (for Major they prevail to a greater or less department of a very definite answer. In a dairy took some two hours each day. This diseases from other countries where they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous absolutely perfect Jersey bull. Mr. Arthur sold him to me (for Major they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous absolutely perfect Jersey bull. Mr. Arthur sold him to me (for Major they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous absolutely perfect Jersey bull. Mr. Arthur sold him to me (for Major they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous absolutely perfect Jersey bull. This, says the London Live Stock they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous absolutely perfect Jersey bull. This, says the London Live Stock they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous absolutely perfect Jersey bull. Mr. Arthur sold him to me (for Major they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous absolutely perfect Jersey bull. Mr. Arthur sold him to me (for Major they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous and the contagrous absolutely perfect Jersey bull. Mr. Arthur sold him to me (for Major they prevail to a greater or less department of the contagrous and the con section having given more than usual attention to this really important to the province of a very definite answer. In a dairy took some two nours each day. This seemed to be too much work, and as I have a well of soft water near by, I took when the cattle brought from the the really important to this really important to this really important to this really important to the province of a very definite answer. In a dairy took some two nours each day. This seemed to be too much work, and as I important to the province of a very definite answer. In a dairy took some two nours each day. This seemed to be considered to be considered to be considered to the very moderate price, saying that he important to the province of a very definite answer. In a dairy took some two nours each day. This seemed to be considered to the very definite answer. In a dairy took some two nours each day. This seemed to be considered to the very definite answer. In a dairy took some two nours each day. This seem

annual competition shows, and as a Aryshire-like markings, which would highest prices. It is a great pity self weans it, which is at about six lifth, of twenty-eight cows, on ninty waterpot and applied it at the rate of at all, it is somewhat difficult to see wet cloth, put them into a vessel and consequence are flocking around its have thrown a suspicion over his bad acres. It is a great pity that the only part of Canada which is months' age ordinarily. If a man acres. Mr. Schull, of Little Falls, N. about a gallon to forty heads, putting of the strong, clean brine, and standard, and laudably striving to Almost invariably, in examining a likely to derive much benefit from that the land in pastur- it in the center I did! this every excel in one or many of the depart- herd, the farmer, or the agent by this favorable condition of the British milk and beef of good quality, and in age and hay requisite for the support day, and the result was I had the nents of the farm.

The object of an agricultural society

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The Proper Time for Slaughtering. have a climate, a soil, a system of believed that Government could per-It has been discovered by a French chemist that the flesh of animals which are killed in the latter part of the night will keep much longer without salting than it will when We have received from W. O. Slipp, they are killed in the day time. We have received from W. O. Slipp, they are killed in the day time. It will when the great mass of Esq., the Report of the Queen's Central This proves that the flesh is better Agricultural Society. We are glad fitted for keeping when the life and

Our only hope for superiority must exceptions to a general law of nature. they will fall behind us, but in so fallwinter, and no one ought to be more As blood corrupts sooner than flesh, thankful for sacred promises given the meat spoils.—Prairie Farmer. own future interests, no less than those of the island breeders, are be-

> Wallace (of Wallace's Monthly) of the Raising First-class Stock-Better Farming and Improved Dairy
> Products—The True National Policy for

American, Col. George E. Waring, Jr. of milch cows which they intend to reduce very materially the number has lately visited the island, and has keeping through the approaching given his impressions of the cattle winter. Many of the habitants dwelland the country, in an article which ing north of this city, as well as appeared in a late number of the some of the farmers in the Ottawa "Bulletin of the American Jersey Cat dietriet, have let buil their milch tle Club." He said that the old cows cows go dry early this fall, and are were simply superb, but that the selling them to drovers at exceedingand shoulder and tendency to fleshi- kept on the farm will be that fodder monetary gain to all concerned. The entries numbered nearly 500, and the show was in every department, creditable, and particularly so in that of table, and particularly so in that of table is so that of the mainter so tarly of latter so tall or good pounds of butter per annum. Into matter so tarly of latter so tall or good sead would other.

She herself weighs about 850 pounds, fact ought to induce such farmers as have suitable cattle to put them up table part of the mainter so tall or good sead would other.

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Your obedient servant

W. O. SLIPP, Secretary.

With the farmers who are now selling and the farmers who are now selling another in the same field, we were answered quite as a matter of course; what the farmers who are now selling another in the same field, we were answered quite as a matter of course; what the farmers who are now selling another in the same field, we were answered quite as a matter of course; what the farmers who are now selling another in the same field, we were answered quite as a matter of course; what the farmers who are now selling another in the same field, we were sate food and milk is made, says Dr. Sturtevant, in quantities according as the ancestry of the cow have been good or poor milker. The common country-made butter lead to pasture as requisite for a cow in Burk-shire County, Mass., while in some breeding stock:—Secure as few weak or defective points as possible, rather of course; what the farmers who are now selling antotic to the same field, we were answered quite as a matter of course; what the farmers who are now selling antotic the farmers who are now selling antotic course; what the farmers who are now selling antotic course; what the farmers who are now selling antotic proved the farmer who are now selling antotic course; what the farmers who are now selling antotic proved the farmer of course; which says Dr. Sturtevant, in quantities according as the ancestry of the cow have been good or poor milker. The course of the individual factors.

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the people realize that the so-called fitted for keeping when the life and blood are taken from the animal at the time the time the temperature is the low-relate only to superficial area. We and place-hunters, at the expense of the total the first in the hotal, doubted, and ine arts hall, the boys ranged at the effect that 'the sheep's foot turns the cost of a little time and labor will, and I venture to say that few will, and I venture to say that few will, and I venture to say that few things escaped their notice. Alone, surer way to fertilize a barren field, untitle stand in the narvest season, things about the premises returns, At the effect that 'the sheep's foot turns the cost of a little time and labor will, and I venture to say that few when required, the appearance of an or click in size, and the touts. the time the temperature is the lowrelate only to superficial area. We
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by greater economy in spending, and two like a cork—not blown or hanging that the few who succeed in getting even this I doubt, for some of the meat of animals killed after rest will cattle in Jersey are really very large than by the sweat of animals killed after rest will cattle in Jersey are really very large.

mals rest in the night, the meat will as in the Jerseymen's deteoriation. If of cours, be better in the morn-the work will be continue their present course, on their business. It is generally qualities is that if the eye be fall and on their business. It is generally qualities is that if the eye be fall and ing off they will deprive us of marked advantage which we ought always to Huntingdon, Chateaguay, Stanstead the forquarters light, with the tude, and I trust to that of every so, is this: Exercise draws the member of this society, for the con-blood to the extremities, and distri
licenter of the property of the property so, is this: Exercise draws the be able to seek in their more fertile and Compton produces more first-class shoulder top thin; the hindquarters mile cows than all the other portions broad, with the hook and calving of the Province of Quebec. That even bones high, though not presenting a American breeders that our faces the farmers of these four counties do pleasing contour; the milk veins well comparitively bountiful harvest which it has been his lot to gather in, noting it has been his lot to gather in, noting course, if an animal is then killed, were it otherwise the price of good opening be found in addition, all the milch cows would not continue to better-the purchaser will not, in advance in this market, while inferior nine cases out of ten, regret his barbossies and beef critters in general gain. It must, however, be borne in are almost unsalable, except at such mind that exceptional animals milk low prices as are sometimes received well in any shape; but the above for good calves when four or five hints will form a general guide. It months old. It will be a happy day may be well also to point out some of for this Province when a majority of the defects which have tended to rethose who cultivate its soil become strict the increasing number of this convinced that the cheapest kinds of breed. The small size is an objection, stock, whether cattle, horses, sheep but on a proper comparison, as made or hogs, are the most unprofitable to by Robert McAdam, it is found that They should be good, moral exhikeep on the farm, and take measures nine Shorthorns will eat as much as bitions, where parents need not be To relish this rough herbage, the sheep best attainable yield is somewhere keep on the farm, and take measures into Shorthorns will car as into as bitions, where parents need not be To relish this rough neroage, the sneep to replace the mongrel breeds, which have so long encumbered the pastures will give a fifth less milk. A feasible of contaminating influences. The mentary food, such as bran, meal, cut and farm-yards of this fair Province enough objection is the relatively gambling spirit has taken complete clover, grass, or green corn fodder, ter means of protection from the more than compensated for in her said, "I might get it all back, and grain food. Then, with this alloy, the rigors of our Canadian winters. When other good qualities. Small teats, more too." I did not suffer them out sheep's foot will take on a golden tinge, this becomes the National Policy of too are an objection, more especially of my sight the rest of the day, and and will edge with gold the farmer's Canadians, hard times will have to when the milking is done by men; was truly glad when I got them off pocket, by making his poor lands rich; find a home somewhere else, without and breeders would do well to give the grounds, on the way home. giving him at the same time a lamb waiting to inquire whether Sir John attention to this particular. Another That day's work did much towards or two, and a fleece every year. Macdonald or Mr. Mackenzie is the defect, likely descending hereditarily destroying the teaching of years, and ruling spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the ruling spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the ruling spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed of cattle, is the large spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed and increase its spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed and increase its spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed and increase its spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed and increase its spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed and increase its spirit at Ottawa.—Montreat from the native breed and increase i

For Milk and Meat.

Tribune writes ;milking breeds, have settled on the usually obtained from 25 pounds or son is above price. other good milkers. It will be seen

Good Points of Ayrshires.

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A writer in a late number of the perhaps one of the best living judges too often conducted, as follows: of at Avrshire cow-says that "the is the sine quo non of the Avrshire

The Fairs.

A correspondent of the Practical Mr. McAdam, of Rome, New York __ fluences of the Agricultural Fairs, as gestive.

and not very large, cut square at the amining closely the merits of the aniwhat he wants, he can generally find has found out 'the truth about it.' fairs keep him apprised of the impurchase it will bring relatively more than one equally fertile, but kept in and bring to his notice a great many mon fallacies about sheep, I warn inthings he has read about, perhaps, he tending shepherds that there is no down fences, gates with broken has never seen, and many things, other domestic animal that needs hinges, buildings out of repair, imple-

once posessed one that gave an aver- unequal in size. This defect is, no other, moral ruin, perhaps for your get no dollars. So with sheep; if we methods of cultivation. age of thirty-three quarts per day doubt, prejudical to the Ayrshire in boy. Who would hesitate which to don't feed them with the materials for some time after calving. The butter comparisons, for the butter is deny himself of? The advantage needed to make fat for themselves and London and other large dairies in not all got, except by very skilful can be obtained in other ways. It rich manure for us, they will be as un-England, having tried a variety of charning. A pound of butter is may cost more, but the character of a profitable as Pharach's lean kine. And as practiced here during hot weather

combined dairy and butchers' cow. How much land is required for the purpose. Last year I set about three imported after Nov. 26th, which in would be harmless, but passes away Beef has paid so much better profit in support of a cow? This question de- hundred and thirty, fine plants, and the ordinare course would be slaugh- with the buttermilk. It is worth England and in the Western States of pends for an answer so much on icir- picked off the worms by hand as they sula of Ontario; for only there, to families, and they will fulfil all he ately good dairy farms in England. get ten cents per head, although two cows, one heifer, and one year- make a practice of buying their plants, every sense of cleanliness forbid it. butter, and it will keep for years.

W. O. SLIPP, Secretary.

To see that she has secreted no white monies, as well as to more carefulness which might taint her progeny. All this is amusing, but at the same time it is alarming. Here is the surge of the race which now promises.

AMERICAN PRODUCTS IN ENGLAND.—

AMERICAN PRO ported from America—to which our contemporary adds the concise comment: "Wheat—meat—cheese—fruit! Wheat—meat—cheese—fruit! whole, it was best for Canada that agreed by the best authorities that a contemporary adds the concise comment: "Wheat—meat—cheese—fruit! where increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the quality of the milk, while it will notices to quit from his tenants in the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the quality of the milk, while it will notices to quit from his tenants in the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the quality of the milk, while it will notices to quit from his tenants in the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the quality of the milk, while it will notices to quit from his tenants in the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the notices to quit from his tenants in the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policyists acceded to mere increase of food will not change the National Policy the expense of another.

NO. 36. A Shepherd's talk about Sheep.

The following article about sheep

"There is a general impression, I took my family to the fair last among those who do not know, that at loose ends, but upon the first occaof an Ayrshire cow—says that "the week. It was a treat for them—wife principal points are her udder and and all. My wife found enough to interest her in the floral, domestic, feward, and be firmly attached to and increase her in the floral, domestic, frequently see absurd statements to things about the premises returns, At mals exhibited. I wanted to pur- in effect sheep will live upon the The contrast between neat and slovenchase a pair of good Poland-Chinas poorest food and make the richest ly kept farms represents more in a near home, and here I found them. manure, and are thus the very best pecuniary point of view, very often, I also wanted a good plough for all stock a farmer can keep on his farm. than is generally supposed. Take a purposes, and out of a dozen different But those 'who have been there' know farm which by its appearance, shows makes, I found one that suited me better. 'Sheep are always an unhappy clear culture, from which stumps and well. This is one advantage these flock'—oves semper infelix pecus—bushes have been removed, the build-fairs extend to the farmer. He has wrote the old author, Virgil, and the opportunity here to compare many a man who has been deluded gates in order, the rubbish kept from different implements, machinery, into sheep keeping in the vain hope the roadside and fence corners, the stock, etc., and if he is posted, knows of finding gold in their foot tracks, tools housed when not in use, and the omething that will please him. The Now, having been through the mill

better care or food, for profitable Towards noon, I went back among thrift, than sheep; that out of their they were used last, rubbish everythe buildings to get the family for finely-grinding manure mill, comes where, and interior loosing stock, dinner, and found the boys in a crowd nothing that is not first put into the around a wheel of fortune. Worse hopper; that yet, with proper care yet, they had been persuaded by an and skill, a well selected flock of the old acquaintance, an older boy in our right kind of sheep, in the right place. neighborhood, to "try their luck," can be made to pay 100 per cent. on and both had lost all their spending their cost every year. It is true that money. It is too bad that our fairs a flock will clear a field of weeds, must be disgraced by such scoundrels. briers and rubbish, and will enrich it; poor result obtained from the worn-out carcass; but this disadvantage is one than compensated for in her said, "I might get it all back, and grain food. Then with this allow the want of docility and eveness of temper, A neighbor's son was hauled home acre, and when the crop is of a thrifty which reach but ten bushels per acre, which in a greater degree characterizes other breeds; but here too in the pro-A correspondent of the New York vince of the breeder may at least a drank any, but was naturally a little early spring; thus fitting it for a crop wild and inclined to the reckless. In of corn cats or roots next year But wild and inclined to the reckless. In of corn, oats, or roots, next year. But

messes of milk of moderate quality, the annual milk product weighed six patronize such institutions? I, for take their pay out of it, and give us Then by selecting the best ears from

what to do to raise a few cabbages. mission of the Privy Council authori- spoonful of powdered alum mixed Some have tried one thing and some ties, to form a separate class for the together. This of course does not der everything as "international" as

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o be inserted should be clearly stated. When this is not done it will be countinued until rdered out, and charged the full time it has

NEATNESS IN FARMING .- Nothing gives evidence or thrift and enterprise in farming better than keeping every-A writer in a late number of the Farmer sums up the good and bad in- is from a American paper, and is sugthing in order. There are times when even the most painstaking men are stock exhibiting evidence of good care take from a farm naturally fertile, a

> IMPROVE THE SEED WHEAT .- We may very well take the trouble to imabout sixty bushels per acre; the best more than sixty to sixty-two pounds

lumps down under the brine. Then