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HOME BUTTER MAKING

BY FRANK WEBSTER, VICTORIA CO., IN FARM AND DAIRY

One thing absolutely necessary in making a first-class butter is a ration of which no portion will impart any objectionable flavor to the butter. Farms or raps are not a safe feed. Cows that have the run of a woods in early spring are likely to give tainted milk and often a rank growing piece of clover will taint the butter as well as giving a greasy cream that will not churn quickly.

CLEAN UTENSILS. The separator, pails and all utensils used in handling the milk or cream should be perfectly clean. If cream is separated at the barn it should be removed at once to the house. A cream testing about 35 per cent. is quite satisfactory to work with.

When the cream in cold weather one may add some of the butter milk from a previous churning, if of good flavor, and also heat the cream. If the amount is not large enough to have a vat for the purpose, and still too large to handle easily, a part of it may be placed near the fire and well warmed. This when thoroughly mixed with the whole batch, will warm it several degrees. It would be hard to describe when the cream is just right for churning. It has a peculiar satiny appearance, a rather pleasant acid smell, and it will be firm or thick enough that the paddle or stick used for stirring and mixing will stand upon it.

Butter should come in from 20 to 45 minutes. If it takes much longer something is wrong. Perhaps, the cream is too cold; it will often swell a lot in the churn if too cold. If all the cows in the herd have been milking for a long time, the butter may be hard to get. A new or fresh cow occasionally coming in will help wonderfully in making butter come in a reasonable time. Dairy thermometers are not always accurate, but use the same one always. Churn at different temperatures until that temperature that will give the best results is found. This will be when the butter comes firm enough to work

FARMERS INSTITUTE MEETING

A meeting of the Farmers' Institute was held on Thursday in the council chamber and was very poorly attended. The meeting was announced for 1.30 o'clock, but it was almost 3 o'clock before any person put in an appearance.

When President Channon took the chair, fourteen people were present, but when the meeting was nearing a close the audience had increased in number to twenty-five.

President Channon, of Oakwood, delivered a short but instructive address. He regretted very much the small attendance and could not understand why the farmers of this vicinity would not attend the Institute meetings at Lindsay. Mr. Channon told of the good work that was being done by the institute all over the country. He referred to the many changes on the farm in the past twenty-five years. Continuing, Mr. Channon strongly advised those present to do some improvements on their farms and buildings each year. In conclusion he stated that farmers would do well to have artesian wells for health, and advised the farmers not to plough their corn land, but to cultivate and harrow it.

NOXIOUS WEEDS. Mr. D. A. MacKenzie, B.S.A., spoke at some length on the many kinds of weeds and the eradication of the same. In his opening remarks he stated that he was speaking on a subject that all farmers knew something about. "In this enlightened age the subject of weeds is a big one, and they are classified as a plant out of place," said Mr. MacKenzie.

The speaker told of the many weeds now prominent in the country, and explained many of them from samples he had collected. "If the farmers allow weeds to grow and then, they become out with the corn and are taken into the barn, and this means a direct loss to the farmer. Some weeds and other crops are the best harvest weeds to get rid of and in this section of the country they are increasing at a rapid rate. Weeds are virtually divided into three sections: First we have annuals, second perennials, those that produce roots and leaves the first year and seed the second year. Third, biennials, those that grow from year to year."

In conclusion the speaker strongly advised the farmers to rid their farms of the many weeds which would increase their crops from year to year.

SPOKE ON ALFALFA. Mr. Frank Webster, of Linden Valley, gave an instructive talk on alfalfa. The plant has been known as far back as two hundred years before Christ, and thrives best on naturally drained or well under-drained land. In his experience no feed will take its place in milk production and it is equally good for growing cattle.

ROTATION OF CROPS. Mr. W. C. Shearer, of Bright, was present and delivered an interesting and instructive address on "Rotation of Crops and the Selection of Seed." All through his speech Mr. Shearer strongly advised the adoption of a definite rotation of crops.

In the evening a short session was held when Miss S. Campbell, of Brampton, delivered an eloquent address on "Our Fair Dominion." In the absence of President Channon, Mr. W. M. Robson, acted as chairman and Mr. James Keith as secretary.

nice and still not cold enough to make the churning long.

AFTER THE BUTTER COMES. When the butter has gone to that granular stage in the churn where it is beginning to mass together, drain off the buttermilk and wash with lots of water, the water being warmed if needed. Then remove the butter to a worker. The amount of salt to add will depend on the market you are sending to, some markets demanding more than others. One ounce to the pound is rather light for some places and is about what is wanted in others. Work the salt in thoroughly. Make the butter into a tidy mass on the worker about the depth of a print. Your butter papers should be of good quality and should have the name of your farm and your address printed on them. Wet the papers by dipping them into clean water. Place them as you can, and when the butter is printed place each print on its own paper; wrap neatly and the process is completed.

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REABORO

Reaboro, Dec. 7.—Our school trustees have engaged Miss Nichols, of Omamee, for the year 1910, at a salary of \$425.

Mrs. Elias Calvert visited Franklin friends last week.

Mr. Thos. Downey put up a new windmill for Mr. R. Mahood last week.

Mr. Bruce McNeenan left his horse standing for a moment or two in the village the other day. The animal took fright at a passing train and ran two miles before it stopped to allow Bruce to catch up. Fortunately there was nothing broken.

Mr. Charlie Reid is attending the Quolph Fat Stock Show this week.

Mr. Elias Calvert bought a fine three-year-old colt at Mr. Porter's sale recently.

Mr. Gih. Hickson, our up-to-date thrasher, had the misfortune to upset his separator of his outfit off a gang-way the week before last. It will cost Mr. Hickson one hundred dollars to repair his machine.

The proverbial stork has been in the neighborhood. A bouncing baby boy came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hickson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bradburn, of Manvers, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith last Sunday.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. D. H. Cornell is ill at present.

Mr. Charles Veals, of Omamee, visited friends here last week.

Miss Tillie Shaw, of Emily, spent a few days with friends here recently.

Mr. E. Dancy, of Omamee, called on friends in the village last Saturday.

HOMES WANTED. Mr. J. J. Kelson, Toronto, Supt. of Neglected Children, has for adoption, three girls, ages 8, 10, 12, and two boys 2 and 3 years of age. Applications will be received by Mrs. E. E. Sharpe, 87 Fair-ave., Lindsay.

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substantial and durable than the steel would be. I think it is the right kind of a bridge for all short spans up to about 40 feet where a good foundation is to be had. This structure reflects much credit on Mr. Stecy, who commenced this kind of work for the township on

THE DOMINION BANK

J. D. Sperry, Liberal, was C. W. Hammond was committed to prison for a trial at Hull for assaulting Mrs. John A. Best, Wright, his employer's wife, and uttering forged cheques on the Bank of