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LIVESTOCK AND AGRICULTURE

LUMESTONE AND PHOSPHATE GET RESULTS ON FARMS IN STATE OF WISCONSIN

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The results of the limestone test are reflected in the following manner:

1. The yield of corn was increased by 50%.
2. The yield of oats was increased by 40%.
3. The yield of potatoes was increased by 30%.
4. The soil was improved in structure and water-holding capacity.

Farm—Dairy Breeder Notes

Stevenson's New Bulls

One of the most important improvements in the dairy industry is the addition of new and improved breeds of cattle. The following breeders are producing some of the finest bulls in the country:

1. The Black Gloucester—produced by W. J. Stevenson, at his farm near Madison, Wis. The average weight of this breed is 2,000 lbs.
2. The Jersey—produced by T. H. Stevenson, at his farm near Milwaukee, Wis. The average weight of this breed is 1,500 lbs.

GOOD PRICES REALIZED AT THE MILK SALE

Reports from the Pennsylvania dairy sale held recently at Lancaster, Pa., state that good prices were realized for dairy products. The sale was well attended, and the prices realized were considerably higher than those of previous years.

The sale was conducted by the Pennsylvania Farmers' Union, and the sale was attended by a large number of farmers from the neighboring states.

The prices realized for the following dairy products were as follows:

- Milk: $1.50 per hundredweight
- Cheese: $2.50 per hundredweight
- Butter: $1.25 per pound

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