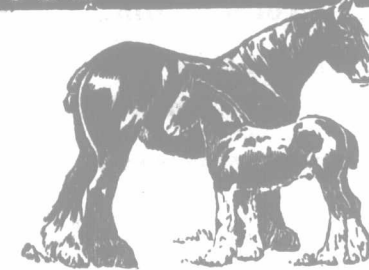


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2. What amount should each cow be
fed?

3. Can a farmer afford to buy these
meals and make it pay, at ordinary
cheese and butter factories?

4. How should separator milk be fed,
sweet or sour?

5. What is the best meal to start
young pigs on, or should there be a
mixture?

6. I have heard that skim milk, fed
separately, is of little value, but when
fed with certain grains it is of nearly
the same value as the grain. Is this
so?

Ans.—1 and 2. Where clover hay is
scarce, some concentrates high in protein
content are necessary. Feed oil cake, 2
lbs.; bran, 2 lbs., and mixed chop about
five to seven pounds daily, according to
the amount of milk the cows give. If
your silage is not well eared, a fair pro-
portion of corn might be used in the
meal mixture.

3. With the right kind of cows and
good management, yes, proper allowance
being made for value of manure.

4. Warm and sweet to calves; just as
well sour to pigs.

5. A mixture is usually best. Shorts
are as good as any single meal, and
should form a large proportion of the
mixture.

6. Experiments have shown that skim
milk, fed at the rate of 3 1/4 to 4 lbs. per
day, is worth about half as much as
shorts. Fed at 1 to 2 lbs., it is more
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from 4 lbs. up to 17 lbs., the value de-
creased, until, at the latter figure, 100
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lbs. of shorts.

PEDIGREE QUERY.

I wrote to a breeder of pure-bred Berk-
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have one delivered at Owen Sound or
Little Current, and he agreed to send me
one to Owen Sound for \$10, and I sent
him a post-office order for the \$10.
When the pig came, I had to pay the
freight all the way myself. I wrote to
him twice about the pedigree and got no
answer. I sent him a post-office order
for one dollar to get the pig registered,
and have written to him since and can
get no answer. I have bred the hog to
one of my sows, and my neighbors have
brought sows to him with the under-
standing that he was a pure-bred hog.
Can I make him get the pig registered,
or can I collect damages for the loss I
sustained by not having his pedigree?

M. T.

Ans.—If the breeder agreed to furnish
you with a pedigree of the animal pur-
chased, you can hold him responsible for
it, and in case he does not produce it,
you can claim damages. About the
freight, the agreement should have stated
explicitly who was to pay it. From
your letter, we judge that the seller was
supposed to bear this. We think there
must have been some misunderstanding,
as breeders of pure-bred stock usually put
forth reasonable effort to please their
customers and increase their trade. It
is to their interest, as well as to that
of the purchaser, to have the animals
registered. Would write him another
courteous letter and try to straighten
out the difficulty with as little trouble
as possible. In case he doesn't get the
pedigree, and you are sure your agree-
ment covered that point, take legal pro-
ceedings for damages. If you purchased
this pig through an advertisement in
"The Farmer's Advocate," and you will
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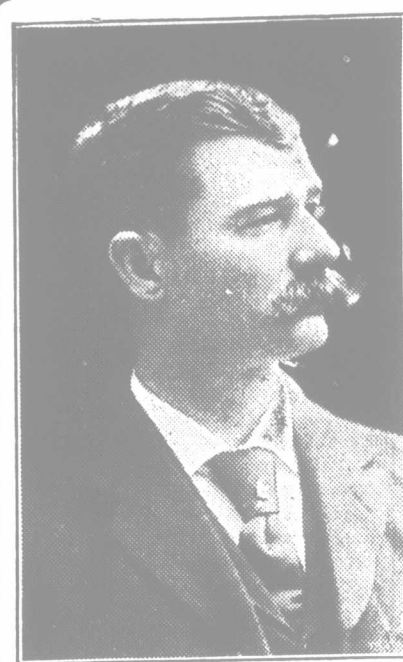
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