

Charles Darwin wrote of cattle breeders:

“Not one man in a thousand has the accuracy of eye and judgment sufficient to become an eminent breeder.

Indomitable patience, the finest powers of discrimination, and sound judgment, must be exercised during many years.

A clearly predetermined object must be kept steadily in view.

Few men are endowed with all these qualities, especially that of discriminating very slight differences; judgment can only be acquired by long experience.

If any of these qualities be wanting, the labor of life may be thrown away.”