

Items and Articles of Special Interest to Our Farmers



SHEEP RAISING A PROFITABLE BUSINESS IN SASKATCHEWAN

Experimental Farms Note
Sheep raising in Saskatchewan is only in its infancy, a few flocks have been established and the number of sheep breeders is increasing.

During the present year agricultural journals in Western Canada have published several balance sheets showing the profits of sheep breeders.

On the Scott Experimental Station an investment was made in November of 1915 in 100 range ewes and 3 pure bred rams, at a cost of \$1,120.

EAT LOTS OF CHEESE

Meat is a fighting food. Cheese is a more forceful, though more peacefully inclined article of diet.

Don't let anyone defame cheese to you. Its food value is high, about half again as high as fresh beef.

EQUINE INFLUENZA

By Dr. McClellan.
The recent epidemic of Spanish influenza which has caused so much loss of human life, has raised the question as to whether the lower animals are subject to this disease.

In influenza you first notice the horse exhibiting depression. He does not pay attention to surrounding objects.

ly injected, or of a deep red color. Later on they assume a saffron or yellowish hue. For the first two or three days, sometimes longer, the appetite is greatly impaired.

If influenza occurs in one's stable, the affected animals may be greatly assisted towards recovery by the use of serum and the healthy animals in the same stable should also receive injections of the same remedy.

The serum treatment is recommended particularly for stabled animals where the disease has appeared, and there is no necessity for a wide spread use of the serum among healthy animals.

DISINFECT THE STABLES

Experimental Farm Note.
The fact that regular disinfection of the stables is not a common practice in Canada is sufficient evidence that we as farmers are not thorough nor do we appreciate the importance of the health of our animals.

What Disinfectants to Use.
1. Sanitizer.—This is the cheapest and one of the best. Every stable should have at least 6 square feet of glass per square head of horses and cattle.

2. Whitewash.—A good whitewash applied hot to ceilings and walls covers and kills germs and parasites.

Percheron Stallions and Mares
Stallions sold on 180 day terms. Mares offered for cash only.

Sask. Grain Growers' Convention

(Report continued from last week's issue.)

"And whereas the government of the United States has, by fixing the price of wheat for 1919, guaranteed the farmers of the United States against financial loss;

"And whereas, in the absence of any assurance or intimation that the price of the 1919 Canadian wheat crop will be fixed by the Canadian government, there is much alarm and unrest among farmers, and especially among those who have suffered by reason of poor crops during the last two years;

The fact that last year the convention had voted that every local should contribute \$5.00 to the fighting fund which maintains the legal bureau, and that a comparatively small number of locals had sent in the amount, was brought to the attention of the convention.

Considerable discussion arose over the resolution advocating an official organ of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

seraping (and washing, if possible), all walls and floors, and sweeping dirt, dust and cobwebs from walls and ceilings.

3. Drug Disinfectants.—All floors, gutters and mangers should receive extra care.

The Health of Animals Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, can supply free instructions in selecting and preparing whitewash and disinfectants.

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were forced by the act to charge this amount. The resolution asked that the executive give the true meaning of the Implement Act regarding interest, full publicity in the press and by circular letters to locals.

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Recipes

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WOMAN'S WORLD
REMODELLING GARMENTS
By Miss Caroline Senior, Agricultural Extension Service

The question of conservation of clothing is next in importance to that of food. By this it is not meant that we should not purchase the clothes which we feel are necessary to trim and neat appearance, but rather to give some serious thought to buying materials which will combine both beauty and utility.

With the price of materials still soaring, it would be well to take an inventory of the clothes on hand, old clothes—even the hopeless looking ones—as well as the newer ones.

On the other hand, it is not well to stock our wardrobe with too many clothes, as this would not be conducive to thrift and would defeat our object, which is to remodel our old or out-of-date garments into new and attractive ones, and to use every inch of usable wool material so as to eliminate all waste.

It is a well known fact that while the cost of wool stuffs has so greatly increased in value, the silk materials have by no means gone up to the same extent, the percentage being from 50 to 75 per cent. This, however, would not mean that even if the material for a dress of silk cost less than one of some woollen material, it would be advisable to purchase the silk, as even with the increased cost, double the wear would be had from the woollen goods.

The wearing of standard styles and materials is always safe. The extreme styles rapidly look old fashioned. The purchase of gloves, hats and accessories to harmonize with a number of costumes is a much better investment than the purchase of these if selected to match any one suit or dress.

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