How to Milk Cows.

Milking is a simple operation, yet comparatively few persons draw milk from a cow's udder properly. It should be an agreeable one to the cow. When rightly done the animal enjoys it. A good dairyman understands this, and sees to it that his "help" exercises patience, kindness, and gentleness in the operation. At one of our Western dairymen's conventions some time ago, this subject was discussed (says *The Prairie Farmer*) with evident satisfaction and profit. A number of common faults were alluded to, and among them were the following:—Trying to milk too rapidly. One speaker said that the operation should not be hurried, but that the milk should be drawn as fast as it flows naturally Some persons seize the teat as though it required all their strength to draw the milk from it. This is worse than useless; half the effort expended will expel the milk, and avoid annoyance and pain to the cow. Another dairyman said he had seen those who claimed to be good milkers, and prided themselves on rapid milking, practice this pernicious habit. The pressure and strain on the full milk vessels are injurious to the delicate structure of these vessels, and sometimes rupture them, causing bloodly milk. This fault—rough handling of the teats—inflicts such pain that a cow, naturally gentle, will not endure the infliction, and will kick, and an impatient milkman may thus ruin a spirited and valuable cow.

The operation of milking should be performed gently, and at the same time as expeditiously as practicable, without hurry and rough handling on the one hand, and, on the other, without loitering. Some insist that there should be silence, while others do not object to conversation, if not boisterous. Our old friend T. M'D. Richards of Marengo, Ill., on the occasion alluded to, referred to a circumstances that came under his personal observation, which occasioned some merriment. One of his men was in the habit of singing while milking his complement of cows. The one song which comprised his entire *repertoire* was "The Sword of Bunker Hill,' and Mr. R. thought that the animals rather enjoyed the entertainment, for they were always quiet and apparently contented.

The way to perform this important operation to the best advantage will suggest itself to intelligent minds. No rough usage or violence should be permitted on any account; gentleness is indispensible. In the case of a young cow or heifer with her first calf, no injudicious "help" should be allowed to milk her. She will soon learn what is required of her if kindness and gentleness are employed, and stand quietly while milked; but if she is abused and excited it will prove a misfortune which may never be remedied. The subject is one which deserves more attention than is usually given to it.

While Robert Burns was at Moffat once with Clarke the composer, the poet called for a bumper of brandy. "Oh, not a bumper," said the musician, "I prefer two small glasses." "Two glasses!" cried Burns, "why, you are like the lass in Kyle, who said she would rather be kissed twice bareheaded than once with her bonnet on." To one who was frugal of his wine at the table, and who was standing holding up a fresh bottle, saying, "Do allow me to draw this one cork more—I ask it as a favor." "Sir," said Burns "you hold the screw over the cork like Abraham holding the knife above his son Isaac. Make the sacrifice!"

From the appearance of wreckage cast ashore on the coast of Essex, in England, there seems to be little doubt that the British ship "Pride of the Ocean" has fallen a victim to a dynamite fiend. A case containing the explosive has been found, and the fact that the wreckage is in exceedingly small pieces seems to bear out the assumption.

The steamer "Canima," from Newfoundland via. Halifax, arrived at New York on the 19th inst., and reports was in collision off Fisher's Island with brig. "Posie Peasley," coal laden, by which the steamer had two holes stove in her side and lost topmast. The brig sunk shortly after. The boat of the brig capsized by the suction as she went down, and seven of a crew of eight were drowned.

The immigration returns for 1882 make an estimate of the number of immigrants into British Columbia, last year, at 30,000. The census of 1881 gives the total population of that province as 40,559, made up as follows: Indians, 25,661; Whites, 13,584; Chinese, 4,315.

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(READ DOWN)

STATIONS.	MIXED.	MIXED.	MIXED.
Ch'town ..	Dp 8.15am	Dp 3.30pm	Dp 3.00pm
Royalty Je	" 8.38 "	" 3.53 "	
N Wiltsh'e	" 9.29 "	" 4.45 "	
Hunter R'r	" 9.45 "	" 5.00 "	
Bradalba'e	"10.23 "	" 5.38 "	
Co'ty Line.	"10.32 "	" 5.48 "	
Freetown	"10.47 "	" 6.03 "	
Kensingt'n	"11.10 "	" 6.25 "	
Summ'side	Ar 11.45 "	Ar 7.00 "	
	Dp 1.15pm		
Miscouche	" 1.37 "		
Wellingt'n	" 2.05 "		
Port Hill..	" 2.4[illegible] "		
O'Leary...	" 4.05 "		
Bloomfield	" 4.30 "		
Alberton..	" 5.10 "		
Tignish ..	Ar 6.05 "		
Royalty Je			Dp 3.23pm
York.....			" 3.40 "
Bedford...			" 4.00 "
Mt. Stew't			" 4.45 "
Cardigan..			" 6.03 "
Georget'n..			Ar 6.30 "
Mt. Stew't			Dp 4.45pm
Morell....			" 5.27 "
St. Peter's.			" 5.57 "
Bear River			" 6.46 "
Souris			Ar 7.30 "

TRAINS INWARD.

(READ UP.)

STATIONS.	MIXED.	MIXED.	MIXED.
Ch'town ..	Ar 4.15pm	Ar 11.15 am	Ar 11.30am
Royalty Je	Dp 3.53 "	Dp 10.52"	
N Wiltsh'e	" 3.01 "	"10.01 "	
Hunter R'r	" 2.45 "	" 9.45 "	
Bradalba'e	" 2.09 "	" 9.08 "	
Co'ty Line.	" 1.59 "	" 8.58 "	
Freetown..	" 1.43 "	" 8.43 "	
Kensingt'n	" 1.20 "	" 8.20 "	
Summ'side	"12.45 "	" 7.45 "	
	Ar 11.20am		
Miscouche	Dp 10 58"		
Wellingt'n	"10.31 "		
Port Hill..	" 9.48 "		
O'Leary...	" 8.30 "		
Bloomfield	" 8.05 "		
Alberton...	" 7.27 "		
Tignish...	" 6.30 "		
Royalty Je			Dp 11.07am
York.....			"10.50 "
Bedford...			"103.0 "
Mt. Stew't			" 9.55 "
Cardigan..			" 8.25 "
Georget'n..			" 8.00 "
Mt. Stew't			Dp 9.55am
Morell....			" 9.04 "
St. Peter's			" 8.33 "
Bear River			" 7.45 "
Souris			" 7.00 "

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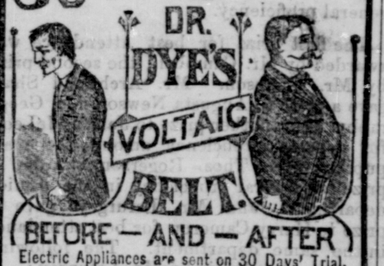

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