

FOR SALE

- Large wooden threshing machine (Williams) stored in my barn. John Scarlett, Rt. 2, Rossie 13646. (324-5635).
- Single draft ox, 7½ year old shorthorn. John Scarlett.
- Shorthorn beef, \$1.00 per pound hanging weight, approximately 250 pounds to a quarter. Corn finished, ready in early November (John Scarlett). (If I don't sell the other draft ox, there'll be eight quarters for sale.)
- Farmall A, good condition, \$750. Log-aug, drive-on, tire-driven auger type wood splitter, good shape, \$125. John Crowe, 379-9661 after 6 P.M. or write Route 2, Box 260, Canton 13617.
- Honey for sale or trade. Will consider barter. Hand crafted items especially welcome. Kathy Montan, 379-9218, Rt. 2, Canton 13617.

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BOOK SEARCH

Beginning with a suggestion of Pat Nelson's over three years ago now, we've talked off and on about some scheme to make available to all members the homestead literature and knowledge that each of us possesses in some degree. Our strategizing has usually concentrated on some way to list the resources available, to catalogue the books and magazines, to identify the possessors of skills and information. A different and simpler approach might be for each searcher to make known his/her needs and see if anyone responds. In that spirit, I'll make known a need I have. Does anyone have a copy of David Tresemer's The Scythe Book that I could borrow?

-- Bill Sutkus, Route 1, Box 220,
Gouverneur, 287-3759.

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Picking up on the theme of sharing books and resources, David Katz has been talking with people at the Canton Public Library to see if we might set up a "Homestead Corner" there where we could share the books and periodicals we've each collected. Each person bringing in a book or books would still retain ownership of the book and could pick it up at any time. These materials would not circulate, but would have to be used in the library. The final details will probably be worked out by the time you get this, so if you are interested in contributing or have further questions about how this scheme will work, contact David Katz at 386-4393 or Route 1, Box 57, Hermon, NY 13652.

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Note: Meadowsweet Yogurt is now available at the P&C in Canton. It might be available in Potsdam, too; I'm not sure. It wouldn't hurt to ask.