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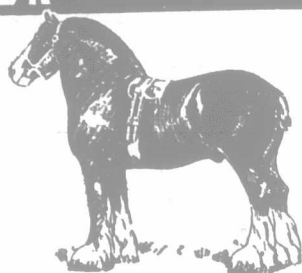
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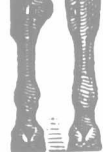


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I have a good greenhouse, fitted with a reliable hot-water heating system, and can carry an even temperature of about sixty or seventy degrees. As I confine myself to the raising of tomato plants and annuals, it is empty a good part of the year. Would it be profitable for me to grow ripe tomatoes for the winter market? If I could successfully grow an average crop, what would be the best way of disposing of the fruit? About what price could I expect to receive for tomatoes from November 25th to January 25th. Where would be the best market?

W. K.

Ans.—The tomato crop is very uncertain under glass. You can sell in almost any city, for they are not plentiful in the winter. The price would be from 20c. up, per lb., if the sample was firm. The most profitable crop for winter, we found to be radishes, and next to them, lettuce. It requires a good deal of experience to make any of these profitable under glass.

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MARE LOSES MILK.

I have an 11-year-old mare which was bred on June 7, 1910, whose milk is running for a couple of days already. Does it hurt her? She is in good condition, fed on hay and some grain, and worked pretty regularly. Does this indicate that she will soon foal? How should I treat her now, and at foaling time?

A. T.

Ans.—A mare from which milk escapes for a considerable time before foaling, often produces a weak foal, but this is not necessarily the case. At foaling time, watch the mare closely, and, if the foal be weak, help it up, and hold up and assist it to nurse. See that it gets sufficient nourishment every hour until it can rise and help itself. As the first milk, which acts as a needful purgative to remove the meconium (the faeces present at birth) has gone, it will be necessary to see that these are brought away. Oil the forefinger, and insert carefully into the rectum, and remove the meconium, and then give an injection of raw linseed oil. Do this four times daily, until the faeces becomes yellow. Do not give purgatives.

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TRIMMING BULL'S FEET—QUANTITIES OF PEAS AND OATS TO SOW—PREVENTING PEA WEEVIL.

1. What is the best way to trim a young bull's feet? If you cut the toes off straight, they will turn up.
2. When you sow peas and oats together, what is the best quantity of each to sow per acre on clay loam soil?
3. Is there any way to treat seed peas to prevent bugs?

W. A. M.

Ans.—1. An experienced stock-breeder says that in trimming the feet of a bull, it is well to cut them off square at the proper length, and afterwards trim away the under portion so as to bring the hoof to a natural-shaped point.

2. The quantities of peas and oats to sow for mixed crop, depends on the purpose for which the crop is intended, and upon variety. If for grain production, about 2½ bushels per acre, equal quantities of each, would be enough to sow. If intended to be fed green to stock, more seed would be advisable, from 3 to 3½ bushels per acre being desirable.

3. Pea bugs in the seed may be killed by the use of bisulphide of carbon, but that would have scarcely any effect on the prevalence of bugs in the country. The most of the bugs have escaped from the peas, and are secreted in crevices about the buildings, quietly awaiting the proper time for laying eggs in the pea blossoms. Pea bugs can fly. Even if no bugs had left the grain, and only those in the seed were destroyed, those in the unseeded peas would soon eat their way out and severely attend to business in the pea field.

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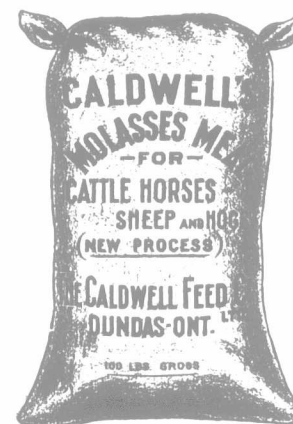
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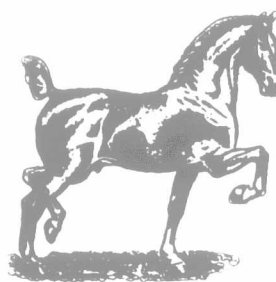


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