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## Anty Drudge on Vaccination.

Health Department Doctor—"Give me your arm, Mrs. Malone, I have been sent to vaccinate you." Mrs. Malone—"On me arm? How will I be able to wash my arm the size of a horse's leg?" Anty Drudge—"If you'd use Fels-Naptha soap, you'd be able to do all the washboard rubbing necessary with one hand."

How much of Monday do you spend at the wash-tub? Far too long if you wash clothes any way except the Fels-Naptha way. One of the greatest blessings of Fels-Naptha soap is its quick action. When you use Fels-Naptha, a half hour's soaking in cold or lukewarm water will thoroughly loosen the dirt. While the clothes soak you are free to do other work. Then rub lightly, rinse and the clothes are ready for the line.

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# Cash No Appropriation

The Retail Shoe Merchants of Kingston—Having proven to the satisfaction of the most critical that The Cash System is the only modern method of doing business, desire to announce that at a recent meeting of the Retail Shoe Association, it was unanimously decided to continue the present Cash system. It was further pointed out that Kingston Shoe Merchants, because of the Cash System, were selling shoes at much lower prices than Merchants doing business in Credit Cities are able to do, Kingstonians therefore deriving the benefit of close Cash prices, because of the dealer being in a position to buy his merchandise for Cash and to save his discounts.

It was resolved that a copy of the "The Merchants determination to continue the Cash System" be properly advertised so that they would not be put to the unpleasant necessity of declining to send goods on appropriation or to charge same.

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- H. Jennings
- The Lockett Shoe Store
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Wouldn't Forget.

Chicago News. George W. Coleman, sociologist, says in regard to the custom of giving tips: "I have a friend who belongs to an anti-Slavery society. One day he was sitting at a table in a fashionable restaurant, and after paying the bill, he gathered up the change that had been brought upon a silver plate and dropped it into his waistcoat pocket. As he rose to depart the waiter said in a low, appealing voice: "Smack, you won't forget me, sir?"

## Tips For The Farmers

BY UNCLE JOSE

As a result of the interesting address given by Mr. Glenning, at the recent dairy meeting, the following should be useful to farmers:

The quality of the silage improves as the depth increases. This is due to the weight above. The usual silo to-day is 30 or more feet deep. A larger percentage of mouldy and otherwise inferior silage is found near the top than at the centre or near the bottom, proving that a certain weight is necessary to compress the silage and exclude the air so as to insure its perfect preservation. By building a deep silo a greater percentage of good silage is obtained, which is, of course, a matter of economy. Good practice at present seems to dictate that the depth should be at least 30 feet. A large percentage of good silos are built considerably deeper, even 50 to 60 feet. In the discussion of foundations, it is stated that they should extend below the front line, so if the earth inside the foundation wall be excavated to this depth and the floor placed on a level with the footings, a very cheap addition to the silo is secured without increasing the height above the ground. The difficulty in removing the silage from the part of the silo below the front door is objectionable, and beyond a certain depth this becomes so great as to more than balance the economy of securing additional space in this way. Three or four feet up to the first door is not considered objectionable.

The capacity of the silo varies as the square of the diameter while the wall surface varies directly as the diameter. This means that as far as capacity is concerned the silo should be of as large diameter as possible. But there are other limiting factors involved. When silage is left exposed to the air for a long time, more than a day, it spoils. Enough must be removed daily so that it will keep fresh. In well settled silage, the air does not penetrate much over an inch and if an inch and a half or two inches are fed from the surface daily the silage will remain fresh. In warm weather silage will take place much more rapidly than in cold weather, requiring that silage be removed from the surface to a greater depth each day in order to keep it fresh. It has been noticed also that air penetrates into loose dry silage farther than it does into that which is moist, and compact. Thus, it is seen that under some circumstances an inch might be sufficient, but in order to have fresh silage under all circumstances the silo should be of such size that approximately two inches will be fed from the surface each day.—Prof. L. L. King, in Bulletin 100, Iowa State College.

On one occasion at least Senator D. Derbyshire of Brockville, met his match with the Canadian Dairyman. It happened at the district dairy meeting held recently in Napanee, Ont. J. B. Cramer of Glenville, had been asking the speaker numerous questions. When it came to Senator Derbyshire's turn he asked Mr. Cramer the following question: "If you had a pig and you kept and fed it until next July, and it then weighed just what it did this month, how much profit would there be in pork?" Almost before Senator Derbyshire could catch his breath Mr. Cramer had taken the floor and came back at him with this: "Well, that depends on how you judge pork. There was a fellow from here went down to the southern states. He had a lot of nice fat Berkshire hogs, which he showed at the state fair. When the judges went around placing the prizes they passed by his pigs. He was very much surprised they gave the prizes to such inferior animals. "Well," they replied, "you see, down here we have to raise pigs that can run just twice as fast as a nigger." There was a great laugh, and after it was all over Senator Derbyshire was fain to admit that Mr. Cramer had proved too much for him.

We practice dairying for twelve months in the year, says Alexander McDonald, of Oxford county. For fall feeding our cows, we have white turnips, corn and chop. We mix 46 bushels of oats, six of barley, four of peas. We feed a quantity of this mixture with a little bran at each feeding. In the winter we use mangels for our milk cows, and Swede turnips for our other stock. This is fed with chopped clover hay and one feed a day of straw. We feed four quarts of grain mixture night and morning to our milking cows in the winter. Water with the chill off it is constantly before our cattle. As yet, we have no silo. We expect to harvest a good crop of alfalfa next year. We secured a good catch this season and it is looking very fine. We expect to seed six acres more in the spring. We separate our milk at home and send the cream to the creamery. The skim milk is fed warm to our calves and pigs.

Agriculture must rise to meet the college man, says Prof. L. H. Bailey. The leading agricultural colleges are now so well established, and are teaching in such direct and applicable ways that they are creating a body of ability and sentiment touching country life that has never been known before. This ability and sentiment is bound to express itself. The influence of these colleges and experiment stations will surely remake agriculture and redirect it. This redirection will not show itself in increasing the productivity of the earth, although this must be the fundamental effort and result. It must consist as well in reorganizing the

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business or commercial interests of agriculture, and in a radical change in the ideals and modes of living. We shall be able to increase the profitability of farming when we have learned to apply our science, and to organize it as a part of good business systems. We are now in the epoch of the laudation of science itself, as if the mere knowledge of the laws underlying good crop and animal production can make a good farmer.

A prominent and successful farmer in Ontario county, one who is a graduate of the Ontario Agricultural College, finishes a double-deck carload of bacon hogs each fall for the Toronto market. He has been doing this for a number of years, and has not yet lost any of the money which so many are professing to have lost in the bacon hog industry. He keeps about thirty to thirty-five head of pure-bred Yorkshire sows, and a first class herd header. His sows are bred only once each year, and the pigs are dropped in April or early May. This allows the young pigs, as well as the sowing sows, to get as much advantage of a field of alfalfa for pasturage as it is possible to give them. A ration of skim milk with some meal brings them along well, until the pasture is no longer available in the fall, when they are taken into the pens, and put to a finish as rapidly as possible.

He is not yet convinced that the business is unprofitable, but is on the other hand thoroughly convinced that it is very profitable. Hog raising is, or should be, an important department, not necessarily a large one, on every Ontario farm. While it has proved a very poor business to speculate in, speculation is not a commendable adjunct to farming.—Weekly Sun.

### Produce And Prices.

Kingston, Dec. 19.—Prices are quoted on the Whig as follows: Grain—Oats, 44c; local wheat, \$1; buckwheat, 65c; barley, 58c; rye, 80c; to 85c; peas, \$1; corn, old, 70c; new, 72c. Flour and Feed—Flour, bakers', \$2.90 to \$3.15; farmer's, \$2.50 to \$3.10; Hungarian patent, \$3 to \$3.20; oatmeal and rolled oats, \$4.40 to \$4.50; cornmeal, \$1.80 to \$2.10; bran, \$25 to \$24 per ton; shorts, \$26.50 to \$27 per ton; straw, \$10; hay, loose, \$14 to \$15; pressed, \$14 to \$15. Eggs, new laid, 35c; doz., butter, creamery, 30c; farmers', 25c; butter, prints, 25c; packed, 25c; rolls, 26c; tubs, 24c. Beef—Meat, by cartage, 5c to 7c; cuts, 6c to 10c; lb; pork, 9c; lb; cutlets, 12c; to 15c; lamb, 12c; lb; mutton, 8c; by the case, live hogs, \$6; Fish—Salmon, trout, 12c; a lb; skinned eel, herring, 20c; per lb; whitefish, 12c; a lb; pike, 10c; a lb; chinook salmon, 30c; a lb; kippered herring, Yarmouth blotters, 40c; a lb; perch, 30c; a doz.; frogs' legs, 40c; lb.; Atlantic salmon, 30c; lb.; salt codfish, 7c to 15c; lb.; halibut, 20c; lb.; fresh haddock, 10c; a lb; bullheads, 10c; a lb; red herring, 15c; a box; mackerel, 15c; a lb; trout, 12c; lb.; ciscoes, 15c; a lb; bluefish, 15c; a lb.; lake herring, 8c; a lb; sun-dried, 10c; to 12c; a lb.; red snapper, 15c; flounders, 10c; fresh salt water herring, 40c; fresh lobsters, 20c; a lb.; sea bass, 12c; a lb.; smoked salmon, 30c; a lb.; smelts, 15c; to 20c. Vegetables—Potatoes, 90c; to \$1 per bag; cabbage, 75c; to \$1 doz.; celery, 30c; to 50c; doz.; onions, \$1 bush; turnips, 50c; bush. Wool—Washed, 12c; per lb; sheep skins, fresh, 70c; tallow, rendered, 5c; deakins, 70c; veal skins, 10c; per lb.; hides, No. 1, 8c; per lb.; No. 2, 7c; per lb.; horse hides, \$2.50 each.

### THE SPORT REVIEW.

The Longboat Victory Still a Topic of Interest. The share of the runners in the Longboat-Dorando race was \$4,170 each.

Willie Hoppe, now that he is a man of twenty-one, challenges any billiard player in the world. New York Globe: Move to amend "to, the poor Indian," by striking out the third word. Another writ for libel has been filed in the war between the Hamilton sporting editors of the Times and Spectator.

Longboat's fiancée ran out upon the track at the twenty-second mile. He slowed up and spoke to her reassuringly, and then caught Dorando again in fifty yards.

The Philadelphia American baseball league club will open the finest ball park in the country next year. It occupies an entire city block, and the stands and walls are built entirely of concrete.

New York Sun: Longboat finished so powerfully and with so much speed that athletic sharps were dumbfounded. This convinced them that Longboat could have run away from Dorando at any stage of the race.

The Variety Track club has elected Grant Woolley, the Variety mile runner, captain of the team. Variety has never had a track team captain before, but the team has done so well the last couple of years that they decided that a captain was necessary.

Tom Sharkey says Johnson will defeat Burns in the title battle for the heavyweight championship which will be decided the day after Christmas in Australia. Sharkey says Burns, while a fairly good fighter, is over-rated, and actually declares that with a few months of training he could beat Jim Himes. Sharkey says Johnson will win the fight if it is on the level because he is twenty-five pounds heavier than Burns, is also five inches taller, and is the clearest big man in the world. The Toronto Globe says: "It was not at his own expense that Tom Longboat last night demonstrated his superiority over the hero of last summer's Olympic Marathon race. Longboat is an outdoor man, a road runner, at his best in the open air, and racing over the footing afforded by a country highway. In a building, and on a course involving continual turning in order to make a change of more than twenty-six miles, the Indian is not at home, but even under these conditions he did last night what justifies the opinion held of him in this country as the greatest distance runner seen in generations.

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to write or to hear from her lover, but encouraged, and although they had to separate at the time, they kept up a correspondence. After he had won his professional chair the professor approached his cousin again, and in a letter refused the marriage. Sir William Hamilton was the best man, and Sir Theodore Martin was