



Fresh June Pasture in Winter Time

"Sugar Beet Meal has properties similar to fresh June grass, which, although low in protein, stimulates the milk production of the dairy cow."

So says G. E. Thadd, Vice-President of the Maritime Trading Corporation, Buffalo, N.Y., who has made a special study of Dairy Ration Feed and Food Products, and has had a wide experience with Sugar Beet Meal.

Henry & Morrison, in their authoritative book on "Feed and Feeding," have this to say about Sugar Beet Meal: "Breeder of pure-bred dairy stock recommend dried beef pulp for cows on official test, which are receiving heavy concentrate allowances, as it has a tendency to keep

the bowels open, and is not apt to cause digestive disturbance."

For many years we have sold our Sugar Beet Meal largely in the United States, where the farmers have learned to highly appreciate this feed. We have received offers as high as \$45 per ton f.o.b. Chatham, for our output, but, at the request of the Canada Food Board, we are this year disposing of our entire output to Canadian farmers. To hasten the introduction of Sugar Beet Meal in this country, we have decided to fix a special price of \$35 per ton—containers to be returned to us. In this way we hope to help out the existing shortage of cattle feed in Canada.

Write for our new booklet describing the value of Sugar Beet Meal, and telling how to obtain it and how to use it.

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for there was Barry sitting at one side of the table, leaning her elbow on it and staring across at the "very fine gentleman," evidently, who was talking to her. Before I had time to collect my wits and betake my way out, she gave me just a nod and turned back to him, her gaze fixed on him, and as unconscious of me as though I had not been there at all, which cut me to the quick.

Just time had I to notice that he was the handsomest man I have ever seen, and perhaps thirty years of age, with a blue coat, all silver-buttoned, and gray riding-breeches, and yellow riding boots as bright as though just out of the shop, when my wits and my manners came to me and I took myself out of the house. But that was not the last, for when I was untying Billy the rope had become tightened so that it took some minutes to loose it, and before the job was ended I heard them coming from the hallway.

For an instant they stood on the step and I heard Barry's laugh, then her voice, to which he laughed, and glancing up I saw the two of them gazing into each other's eyes and smiling.

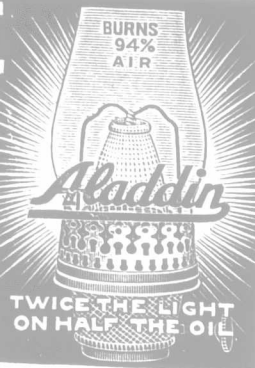
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That made me bend over the knot again, and by the time I had it out there were footsteps coming over the gravel and the "fine gentleman" was beside me, with Barry still standing at the door.

"My dear fellow!" said he, "Have you seen my man?"

"I have seen no one," I replied, bristling at being called "dear fellow," and preparing to mount.

The stranger, however, laid his hand on my shoulder, looking about the while as though searching for his "man."

"Heaven knows where he's gone," he said. "And my horses haven't had half enough water. They were too hot to be given much." Then, turning to me, "will you be good enough to pump me a trough full?"

"When I have become your lackey,

which I am not at present," I said, hot to the crown of my head, and flung myself on Billy with all despatch, and gave him the touch of my heel that he well knows means top speed. Nor did I look back nor slacken until home was reached, and I saw my father standing in the hay-field, with his rake in his hand, looking to the road at me and doubtless pleased with my hurry to be back at the hay.

This evening at dusk Dick Jones dropped in for a chat, but I was not in much mood for talk. However, he told me—and I have no doubt but that the news came straight enough, through Mistress Jones,—that the stranger's name is Howard Selwyn and his man's Matt Downs, and that the "fine gentleman" is about this country amusing himself, as Red Jock surmised.

It is full two weeks since I last wrote in my journal, for it has been early to rise and late to bed because of the hurry of the work, but so upset was I this night that I was possessed to write the restless-ness off.

I know I am one fool to care that Barry's smile and look were all for that other one to-day, and yet I do fervently hope that he and his Beelzebub and Mephisto may be soon enough off to the regions to which they belong.

Au revoir, Journal. May I be in better and more Christian mood when next I come to you.

To be continued.

Current Events

In the recent elections in the British Isles, with 707 seats to be filled, the returns were as follows: Coalition Unionists, 334; Coalition Liberals, 127; Coalition Laborites 10; Unionists, 46; Asquith Liberals, 37; Laborites 65; National Party, 2; Independents, 5; Socialists, 1; Sinn Feiners, 73; Irish Nationalists, 7. The result was, therefore, a sweeping triumph for Lloyd George, a snowunder for the Asquith Liberals, and the coming forward of the Laborites as practically the only opposition. Among those defeated were ex-Premier Asquith, who lost in East Fife for the first time in 32 years; McKenna, former Chancellor of the Exchequer (Lib.); Walter Runciman, former Pres. of the Board of Trade (Lib.); John Dillon (Irish Nationalist); Henderson (Laborite); De Valera (Sinn Feiner); and Philip Snowden and Ramsay MacDonald (Pacifist Socialist). Only one woman was elected, Countess Markiewicz, who ran for a division of Dublin, and she is disqualified because of her marriage with an alien. Lloyd-George himself polled 13,993 votes against 1,095 for Austin Harrison, in Carnarvon, Wales. Among the straight Unionists elected were Bonar Law, Balfour, Curzon and Milner. The Unionist element is now the strongest in the House. Among those returned were 8 Canadians.

The Sinn Feiners, it is reported, may refuse to take their seats in the British Parliament, but, resting on the principle of "self-determination" may establish an Irish National Assembly in Dublin. The Coalition Government, in presenting itself for re-election rested its claims chiefly on promises to collect a large part of the cost of the War from Germany, abolish conscript armies in Europe, and form a workable League of Nations. Premier Lloyd-George also proposes a sweeping program of domestic reforms. The strength of the Unionist following elected seems to indicate that for the present there will be no disestablishment of the Church and no drastic temperance action.

The Dollar Chain

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