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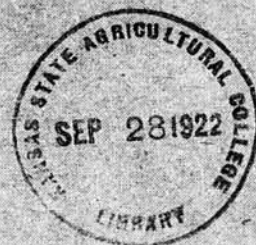
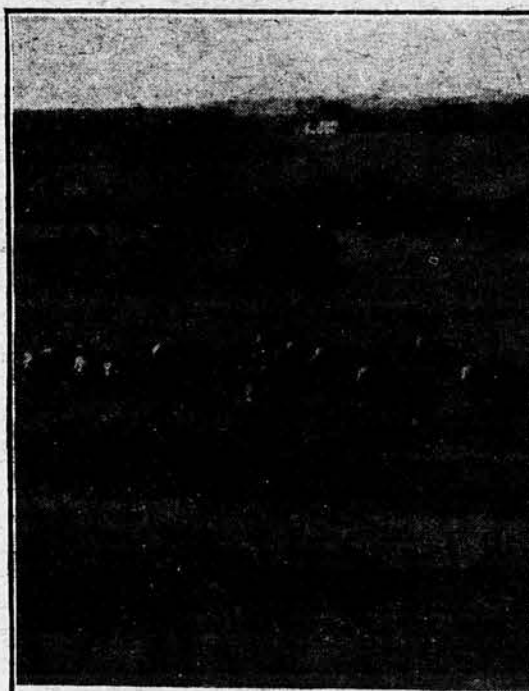
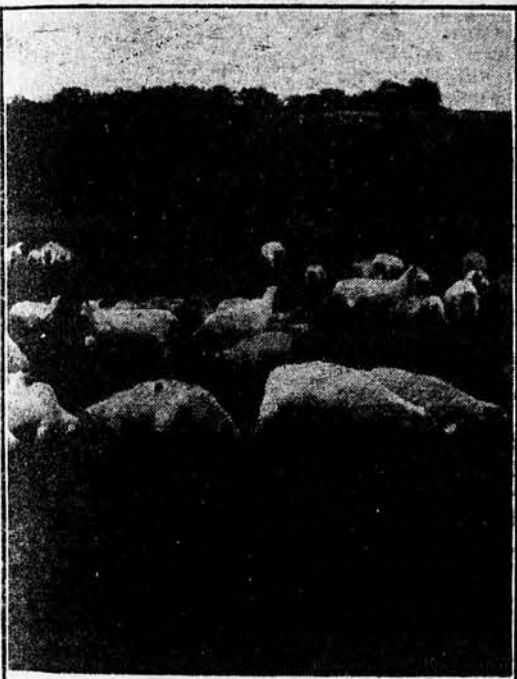
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Jayhawker's Farm Notes

By Harley Hatch

THE ground is in fine working condition, due to the 2-inch rain which fell recently. Farm work in this part of the state has consisted in finishing corn cutting and putting the plowed ground in order for wheat sowing which, by the way, will be started on many farms next week.

On most of the farms here wheat sowing begins about September 20 and most farmers like to have this job done by October 5. This is the rule for uplands. On the bottoms sowing is later and many bottom farmers do not begin until after October 1. On this farm last year we began sowing wheat on September 17 and ended October 4 and by October 20 we could not tell by the growth which had been sown first and which had been sown last. However the fall of 1921 was a favorable one, but this one is starting out very well, too.

Kafir Outyields Corn

Kafir, on most farms in this county, will outyield corn this year. That is, it may not turn out any more bulk to the acre but the grain will be of better quality and will weigh out, which corn will not do this fall. Kafir has a still further advantage for the man who wishes to sell his crop in being worth virtually as much as wheat, which today is priced at local elevators at 85 cents a bushel. Corn sells for about 50 cents in most local markets.

The price of kafir may recede later as the new crop goes to market, but the chances are in favor of a good price for this grain for the next year. Texas, usually the heaviest kafir producer, will have but little to sell this year and Oklahoma will ship out but a small amount as compared with former years. This leaves Kansas, which has a full average kafir crop, as the main supply source for the makers of poultry feeds, and they are the ones who make the commercial market for kafir and milo.

To Kill Grain Weevils

We have been keeping a close watch on our wheat ever since it was put in the bin and this week found the first sign of weevil. The wheat is in four bins, two of metal and two of wood, each bin holding an average of 520 bushels. We went to town and bought 3 gallons of bisulfide of carbon and doped each bin. To do this, we took a piece of 1 1/4-inch iron pipe 6 feet long and plugged one end with wood and rags so that the dope would run out but the wheat could not work in. We put this pipe down about half way in the wheat every 2 or 3 feet all over the bin and in each place poured 4 or 5 tablespoons of the bisulfide, using a small funnel in the end of the pipe.

Then we sprinkled the top of the wheat well with the dope and covered it up with stack covers, old rugs and the like. We have not yet uncovered it to ascertain what the results may be but we think we can handle the weevil in this way. Druggists tell me

that they can scarcely supply the demand for bisulfide of carbon, indicating that every farm has the weevil problem to contend with. One farmer who had his wheat stacked and who has just threshed found it infected with weevil in the stack and had to treat the grain as soon as it was in the bin. This bisulfide is very inflammable and not a spark of fire of any kind should be taken around where it has been used until it has had a chance to evaporate.

Sorghum Crops Ready to Cut

A ride over part of Coffey county on September 12 showed a number of fields of kafir already in the shock. Nearly all fields are ready to cut and the stalk is well dried out and on most farms the kafir blades are dry half way up. Since the rain the drying process has stopped and now there is not so much hurry with the kafir altho it can be cut at any time.

We do not think that kafir fodder is going to have much feeding value this year. It has ripened a good crop of seed and both stalk and seed are thoroughly mature. We have always noticed that in such cases stock eat little of the fodder but eat the leaves. Kafir which barely ripens before frost or which does not quite ripen makes the best fodder but not the best grain. Should kafir prices remain above those of corn many farmers will thresh the bulk of their kafir and sell it, replacing it with corn, which most of us think a better stock grain for everything except poultry.

Low Prices for Bluegrass Seed

This week brought me a letter from a Neosho county farmer who had read my notes regarding Meadow fescue, or English bluegrass, seed in this column recently. He stated that he wished to sow 40 acres of this grass but that his local dealer asked him 12 cents a pound for the seed. In our notes we stated that the market price for Meadow fescue seed was now but 7 cents and this reader wished to find some for sale at that price. Inside of an hour we found, by telephone, a farmer in this county who had 8,000 pounds of the seed for sale for 7 cents and at once sent my inquirer the address. The market for this seed is, in slang phrase, "all shot to pieces" and is likely to get little better so long as Europe takes none of us.

It is a good grass to raise on our Southeastern Kansas soil for pasture, however, regardless of the seed market as it is about as easy to get a stand of it as of wheat. But by the time these notes are read it will be too late to sow this fall and it will be best to wait until oats sowing time next spring before sowing again. Many who write me asking questions apologize for taking our time but we wish to assure them that answering questions is part of our business; it is a part of the service of this paper and you may feel free to ask anything within the bounds of reason.



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The International Wheat Show

THE International Wheat and Farm Products Exposition opened in Wichita this week with one of the finest displays in years. The decorations in the big auditorium were striking, being made of the products of the Southwest. Curtains of grain sorghums hung from the ceilings gave the impression of gigantic tunnels of grain. Fifteen counties had individual exhibits, besides out-of-state exhibits from Texas, Colorado, Missouri, New Mexico and Montana.

One part of the building was given over to a motor car display made up entirely of closed cars. In this section the grain sorghum decorations gave way to a ceiling of roses. The style show, radio show, war films and vaudeville provided a lot of good entertainment besides the booth displays which numbered more than 80. A committee of 10 women from the Federated Women's Clubs of Wichita acted as special hostesses for visiting women, while a committee of men from the civic clubs of Wichita took care of men visitors.

The implement and tractor companies on "Tractor Row" which is just a half block from the auditorium, held open house in their big show rooms, making a very fine machinery show in connection with the wheat show.

The wheat show will continue all next week with a change of program on all special features.

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By *Arthur Capper*

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A Close-Up on Opportunity

Kansas State Fair at Hutchinson Reveals Many Ways in Which Farmers Can Make Their Crops, Livestock and Labor More Profitable

By Ray Yarnell and T. W. Morse

FOR the twenty-second time the state of Kansas held its annual fair at Hutchinson last week. In many ways it was a better fair than that of 1921. It was good in every department from crops to livestock, the exhibits being well balanced and of generally high quality.

Speed was shown in the judging in all departments and with one or two exceptions, due to delayed trains, every division was completed by Wednesday evening. Aside from sheep little judging was done Monday because the judges did not arrive. On Tuesday and Wednesday, however, placing of awards, especially in livestock, went forward under high pressure.

Farm Exhibits are Better

The Kansas State Fair did exceptionally well in its livestock show. The breed representation was good and quality was a marked characteristic of most of the animals led into the rings.

Decided improvement was evident in the crop displays in Agricultural hall. There a real conception of the productiveness of Kansas soil could be obtained from the tables and benches heaped high with the produce from hundreds of farms, gardens and orchards. The corn show was 70 per cent larger than that of 1921. It was estimated that 3,800 ears of corn were included in the exhibit, 1,300 ears being shown in the 100 ear white corn class. Of yellow corn, 700 ears were entered.

O. F. Whitney, in charge of the agricultural department, said the fruit show was the largest in six years. It also was high in quality. The biggest class was the collection of 50 varieties of all fruit. The flower show was the largest in the history of the Kansas State Fair.

The feature attraction in Agricultural hall, aside from the wonderful canning and cooking displays by women and girls, was the display of county exhibits. Seventeen were shown as compared to 15 last year. These covered the entire south wall of the building and nearly half of the west and east walls.

Twenty-four hundred dollars was distributed in prizes in this division to professionals, amateurs and exhibitors from counties in Southwestern Kansas.

Jewell County Leads All

In the professional class, Jewell county, L. C. Swihart, placed first; Douglas county, McGhee, second; and Franklin county, G. W. Wheeler, third. In the amateur class with 10 entries, prizes were awarded by counties as follows: 1, Jackson, E. H. Locker; 2, Sedgewick, E. J. Macy; 3, Chase, J. A. Hendricks; 4, Atchison, H. F. Tagge; 5, Allen, James H. Millham; 6, Coffey, J. H. Ginter; 7, Kingman, H. L. Hildebrand; 8, Rice, W. B. Adair; 9, Reno, Sam J. Smith; 10, Barton. In the Southwestern division, Kiowa, J. W. McKinley, was first; Ford, H. C. Baird, second; Clark, R. W. McCall, third; Rush, Carl Carlson, fourth.

The wheat show, which contained 12 bushels, was twice as large as a year ago. W. J. Ruff, Maize, Kan., showed the best bushel of hard winter wheat and O. A. Homan, Peabody, Kan., the best bushel of Kanred. The grain sorghum show was a third larger than that of 1921, the feature being the 20 head class in which there were 8 entries.

In the 100 ear corn class, H. K. Amiz, Wichita, showed the best 100 ears of white corn and J. W. Cook, Hutchinson, showed the best 100 ears

of yellow corn that was on exhibition.

The bee and honey show was exceptionally good, being much larger than formerly. J. J. Ninninger, Hutchinson, had the best general apiary display. W. A. McCormick, Mount Hope, Kan., showed the best 12 jars of extracted white honey, and Charles Shellhammer, Horton, Kan., showed the best 12 jars of extracted amber honey.

Judges in the agricultural department were Paul Gilman, Leavenworth; C. C. Cunningham, El Dorado, and F. P. Rude, Topeka, Kan.

One hundred and eighteen exhibitors showed 1,450 birds in the poultry department, exclusive of more than 200 fowls entered by poultry clubs. Improvement over the 1921 show was largely in the quality of birds and flocks. Many turkeys were exhibited.

The farm folks also were interested in the exhibits of machinery both for field and home use. The machinery show was strong; as usual, the only objection being that it was scattered all over the grounds.

One of the big features for the women was the daily style shows put on by Hutchinson retailers working co-operatively. This was a real fall fashion revue, with pretty girls modeling the latest creations in ready to wear and millinery. Women also found the Textile and Arts department, the baby clinic and the canning exhibits and demonstrations of much interest.

Plenty of clean amusement was supplied by the management in the form of horse and automobile races, riding exhibitions, circus acts and band concerts. Cool, pleasant weather added

question which "sticks in the craw" of anyone who really holds to the idea used in advertising and before legislative appropriation committees, that a fair primarily is an educational institution. Most certainly a fair is, but it could be so much more so.

Wouldn't it jolt the average state fair visitor out of his aimlessness to be told in stentorian tones that all around him, in the horse, hog, cattle and sheep barns, are house a half million dollars worth of purebreds, representing more than 20 of the best established breeds, recognized as such not merely in this country, but throughout the world?

Emphasize Livestock's Importance

Wouldn't it also perhaps show him where he could put in his time with greater interest and profit, to direct him to a nearby exhibition ring in which at that moment 10 to 25 breeders of his and adjoining states were competing for prizes on the breeds which annually work thousands of dollars worth of improvement in the herds of his own or any other county?

This, and more should be said in actual truth of the showing made in by far the most important department of the Kansas State Fair, but why wait for it to be told in a report after the fair is over? Why should not the "loudspeaker" as well as announcers in every show ring and big signs at every entrance, and great posters on every barn tell the public that at this fair are assembled 1,500 of the best and most representative animals from 125 of the leading herds and flocks of the country, representing a half million dollars in value and far more than that in ability to improve the farm equipment of this territory? If a side show can afford to devote 2,000 square feet of painted canvas to miserable monstrosities and distortions of scrub animals, capable only of damage and disgust, what should a great agricultural state devote to a livestock showing such as the foremost agricultural improvers made at this year's state fair?

"Balance" is the best word to denote the improvement in this year's exhibition over last. The show totaled perhaps 75 more animals, and in nearly all breeds a few more herds were represented. The only noticeable exceptions, were Holstein and Jersey cattle, which last year had out 125 head from 30 herds as compared with 101 head this year from 12 herds.

More Cattle Herds Than Usual

This year's showing has balanced up better with the other dairy breeds, in which there was a better turnout. In the McPherson division there were twice as many animals and twice as many exhibitors as last year.

Herefords showed a gain both in numbers and in herds. The hog show, while slightly smaller, brought out eight more exhibitors than last year, and was the best balanced hog show ever held at Hutchinson and certainly one of the most interesting, due to the high standard of exhibits as well as of the large number of breeders interested.

The way in which fair circuits work to benefit the man who visits only one fair was brought out by the presence with practically every breed show, of animals that had won championships in previous big state shows. Good, capable show ring announcers could bring out such points with benefit to all concerned, thru a system requiring each exhibitor to file with his superintendent on arrival, a statement of important winnings at preceding fairs.

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Lane County Made Most of the Mule and Jack Stock Show and the Hineman First Prize Mule Team Was a Part of the Winning Exhibits

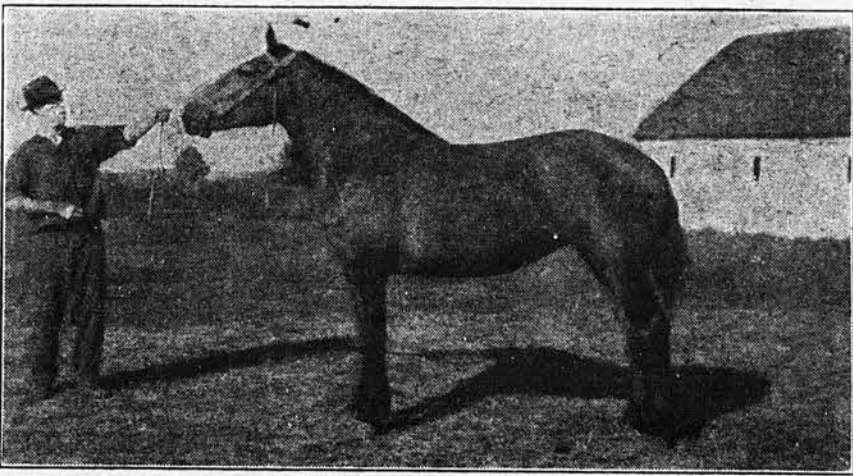
Boys and girls found much to amuse and instruct them at the Kansas State Fair. Members of clubs were chiefly interested in the Pig Club, Calf Club, Poultry Club, and Canning, Cooking and Sewing Club contests which were held during the week. Then there was the boys' Livestock Judging contest held Tuesday afternoon.

It was noticeable that many boys and girls were in the galleries who watched the livestock judging on Tuesday and Wednesday. In fact they were as much in evidence as their fathers and mothers, sometimes more so, and they were as interested in what was taking place. To them the rings were schools in which they could learn much of value to them in their future work. It was the same in the Agricultural and Poultry departments.

to the ability of fair visitors to enjoy all the attractions available.

Kansas might well follow the example of the Missouri State Fair and banish from the heart of the grounds all the raucous voiced concession barkers, the foul smelling hamburger joints, and the thousand and one mongers of one thing and another. Their place, if they have one at all, is on the outskirts where they do not hide the things the fair is intended to promote. Visitors had to struggle thru a maze of concession tents and booths in order to find the real, worth-while exhibits at the Kansas State Fair.

How would it be for the Bell Loudspeaker daily to tell the Kansas State Fair visitors what they are missing by not keeping better tab on the shows of purebred farm animals? That is the



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Passing Comment—By T. A. McNeal

THE idea of a league of nations has long been a favorable one to me. I desired to have the United States join such a league. I still believe that such a league must be formed if world wide peace is to be achieved. I never have believed that the mere formation of such a league would bring world peace but I did believe and still believe that it is one of the things necessary to be done.

The United States did not join the league, but some 28 other nations, large and small did do this. That ought to make a pretty powerful and effective organization even with the United States left out. I must say however that I am disappointed with results so far. If the League of Nations is doing anything to bring peace and quiet to Europe the news we get from there does not disclose it. Would it have been better if we had joined the League? I do not know.

I confess that I am not very hopeful about the world situation. The Great World War was fearfully costly but has the world learned any lesson from it? Perhaps, but it is not apparent.

The Bonus Bill

AS WAS expected, President Harding vetoed the bonus bill. The House overrode the veto by more than a two-thirds vote but in the Senate there were enough votes to sustain the President.

The objection urged by the President was that the condition of the United States Treasury did not warrant the incurring of this additional obligation. He estimates, and perhaps correctly, that before the debt contracted on account of the bonus would be finally paid it would have cost the people of this country 50 billion dollars.

This is not a good and sufficient reason why the bonus should not be paid but it is a powerful argument against the issuing of interest-bearing bonds by the Government.

It would be entirely possible to pay the bonus proposed without adding anything to the burdens that the people will have to bear without the bonus.

What the Government should do is to issue non-interest bearing Treasury Notes for the amount of cash necessary to pay the bonus bill and then deduct 200 million dollars annually from the Army and Navy appropriations and place this in a sinking fund to redeem the Treasury Notes as presented. These notes should be made full legal tender.

Of course the entire powerful banking interests would oppose such a measure and defeat it even if the members of either the House or the Senate had nerve enough to really favor it. I might say in this connection, that all the members of the Kansas delegation both in the Senate and House voted to override the President's veto.

Use the Postal Banks

IF THE Government would open up the Postal Savings Banks as it should, make it easy for people of every class and station to deposit their savings and get them out when they need them, within two or three years, I have no doubt but that more than 2 billion dollars now kept in hiding would go into circulation. The Government should pay the depositors 4 per cent on time deposits and then lend the deposits for not to exceed 6 per cent, paying the banks lending the money a small commission and the remainder over the interest paid the depositors going to the Government in the way of revenue.

Or as I think better still, giving the borrowers the benefit of the lower rate of interest and permitting the banks not to exceed half of 1 per cent for commission and lending the money at 4½ per cent to the borrower, the effect would be to bring down all interest rates.

One of the things that is making trouble for the country is the great burden of debt and high rates of interest. The Postal Savings banks might and could be used as a corrective and at the same time encourage thrift among a class of people who fear the banks and will not use them for savings purposes.

It would seem that the Postal Savings Bank act was framed by bankers, if not certainly bankers succeeded in making it of almost no benefit

to depositors and making it profitable to banks.

The interest rate fixed was only 2 per cent and in order to get that the deposit must be for one year. Then the funds were to be lent to other banks at 2½ per cent, but no limit was placed on the amount of interest they might charge on these funds. As a matter of fact they did lend them at from twice to four times that rate. It seems to me remarkable that there have actually been deposited in these Postal Savings Banks several hundred million dollars and according to the latest figures I have at hand there are now on deposit in these banks 155 million dollars.

Now what was hoped for from the Postal Savings Banks was first that they would afford a

accomplish all these things hoped for it by its sponsors I of course do not know, but it certainly would be a great improvement over the present law.

The bill provides for loans on the following kinds of security:—Loans not to exceed 95 per cent of the marketable value of United States bonds or the bonds of states. Loans are not to exceed 90 per cent of the market value of such other securities as are now admissible investments under the existing laws of New York or Massachusetts. Loans cannot exceed 85 per cent of the market value of wheat, cotton, or other nonperishable products, in safe and adequately insured public storage.

Preference is to be given to small loans over large loans and to short time loans over long time loans and good marketable securities over real estate or less readily marketable securities.

I do not believe that such a law as outlined would necessarily bring financial prosperity to the country, but I do believe that it would be a great improvement over the present Postal Savings Bank law and I also believe that it would induce thrift and the saving habit among the wage workers of this country.

Money that is hidden away might as well not be in existence, but so long as people are afraid of banks just so long they will hide their money away or invest it foolishly.

Most of the people who distrust banks have the utmost confidence in the solvency of the United States Government and would not hesitate to deposit in a Postal Savings Bank, backed by the Government of the United States.

Truthful James

SPEAKING of the trials of early day settlers," remarked Truthful, "it may be possible that you never heard of the Spivens family. The family of Jabe Tobias Spivens consisted of himself and wife, Matilda Ann Spivens, and 14 children. Jabe and Matilda had been married 16 years when this story opens and had accumulated as I said, 14 children, which I may remark is going some. Incidentally I may say that these children were about all they had accumulated.

"Jabe and Matilda talked the matter over and decided that they had to have more room. They lived in Eastern Pennsylvania and decided to move to Illinois, which was then a comparatively new state, with a large amount of swamp land. A land agent who desired to settle that land induced Jabe to believe that it was a garden spot he and his tribe were heading for.

"When he and his family landed at their future home two-thirds of the land they had bargained for was under water and the rest of it was timber land which had to be cleared before it would grow anything.

There was this to be said for both Jabe and Matilda, neither of them were lazy and several of the children were getting big enough to do a lot of work.

"Jabe was considerably discouraged by the prospect but he talked the matter over with Matilda Ann and they decided to go to it win or lose. Jabe managed to get a couple of yokes of good steers and a plow and wagon and started in to clear part of that wood land. It was a hard pull but they made it at last, altho it just about killed them. That swamp land was the greatest producer of mosquitoes that ever was and that meant that there was more ague to the square inch than in any other part of the state of Illinois.

"Of course Jabe and Matilda weren't aware of the fact that the mosquitoes caused the ague; they just supposed that the ague went with the climate. At first all of the family down to the baby had the ague every day, but after awhile it settled down to a shake every other day. They got used to it in a way so that Jabe worked and so did Matilda and so did the children. The regular chill came on just at dinner time and an old man who was their neighbor told me about it. He said that it used to be one of the most interesting sights he ever saw when Jabe and the family sat down to eat at noon, all of them shaking at the same time. Jabe always asked the blessing as a matter of habit, but the teeth of the family were making so much noise knocking together on account of the chill that you couldn't hear anything that Jabe said.

As in Days of Old

BY C. T. DAVIS

SO LITTLE time ago the world was still
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 Your voice again.

Your voice, Beloved, lyric, limpid, clear—
 In the warm tones that fall caressingly—
 "Less Than the Dust," as in the olden days
 You sang to me. * * *

Your voice so near me and so exquisite
 That wraps me in its magic, fold on fold,
 And in remembered wizardry I walk
 The ways of old.

Old days of glamour, stardust and fair
 dreams. * * *
 Old days of blended bitterness and bliss. * * *
 The glory of your song * * * the touch of
 you * * *
 Your pulsing kiss. * * *

I know not what fair city holds you now.
 Nor who lies now beneath your music's
 thrall—
 Yet, O Beloved, down the empty years
 I hear you call.

safe place of deposit for the small savings of the working people and others who feel a dread of banks and the possibility of losing what they have saved, and second, that it would bring out of hiding and put into circulation billions of money now hidden away.

The mere fact that after framing the law so as to discourage as much as possible the depositing of savings, the large sum of 155 million dollars is actually on deposit shows the possibilities of a real Postal Savings Bank System.

The Sheppard bill, now pending aims to accomplish the following things: First, the Postal Savings Bank shall be open and accessible to all without limit as to amounts that may be deposited and interest therefrom paid for any period of time, as is customary with commercial banks; second, these deposits shall be lent at the market price for money on security that is good beyond question; third, 4 per cent semi-annual compound interest will go to the depositors; fourth, the balance of the profit shall be paid twice a year into the United States Treasury. It is estimated that this would bring into the United States Treasury at least 120 million dollars and possibly as much as 300 million dollars; fifth, every bank and banking institution in the United States in good standing may become agents for the Postal Savings Banks, both to receive deposits and make loans, receiving for such service a small commission; sixth, the present gold standard will not be affected, yet gold is no longer to be made a fetish or a scarecrow; seventh, the Postal Savings Bank will be placed beyond the power or domination of any interest or class; eighth, it will mobilize quickly and put into ordinary bank channels more than 3 billion dollars of money not now in any bank; ninth, with this bill in operation there will be scores of millions of depositors instead of half a million as at present.

Now whether the bill if enacted into law would

When the whole family sat up to the table at the same time they shook so that they made the table dance around as if it was trying to do rag time. The bread and potatoes and butter, when they had butter, would dance up and down and circle around one another and every member of the family caught them on the fly. It is a wonder that all the members of the family lived and grew; naturally you would suppose that they would all die. In the course of 20 years Jabe managed to get the swamp drained and the wood-land cleared and the chills stopped tho Jabe didn't know why. But they left that family in pretty bad condition so far as teeth were concerned. The ague just naturally shook every tooth out of the heads of both Jabe and Matilda and all of the children except two or three of the youngest who grew their second sets after the swamp was cleared and they got rid of the ague.

"This old neighbor told me that he never would forget the look of disappointment on Matilda's face when one day she was chilling to beat the band and the last one of her back teeth flew out of her mouth. She actually shed tears and said that she had been hoping to keep that one tooth to show to her grandchildren to prove to them that she once had teeth and wasn't born like a hen.

With Jabe the ague not only shook all the teeth out of his head but it finally loosened all of his joints so that when he got to be an old man you could hear him rattle when he walked like an old wagon or a box of scrap iron when it is being hauled along a rough road in a farm wagon.

"A showman who heard Jabe rattling along offered him a big salary to go into a side show. The showman's idea was to have Jabe practice under the instruction of a performer on the bones until he could just walk around on the platform and shake off a tune. He said that there wasn't anything like it anywhere and it would be the biggest hit of the show.

"Jabe refused the offer, saying that he had enough to keep him the rest of his days and would just gum it thru—didn't propose to make a rattle box of himself for public amusement.

"These people who are complaining about their hardships simply don't know anything about what the early settlers in Illinois and other states had to endure."

Farmers' Service Corner

READERS of the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze who desire to have legal advice or who wish to make inquiries on general matters may receive whatever service we can render in this way free of charge, but the limited size of our paper at present will not make it possible to publish all of the replies.

The Water Witch Theory

What is your opinion of water witching and also the Government's opinion? J. H. K.

I think practically all the supposed scientific experts hold that there is nothing in the water witch theory. However, there are some very remarkable cases of the finding of water by the so-called water witch method. Either there was something in the method or else the so-called water witches were remarkably lucky.

Various Questions

A sold B a car and took a mortgage on the car. B was to pay \$25 a month until the car was paid for. B was working for A at the time and A turned the mortgage in to the bank. B got permission to have the car with the car. Can they force him to bring the car back or will they have to come for it themselves? B still has the car in good condition and does not use it. The reason B quit working for A was A tried to make love to B's wife all the time and annoyed her until B had to leave and was therefore unable to pay A for the car. Can B bring a suit against A and can he hold the car as said that he could have made good on the car if he had not been for A's attention to his wife? H. B.

If B can show that he was given permission to take this car out of the state, my opinion is that the creditor will have to go to the other state to take possession of the car. If A alienated the affections of B's wife or attempted to do so, B would have ground for action for damages.

How to Get Ore Assayed

I have a few samples of ore which I would like to have assayed. Where can I send them? A. N. P.

Send them to the Department of Geology, Kansas State University, Lawrence, Kan.

Revenue Stamps on Notes

Is there a state or federal law compelling the maker of a note to pay the cost of the revenue stamps placed thereon or is this merely a custom used by the banks? J. W. U.

It is a custom of the banks. They simply require the maker of the note to pay the revenue because they can and if he would refuse to pay it they could probably pay it if they were sufficiently anxious to make him a loan. Otherwise he could not get the loan. The bank must place the revenue stamps on the note as a matter of self protection because under the federal law the note would not be collectable if there were no revenue stamps on it.

Cruelty to Horses

Is there any law to prevent a man from being cruel to horses, working them to death and not feeding them? The man is reckoned as being worth more than \$50,000. G. W. C.

Section 3668, Chapter 28, General Statutes pro-

vides that a person who shall maliciously maim, beat or torture any horse, ox or other cattle, whether belonging to himself or another, shall on conviction be adjudged guilty of misdemeanor and fined not exceeding \$50. Complaints should be made to the county attorney.

Collecting Judgments

1—How long before a commission for selling property is outlawed? 2—Can a person in Colorado bring suit against a person in Kansas and force him to go to Colorado for trial or would the party bringing the suit have to come to Kansas? 3—If this person gets judgment can he collect in Kansas? D. P.

1—A commission for selling property is a book account and outlaws in three years in Kansas.

2—A person living in Colorado might sue a debtor living in Kansas but the suit must be brought in the county in which the debtor resides in Kansas.

3—In case judgment is rendered in favor of the plaintiff, it can be collected just as any other judgment is collected.

Paying Inheritance Tax

A man died in 1913 leaving one son, two daughters and six grandchildren, the grandchildren being the children of a deceased son. In his will he makes me, the son, his executor leaving a farm and some city property to me but I must pay my two sisters a certain sum and also pay my six nieces and nephews as they become of age with interest from the time my father died. Now one won't become of age until 1926. My wife and I took care of my parents in their old age. What I wish to know is will there be any inheritance tax to be paid either by me or by my nieces or nephews? J. C.

Unless your inheritance amounts to more than \$15,000 there will be no inheritance tax. The same is true of your two sisters. The nieces and nephews however, would have to pay an inheritance tax on all their share of the estate at the following rate: On the first \$25,000, 5 per cent; on the next \$25,000 7½ per cent. That is they would have to pay 5 per cent on all their inheritance up to \$25,000.

Employer's Liability For Accidents

Ten of us farmers own and operate a threshing machine. We hire men to run the same for us and also hire other help to assist in the threshing. Should any of these men get hurt while working for us would we be liable for damages? C. F.

My opinion is that the employees in this case would come under the provisions of the workmen's compensation act and would be entitled to the allowance provided for in that act depending on the nature of the injury and the amount of wages they were receiving. If the injury was the result of neglect on the part of the owners of the threshing machine, they might also have an independent action for damages.

Rights of Colorado Renters

A is a renter. His lease expires on January 1, 1923. If he puts in wheat can he hold the place another year? This is in Colorado. J. R. W.

If he puts in wheat with the consent of the landowner, while that would not give him the right of possession for another year, he would have the right to enter upon the land and harvest his wheat next summer.

Rural High School Privileges

We are now paying taxes to an inconvenient county high school. Do we have to pay tuition to a convenient high school which is in the same county? A. S. B.

You are entitled to send your children to the nearest high school either in your county or in the county adjoining without payment of tuition by yourself.

No Cause for Law Suit

A has a farm of 160 acres which he wishes to trade. He had a trade on for a farm which is slightly encumbered. The bank at A's town knocked the trade saying that it is under foreclosure and it is mortgaged for more than it is worth. A takes the bank's word for it and does not trade. He afterward finds the place exactly as described. He owes the bank more than \$1,000. Would this hinder A from suing the bank? R. K. F.

Of course, the fact that he owed the bank \$1,000 would not hinder him from bringing suit but I do not see from your question where he has any particular ground for an action and think he would lose his suit if he were to bring it.

Borrowing Money for Seed Wheat

Do you know of any place where a person can borrow money with which to buy seed wheat? I have heard one could borrow it from the Government. P. T. B.

I do not know of any such place and there is no Government agency or arrangement I know of by which money could be borrowed for that purpose.

Foreclosure of a Mortgage

I have a \$3,000 first mortgage on my farm and gave a second mortgage for \$3,000. The first loan is due in six years and the second is due October 25 and I cannot raise the \$3,000 to pay it. Can the man who has the second mortgage foreclose or must he wait until the expiration of the six years? E. M. H.

The holder of the second mortgage can foreclose when that is due. Of course he would have to foreclose subject to the first mortgage. The rights and interests of the first mortgage are not in any way jeopardized by this foreclosure. He still has first lien on the land and he would be entitled not only to foreclose it but to a personal judgment against

you if the land did not sell for enough to pay the mortgage.

Lawyer's Opinion Correct

A had a house and lot in town valued at \$1,500. He sold them to his daughter and son-in-law, payments to be made of \$10 a month. They were to keep it in repair and pay the taxes, interest, and insurance. They have a contract to this effect. They sold the contract to another person and he has been renting the house for \$20 a month and has not paid the taxes or made the payments. A took the contract to a leading lawyer and he said it was a clear case that this person had lost all his rights and that the property could be taken back. Is this true? W. H. W.

I cannot see how there can be any question about the correctness of the lawyer's opinion as stated.

Raising Too Many Butterflies Now

AS A FRIEND of all boys and girls, I am sometimes troubled about them and their future and the country's future, in which at no far-distant day they will have an important part to play.

My concern chiefly is for the town-reared boy and girl, and it is not due, I'm sure, to mature years, nor to any lack of sympathy on my part. The things that worry me are matters of rather common observation, and as this is again the school season, perhaps it will do no harm to set down some of them here.

There are almost daily evidences in any community which show how helpless is the present day town or city-reared boy or girl of the average well-to-do family to cope with any difficulty. If you know such a boy or girl you are aware that any situation which disarranges their plans, or that calls for a little self-denial on their part, or that brings any real disappointment, no matter how trifling, floors them completely. They seem unable to deny themselves any pleasure or any whim to which they take a fancy. They have little or nothing apparently in their mental or moral make-up with which to combat any adversity. The fact is they are characterless, a misfortune for which their parents and not themselves are to blame. They are butterflies. We see them everywhere, even in Kansas, but they abound in Eastern cities and Washington has its share.

The parents of these boys and girls were brought up in no such namby-pamby fashion. The boys and girls of 40 or 50 years ago, in every family, had certain daily duties—they were expected to perform and did perform. Not only were they expected to go to school, but they were expected to get their lessons every day. They didn't run around much, nor loaf around soda fountains. They didn't spend as much money in a year as the average boy or girl of the well-to-do family now spends in a day or a week, and then asks for more. They didn't go dressed like fashion plates, more concerned over having to wear an out-of-style coat or a too long or a too loose skirt, than anything else in the world unless it was the date of the next dance. Nor did they feel they were inferior human beings and go about in shame and humility because the family did not own a motor car.

In the homes of the well-to-do, the present generation of boys and girls are growing into men and women with characters as unformed as little children because their parents have spoiled them by over-indulgence. They have given them too much money, gratified their every wish, given them no character-forming discipline. They keep this up until the boys get to that age where boys and girls are usually more or less beyond discipline and can scarcely be reasoned with. Then for the first time these parents begin to think they have made a mistake somewhere. They find their children have no intellectual resources. That they cannot have a good time unless they are spending money. That they are bored to extinction if there isn't "some place to go," some show or entertainment to be enjoyed. To sit down and read a good book is to them a punishment instead of a pleasure.

It is when this stage is reached that these over-indulgent parents begin to realize that when the time comes for these boys and girls to face the common difficulties of life they are going to be terribly up against it. And all because they had easy-going, too indulgent fathers and mothers who let them drift along because "everybody else's" boys and girls were trailing along the same line of least resistance. They desired their children "to enjoy life while they were young" and have everything that the richest, most petted, most spoiled boy or girl in town had, and they did not realize this was mistaken kindness, that they were robbing their children of the very qualities of upbringing which had made their parents resourceful and successful men and women.

Now that I have this out of my system, it reads a little like a scolding to parents, but I am far from meaning it that way. I have been a little more earnest than I intended to be because I feel some plain speaking is timely, and because I wish every boy and girl to have a fair chance to get along successfully in the world.

Arthur Capper
Washington, D. C.

News of the World in Pictures



Eddie Rickenbacher, Famous Ace Weds Mrs. Adelaide Durant, Divorced Wife of Noted Automobile Manufacturer and Will Honeymoon Abroad

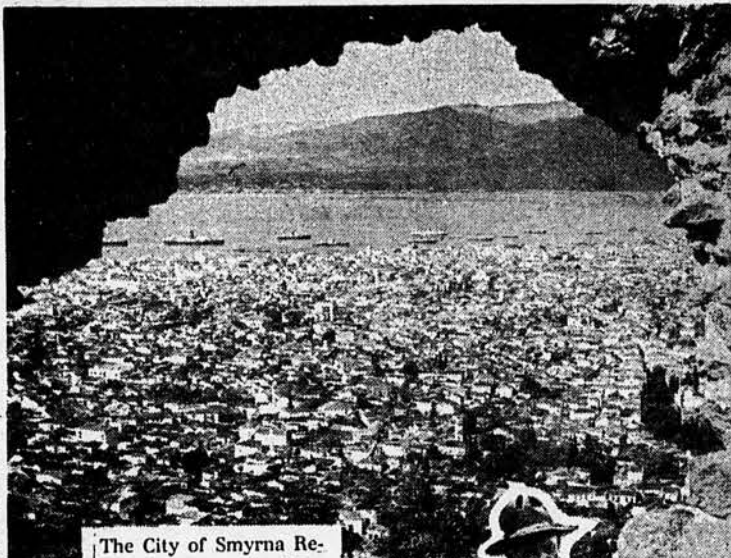


Mustapha Kemal Pasha, Turkish Nationalist Leader in National Arabian Costume; Ordinarily He Wears European Dress and is Thoroughly European in His Habits



Rear Admiral Bristol, American High Commissioner at Constantinople; He Reports That American Destroyers Carried Thousands of Refugees from Smyrna to Greece

At the Left Julio Paixo Cortes of Southern Brazil Who is Studying American Methods of Breeding and Raising Herefords; His Father Has a Large Cattle Ranch



The City of Smyrna Recently Set on Fire and Destroyed by the Turkish Nationalist Forces; More Than 1,000 Persons Were Massacred and Many American Victims Were Among the Slain



Aileen Riggan, Olympic Diving Champion, at the Huguenot Boat Club Water Carnival, New Rochelle, N. Y.



Albert J. Beveridge at the Right on His Vacation on a Colorado Ranch; He was Recently Renominated for Senator by Indiana Republicans and Probably Will be the Winning Man



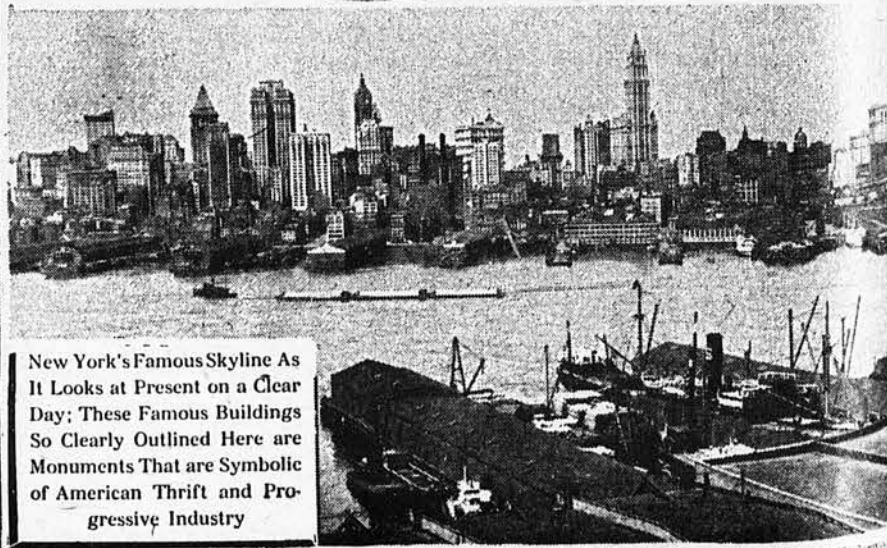
Portrait of Mrs. Warren G. Harding Made by Laszlo, Celebrated European Artist Last July at the White House



Senator George Sutherland of Utah Recently Appointed U. S. Supreme Court Justice and His Wife



Joseph Cummings Chase, Famous New York Artist, Paints Portrait of "Miss America," Otherwise Miss Katherine Campbell of Columbus, Ohio, Recently Selected as the Most Beautiful Girl in America



New York's Famous Skyline As It Looks at Present on a Clear Day; These Famous Buildings So Clearly Outlined Here are Monuments That are Symbolic of American Thrift and Progressive Industry

Change the Style in Farming

Young Men in Decatur County Kick Precedent in the Slat, Get Good Livestock, Diversify Crops and are Making Agriculture Safe and Sane

By Ray Yarnell

YOUNG men are changing the style of farming in Western Kansas, and particularly in Decatur county. They are kicking precedent in the slats, and are doing things in a new way that is an old way in highly developed regions.

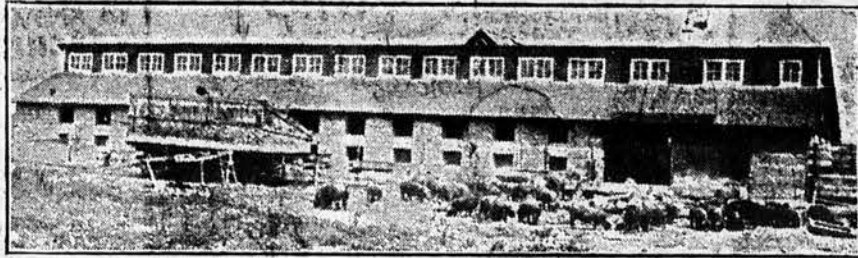
Out on the prairies, where sod houses sheltered the early settlers and many of their descendants, where corn, more than one year, served both as fuel and food, where farmers who depended on wheat or corn alone have been repeatedly cleaned out—out there in the short grass country is developing the type of agriculture that spells prosperity and a probable end of the lean years that have been too common in times past in many good localities.

The transformation is more than begun—it is well under way. Twelve years ago I lived in Decatur county. I have seen the cycles of crops and droughts come and go. I have seen farmers quit in times of stress and seek better opportunities elsewhere while, if they had only known it, opportunity was right at their door.

And likewise I have seen enormous crops of wheat and corn produced. The soil is rich and deep and when enough rain comes it yields willingly and well. Then Decatur county, to a great extent, was farmed for wheat and corn. Many farmers raised nothing else. A few were successful. Some diversified and they were the ones who stuck and got ahead.

There was livestock, of course, but it was not of the best type usually, hence less profitable, and there was too little of it. Cows, hogs and hens helped the farmers who had them, but the county as a whole was sold on both wheat and corn production.

So in a hazardous country hazards were multiplied. When losses came



Modern Hog House on the Glenn Blickenstaff Farm in Decatur County Which Has Pen Room for Twenty-six Sows at Earrowing Time

they were heavy and the good years no more than equaled the bad. Farmers kept ahead of the hounds but they lost some sections from their coat tails. The war helped a great deal because of high prices for wheat and corn. Probably it made possible what is happening now and has been going on for two or three years.

Just recently I visited Decatur county again. In 12 years it had

changed a lot. I found many young men running the farms and I discovered that their methods were not the methods of their fathers; that they were playing the game in a different way and making a go of it.

Diversified farming is getting a firm hold on the short grass country. It isn't driving out wheat and corn but is making their production of less vital importance. If one or both of



Get of Ashbourne Marvel, Seven Shorthorn Calves Raised by Harry Roberts of Decatur County. Which Sold for \$1,400

those crops fail, the loss will not be total as it once was in many cases.

Three or four years ago there were only four or five herds of purebred hogs in Decatur county; today there are more than 25 herds of registered swine of various breeds. It is estimated that 15 herds have been started in the last two years. In the county there are more than 17 breeders of registered Shorthorn cattle and more than five breeders of registered Herefords. Most of these herds are only 2 to 4 years old.

More cows are being milked in Decatur county than ever before. Dairy type animals are getting a foothold. One farmer, Nell Rogers, is milking Red Polled Shorthorn cows, churning the cream and selling the butter. He has a good market for every pound he can produce. He still grows wheat on a big scale, yet if the wheat crop fails, he still will have an income from his cows. He simply is playing the farming game from a safety first point of view. And he isn't the only one doing it.

Practically every breeder of Shorthorn cattle in the county also has a herd of purebred hogs. Shorthorn breeders having Duroc Jersey hogs include Steeve O'Toole, Joe Vavroch, Glenn Blickenstaff, E. R. Norton, Charles Blickenstaff, Arthur Miller, Skeubahl & Son and Ed Helmeamp. Those having Poland China hogs include Amel Anderson, Miller Brothers, Harry Roberts and Claus Anderson. Morton Brothers and D. W. Morton & Sons have Chester White hogs.

Vavroch Brothers and Carl Miller, Hereford breeders, also have registered Duroc Jerseys. Other Hereford breeders in the county include Robert Steiner, Simonson Brothers and Corcoran Brothers. (Continued on Page 12)

The Danger of Discontent

Destructive Tendencies, Fostered by Professional Agitators Whose Aim is to Destroy and Loot, are Thriving Because of Unthinking Tolerance

By John R. Lenray

DISCONTENT is a disease. Like pernicious anemia it gradually undermines resistance until it gets the opportunity to land a blow that is fatal. But unlike anemia, discontent is highly contagious and communicable. It spreads with the speed of the spoken word and seemingly no one is entirely immune to it. It is one disease the dispenser of medicine is powerless against. He can do little to halt an epidemic of discontent or to lessen its severity. Drugs do not affect it.

Discontent not only is fatal, in itself, but it breeds a brood of other diseases whose object is destructive of all that is good in civilization and government. It has been said that progress does not come to a satisfied people; that discontent is necessary to advancement. But men who made those statements were thinking of discontent as ambition, the stirrings within the individual or the nation that prodded them on to seek improvement, better conditions, greater opportunities. If discontent means that there is no danger in it,

Destroys Nation's Efficiency

But discontent, as it is abroad in the land today, does not mean so much the stirrings of ambition as it does the whispered suggestions of destruction, the tearing down of what is to erect the phantom structure of what possibly might be and never is.

Discontent destroys efficiency. It breeds unhappiness. It junks co-operation. It breeds distrust. It winks at violence. It condones the rule of force against the rule of reason. It appeals to passions, not to minds.

It would be better to admit to the benefits of society a thousand Benedict Arnolds than to tolerate one dispenser of the present brand of discontent.

Society can deal adequately with Benedict Arnolds. It can protect itself against the traitor of that type. But its armor against the unctious peddler of discontent is thin and weak.

America, with all it has represented in the past and with all that it stands for today—individual liberty, self-government, high standards of living, educational opportunity second to none in the world, a high, ambitious and progressing civilization—is no place for discontent or for the men who make a business of dealing in it.

There are certain men in the United States, whose taste runs to violence, who shun toil, who think always in terms of destruction and who, dealing in the cheap merchandise of words, construct wonderfully attractive displays that always fade before realization. They are the promoters of discontent and they wax sleek and rich by doing it.

Don't get the mistaken idea that these men do violence themselves. They simply preach the doctrine; their dupes perform the jobs. These men don't destroy. They get others to do it and they take the loot. If anyone goes to jail it is the dupes. The promoters manage, very astutely and effectively, to keep from being smeared with the dirty practices they advocate.

Bill Haywood was such a man. He got by for a long time and when he did get hooked he beat it for Russia and left his followers to stand the gaff. Trust Bill and all his ilk to do just that.

There are many others. You can find many of them even in Kansas. You undoubtedly know them yourself. All are not so notorious as Bill Haywood; they haven't got so much brains

or so great an opportunity as he. But they are working with the same poison.

If an example of the effects of destructive discontent and its logical working out is desired, look at Russia. There the Reds, the Bolsheviks, the exponents of destructive forces, the disciples of violence, have freedom of action and they have used it.

The tragedy of the century is Russia. And the virulent disease which is sapping away her life is the menace of the century to every other nation. It is the disease of discontent and it will wreck America, as it has wrecked Russia, if it gets a chance.

Things never have been as folks would have them; they never will be. And it is well that they won't. Without struggle, without competition, without hazard, life would be rather uninteresting. Degeneration will follow quickly when those factors in life are eliminated.

I would bid no man curb ambition or cease striving to better himself. He should do both. He should not be satisfied with things as they are or view the future with complaisant eyes. There is a place for every hell raiser be he of consequence or inconsequence. He as well as the work he does is needed.

But hell-raising and peddling discontent are diametrically opposed. The one is a constructive force, plain spoken, acting in the open, insisting on improvement, demanding justice. The other is a mole, working under ground, a "digger from within," a destructive force, caring less for justice than it does for loot.

The United States is the richest nation in the world. It is the best

governed nation. It offers more to its citizens than any other. It is free. Compared to others the United States offers greater opportunity to the individual to realize his natural ambitions.

The best advice that can be offered to an American citizen is this: Assay the men who live in your community. Check up the things they say. Look into their motives, analyze their intentions. If they preach destruction, even after a pink tea fashion, distrust them. The man who isn't satisfied is not necessarily dangerous. It all depends on the methods he indorses to bring about the state of things he desires. Size him up. If he assays low in the virtues of common sense, patriotism and good will to the public and high in the vices of violence, ill-will and the desire to loot and let the other fellow pay the bill, you can use the God-given toxin of common sense as a preventive of an attack of the disease of discontent he spreads. And you can undo his work by talking common sense to others he has infected.

Tools of Unprincipled Men

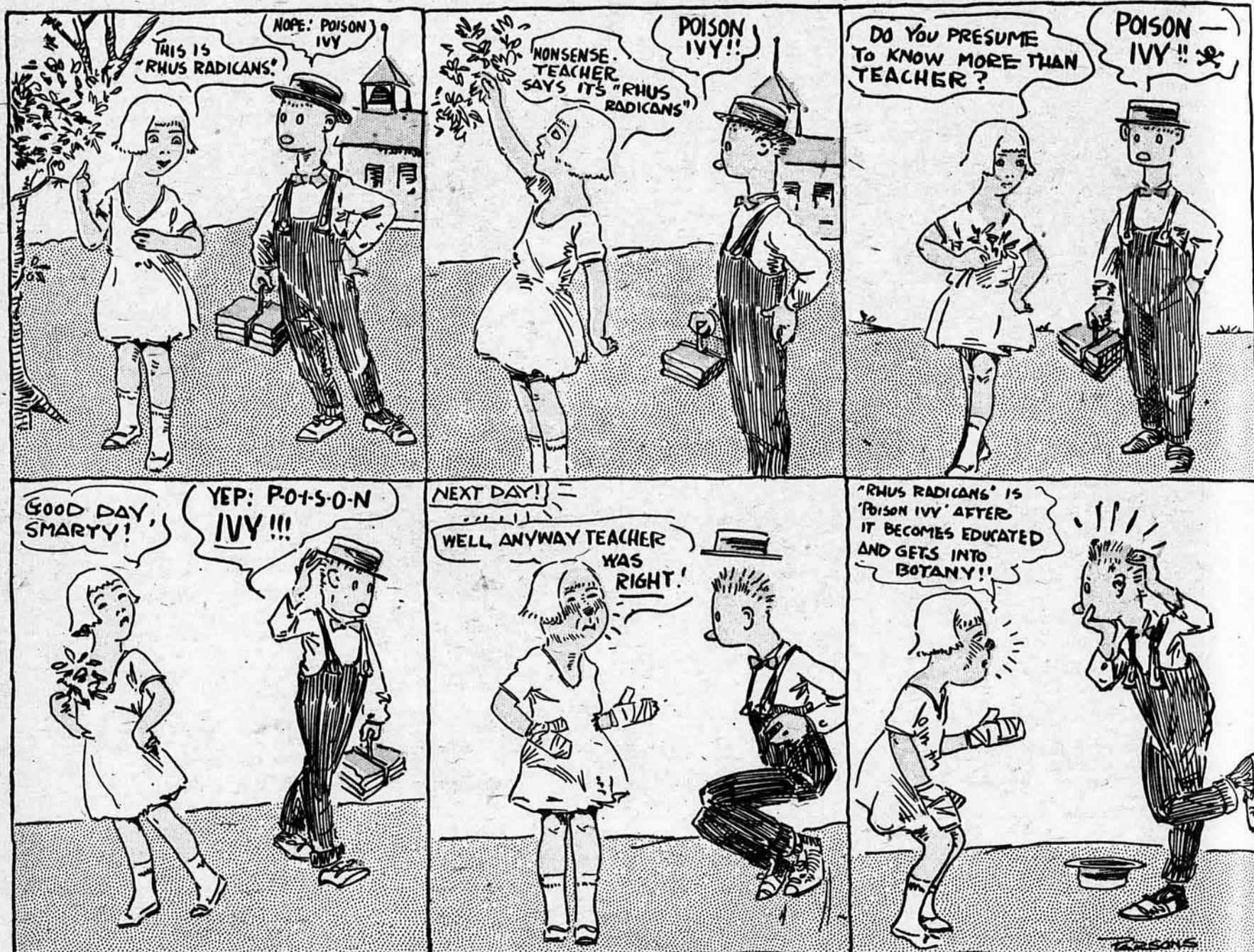
There is danger in discontent if it is permitted to go unchecked. The man who sees the poison being spread and does nothing to prevent it, is simply a tool of the unprincipled men.

The man who values his home, the educational opportunities his children have, the privilege of living in a country like the United States and in a state such as Kansas, cannot afford longer to tolerate the loose tongues of professional purveyors of discontent.

The laws of our Nation guarantee freedom of speech to every person possessing citizenship. Force won't close the mouths of these enemies of society. But reason, given as wide publicity and as earnest exponents, will.

The Adventures of the Hoovers

Rhus Radicans May Not Sound as Deadly as Poison Ivy, But Buddy's Girl Has Now Learned to Her Sorrow That They are the Same Thing



The Wreckers—By Francis Lynde

HAVING completed the construction of the Oregon Midland Railroad, Graham Norcross and his secretary, Jimmie Dodds, start on a journey to Montreal, Canada. At Widner, Idaho, the train is delayed considerably and Norcross converts his Pullman berth into a business office. While busy with his papers and correspondence, Norcross becomes interested in the occupants of Section Five, a Mrs. Sheila Macrae and a young girl, Maisie Ann, her cousin. Later in the day while the two ladies were standing on the rear platform of the Pullman the train gave a heavy lurch and came to a sudden stop.

In the excitement Maisie Ann's muff went overboard and the owner stepped off to rescue it. Mrs. Macrae quickly followed, and Norcross, fearing that the ladies might get left, stepped off the platform and joined them. Jimmie Dodds followed Mr. Norcross and in the meanwhile the train started off and all were left at the tank station.

After being marooned for an hour, bandits in a motor car appeared and held up the next passing train and switched the engine and the Alexia, private car of John Chadwick, the Chicago wheat king, on a side spur extending out into a heavily timbered section. Later Norcross and his friends found the engine and after making a few repairs picked up the rest of the train and its crew including Mr. Chadwick. Later all were taken to Portal City and at that place an important conference was held in which Mr. Chad-

A Story of How Graham Norcross Developed the Pioneer Short Line Into an Honest and Efficient Railroad

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wick laid an important railroad proposition before Mr. Norcross.

Where a Wife Would Help

"I wouldn't say it can't be done," the boss went on. "Perhaps it is possible, for the right man. But I'm not the right man. You need somebody who can combine the qualities of a brutal slugger with those of a fine-haired, all-things-to-all-men, diplomatic peacemaker. I can do the slugging; I've proved it a time or two in the past. But I'm no good at the other end of the game. When it comes to handling the fellow with a 'pull,' I've either got to smash him or quit."

At that Mr. Chadwick nodded again and said: "That is one of the reasons why I have reached out and picked you for the job. There will be a good bit of the slugging needed, at first, and I guess you can acquire the other things as you go along, can't you?"

"Not at this late day, I'm afraid. People who know me best call me a scrapper, and I've been living up to my reputation. Yesterday, when we were held up behind the freight wreck at Widner, I got off to see

what we were in for. The conductor of our train had spotted me from seeing my pass, and I happened to hear him docketing me for the wrecking boss. He said I was known on the Midland as 'Hell-and-repeat' Norcross; that it was a habit with me to have a man for breakfast every morning."

"I can add a little something to that," Mr. Chadwick put in, quizzically. "Lepaige, your Oregon Midland president, says you need humanizing, and wonders why you haven't married some good woman who would knock the rough corners off. Why haven't you, Craham?"

The boss gave a short laugh. "Too busy," he said. "Past that, we might assume that the good woman hasn't presented herself. Let it go. The facts still stand. I am too heavy-handed for this job. I probably should mix up with some of these grafters you've been telling me about and get a knife in my back. That would be all in the day's work, of course, but it would leave you right where you are now. And as for this other thing—the industrial side of it: that's a large order; a whaling big order. I'm not even prepared to say, off-hand, that

it's the right thing to do at this time." "Right or wrong, it's a thing that is coming, Graham," was the sober reply. "If we don't meet it half-way—well, the time will come when we of the hiring-and-firing side won't be given any option in the matter. You may call it Utopian if you please, and add that I'm growing old and losing my grip. But that doesn't obliterate the fact that the days of the present master-and-man relations in the industries are numbered."

The boss shook his head. "As I say, I can't go that far with you, off-hand; and if I could, I should still doubt that I am the man to head your procession."

I thought that settled it, but that was because I didn't know Mr. Chadwick. The big wheat king just smiled up at the boss, sort of fatherly, and said:

"We'll let it rest until morning and give you a chance to sleep on it. You have spoken only of the difficulties and the responsibilities, Graham; but there is another side to it. In a way, it's an opportunity, carrying with it the promise of the biggest kind of a reward."

"I don't see it," said the boss, briefly.

"Don't you? I do. I have an idea rambling around in my head that it is about time some bright young fellow was demonstrating that problem you speak of—showing the people of the United States that a railroad needn't be regarded as an outlaw among the

industries; needn't have the enmity of everybody it serves; needn't be the prey of a lot of disloyal and dissatisfied employees who are interested only in the figure of the pay-day check; needn't be shot at as a wolf with a bounty on its scalp. Get your hat and we'll walk up-town to the hotel. I want to have a word with Dunton tonight, if I can shake him loose from his junketing bunch long enough to listen to it. Beyond that, I want to get hold of the sheriff and put him on the track of those hold-ups."

Here was a chance for me to butt in with the hint Mrs. Sheila had given me, but I didn't see how I was going to do it without giving her away. So I said the little end of nothing, just as hard as I could; and when we got out of the car, Mr. Norcross told me to go by the station and have our baggage sent to the hotel, and that killed whatever chance I might have had farther along.

It was after 11 o'clock when I got around to the hotel with the traps. The stir in the lobby had quieted down to make it seem a little more like Sunday night, but an automobile party had just come in, and some of the men were jawing at the clerk because the house wasn't serving a midnight theater supper in the cafe on Sunday.

Young Collingwood Was Drunk

Mr. Chadwick had disappeared, but I saw the boss at the counter waiting for his chance at the clerk. The quarrelsome people melted away at last, all but one—a young swell who would have been handsome if he hadn't had the eyes of a maniac and a color that was sort of corpse-like with the palor of a booze-fighter. He had his hat on the back of his head, and he was ripping it off at the clerk like a drunken hobo.

His ravings were so cluttered up with cuss-words that I couldn't get any more than the drift of them, but it seemed he had caught a glimpse of somebody he knew—a woman, I took it, because he said "she"—looking down from the rail of the mezzanine, and he wanted to go up to her. And it appeared the clerk had told the elevator man not to take him up in his present condition.

The boss was growing impatient; I could tell it by the way the little side muscles on his jaw were working. When he got the ear of the clerk for a second or so, he asked what was the matter with the lunatic. I caught only broken bits of the clerk's half-whisper: "Young Collingwood . . . President Dunton's nephew . . . saw lady . . . mezzanine . . . wants to go up to her."

The boss scowled at the young fellow, who was now handing himself around the corner of the counter to get at the clerk again, and said: "Why don't you ring for an officer and have him run in?"

The night clerk was evidently scared of his job. "I wouldn't dare do that," he chattered. "He's one of the New York crowd—the railroad people—President Dunton's nephew—guest of the house."

The young fellow had pulled himself around to our side of the counter by this time and was hooking his arm to make a pass at Mr. Norcross, trimming things up as he came with a lot more language. The boss said, right short and sharp, to the clerk, "Get his room key, and give it to a boy who can show me the way," and the next thing we knew he was cuffing Colling-

wood right along to the elevator.

I guess it surprised the clerk, and everybody else who happened to see it—but not me. It was just like the boss. He came back in a few minutes, looking as cool as a cucumber.

"What did you do with him?" asked the clerk, kind of awed and half scared.

"Got a couple of the corridor sweepers to put him in a bath and turn the cold water on him. That'll take the whiskey out of him. Now, if you have a minute to spare, I'd like to get my assignment."

We hadn't more than got our rooms marked off for us when I saw Mr. Chadwick coming across from the farther of the three elevators. He was smiling sort of grim, as if he'd made a killing of some sort with Mr. Dunton, and instead of heading back for his car he took the boss over to a corner of the lobby and sat down to smoke with him.

I circled around for a while, and after a bit Mr. Norcross asked me to bring him a match. They didn't seem to be talking anything private, so I sat down just beyond them, so sleepy that I could hardly see straight. Mr. Chadwick was telling about his early experiences in Portal City, how he blew in first on top of the Strathcona gold boom, and how he had known everybody in the region in those days.

While he was talking, a taxi drove up and a man came in from the street and crossed to the elevators; a handsome, stately old gentleman, with fierce white mustaches and a goatee, and "Southern Colonel" written all over him.

"There's one of them now; Major Basil Kendrick—Kentucky born and raised, as you might guess," Mr. Chadwick was saying. "Old-school Southern 'quality,' and as fine as they make 'em. He is a lawyer, but not in active practice; owns a mine or two in Strathcona Gulch, and is neither too rich nor too poor."

Tipping the Scales

I grabbed at the name, "Basil," right away; it isn't such a common name, and Mrs. Sheila had said something—under the water tank, you recollect—about a "Cousin Basil" who was to have met her. I was putting two or three guesses together when one of the elevators came down and here came our two, the young lady and the chunky little girl, with the major chuckling and smiling and giving an arm to each. They had apparently stopped at the Bullard only to wait until he could come and take them home. Mrs. Sheila was just as pretty as ever, only now there wasn't a bit of color in her face, and her eyes seemed a good deal brighter.

"Yes, indeed; the major is all right; as you'd find out for yourself if you'd make up your mind to stay in Portal City and get acquainted with him," Mr. Chadwick was going on; and by that time the major and the two pretty ones had come on to where the boss and Mr. Chadwick could see them.

I saw the boss sit up in his chair and stare at them. Then he said: "That's Mrs. Macrae with him now. Is she a member of his family?"

"A second cousin, or something of that sort," said Mr. Chadwick. "I met her once at the major's house out in the northern suburb last summer, and that's how I came to know her when you put her aboard of the Alexa back-yonder in the gulch."

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He Likes the Story

WE WERE much gratified at the kindly reception which readers gave The Indian Drum and Tom of Peace Valley. It is the opinion of the staff, however, that The Wreckers, which was started in the issue of September 16, is a far better story than either. This serial is a wonderful human document, with pep and action and a delightful love story running thru it. We naturally were pleased by a letter from a reader in Ford county, in which he said:

"I like The Wreckers mighty well; I have been much interested in the sections printed in the last two copies of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. It is evidently going to be a real story. I think that you have been giving us some mighty good stories in the last year."

Probably most of the readers of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze—and there are more than a half million—read the opening chapters September 16 and the part printed last week. If you didn't do this, better look up these copies, and begin at the beginning. If these copies are not available, you will find a good synopsis at the start of the section printed in this issue. We hope you will read this story, as we think you will get much pleasure and profit from it.

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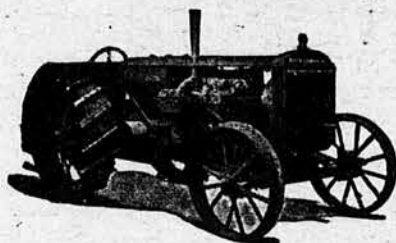
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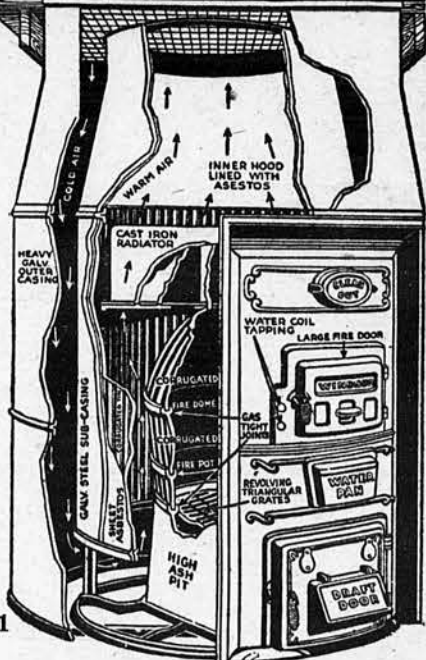
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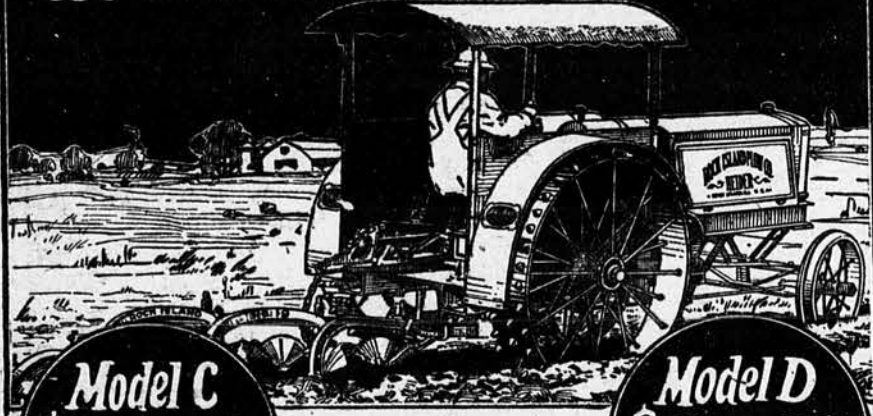
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Farm Organization Notes

BY RURAL CORRESPONDENTS

SELF feeders are growing in popularity with farmers in every part of Kansas and especially in Meade county. J. R. Graves, one of the progressive Meade county farmers reports to the Meade County Farm Bureau that he has built a self feeder for his hogs and has tried it out. He finds that now his hogs are doing better and require about half the time to care for them as formerly.

Yuma Equity Exchange Prosperous

The Equity exchange at Yuma, Colo., made a clear gain of nearly \$8,000 last year. Their volume of business was very nearly \$550,000 for the year. They have nearly \$40,000 capital and surplus. Loyal members and good management are accountable for the fine showing at Yuma.

Put on Pasture Experiment

The Cherokee County Farm Bureau and the Kansas State Agricultural College are co-operating to conduct a pasture fertilizer and variety test in that county. W. H. Shaffer, president of the bureau, has agreed to put out the test on his farm. There will be 50 plots in the demonstration field.

Get Markets by Radio

Nemaha county farmers are getting market news by radio thru a receiving station installed by E. L. McIntosh, county agent. Every noon complete reports of market conditions at Omaha and Kansas City are received. These are posted down town and are closely watched by farmers and business men.

Washington's Stock Judging Team

The Washington County Stock Judging Team placed ninth with 13 counties entered in the State Club Contest at the Topeka Fair. "This record," says John V. Hepler, the county agent, "is far from being first, yet the boys making the trip have profited by the experience and came home much better judges of livestock than they

were before. The work boys and girls receive in club projects is only a beginning, it is to the future we are looking. The object of club work is to make boys and girls of today better men and women of tomorrow."

Big National Farm Meeting

The semi-annual conference of the National Board of Farm Organizations has been changed from October 3-5 to October 11-13. This action was taken by the executive committee which met a few days ago. Several of the state farm organizations affiliated with the board are to hold their conventions prior to October 11, and it is believed that a more representative attendance will result in the change in the plan for holding the conference.

Charles F. Barrett, president of the National Farmers' Union is urging all farm organizations to send strong delegations to this meeting and a large attendance is expected.

Co-op Shipping Saved \$2,000

More than 300,000 pounds of hogs were shipped by the Greenwood County Co-operative Shipping Association in the first six months of its existence. Farmers in the county were saved more than \$2,000 on hogs shipped, according to members of the association. In addition a considerable saving was made on cattle handled by the association.

Shawnee Clubs Make Good Showing

All adult clubs under the direction of Mrs. Julia Kiene, Shawnee county home demonstration agent, have made out their programs of work and are following them. Mrs. Kiene reports that these clubs are proving the best work Shawnee county has yet done for the women. Members are regular in attendance and enjoy the social intercourse as well as obtaining educational value from the work done. Mrs. Kiene reports that junior club work also is coming along in good order.

Middle West Plains News

BY EARLE H. WHITMAN

COLORADO farmers will have a real treat this year in the short courses given during Farmers' Week early in December at the Colorado Agricultural College in Fort Collins. Lectures and demonstrations of a practical nature on farm subjects are to be given as a part of the week's program, which is being worked out in connection with the Colorado Farmers' Congress.

Heretofore that gathering has been in the nature of an open forum for the discussion of agricultural problems. This feature of the sessions will be confined to the afternoon meetings. The morning sessions are to be agricultural and home making schools for farmers and their wives. The instructional and demonstration work will be of a character to appeal to farm people from all sections of the state and under all conditions of climate and altitude.

Likes Sudan Grass Pasture

John Essig of Ashland, Clark county, Kan., says his Sudan grass has been a great help in filling the cream can this summer. He has pastured 12 cows on 10 acres most of the time, but dry weather recently compelled him to give the Sudan a rest and chance to catch up.

Best Time to Kill Grasshoppers

Meade county farmers are finding that one of the best times to kill grasshoppers is when the weather is dry. Harry Burgin, who lives 19 miles southwest of Meade, Kan., recently made a trip to the farm bureau office for poison, according to C. S. Meredith, county agent. Mr. Burgin had made a previous trip for poison

and has reported that he has found handfuls of dead grasshoppers under Russian thistles and many under the weeds in fields. G. W. Roberts of Merrill township and R. E. Roberts, his son, are ridding their farm of hoppers. They scattered about 500 pounds of the poison bran mash.

Wheat Makes 40 Bushels

A 30-acre field of Kanred wheat making a little more than 40 bushels to the acre has been reported to County Agent R. W. McCall of Clark county, Kan., by E. J. Gross of Englewood. Mr. Gross's entire 350 acres, composed of part Turkey and part Kanred, averaged almost 24 bushels to the acre.

Women Make Their Own Hats

The millinery exhibit recently held in the rest room of the Cloud County Bank at Concordia was a decided success, according to T. F. Yost, county agent. It consisted of 33 ladies' winter hats. The average cost of all of these hats was \$1.68. The actual average value of these hats is about \$10 each.

Several hats were made that had no actual cost to the highest priced one which cost \$4.50. Several very good hats were exhibited that had actually no outlay of cash in their making. All of the classes took a lively interest in the exhibit and assisted in making it really worth while and a decided success.

A great deal of interest has been shown in home millinery work, created by the work done in these classes. Each woman who made a hat is supposed to assist some other woman to make a hat.

The Wreckers

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Mr. Norcross let the three of them get out and away, and we heard their taxi speed up and trundle off before he said, "She is married, I'm told. Where is her husband?"

Mr. Chadwick looked up as if he'd already forgotten the three who had just crossed the lobby.

"Who—Sheila Macrae? Yes, she has been married. But there isn't any husband—she's a widow."

For quite a while the boss sat staring at his cigar in a way he has when he is thinking right hard, and Mr. Chadwick let him alone, being busy, I guess, with his own little scrap that lay just ahead of him in the coming directors' meeting. Then, all of a sudden, the boss got up and shoved his hands into his coat pockets.

"I've changed my mind, Uncle John," he said, looking sort of absent-like out of the window to where the major's taxi had been standing. "If you can pull me into that deal tomorrow morning—with an absolutely free hand to do as I think best, mind you—I'll take the job."

I was up bright and early the next morning, and after breakfast I took a walk down Nevada Avenue to look at our railroad. I knew after what the boss had said to Mr. Chadwick the night before that we weren't going to see Canada.

Plenty of Loose Ends

I'll have to admit that the look I got didn't make me feel as if we'd found a diamond. Down in the yards everything seemed to be at the loosest kind of loose ends. A switching crew was making up a freight, and the way the men slammed the boxes together, regardless of broken drawheads and the like, was a sin and a shame. Then I saw some grain cars with the ends started and the wheat running out along the track, and three or four more with the air hose hanging so it knocked along on the ties—and nobody caring a hoot.

There was a big repair shop on the other side of the yard tracks, and tho it was after seven o'clock, the men were still straggling over to go to work. Down at the round-house, a wiper was spotting a big freight-puller on the turn-table, and I'm blessed it he didn't actually run her forward pair of truck-wheels off the edge of the table, just as if it were all in the day's work.

I drifted back to the office headquarters, which were at the end of the passenger station and in a part of the same building, downstairs and up. A few clerks were dribbling in, and none seemed to have life enough to get out of the way of an ox-team. One fellow recognized me for a member of the big railroad family, I guess, for he stopped and asked me if I was looking for a job.

I told him I wasn't, and gave him a cigar—just on general principles. He took it, and right away he began to loosen up.

"If you should change your mind about the job, you just make it a case of 'move on, Joey,' and don't stay here and try to hit this agglomeration," he said.

"Why not?" I asked.

"It's a frost, I'm off of the Pennsy myself, and I'm ashamed to look in the looking-glass since I came out here. The P. S. L. isn't a railroad; it's just taking a bluff at being one. Besides, we're slated to have a new general manager, and if he's any good he'll fire the last living man of us."

"Maybe, if I change my mind, I might get a job with the new man," I said. "Who is he?"

"Search me! I don't believe they've found anybody yet. The big people from New York are all here now, and maybe they'll pick somebody before they go away. If I had the nerve of a rabbit, I'd take the next train back for Pittsburgh."

"What's your job?" I quizzed.

He grinned at me good-naturedly. "You wouldn't think it to look at me, but I'm head stenographer in the general super's office."

"You haven't got much of a boss, if he can't command any more loyalty than you are giving him," I offered; and at that he spat on the platform and made a face like a kid that had been taking a dose of asafetida.

"Yah!" he snorted. "We haven't a man in the outfit, on any job where the pay amounts to anything, that isn't somebody's cousin or nephew or brother-in-law or something. They shoot 'em out here from New York in bunches. You may be a spotter, for all I know, but I don't care, I'm quitting at the end of the month, anyhow—if I don't get fired this side of that."

I grinned; I couldn't help it.

"Tell me," I broke in, "are there many more like you in the Pioneer Short Line service?"

"Scads of 'em," he retorted cheerfully. "I can round you up a couple of dozen fellows right here at headquarters who would go on a bat and paint this town a bright vermilion if the new G. M., whoever he is going to be, would clean out the whole rookery, cousins, nephews and all."

"I think I'll have to take your name," I told him, fishing out a pencil and a note-book—just to see what he would do.

"Huh! so you are a spotter, after all, are you? All right, Mr. Spotter. My name's May, Frederic G. May. And when you want my head, you can find it just exactly where I told you—in the general super's office. You're a stranger and you took me in. So long."

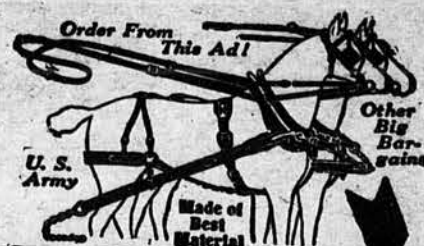
Wouldn't that jar you? A man out of the general offices talking that way about his road and his own boss? I couldn't help seeing how rotten the thing must be if it smelled, that way

to all of the men on its own pay-rolls.

After a while, after I'd loafed thru the shops and around the yard and got a few more whiffs of the decay, I strolled on back to the hotel. Seen by daylight, Portal City seemed to be a right bright little burg, with a cut-stone postoffice and a new courthouse built out of pink lava, and three or four office buildings big enough to be called skyscrapers anywhere outside of a real-city like Portland or Seattle. The streets were paved, and on the main one, Nevada Avenue, there was plenty of business.

There wasn't much of a crowd in the hotel lobby, and as I didn't see anything of Mr. Norcross or Mr. Chadwick, I sat down in a corner to wear out some more time. Tho it was now after nine o'clock, there were still a good many people in the cafe.

I was wondering a little what had become of the boss—who was generally the earliest riser on the job—when two men came bulging thru the screen doors of the cafe, picking their teeth and feeling in their pockets for cigars. Right on the dot, and in the face of knowing that it couldn't reasonably be so, I had a feeling that I'd seen those men before. One was short and rather stocky, and his face had a sort of hard, hungry look; and the other was big and barrel-bodied. The short one was clean-shaven, but the other had a reddish-gray beard clipped close on his fat jaws and trimmed to a point at the chin.



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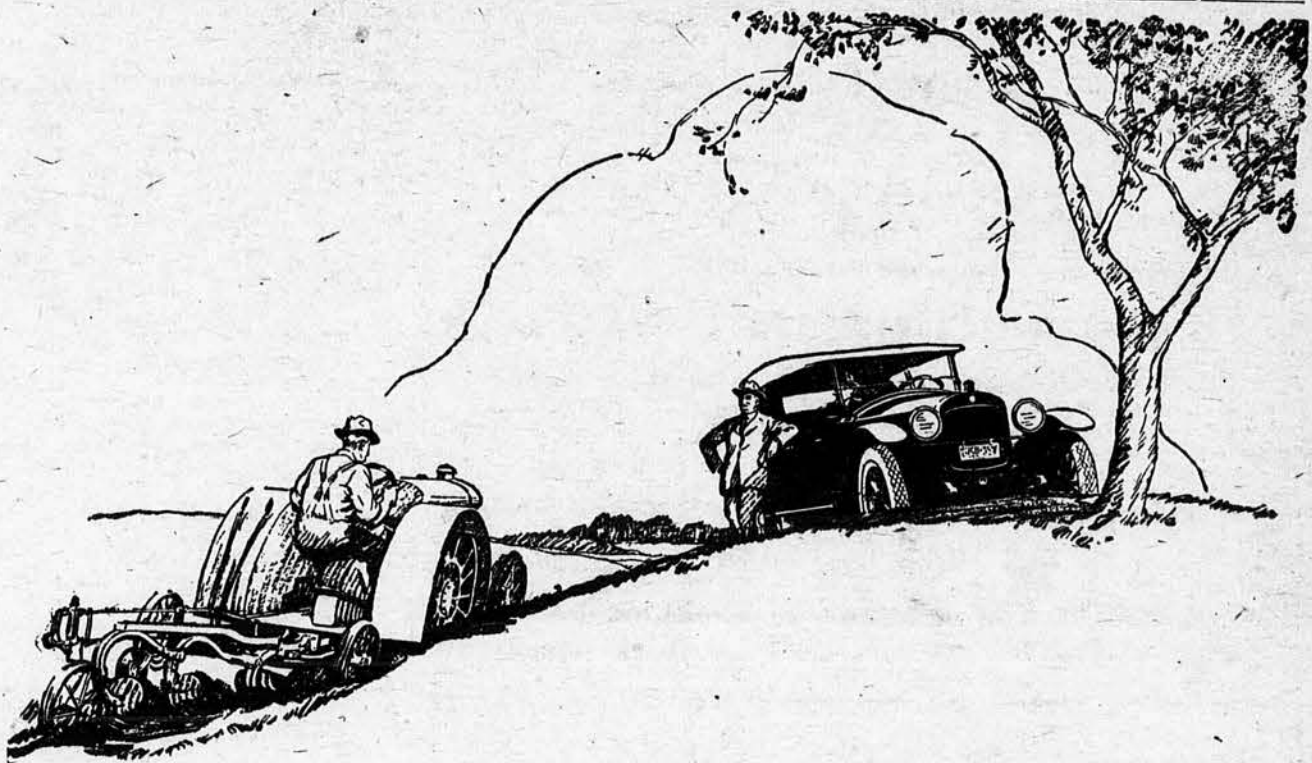
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After they had lighted up they came along and sat down three or four chairs away from me. They paid no attention to me, but for fear they might, I tried to look as sleepy as an all-night bell-hop in a busy hotel.

Some Real News

"The Dunton bunch got together in one of the committee rooms upstairs a little after 8 o'clock," said the short man, in a low, rasping voice that went thru you like a buzz-saw, and it was evident that he was merely going on with a talk which had been begun over the breakfast-table. "Thanks to those infernal blunders Clannahan sent us last night, Chadwick was with them."

"I think that was choost so," said the big man, speaking slowly and with something more than a hint of a German accent. "Beckler was choost what you call him—a tam blunderer."

Like a flash it came over me that I was "listening in" to a talk between the same two men who had sat in the automobile at Sand Creek Siding and smoked while they were waiting for the actual kidnapers to return. I made myself mighty small and unobtrusive.

After a while the big man spoke again.

"What has Uncle Chon Chadwick up his sleeve got, do you think?"

"I don't think—I know!" was the snappy reply. "It's one of two things: a receivership—which will knock us into a cocked hat because we can't fool with an officer of the United States court—or a new deal all around in the management."

"Vich of the two will it be that will come out of that commiddee room upstairs?"

"A new management. Dunton can't stand for a receivership, and Chadwick knows it. Apart from the fact that a court officer would turn up a lot of side deals that wouldn't look well for the New York crowd if they got into the newspapers, the securities would be knocked out and the majority holders—Dunton and his bunch—couldn't unload. Chadwick has got him by the neck and can dictate his own terms."

"Vich will be?"

A New General Manager?

"That he will name the man who is to take Shaffer's place as general manager of the railroad outfit. We might have stood it off for a while, just as I said yesterday, if we could have kept Chadwick from attending this meeting."

"But now we don't could stand it off—what then?"

"We'll have to wait and see, and size up the new man when he blows in. He'll be only human, Henkel. And if we get right down to it we can pull him over to our side—or make him wish he'd never been born."

The big man got up ponderously and brushed the cigar ashes off his bay-window. "You wait and see what comes mit the commiddee-room out. I go up to the ovvice."

When I was left alone in the row of lobby chairs with the snappy one I was scared stiff for fear, now that he didn't have anything else to think of, he'd catch on to the fact that I might have overheard. But apart from giving me one long stare that made my blood run cold, he didn't seem to notice me much, and after a little he got up and went to sit on the other side of the big rotunda where he could watch the elevators.

I guess he had lots of patience, for I

had to have. It was after eleven o'clock, and I had been sitting in my corner for two full hours, when I saw the boss coming down the broad marble stair with Mr. Chadwick. I don't think the Hatch man saw them, or, if he did, he didn't let on.

Mr. Norcross held up a finger for me, and when I jumped up he gave me a sheet of paper; a Pioneer Short Line president's letter-head with a few lines written on it with a pen and a sort of crazy-looking signature under them.

"Take that to the Mountaineer job office and have five hundred of them printed," was the boss's order. "Tell the foreman it's a rush job and we want it to-day. Then make a copy and take it to Mr. Cantrell, the editor, and ask him to run it in to-morrow's paper as an item of news, if he feels like it. When you are thru, come down to Mr. Chadwick's car."

Since the thing was going to be published, and I was going to make a copy of it, I didn't scruple to read it as I hurried out to begin a hunt for the Mountaineer office. It was the printer's copy for an official circular, dated at Portal City and addressed to all officers and employees of the Pioneer Short Line. It read:

Effective at once, Mr. Graham Norcross is appointed General Manager of the Pioneer Short Line System, with headquarters at Portal City, and his orders will be respected accordingly.

BRECKENRIDGE DUNTON, President.

We had got our jolt, all right; and leaving the ladder and the Friday start out of the question, I grinned and told myself that the one other thing that counted for most was the fact that Mrs. Sheila Macrae was a widow.

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Change the Style in Farming

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There are more than 22 breeders of purebred beef cattle in the county and the number is being increased every year. Other farmers are taking up dairy cattle. Hogs are multiplying on many farms and they are much better hogs than those grown a dozen years ago. Likewise purebred poultry is increasing in number and annually is adding many thousands of dollars to the farmers' income.

Farmers Build Large Pavilion

So marked has been the development of purebred livestock and so widespread the interest in it, that Decatur county breeders a year ago financed and erected one of the best livestock sales pavilions in the state at Oberlin. It cost around \$25,000 and breeders and farmers footed two-thirds of the bill.

The barn, in connection with the sales pavilion, is 64 by 80 feet in size and has stall room for 70 head of cattle. The auditorium is 70 by 90 feet in size and is equipped with opera chairs. It will seat several hundred persons. The sales ring is in the pit of the amphitheater and there is an unobstructed view from every seat. The building has rest rooms for both men and women. It is used for livestock sales, public meetings, entertainments and school affairs.

Decatur county is right at the top in the better bull campaign being conducted in Kansas. It is getting rid of scrub sires by the wholesale and that promises much for the future.

There's going to be a lot of fun in Ireland when they try to pass a soldiers' bonus bill.

Hauling Costs in Kansas

BY FRANK A. MECKEL

DATA on the cost of hauling by teams and wagons in 1906 and 1918 as compared to the cost of hauling by motor truck in 1918 show that the motor truck has a very sound excuse for its existence.

In 1906, wagons were hauling over an average of 8.7 miles, and making 1.4 round trips a day. They were hauling average loads of 39 bushels of unshelled corn and 52 bushels of wheat at a load, and it was costing 17 cents a ton-mile to haul the corn and 16 cents to haul the wheat.

In 1918 the wagons were traveling 7.9 miles a trip and making an average of 1.5 round trips. They were hauling 42 bushels of unshelled corn and 57 bushels of wheat to the load and it was costing 33 cents a ton-mile to haul the corn and 29 cents to haul the wheat.

In 1918, motor trucks were hauling loads over an average of 10.1 miles a trip and making 3.8 round trips a day. They were hauling loads of 54 bushels of unshelled corn and 84 bushels of wheat at a ton-mile cost of 18 cents for the corn and 14 cents for the wheat.

This should leave no doubt in the mind of anyone as to the economy and utility of motor truck hauling, especially in view of the tremendous road improvement programs.

Wheat Prices Should Rise

With Potential World Demand Exceeding Prospective Supply an Early Increase Would be Justified

THAT the price of wheat will advance, perhaps materially, before the next harvest, is indicated by a number of factors affecting the world markets. Normally, wheat prices stiffen during the winter and spring as surpluses become smaller.

Of course, it is impossible to predict with certainty what will happen to wheat prices because too many elements are involved, but by a study of conditions throught the world some idea may be gained as to what may be expected.

263 Million Bushels for Export

On the basis of recent statistics it appears that the United States will be able to export about the same quantity of wheat as last year, or around 263 million bushels. The 1921 wheat crop probably was underestimated and on the estimated yield for 1922 it would be safer to say that the United States will have about 215 million bushels for export.

Indications are that Canada will have upwards of 250 million bushels of wheat for export, Argentina 100 million bushels, Australia more than 60 million bushels, India 25 million and other exporting countries about 20 million bushels. This would make a total surplus of about 675 million bushels of wheat in the world available for export.

Wheat production this year in the United States, Canada, India, Algeria, Tunis, Morocco and Japan is indicated as 1,549 million bushels as against 1,440 million bushels in 1921, an increase of 109 million bushels. But in 14 European countries production is estimated at 892 million bushels this year as compared with 1,006 million bushels last year.

An average or slightly below average yield is forecast in Europe, the decline being about 1 bushel an acre. Europe usually grows wheat on 100 million acres, so the total decrease in production would be around 100 million bushels.

These facts would indicate that Europe probably will be in the market for 100 million more bushels of wheat than was purchased in 1921. On the other hand the Far East has better crops than a year ago and probably will import less wheat. However, it is conservatively estimated that imports of wheat in 1922 will increase from 50 to 100 million bushels over imports in 1921, when approximately 645 million bushels were imported by various nations. On this basis total imports in 1922 would be around 700 to 750 million bushels. It probably would be fairly safe to estimate them at around 675 million bushels which is virtually the same as the exportable surpluses of the various producing countries.

This close approximation of supply to demand should mean much firmer prices for wheat during the coming nine or 10 months. There is a very good chance, also, that demand may be heavier than this lowest estimate and if so it would have an immediate stimulating effect on prices. On the other hand, it is possible that some estimates may be too low and more wheat than is figured would be available for export.

Higher Prices for Wheat Coming

It seems that most of the evidence available is in favor of increased prices for wheat of the 1922 crop. Many farmers are convinced of this fact and are holding their grain. It is reliably reported that the sale of storage equipment, bins and material for erecting granaries has been heavy in recent weeks. If wheat is generally held in producing sections this also will have a stimulating effect on prices.

The opinion is general that the present price of wheat is much too low in view of world conditions. The facts are that the farmer, unless it is unavoidable, really cannot afford to sell at present levels. He is almost certain to get enough more for his wheat, if he holds it several months, to pay for handling, storage, shrinkage and perhaps a margin in addition. It would seem to be a pretty good bet to hold back wheat and feed it to the market in small volume. There is danger, as a result of the railroad strike and resulting car shortage, that the market may be flooded when transportation

again becomes normal. Farmers well may seek to avoid that situation because if much wheat is dumped prices will go still lower. Withholding of a large part of the 1922 crop from market not only will avoid such an occurrence but will tend to stiffen the price and make it more in keeping with the world situation which would justify considerably higher prices for the grain than are being offered to farmers.

A Farm Loan Increase

The American Farm Bureau Federation is urging Congress to amend the Federal Land Bank act so as to provide that the maximum farm loan may be increased from \$10,000 to \$25,000. From the viewpoint of the Middle West states, which produce approximately 80 per cent of the food

of the Nation, it is essential that \$10,000 be increased to \$25,000, or even entirely eliminated, leaving the maximum amount of a farm loan to the discretion of the board. Senator Arthur Capper and Congressman L. J. Dickinson, of Iowa, heads of the farm bloc in the Senate and House respectively, are preparing a bill to provide for the increase in federal farm loans. The American Farm Bureau Federation hopes to see action on this important bill before January 1.

The Cover This Week

The cover this week shows three pictures of the livestock of the animal husbandry department of the Kansas State Agricultural College: sheep, Hereford cattle and a group of Hereford and Shorthorn cattle and draft horses. There was a story regarding the excellent work being done by this department in the issue of September 16.

While Switzerland is importing "Swiss" cheese from the United States, it'll be a long time before the folks up around the Arctic Circle will be asking us for a consignment of "Eskimo pie."

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32x4 "	29.15	24.35	22.45	20.85	—
33x4 "	30.05	25.55	23.65	21.95	—
34x4 "	30.85	26.05	24.15	22.40	—
32x4½ "	37.70	31.95	30.05	—	—
33x4½ "	38.55	33.00	31.05	—	—
34x4½ "	39.50	34.00	32.05	—	—
35x4½ "	40.70	35.65	33.55	—	—
36x4½ "	41.55	36.15	34.00	—	—
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—EDITOR—

Oddities Seen at the Kansas State Fair Held in Hutchinson, September 16 to 22

WHEN you passed thru the Liberal Arts building did you stop to examine the crazy quilt that won the blue ribbon? It was made, of course, of odds and ends of silk, satin and velvet put together with beautiful stitches made of twisted embroidery floss and fine chenille, two threads we seldom see any more.

At the first glance the center of this quilt looks like that of any other crazy quilt only that it has a big fluffy bow. On investigation one finds this bow is holding the four corners of a pocket which when opened reveals the head of a beautiful woman hand painted on silk bolting cloth. The corners of the pocket are satin lined and every one has a different painting on it. One corner has a face made of applique satin with the lips, nostrils, eyes, eyelashes and eyebrows done in embroidery stitches so fine and so perfect that from a distance one thinks the head is painted. The hair, however, is hand painted.

Mystery pockets are to be found at every one of the four corners of the quilt. One of these pockets can be folded so that it shows five separate scenes. Mallard ducks flying over a pond filled with water lilies and a beautiful Iris swaying above flowers of smaller stems show exquisite color work. An hour would not be too much time to devote to the study of this very unusual piece of handwork.

Coverlet Made in 1838 Displayed

Did you pay particular attention to the coverlets? The most interesting thing to me was the difference between the hand loom and the power loom designs. Those that were hand spun and hand woven were of simple conventional pattern, unassuming and restful. Evidently when power looms made their appearance people welcomed the opportunity of using big, bold complicated designs. One coverlet bearing the date 1838 was especially interesting because of the fine quality of the weaving.

That nursery spread, did you see it? Tiny Barred Rock chickens of blue and white checked gingham applique, every chicken wearing a cunning hat, gay game cocks, sunbonnet babies watering flowers, little folks going to Sunday School, apple trees, and overall clad boys formed the border. A house from the chimney of which smoke was flying, a yard with fancy fencing made of perfect stitches formed the center. It would be easy to weave bed time stories with such a quilt as that for the kiddies to watch.

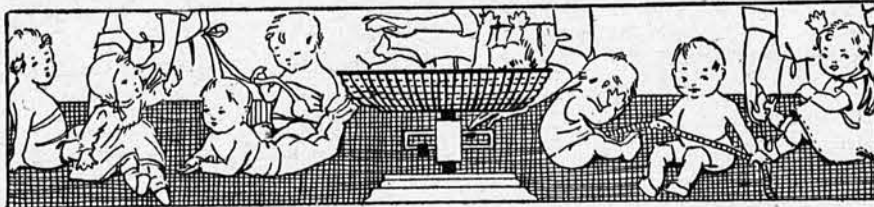
Seen in the Culinary Department

Records were broken in the culinary department this year for there were 1,200 entries. That means all pastries in common use,



age, butter, cheese, canned fruit, dried fruit—in fact everything in the food line that can be shipped to a fair. Best of all was the counter displaying the work of the children. Perhaps the candies were the best but that is to be expected for frequently mothers permit the girls to make candy when cake, cookies or bread making is neglected. Mrs. Kelsey, in charge, hopes to see the girls making more entries next year.

Grass bouquets are still in vogue. Beautiful baskets of sunflowers and golden rods combined with tall, graceful grasses showed what one can do by making the best of what she has.



BABIES, babies, babies! Two hundred and fifty of them were scheduled weeks and weeks ago for a trip thru the better baby building. Because of the foresight of Dr. Richmond, in charge of the better baby movement, there is no time lost in handling the babies during the fair. As soon as the fair books are out the entries are made.

This means that babies from both the rural, small town and city districts are given their place on the card. The parents make application for an appointment and they immediately receive notice of the hour and the day on which their child will pass thru the hands of the specialists.

Five specialists—Hutchinson physicians—are kept busy from 9 to 12 a. m. and from 1 to 4 p. m. Appointments are scheduled 5 minutes apart so there is no loss of time in running the babies thru.

There are two classes, one for city boys and girls and one for rural boys and girls. In each there are four subdivisions based on the child's age. Three prizes are offered in each class.

When the parent finishes the trip thru the booths he is in possession of a score card which tells the physical condition of the baby. From this one can tell what defects are present and it is not a difficult matter to set the child on the road to good health.

Colorful coxcomb attracted the attention of many lovers of fall flowers.

Collections of Old Time Handicraft

It was a treat to examine the beaded bag made 101 years ago by Sarah Thomas of Wheeling, W. Va. Students of art say such work as this, which was done by Sarah at the age of 12, is very rare.

One could not help but compare the present day style of kitchen work aprons with that of the child's apron made 100 years ago in Ireland. Even the closest scrutiny made it difficult to tell the stitches were put in by hand so closely did they resemble machine sewing.

A doily made of bobbin lace and almost perfect in its evenness was made 100 years ago by a blind woman.

Evidently 125 years ago the color rage in Denmark was the same as it is today for a plate bearing that age was decorated with a broad orange band edged in hair lines of black.

Old Trunk Resembles Hat Box

Our hat boxes of today are very much like the little trunk purchased by a woman in Philadelphia during the Revolutionary War. Colorful paper lined the box and genuine leather covered it. The trunk is fastened with a unique lock and a small handle resting in the center of the top offers a means for carrying it about.

A hand carved, dull gold finish mirror frame made in Ireland in 1735 bore the valuation mark of \$600.

One single candle stick and one pair of candle sticks served as spreaders of light 100 years ago.

Square tureens with heavy lids were once common but we see few of them nowadays. One of these rare old pieces of china attended the fair this year at the age of 110. It belongs in the family of Dr. Wasson.

What Our Grandfathers Read

There were some very aged books on display. Did you see that one published 300 years ago? It is an old doctor book called "Curious Pieces of Secrets." In it are described diseases but no names are given. However we recognize them today as being lockjaw, measles, whooping cough and scarlet fever. Mrs. A. S. Hale of Downs, Kan., owns the book which was written by Noah Briggs.

Another interesting book now in the possession of Georgiana Norris of Hutchinson, is 99 years old. It belonged to her great, great grandfather who was a Methodist minister circuit

rider. The book is a commentary on the Bible written by Adam Clark.

A copper dipper which saw service in Alsace 150 years ago and a huge silver spoon that started its career 125 years ago in the same county were on display. Mrs. Dr. McKeown is the proud possessor of these two antiques.

Did you see the ball of flax that was spun 80 years ago, the beaded cape worn by Mrs. Delia Gould-Ray in the year 1861, the 90-year-old cap and the 75-year-old black shawl entered by Mrs. N. M. Clarke of Hutchinson?

Relic of Pioneer Days

Mrs. Ida Allen showed a knife, and the steel on which it was sharpened, with which her father, Peter Hoffman, skinned buffalo in 1870. Mrs. Allen also showed a comfort which is filled with the fine hair of the fore-tops of buffalo her father skinned.

Two letters written before the time of stamps bear the address, Mr. Richard Jones, Athens, Athens County, State of Ohio, United States, America. Not much chance for the letter to go astray with an address like that. The letters are post marked Cowbridge, 1842 and 1844. Each letter is numbered, one being No. 4 and the other No. 13.

A five sided tea warmer of filigree silver 100 years old was on display. Charcoal placed in the center of the container over which is fitted a lid furnishes the fuel for warming the tea.

Dads Enjoy Fashion Show

Fashions for dad were not displayed at the style show, but nevertheless there were a good many dads there every day at 10:30 and 4. Throngs of women listened with interest to the educational lecture given by Louise Glanton, head of the clothing and textile department at the Kansas State Agricultural College.

The theme of Miss Glanton's lecture was color and line as applied to the individual. Models wore dresses, suits and sport outfits to bring out more clearly the points of the lecture.

At every show there was displayed a Paris gown made in 1850. This was silk rep in a blue-violet hue quite similar to our present day periwinkle. This gown was made with a tight fitting bodice, rather full skirt and long train. Its only decorative feature was a velvet cap edged with lace over each shoulder, and a velvet belt.

In contrast to this costume there was shown a brown taffeta dress made in 1876. Tight bodice, extremely full skirt and long train were the pre-

dominating styles at that time. For decorative features the designer depended entirely on ruffles, there being six different kinds on this dress.

After seeing these cumbersome costumes the present day sane and sensible styles were very much appreciated. Beautiful afternoon dresses, business and dress suits and coats were worn by professional models and the listeners were told the advantages of certain materials and the advisability of choosing the costume to fit the needs of the individual.

Some Interesting Comparisons

Miss Beulah Helstrom of McPherson, who has just returned from abroad wore a Bavarian costume which she had purchased in Bavaria. This was of a figured all wool challis, full skirt and black velvet bodice. A head dress of red silk braid was worn with this costume.

A Paris afternoon gown made of a beautiful shade of green with a blocked conventional design trimmed with bands of black crepe was another one of Miss Helstrom's costumes.

While in Edinburgh Miss Helstrom purchased a business suit of real Scotch tweed and with this she wore a brown turban purchased in Paris. Seeing the Paris gown of 1850 and the Paris gown of 1922 as well as the American costumes of 1850 and 1922 made the style show unusually interesting.

How Much Food Should We Can?

Boys' and girls' club work in charge of R. W. Morrish, is always an interesting feature of the Kansas State Fair program. This year the exhibits



made the careful observer realize the practicability of club work. Beside the canning, bread making and sewing demonstrations which were going on all day long, there were the exhibits in the Industrial building.

In the first, second and third year sewing clubs the girls are learning not only the handling of the needle, thimble and scissors, but also the fundamentals of costume design and color design.

Plans Made for Winter Meals

The preservation of sufficient food to supply an individual with the right nourishment during the nine non-producing months received special attention this year. That means that 100 quarts of fruit and vegetables must be put away for every individual in the family. Canning, drying and cure storage are the three ways of making ourselves sure of enough of the right kind of food for nine months.

There was an unusual display of the commercial department of the Reno County High School. Perhaps the most striking piece of work was that of Ena Leslie. Miss Leslie had made Shakespeare's "A Harmless and Necessary Cat," in dollar signs. This along with the work of another student who had made in dollar signs, the letters Y. W. C. A. in the triangle attracted a great deal of attention. All of the departments of this interesting high school were represented.

Farm Home News

BY MRS. DORA L. THOMPSON

One might think most of the hard work on the farm would be done by the first of September. Such has not been the case here this year. Most of the farmers stacked their grain. They have thought it advisable, in many instances, to thresh and fill silos with the same crew of men. Consequently, many of us have cooked for crews of men when the thermometer was ranging around 100 degrees.

We learned that we accomplished most with the least effort if we arose early to bake pies, fry or stew chicken and to do such cooking as requires considerable heat.

For this work we have had an abundance of fruit but a lack of crisp, fresh vegetables. Gardens have suffered as a result of the heat and drought. A late garden, planted in a low, shady spot would often meet such a need as that of the cook for silo fillers. We are likely to strive earnestly to get early vegetables. The need for late ones is as great.

Plan for Winter and Spring Flowers

August is said to be the best month in which to plant peonies. We could have done little good had we set any during that month this year. Now, that we have had rain, we plan to divide some roots and to set them where the plants are wanted.

It is said that it requires three years for such plants to get established. That being the case, we should not wish to move them often.

Winter Vegetables

A pot of parsley is not only ornamental but also is useful. This may well be set out now from the row in the garden.

A box filled with sand and placed in the cellar makes a good place in which to store beets, carrots and turnips. Many beets have become too woody to be good but many are small and tender. Such vegetables are prone to dry and wilt if allowed to stay in piles in the cellar.

Grape Juice in Bottles

A capable canner who once before found she had more fruit than cans says she tried storing grape juice in bottles. Some of the bottles were clear glass and some were brown glass. It was a very evident fact that the juice in the brown bottles kept its color and flavor better than that in the clear glass. This canner takes great care not to over-heat the fruit when cooking it to extract the juice. She doesn't press it thru a colander either until the juice has drained off. Then she uses the pulp for grape butter.

Bottles are brought to the boiling point in water and emptied as needed to receive the hot grape juice. Bottles filled with juice are set in boiling water, but not really boiled, for an hour. Corks are inserted and sealing wax is poured around the corks.

Pears for Canning

In our work with pears, we have found it advisable to pick them when one can just dent them with finger pressure. They must then be kept covered a week to be made ready for canning. We think we pare them easier if we cut them in quarters first. For our own use, we make a rich sirup and add a few cloves, minus the dark end of the spice.

Women's Service Corner

Send all questions to the Women's Service Editor, Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze, Topeka, Kan. Give name and address. No names will be printed.

Cold Water Preserves Lemons

How can I keep lemons from drying?—Mrs. W. G.
Place the lemons in a glass jar and cover them with cold water. If you change the water frequently the lemons will keep almost indefinitely.

Oatmeal Removes Tan

How do you remove tan with oatmeal?—D. T.
Put a small amount of oatmeal into a cheese cloth bag. Dip the bag in tepid soft water and rub it on your face with an outward circular motion.

Following this treatment cleanse the face with a good cold cream. There are several toilet preparations on the market that are especially good for removing tan. If you will send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope I will give you the names of them.

Grease Spots on Silk

There is a grease spot on a silk dress of mine and I would like to have you tell me how to remove it.—H. C. N.

Put French chalk on the spot. Place over it a piece of clean blotting paper or ordinary brown wrapping paper. Iron over this with a medium hot iron. The chalk and the paper will absorb the grease as the heat from the iron melts it. Brush the chalk from the spot with a stiff brush.

Orange Bread Pudding

Have you a recipe for orange bread pudding?—Mrs. H. W.

This recipe for orange bread pudding has been tested.

1/2 cup stale bread crumbs	1/2 cup orange juice
Grated peel 1 orange	1/4 cup milk
1/2 teaspoon lemon juice	3 tablespoons sugar
	1 egg

Soak bread in milk. Add orange juice, lemon juice, sugar and egg yolk. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven. This may be served with a pudding sauce flavored with orange juice.

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1386—Women's Jumper Blouse. Sizes 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 1/4 yards 36-inch material with 5/8 yard 36-inch contrasting.
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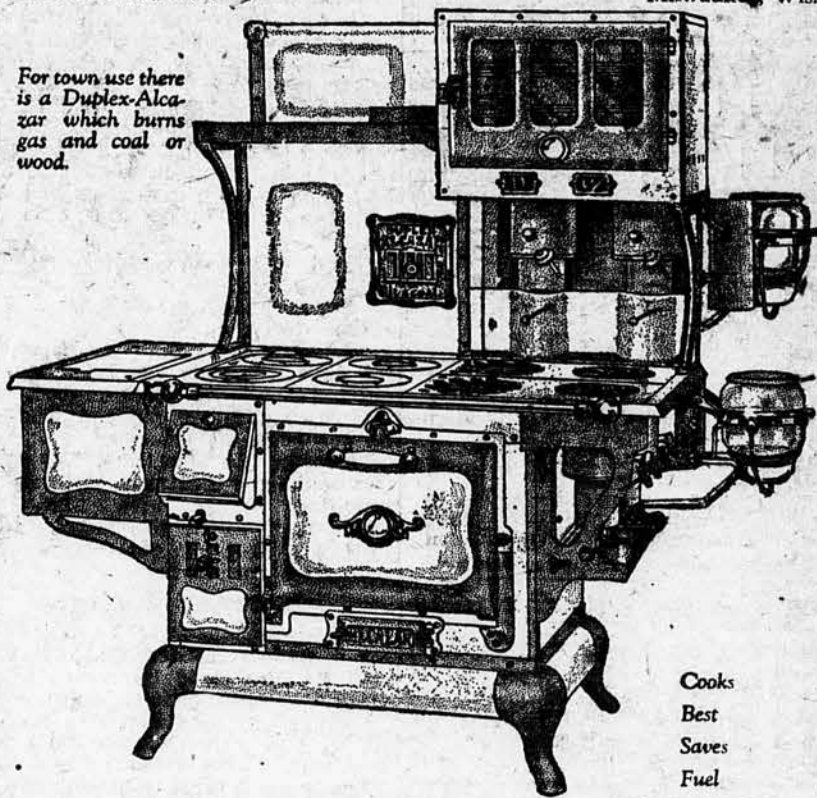
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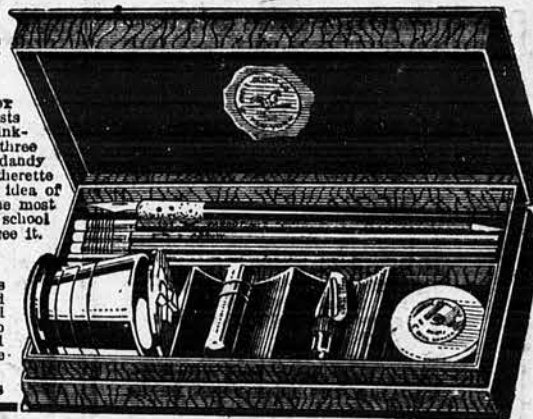
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- Last year it far outstripped all other farm publications for Kansas in the amount of letters and other editorial matter written by farmers, and also in news of county farm bureaus.

It Pays to Read
The Real Farm Paper of Kansas

For Our Young Readers

Those Inquisitive Quigley Twins. An Insect Chat

BY HARRIETTE WILBUR

GRASSHOPPERS like September," observed Betty one sunny afternoon when she and her twin, Billy, were out helping Uncle George "bug catch," as they called this combined work and pleasure.

Betty didn't do much more than tag along however. She was quite content to do just this, leaving the working of the net to the two men-folks. But she was as much interested as the other two in regard to what was going on in the field. One thing she noticed was that every time anybody stepped several grasshoppers would be stirred up, pattering away over the dry grass for a surprisingly long distance and squatting again until disturbed once more.

The Fable of the Grasshopper

"You made a wise remark just then, Bettykin," replied her Uncle. "The poets of all countries in all ages have made the same observation, in their own way of course, by noting the insect's love for heat, sunshine and drouth, such as we get in early fall. You know the fable of the grasshopper that sang and danced all summer but which, when winter came, had to beg food of the ant that had been working hard during the same summer?"

"And he didn't get anything!" piped up Billy.

"No, and why should he? But the fable always seems to describe the grasshopper most truly in September, for then, when so many animals are putting in winter stores of food, he is the same carefree piper and dancer he has been all summer."

Billy, in the meantime, had caught one of the gay creatures, and was commanding it to give him some "molasses," which the insect did by letting a drop of dark brown fluid ooze from its mouth.

A Weapon of Defense

"The grasshopper really intends that for a weapon of defense, hoping you will let him go if he makes himself disagreeable," explained Uncle George.

"He is a pretty thing, isn't he?" said Betty, and with good reason, for the insect was of a general grass-green color, marked with a brown stripe on the head and upper back. The gauzy wings so neatly folded over his back were like green mosquito netting when Uncle George clapped his magnifying glass over them.

"By the way, this is the common meadow grasshopper, kiddies, always pays.

most common in September. That is because during the summer a crop of young grasshoppers is growing up, and by September they are ready for a month or two of frolic before Jack Frost gets them.

"Then how can there be any in the spring?" wondered Betty.

"Because the mother 'hoppers' lay their eggs during the fall in little pods like paper bags full of peanuts, a pod to every mother. The mother digs a hole in the ground with her sharp tail and leaves the pod there for the spring sun to hatch. The little hoppers come from the egg without wings, work their way out of the ground and take care of themselves. Several times during the summer, as they grow too large for their jackets, they shed them, the wings gradually growing longer with every change of skin. Perhaps you'd like to see how the grasshopper makes his music?"

How the Insect Makes Music

And could you guess where the insect carries his voice? Then peep over the children's shoulders while Uncle George shows them thru the magnifying glass a little glassy spot on each wing cover where they overlap. When these are rubbed together they produce the grasshopper's shrill piping.

From Our Letter Writers

I am 7 years old. I like to read the letters from the boys and girls. I go to Sister school. We always have lots of fun. I am in the second grade. I have a brother, Ferdie, who also goes to school. Last week we got a baby Holstein calf. It is so cute! Last year I had a young dog and one day when mamma was washing he went to the line and tore down some of mamma's nice clothes. I have two brothers and two sisters. I hope some more little boys and girls will write letters.

Paxico, Kan. Edna Guth.

Roany is a Calf

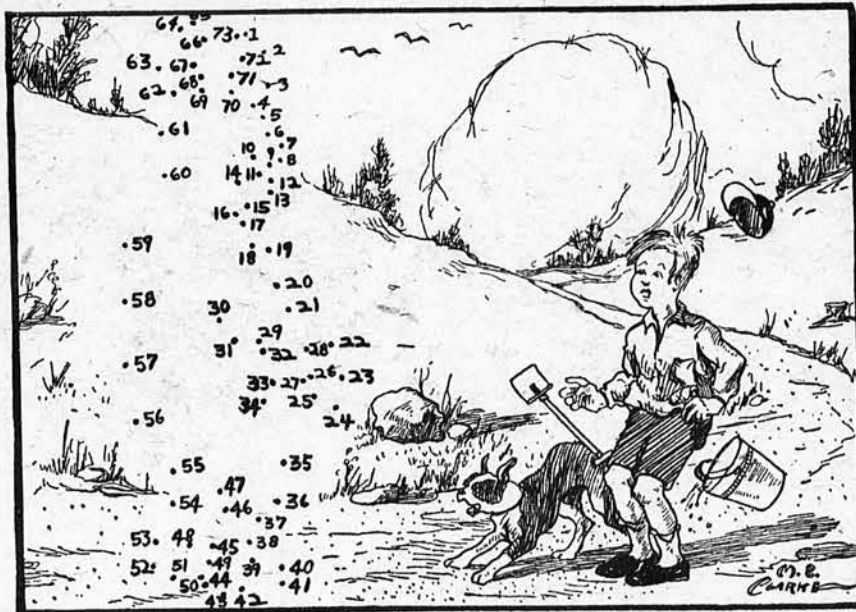
I live 6 miles from Springfield. I am 11 years old. I have three sisters and two brothers. I am in the fourth grade at school. My calf's name is Roany. We have a little white dog named Snooks. He scratches on the door when he wants in.

Pearl Oxenreider.

Springfield, Colo.

It isn't easy to apologize—but it

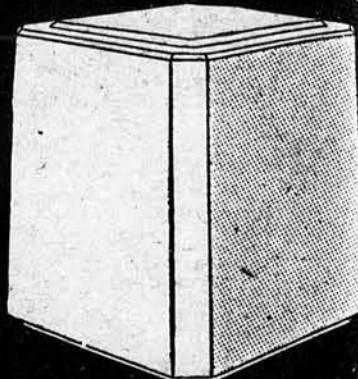
When Bobby Goes A-Fishing



Bobby took his dog and a bucket of bait and started fishing one day. But something frightened him and he dropped the bucket and ran home as fast as his legs could carry him. What was it that frightened him? If you follow the numbers in the picture with your pencil you will find the answer. Send it to the Puzzle Editor, the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze, Topeka, Kan. There will be a package of postcards each for the first 10 boys and girls answering correctly.

Solution September 2 puzzle (Name the Presidents:) Lincoln, Garfield, Grant, Roosevelt, Taft, Harrison, Jackson and Monroe. The winners are Madara Hale, Adolphine Brungardt, Rose Philipp, Clara Hough, Floyd Mayer, Margaret Liebsh, Violet Wernet, Dean Stevens, Helen Yergler and Eunice Starks.

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BY RACHEL ANN NEISWENDER
Club Manager

WHEN you start off for school these mornings do you feel that Jack Frost is lurking just around the corner somewhere, ready to bite your fingers and toes? School work seems to be progressing nicely, at least everyone is busily engaged in learning all about "Reading and Writing and Arithmetic" and club work is being done in a creditable manner. It won't be long until Thanksgiving, and then it won't be long until Christmas, which is a gentle way I have of reminding you that it won't be long now until this contest of ours will be a thing of the past. You know how much worry and hurry there'll be at the very last minute, so I'm going to ask you to check up on your reports. Be sure that all your reports have been sent in. If you do not have blanks, please let me know about it, and I'll send you some. County leaders, be sure all your reports are in.

How the Teams Stand

I know you're eager to see just how your county team is standing. It makes me think of the races we watched at the fair this fall. Do you remember how thrilling it was to see the horses start, all together? And then it was thrilling to see how they ran and ran. Sometimes a horse well in the rear suddenly would put forth reserve speed and overtake those ahead. We couldn't tell until the very last who would win. And just as the horses came down the track on the final stretch, do you remember how we held our breath for a moment, and then burst into a rousing cheer as the winner crossed the line? Our race is much like that, and I'm so thrilled that I feel like standing up and cheering all of you on. I'm eager to see who wins, and to every county club I say: Put forth your best effort now. Here are the points up to September 1:

Osgood, Vera Smith	486.2
Cloud, Claire Jamison	391
Rooks, Ester Evans	345
Linn, Elsie Morrell	341.65
Morris, Annie Laurie Edwards	306.2
Finney, Nina Will	283.2
Rene, Helen Elizabeth Dale	259
Reynolds, Erma Murphy	242
Wallace, Willa Swanson	238
Lyon, Bertha Bechtel	236
Leavenworth, Marguerite Metcalfe	214.4
Meltonson, Daisy Hartman	214
Greenwood, Opal Satchell	173.8
Cowley, Thelma E. Kent	153

Stationery for Sale

Have you used all of your stationery? Or are you one of the few who forget to order when the stationery was first printed? If you are in either class and wish to order now, I'll be glad to hear from you, for we still have a small supply of stationery on hand, and of course, we'd be glad to send it to you. It sells, as you know, at the rate of one letterhead and one envelope for 1 cent.

Here's a Fine Letter, Girls

Mrs. Robert Simmons of Severy, Kan., who is offering a Barred Rock cockerel this year, writes the following letter to the club girls. It is worthy of a place in your scrap-book.

Your poultry club manager asked me to talk to you girls at the business meeting in Topeka, but since it was impossible to do that, I'm going to write to you. First of all let me say that when I started in the poultry business 19 years ago I had only two pullets and one cockerel and absolutely no experience in raising chickens. So do not be afraid to start with a few birds, and do not feel that you need to invest heavily at first. Work slowly and build well. Take the best poultry magazines you can, read all the bulletins and articles you can and study the Standard of Perfection. It takes time and watch and thought to see just how to change the bars on a chicken or to get the right shade of color on a bird.

To make a success of poultry you must be on the job all the time, see that your birds have plenty of fresh water all the time, plenty of grit, and feed regularly. Do not force your breeding birds for egg production. If you do not trap-nest to get your best breeders, pick those with short beaks, short heads, bright, clear eyes, those that stand up well with legs spread far apart, birds having glossy plumage, good, deep, broad breasts, long, broad bodies and backs broad and flat. Birds should be active and hungry and males should stand and crow.

When you have birds to sell, start advertising. Do not make your advertisement too short and run it several times, for the poultry business must be well advertised. There are always buyers for birds of quality and when you sell stock, always stick to facts and produce the goods your customers

pay for. Pick birds for others just as if you were picking for yourself. Never sell a bird to a breeder that you do not think good enough for yourself. It never helps to sell a cull bird to anyone.

You will find that success will come to you only thru hard work and a determination to win. Things will not always go right but always try to do what is right. Be honest with others. Do not give up but push right ahead and try to do better. Plan ahead and work up to your plans, and remember, first, have quality and always be willing to do your very best with what you have. Be fair to your birds, your customers and yourself, and success surely will come to you.

Capper-Tincher Bill Is Law

The Capper-Tincher bill providing for regulation of trading in futures on grain markets has been signed by President Harding.

The new act which becomes effective November 1, was passed by Congress as a substitute for the regulatory provisions of the future trading act of 1921, which provisions were declared inoperative by the Supreme Court.

It follows along the same lines as the act of 1921, except that it is based on the power of Congress to regulate interstate commerce while the statute to which the Supreme Court found objection was predicated on the taxing power of Congress.

Grain exchanges coming under the new act are those at Chicago, Minneapolis, Duluth, Kansas City, St. Louis, Toledo, Milwaukee, San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Baltimore.

Secretary Wallace, who as head of the Department of Agriculture is entrusted with enforcement of the new law, declared in a statement issued after the President's signature had been affixed that he expected co-operation "from legitimate dealers in grain and from all others who favor free, open and competitive markets."

"This does not interfere with hedging transactions on the boards of trade," said Mr. Wallace. "Neither does it interfere with ordinary speculation in the buying or selling of contracts for future delivery. If, however, there should be evidence of undue manipulation or attempts to corner the market, or of the dissemination of false or misleading information about crop or market conditions by members of the exchanges, such conduct would be inquired into and promptly dealt with as required by law."

In addition, it prohibits the exchanges from discriminating against co-operative associations of grain producers who may desire membership in order to obtain use of the facilities of the grain exchanges. The Secretary of Agriculture also is given requisite authority to examine the books and records of the members of the exchanges and to require such reports as may be necessary to carry out its provisions.

"The reports that this law will put the exchanges out of business or interfere with their legitimate functions are without foundation. It will not interfere with the proper operation of such exchanges. No one will be persecuted. No proper business will be harassed."

"The law gives us an opportunity to observe and inquire into the operations of grain exchanges, and to put a stop to improper practices, if such exist. It gives opportunity to study this system of registering prices of grains. In a year or two we should be able to speak with authority concerning grain exchange dealings. Nobody can do that now."

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CORN in the United States this year will make a yield of 2,375 million bushels as compared with 3,080 million bushels last year and 2,831 million bushels for the five-year average. Iowa heads the list with 432 million bushels. Other leading corn states and their yields are as follows: Illinois, 325 million bushels; Nebraska, 179 million bushels; Indiana, 178 million bushels; Missouri, 176 million bushels; Ohio, 151 million bushels; Texas, 121 million bushels; South Dakota, 112 million bushels; Minnesota, 109 million bushels; Kansas, 106 million bushels. Prospective crops in other states are below 100 million bushels.

Lower Prices Expected

With such large yields in sight we are sure to have low prices when farmers begin to ship their new corn and this will be especially true if too much grain is dumped on the market at once. There is some consolation in the fact that we will start the new season with a smaller volume of corn than we had last year.

Many feeders state that they expect to buy corn in October at 35 cents a bushel and a few stockmen have predicted that prices would drop to 25 cents and that is what we may expect if the market is flooded with corn this fall.

The only safe and sane policy it seems to me will be to hold the corn for higher prices that will come later. Possibly many farmers can feed out their surplus corn to cattle and hogs to good advantage and in this way realize much better prices than by selling their grain direct on the open market at an unfavorable time.

Best Marketing Season

In considering the advisability of holding corn for better prices a study of the accompanying chart published on this page will be of interest. Corn prices, it will be seen, as a rule have been lowest in December and January and highest in August. The chart shows the average prices for corn from 1904 to 1914, also from 1914 to 1920, and for the crop year of 1920-21, and for 1921-1922 to September.

The gradual rise in values during the war period from 1914 to 1920 accentuated this advance within the crop year so that the gain from holding grain in those years is much less representative of normal conditions than the seasonal trend shown in the 10 pre-war years. Likewise the 1920-1921 crop year during which prices were in process of deflation is not representative.

The gain in corn prices from January till the following August averaged 12.3 cents in the 10 pre-war years from November, 1904, to October, 1914, inclusive. In the six crop years, 1914 to 1920, December prices were lowest and the following August highest on the average, the difference being 31.5 cents. But again, a large part of this increase was due to the fact that prices were rising from one year to the next. Holding corn in the 1920-1921 crop year resulted in a loss but in the last year the trend has been more nearly in line with the normal.

Other Factors to Consider

Other factors besides price at different seasons must be considered in deciding how much advantage there has been in holding grain until the month in which highest prices have usually been paid. Additional labor is required as compared with hauling direct from the threshing machine to the elevator and the months in which prices have been highest are busy seasons on the farm. Some allowance should be made also for cost of storage, insurance and interest. Tests show that small grains normally shrink about 1½ per cent in weight when held for eight or nine months due to a loss of moisture. There may be additional loss due to rodents and insects.

Corn shrinks in weight much more than small grains due to loss of moisture. Country elevators, however, often take a larger number of pounds for a bushel during the fall and early winter months than at other seasons. In addition, dry corn falls in a higher market grade and commands a higher price a bushel on that account. These factors largely offset the loss in weight there may happen to be.

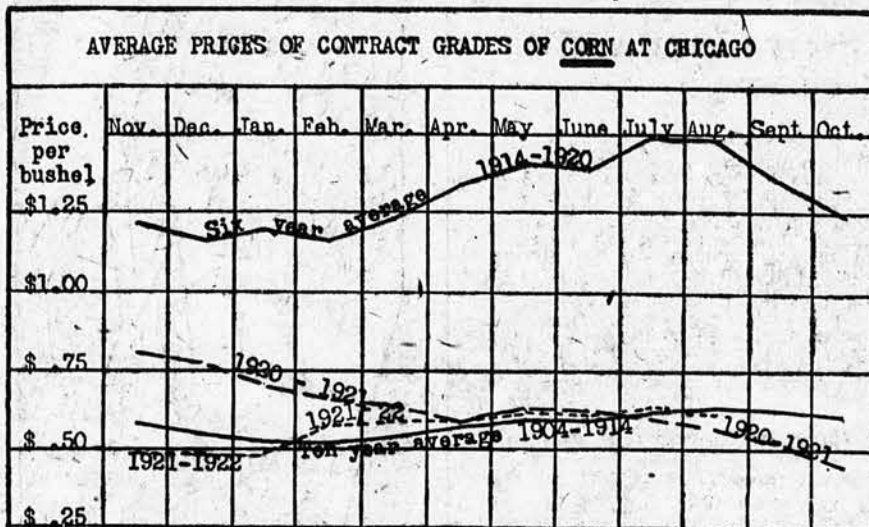
Future Outlook Is Favorable

Better prices will be offered for corn in late winter unless very unusual conditions arise. Business conditions are improving and are much better than

Don't Sacrifice the Corn

Grain Crops May Bring Higher Prices Later

BY JOHN W. WILKINSON



Graphs Showing Monthly Variations in Prices of Corn at Chicago for a 10-Year Average from 1904-1914 and a Six-Year Average, 1914-20

they were last year at this time. The coal strike has been settled and the railroad strike has been adjusted. Banks are in a favorable condition and have large deposits on hand. Money is now more easily obtained and interest rates are lower. In fact everything seems to indicate that there will be a marked improvement in prices for farm products in the winter and spring. The Capper-Tincher bill has become a law and will protect farmers against unjust and unfair manipulation in grain prices. With such a favorable outlook it seems to me that there is no reason why farmers should sacrifice their corn or any other grain crop.

Many Farmers Are Sowing Wheat

More rains fell in Kansas last week and will prove of great benefit to late pastures and will put the wheat ground in good condition for seeding the new wheat crop. The rains fell principally in Northeastern, Southeastern and Central Kansas. The western part of the state is still dry.

Sowing wheat has begun in the eastern third of the state but in the remaining sections the ground is much too dry—in places "dry as a lime kiln," as one correspondent put it. From 5 to 50 per cent of wheat is

sown in the western counties, however, notwithstanding the fact that the ground is too dry to support growth.

Corn has dried out rapidly and cutting has ended in many counties. Cutting grain sorghums is well advanced in the south-central and western counties where the bulk of this crop is raised, being reported 50 to 75 per cent done in many localities. In Stevens county 80 per cent of the broomcorn is in the rick and 25 per cent baled.

County Crop Reports

Local conditions of crops, farm work, livestock and rural markets are shown in the following county reports from special correspondents of the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze:

Brown—Ground is in good order for seeding, which is now being done. Pastures are freshening up. Corn yield will be about two-thirds of a normal crop. The usual wheat acreage will be sown. Rural market report: Wheat, 91c; corn, 42c; eggs, 24c; cream, 26c; hens, 17c; hogs, \$8.75.—A. C. Dannenberg.

Cherokee—We recently had a good rain which was much needed for stock water. The August drought cut the corn crop short in this district. Good milk cows are selling from \$8.00 to \$30.00 per head at public sales.—L. Smyres.

Clay—All farmers are kept busy putting up feed, plowing, harrowing, drilling or threshing. Many wells have gone dry and water is being hauled in some localities. Pastures have dried up so that cattle must

be fed. Large numbers of hogs and chickens are dying with the cholera. A good general rain fell this week. Rural market report: Wheat, 82c; corn, 50c; oats, 40c; hogs, \$8.00; eggs, 23c; butterfat, 23c.—R. Forslund.

Coffey—The soil is in ideal condition for disking wheat ground and many farmers are sowing their wheat. We have had no frost yet. Kafir is mostly ripe and is being cut. Corn is very light and chaffy. Dry weather prevented sowing of alfalfa. Potato crop was poor. About the usual acreage of wheat will be sown. Many satisfactory public sales are being held.—A. T. Stewart.

Crawford—Showers that fell recently put wheat ground in excellent condition. About 75 per cent of last year's wheat acreage will be sown this fall. The car shortage is being badly felt. The dry, hot weather damaged the corn crop to such extent that there will now be but half a crop. Pastures are good and all kinds of livestock are doing well.—H. F. Painter.

Dickinson—Several good showers that fell in the last two weeks gave farmers a chance to harrow down their wheat ground. Soil seems to be in splendid condition. Nearly all farmers are now drilling their wheat. The weather is nice and cool.—F. M. Lorson.

Douglas—Wheat ground is almost prepared for sowing and some wheat is being sown early for pasture. Corn in this locality is very satisfactory. Alfalfa sown in potato ground is coming up nicely. Apples and other fruits are plentiful. Rural market report: Cattle, \$8.50; hogs, \$8.50; wheat, 90c; corn, 58c; oats, 39c; rye, 70c; hens, 16c; springs, 18c; eggs, 25c; butter, 35c.—Mrs. O. L. Cox.

Elk—September's hot wave was moderated during the second week by a good rain. Many fields of alfalfa were sown after the rain but very few farmers sowed any wheat. Chinch bugs are yet numerous. Several public sales, at which bids are slow, have been held. Much road work is being done this fall.—D. W. Lockhart.

Gray—A good rain, the first since early July, fell last week. It will put the soil in fine order for wheat seeding. Many acres have already been seeded. Feed, some of which is very light while other is excellent, is being cut. There is some excellent corn despite the drought. Because of the car shortage, prices paid for wheat are unusually low.—A. E. Alexander.

Harper—Many farmers are sowing wheat and alfalfa because of the two good rains we had last week. Ninety cents a bushel for top wheat, 18¢ far from a fair price considering the yield, taxes and expenses. A full wheat acreage will probably be put in. Rural market report: Eggs, 26c; cream, 27c.—S. Knight.

Harvey—The weather is somewhat cooler but continues to be quite dry. Silos are still being filled. Rural market report: Wheat, 85c; oats, 45c; corn, 60c; butter, 35c; eggs, 25c.—H. W. Prouty.

Jewell—Plowing is practically finished and farmers are beginning to sow their wheat. A 1½ inch rain, September 16, put the ground in excellent order for seeding. No public sales are being held. All kinds of livestock are in splendid condition. Rural market report: Corn, 50c; eggs, 22c; cream, 27c; wheat, 90c; oats, 25c.—U. S. Coddling.

Lincoln—Weather is still dry. Threshing is nearly finished. The average wheat yield is about 15 bushels an acre. Corn prospects were badly hurt by the dry spell. Very little plowing has been done but many farmers are disking instead. Some wheat has been sown. Pastures are getting dry but very few cattle are being shipped. Wheat is worth 83c.—E. J. G. Wacker.

Nemaha—Two good rains, one the night of September 8, and one on September 10, relieved the drought and cooled the atmosphere. It will greatly benefit pastures and fall plowing but came too late for corn, of which we cannot expect more than a yield of poor quality.—A. M. McCord.

Neosho and Wilson—We have now had about 2 inches of rain in September. Some wheat has been sown but the acreage will be less this year because farmers can't raise wheat for 70 or 80 cents a bushel. Corn crop is poor and shriveled. Kafir and cane will make satisfactory yields. Pastures are poor and stock water is scarce. Fat cattle are being shipped and none will be corn fed. Rural market report: Hay, baled, \$6 to \$7 a ton; flax, up to \$1.90; eggs, 25c; butter, 33c.—Adolph Anderson.

Reels—The cane, kafir, corn and feed crops that survived the dry, windy weather which we are still having, have been cut. A few farmers have finished sowing their wheat. Cattle are changing hands.—C. O. Thomas.

Stafford—The excessive hot weather has been moderated by frequent showers. Wheat sowing has begun. Feed crops are cut and in the shock. Alfalfa is very thin on ground. An occasional public sale is held. Rural market report: Wheat, 80c; flour, \$1.90; eggs, 21c; butter, 30c.—H. A. Kachelman.

Stevens—Altho many farmers are now sowing wheat many silos are also being filled. Corn, milo and kafir is ripening very fast. Some broom corn is being marketed and is bringing \$150 a ton and up.—Monroe Traver.

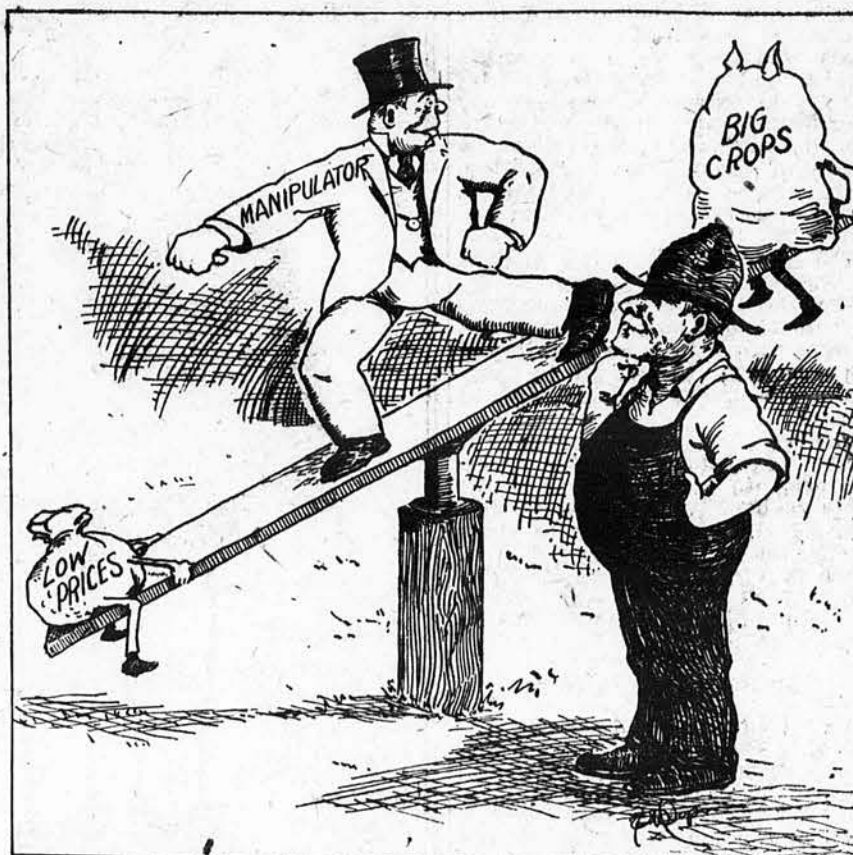
Trego—Weather is still dry but cooler. Wheat seeding is progressing nicely. Threshing is about finished. Corn was damaged about 50 per cent by dry weather, kafir, feterita and cane were also damaged and will not produce much seed. Demands for oats and barley are small. Rural market report: Wheat, 90c; corn, 50c; oats, 40c; barley, 35c.—C. C. Cross.

How Butter is Rated

Many millions of dollars are lost in this country every year because of poor quality butter. To aid in reducing this loss, Circular No. 236, Defects in the Quality of Butter, has been prepared; copies may be obtained free on application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

It is cheaper to market corn in Kansas. The average rate paid by the New Englander for its transportation is 39 cents a ton mile. For the same service the Kansan pays only 33 cents. But, Kansas markets its corn on the hoof, which is the most economical and certainly the most profitable way.

See-Saw is His Favorite Game



Shall the Farmer Stand Helpless While the Speculator Deceives That Big Crops Must Mean Low Prices Despite Increased World Food Demand?

A Close-Up on Opportunity

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The losers as well as the winners would benefit when the audience was given to understand the "stiffness" of the competition in the ring it was seeing judged.

The week was a good one from the viewpoint of the show animals. Cool weather and adequate housing made it so, and improved condition in many exhibits was apparent. Capable judges made fast work of placing the awards so that more than the usual time was available for examining exhibits in pen and stalls, after the ribbons had been tied.

Hereford Cattle

Hereford breeders showed a nice gain over last year, 10 breeders showing 103 animals. Five exhibitors were Kansans, and for three of them, the Halls, and Messrs. Dukelow and Altenreid, it was their first state fair showing. In this show, as compared with the week before, Kansas gained a bull championship and lost a female championship.

The new exhibitors, while showing only a few individuals had cattle of real quality, and won all the recognition necessary to encourage them to fit better and show more. E. W. Ringen's cattle, which were of unusual size and thickness of flesh, but not of the form and finish to get much in the prize money, made Hutchinson their third stop on their first circuit of the big shows. The other exhibitors are well known to stock show people of recent years.

Exhibitors—Thad E. Mendenhall, Fairbury, Neb.; Klaus Brothers, Bendena, Kan.; E. W. Ringen, Sumnerfield, Kan.; G. L. Mathews, Kinsley, Kan.; C. M. Largent & Son, Merkel, Tex.; O. Harris & Sons, Harris, Mo.; Heath and Pierson, Villaca, Ia.; Terrace Lake Hereford Park, Kansas City, Mo.; Clyde Altenreid, Hutchinson, Kan.; Elmer Dukelow, Hutchinson, Kan.; F. H. Hull & Son, Eureka, Kan.

Judge—George Hendry, Kansas City, Mo. Bulls—Aged: 5 shown; 1, Mathews & Son on Regulator 1st; 2, O. Harris & Sons on Repeater 166th; 3, Heath & Pierson on Dandy Bray; 4, Dukelow on Plato Dandy 4th; 5, Ringen on Silent Boy 4th. Bull, 2 years old: 5 shown; 1 and 3, Harris on Repeater 256th and Repeater 244th; 2, Hull & Son on Hazford Bocaldo 12th; 4, Klaus Bros. on Beau Onward 99th; 5, Altenreid on Leon Monarch. Senior yearling bull: 3 shown; 1, Largent on Lovie's Lad; 2, Mathews on Regulator 30th; 3, Harris on Repeater 274th. Junior yearling bull: 10 shown; 1, Harris on Repeater 283rd; 2, Mendenhall on Imperial 2nd; 3, Terrace Lake on Beau Best Jr.; 4, Klaus Brothers on Beau Onward 110th; 5, Largent on Kieberg Lad 3rd; 6, Hall & Son on Dandy. Senior bull calves: 8 shown; 1, Largent on La Vernet Lad; 2, Terrace Lake on Don Lark; 3 and 5, Mendenhall on Mischief Bond and Magic Mischief; 4, Ringen on Good Stamway; 6, Klaus Brothers on Beau Onward 115th. Junior Bull Calves: 12 shown; 1 and 4, Largent on Sanson Lad and Garfield Lad; 2, Harris on Repeater 323rd; 3 and 6, Mendenhall on Imperial 7th and Imperial Image; 5, Klaus Brothers on Beau Onward 118th. Three Bulls Owned by Exhibitor: 6 shown; 1, O. Harris & Sons; 2, Largent; 3, Mathews; 4, Mendenhall; 5, Klaus Brothers. Two Bulls Bred and Owned by Exhibitor: 11 shown; 1 and 4, Harris; 2 and 5, Largent; 3, Mathews.

Senior Champion Bull—Mathews on Regulator.

Junior and Grand Champion Bull—Harris on Repeater 283rd.

Cows—Aged: 7 shown; 1 and 4, Harris & Son on Miss Repeater 162nd and Echo Lass 51st; 2, Hull on Ruth Blanchard; 3, Heath & Pierson on Dandy Lass; 5, Klaus Brothers on Miss Onward 78th. Cows, 2 years and under: 10 shown; 1, Largent on Shadeland Jewell 5th; 2, Harris on Miss Repeater 210th; 3, Heath & Pierson on Dandy Lass 11th; 4, Hull on Dorothy Best; 5, Klaus Brothers on Miss Onward 83rd. Senior Yearling Heifers: 9 shown; 1, Terrace Lake on Yuletide 2nd; 2 and 3, Harris on Miss Repeater 234th and Miss Repeater 254th; 4, Largent on Shadeland Jewell 6th; 5, Heath & Pierson on Dandy Lass 16th; 6, Klaus Brothers on Miss Onward 93rd. Junior Yearling Heifers: 10 shown; 1, Mathews on Lady Regulator 9th; 2, Harris on Miss Repeater 264th; 3, Terrace Lake on Donna Domino; 4, Largent on Beauty Fairfax 4th; 5, Mendenhall on Empress Omi; 6, Klaus Brothers on Miss Onward 94th. Senior Heifer Calves: 15 shown; 1 and 6, Mendenhall on Empress 1st and Empress 3rd; 2 and 5, Largent on Lady Love and Juliet Fairfax 2nd; 3, Terrace Lake on Miss Pet 3rd; 4, Harris on Miss Onward 175th.

Senior and Grand Champion Cow—Largent on Shadeland Jewell 5th.

Junior Champion Cow—Terrace Lake on Yuletide 2nd.

Groups—Aged Herd: 6 shown; 1 and 2, Harris; 3, Heath & Pierson; 4, Hull; 5, Klaus. Junior Herd: 5 shown; 1, Harris; 2, Largent; 3, Mendenhall; 4, Terrace Lake Hereford Park; 5, Klaus. Calf Herds: 7 shown; 1, Largent; 2, Mendenhall; 3, Terrace Lake; 4, Harris; 5, Ringen. Kansas Special Calf Herds: 4 shown; 1, Ringen; 2 and 4, Mathews; 3, Klaus Brothers. Get of Sire: 7 shown; 1, Harris on get of Repeater; 2, Largent on get of Gay Lad Jr.; 3, Mathews on get of Repeater 126th; 4, Heath & Pierson on get of Maples Lad 83rd; 5, Mendenhall on get of Imperial; 6, Klaus Brothers on get of Beau Onward 19th.

Cows—Aged: 4 shown; 1, Fullerton on Quiburn Blackbird 4th; 2, Leahy on Glenmeade Blackmaid 21st; 3 and 4, Simpson on Blackbird Naomi and Pride Eva S. Two-Year-Olds: 4 shown; 1, Frank on Erica Enlate; 2, Fullerton on Ruby of S; 3, Leahy on Elba 8th; 4, Simpson on Blackbird Beatrice 6th. Senior Yearlings: 4 shown; 1, Fullerton on Evergood Erica 2nd; 2, Frank on Ethelred; 3, Simpson on Epsilon 2d; 4, Leahy on Glenmeade Edica. Junior Yearlings: 4 shown; 1 and 3, Simpson on

Estelle S 2d and Edlam; 2, Frank on Esther Blackbird; 4, Fullerton on Sunbeam Blackbird. Senior Calves: 9 shown; 1 and 2, Frank on Erra and Eurissa; 3 and 4, Fullerton on Erica of S and Queen of S.

Senior and Grand Champion Cow—Frank on Erica Enlate.

Junior Champion Cow—Simpson on Estelle S 2d.

Groups—Aged Herds: 3 shown; 1, Leahy; 2, Fullerton; 3, Simpson. Young Herds: 4 shown; 1, Simpson; 2, Frank; 3, Leahy; 4, Fullerton. Calf Herds: 4 shown; 1, Frank; 2, Fullerton; 3, Leahy; 4, Simpson. Get of Sire: 5 shown; 1, Fullerton on get of Easton of Elm Hill; 2, Frank on get of Esthonian; 3, Leahy on get of Bandon; 4 and 5, Simpson on get of Plowman and Laddie Rosemere.

The Shorthorns

The showing of Shorthorns was about on a par with last year; two Missouri, two Oklahoma and three Kansas breeders making an exhibition of 75 head. Little changes in condition such as occur to show cattle on the road, were to the benefit of some and to the disadvantage of others, as compared with the week before when the same herds met in Topeka. These the appended awards will show.

Most animals were young, even those showing in mature classes, being barely old enough, and nearly all representing cross sections of the production of the herds from which they came. No more typical show of the working herds of this territory has been made.

Exhibitors—Sni-a-Bar Farms, Grain Valley, Mo.; F. R. McDermid, Kansas City, Mo.; A. B. Campbell, Geary, Okla.; H. C. Lookabaugh, Watonga, Okla.; T. J. Dawe & Son, Troy, Kan.; John Regier, White-water, Kan.; Tomson Brothers, Dover and Wakarusa, Kan.

Judge—C. W. McCampbell, Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan.

Bulls—Aged: 2 shown; 1, McDermid on Augusta Sunrise; 2, Dawe on Rosamund Pride. Two-Year-Olds: 3 shown; 1, Lookabaugh on Marshal Commander; 2, Campbell on Sultan Stamp; 3, Sni-a-Bar on Argonaut's Master. Senior Yearlings: 3 shown; 1 and 2, McDermid on Columbian Bruce and Omega Champion; 3, Campbell on Fair Acres Clipper. Junior Yearlings: 6 shown; 1, Sni-a-Bar on Supreme Archer; 2 and 3, Lookabaugh on Maxhall Commander and Maxhall Duthie; 4, Regier on Altair; 5, Campbell on Fairacres Gloster.

Senior Calves: 10 shown; 1, Lookabaugh on Maxhall Acres; 2, McDermid on Columbian Best; 3, 4 and 6, Tomson on Barmpton Crown, Royal's Crown and Bright Crown; 5, Regier on Regulus. Junior Calves: 6 shown; 1, Dawe on Diamond Emblem; 2, Tomson on Proud Marshal; 3, Lookabaugh on Maxhall Lord; 4, Sni-a-Bar on Sni-a-Bar Masher; 5 and 6, Campbell on Crystal Stamp and Fair Acres Elect. Best Three Bulls: 7 shown; 1, Lookabaugh; 2, McDermid; 3, Tomson; 4, Sni-a-Bar; 5, Dawe; 6, Campbell. Best Two Bulls: 6 shown; 1, Lookabaugh; 2, Tomson; 3, Campbell; 4, Dawe; 5, Sni-a-Bar.

Cows—Aged: 3 shown; 1, Lookabaugh on Pleasant Averno 2d; 2 and 3, Dawe on Last Rose and Mayflower Belle. Aged Cow with Calf at Side: 3 shown; 1, McDermid on Oaklawn's Pride; 2, Sni-a-Bar on Parkdale Emma 2d; 3, Campbell on Whitehall's Belle. Two-Year-Olds: 6 shown; 1, Sni-a-Bar on Maxwalton Lavender 24th; 2, Dawe on Marigold 15th; 3 and 5, Campbell on Marystone 12th and Lovely 25th; 4 and 6, Lookabaugh on Pleasant Mina and Pleasant Clipper 3d. Senior Yearlings: 5 shown; 1 and 2, McDermid on June Girl 9th and Daisy Lass; 3, Regier on A. L. Bashful 3d; 4, Lookabaugh on Pleasant May; 5, Dawe on Rosewood Lavender. Junior Yearlings: 11 shown; 1, Lookabaugh on Pleasant Sunbeam; 2 and 5, Sni-a-Bar on Anoka Clipper 4th and Golden Blossom; 3 and 6, McDermid on Golden Treasure 2d and Columbian Violet; 4, Campbell on Meadow Blossom. Senior Calves: 7 shown; 1 and 5, Lookabaugh on Pleasant Gloster 6th and Pleasant Jealousy 6th; 2 and 4, Tomson on May Daisy 8th and Lady Lavender 4th; 3 and 6, Sni-a-Bar on Sni-a-Bar Sue and Sni-a-Bar Bride.

Senior and Grand Champion Bull—McDermid on Augusta Sunrise.

Junior Champion Bull—Lookabaugh on Maxhall Acres.

Senior and Grand Champion Cow—Lookabaugh on Pleasant Averno 2d.

Junior Champion Cow—Lookabaugh on Pleasant Gloster 6th.

Groups—Aged Herds: 4 shown; 1, Lookabaugh; 2, Campbell; 3, Sni-a-Bar; 4, Dawe. Young Herds: 5 shown; 1, Sni-a-Bar; 2, Lookabaugh; 3, McDermid; 4, Campbell; 5, Regier. Calf Herds: 4 shown; 1, Lookabaugh; 2, Tomson; 3, Sni-a-Bar; 4, Campbell. Get of Sire: 6 shown; 1, Lookabaugh on get of Roan Lord; 2, Tomson on get of Marshall's Crown; 3, Campbell on get of Fairacres Stamp; 4, Sni-a-Bar on get of Clipper Sunset; 5, Regier on get of Maxwalton Mandolin.

Aberdeen Angus Cattle

From one herd of 14 head last year, Aberdeen Angus interest this year advanced to 4 herds totaling 53 head, but nary an Angus was from Kansas. It was Oklahoma and Iowa for it. Kan-

sas provided the battle ground. Again, as the list of awards will show, there was evidence that in close rings good judges can see things differently. Fullerton's playman of Sunbeam losing junior championship to Leahy's junior yearling bull that was beaten the week before.

Exhibitors—J. C. Simpson, Muskogee, Okla.; R. W. Frank, Renwick, Ia.; T. J. Leahy, Williamsburg, Ia.; S. C. Fullerton, Miami, Okla.

Judge—C. W. McCampbell, Manhattan, Kan.

Bulls—Aged: 3 shown; 1, Leahy on Black Star Atlas; 2, Fullerton on Easton of Elm Hill; 3, Simpson on Plowman W 2d. Two-Year-Olds: 3 shown; 1, Frank on Edor 2d; 2, Leahy on Electro 2d; 3, Simpson on Quartermaster S. Senior Yearlings: 3 shown; 1 and 2, Fullerton on Playman of Sunbeam and Plowman of Sunbeam; 3, Simpson on Pastmaster 3d. Junior Yearling: 4 shown; 1, Leahy on Elbertson 2d; 2, Simpson on Plowman Jr.; 3, Frank on Esteban; 4, Fullerton on Black Easton of Sunbeam. Junior Calves: 4 shown; 1, Leahy on Balmbridge; 2, Simpson on Enzo; 3, Fullerton on Queerman of Sunbeam; 4, Frank on Enor. Junior Calves: 4 shown; 1, Frank on Esthonian Equal; 2, Leahy on Erdenmann; 3, Simpson on Blackcap Plowman; 4, Fullerton on Princess's Sunbeam.

Senior and Grand Champion Bull—Leahy on Black Star Atlas.

Junior Champion Bull—Leahy on Elbertson 2d.

Bulls—Best Three: 4 shown; 1, Leahy; 2, Frank; 3, Fullerton; 4, Simpson. Best Two Bulls: 4 shown; 1 and 4, Frank; 2, Leahy; 3, Simpson.

The Galloways

H. Croft, Medicine Lodge, Kan., was the only exhibitor of Galloway cattle and was awarded all the ribbons for which he had entries.

Red Polled Cattle

One representative herd each, from Oklahoma and Kansas, made a good showing of 29 Red Polls. The visiting breeder, with a nicely fitted offering and a beef cattle judge, had rather the best of the argument.

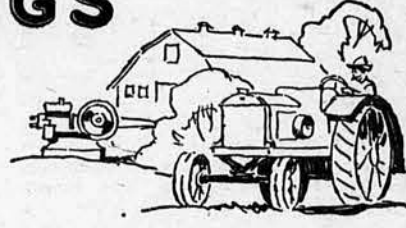
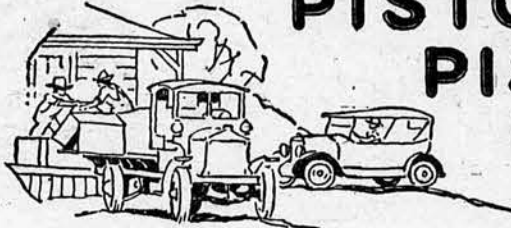
How to obtain proper judging of Red Polls is one of the knotty problems fair managers have to solve. It really (Continued on Page 21)

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Business and Markets



By John W. Samuels

CONDITIONS in business and farming show steady improvement and the outlook for both now is more encouraging than it has been for several months. In this connection the First National Bank of Boston says:

"The summer season, now at an end, has been conspicuous for the strong business undertone which has characterized the recent hot and usually dull trade months. Bank clearings have been rising, car loadings have taxed the railroads to their utmost, raw material prices have continued their upward march, and retail trade has quite held its own. In fact, the consumer has been purchasing in slightly larger volume than a year ago. The mail order stores report a marked turn for the better. The serene and optimistic attitude of the public toward the railroad and coal strikes has been profoundly significant of a confidence in the final good sense and judgment of the employers and employees handling these disputes. The coal strikes are settled and the railroad shop strike has been adjusted for the present.

"The steel industry has voluntarily increased common labor wages 20 per cent to meet the condition of scarcity. A leading labor authority, in announcing his opinion that the first period of post-war wage deflation is at an end, states that the announced wage reductions spread over the total listed workers are around an average of 5 per cent. This figure, however, entirely ignores the farm-workers, comprising about one-third of our wage-earners, the price of whose product—corresponding to wages—has been so drastically cut. It is just this disparity in earning, and consequently buying power, which mainly accounts for the unbalanced condition of trade, and makes it difficult for manufacturers to operate successfully, being confronted at present by rising raw material and production costs on the one hand and a hesitant and subnormal demand for finished goods on the other."

Banks Show Healthy Condition

The business situation in Kansas is improving and its banks are in a healthy condition.

Deposits in National banks in Kansas increased more than 15 million dollars between May 1 and July 1, according to the statement of condition completed recently by W. W. Bowman, secretary of the Kansas Bankers' Association.

The deposits of 267 National banks in the state, reporting as of June 30 to the comptroller of the currency, totaled \$177,122,000. The deposits as of May 5 totaled \$161,893,000.

Loans and discounts increased \$4,293,000 in the same period. According to the last statement, they totaled \$132,250,000, compared to \$127,957,000 as of May 5.

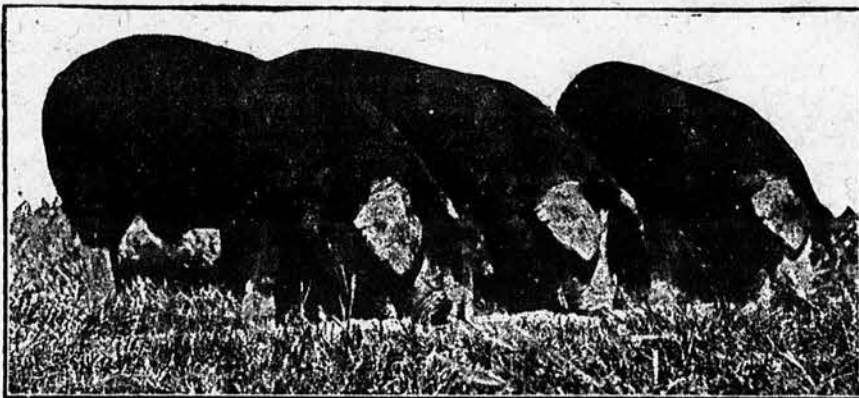
If the deposits in all the National banks of Kansas were divided equally among residents of the state, every individual would have a little more than \$110.

Stockmen report that there is less difficulty now in negotiating loans and that interest rates are more favorable. The big corn and forage crops make it certain now that there will be plenty of feed at reasonable prices. Another encouraging feature was the favorable turn in the market situation this week when the best steers, along with hogs and lambs, showed advances in prices.

Prime Steers Bring \$11.60

The cattle receipts were the largest of any week this year, all classes ruled higher early, but plain to fair classes closed with the advance lost. Choice to prime steers remained firm at the advance. Some 1,477-pound steers sold at \$11.60, a new high record price for the year. Yearlings sold up to \$11. Calf receipts, 21,914, were the largest ever reported in any week. Veals sold up to \$11. Except a decline of 10 to 15 cents on Tuesday the advance in hogs was interrupted. The net advance for the week was 40 to 50 cents. Lambs advanced \$1 and sheep 25 cents, top lambs \$14.75.

Receipts this week were \$3,775 cattle, 21,914 calves, 32,770 hogs, and



Hogs are Coming Back Beyond a Doubt—Prices This Week Show a Gain of \$1 Over the Market for Last Week and This Fall There Will Be Plenty of Corn

42,475 sheep, compared with 77,425 cattle, 10,800 calves, 38,427 hogs and 38,040 sheep last week, and 65,400 cattle, 17,400 calves, 28,900 hogs and 52,900 sheep a year ago.

In the first three days this week all classes of killing cattle advanced 25 to 35 cents. After Wednesday the market for common, plain to fairly good steers weakened and closed in about the same position as last week. Choice to prime steers, cows and heifers remained firm up to the close. The top for steers, \$11.60, was paid Wednesday. Other prime steers sold at \$11 to \$11.25. Wintered summer grazed steers brought \$8.50 to \$10.25 and straight grass fat steers \$4 to \$8.75. Those below \$5.50 were mostly common quality, some of them Arkansas and Florida origin. A large number of canner and cutter cows sold at \$2.50 to \$3.50. Fat cows brought \$4 to \$6.50, and fed heifers up to \$9.75. Choice light weight veal calves held firm, top \$11.

Hog prices advanced Monday, lost the gain Tuesday and started up again Wednesday. At the close of the week the market was up 10 to 20 cents and 40 to 50 cents higher than a week ago. The heavier classes of hogs showed the most advance and the price spread between light and medium weight grades narrowed. The top price today was \$9.75 and bulk \$9.40 to \$9.70. The market is fully \$1

higher than the low point two weeks ago. Pigs are selling at \$8.75 to \$9.65.

In the last two days choice western lambs sold at \$14.60 to \$14.75, and native lambs \$13.75 to \$14. The market is 75 cents to \$1 higher than a week ago, and in the highest position of the year. Fat sheep are 25 cents higher. Feeding lambs are selling at \$13 to \$13.85.

Butter this week shows slight advances, while poultry and poultry products show but little change. The following quotations on dairy products are given at Kansas City this week:

Butter—Creamery, extra, in cartons, 40c a pound; packing butter, 23c; butterfat, 36c; Longhorn cheese, 23½c; bricks, 24½c; twins, 23¾; imported Roquefort, 66c; limburger, 20c; New York daisies, 26c; imported Swiss, 49c to 50c; domestic Swiss, 24 to 38c.

The following prices are quoted at Kansas City this week on poultry and poultry products.

Live Poultry—Hens, 15c to 21c a pound; broilers, 22c; springs, 20c; roosters, 10c; turkeys, 31c; toms, 25c; geese, 13c; ducks, 18c.

Eggs—Firsts, 29c a dozen; seconds, 23c; selected case lots, 35c.

Grain Prices Rise and Fall

The prospect of a European war last week first sent the prices of grain futures up and then the news this

week that the difficulties in the Near East would be settled by diplomacy rather than by the sword had a cooling off effect on the grain market and on the wheat bulls especially.

The September delivery in Kansas City broke 2c and closed at \$1. December dropped to 99c and ended at 99½c, or 2½c off. May finished at \$1.02½ to \$1.02½ and with a loss of 1½c.

Corn futures also first advanced and then receded as the prospect of peace in the Balkans brightened. September corn finally closed about ¼c lower and was quoted at 56½c. December corn lost 1½c and ended at 53½c to 54c. December oats lost 1c.

Kansas City Cash Quotations

Cash prices for grain at Kansas City show declines. Hard wheat is quoted 2 cents lower and dark hard is from 1 cent to 2 cents lower. Red wheat is from 1 cent to 2 cents lower. The following quotations are given at Kansas City:

No. 1 dark hard wheat, \$1.08 to \$1.16; No. 2 dark hard, \$1.07 to \$1.16; No. 3 dark hard, \$1.05 to \$1.15; No. 4 dark hard, \$1.05 to \$1.11; sample dark hard, 85c.

No. 1 hard wheat, \$1.05 to \$1.13; No. 2 hard, \$1.04 to \$1.13; No. 3 hard, \$1.02 to \$1.12; No. 4 hard, \$1 to \$1.11; No. 5 hard, 95c to \$1.08.

No. 2 yellow hard, \$1.04.

No. 1 red wheat, \$1.13 to \$1.14; No. 2 red, \$1.12; No. 3 red, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 4 red, \$1.01 to \$1.05; No. 5 red, \$1.

No. 2 mixed wheat, 85c to \$1.05; No. 3 mixed, \$1.01 to \$1.02; No. 4 mixed, \$1; sample mixed, 96c.

Corn and Other Cereals

Corn is in limited demand and is quoted 1 cent lower. Oats are unchanged to ½ cent lower. Kafir and milo are unchanged. The following prices are reported at Kansas City:

No. 2 white corn, 58c to 58½c a bushel; No. 3 white, 57½c; No. 4 white, 57c; No. 2 yellow corn, 60½c to 61c; No. 3 yellow 60c to 60½c; No. 4 yellow, 59½c; No. 2 mixed corn, 58c; No. 3 mixed, 57½c; No. 4 mixed, 57c.

No. 2 white oats, 41c; No. 3 white, 39½c to 40c; No. 4 white, 38c to 39c; No. 2 mixed oats, 38c to 42c; No. 3 mixed, 37c to 41c; No. 2 red oats, 38c to 42c; No. 3 red, 37c to 41c; No. 4 red, 35c to 38c.

No. 2 white kafir, \$1.95 a hundredweight; No. 3 white, \$1.93; No. 4 white, \$1.90; No. 2 milo, \$2.04 to \$2.06; No. 3 milo, \$2.03 to \$2.05; No. 4 milo, \$2.02 to \$2.03.

Hay and Millfeeds

The hay market is steady and all offerings sell readily. The following quotations on hay are given at Kansas City.

Alfalfa, choice, \$20 to \$21; No. 1, \$18 to \$19.50; standard, \$15.50 to \$17.50; No. 2, \$13 to \$15; No. 3, \$11 to \$12.50. Prairie hay, No. 1, \$11 to \$11.50; No. 2, \$9.50 to \$10.50; No. 3, \$7.50 to \$9; packing, \$6 to \$7. Timothy, No. 1, \$14 to \$15; standard, \$12.50 to \$13.50; No. 2, \$11 to \$12; No. 3, \$9 to \$10.50. Midland prairie hay, No. 1, \$9 to \$10; No. 2, \$7 to \$8.50. Lowland prairie hay, No. 1, \$8 to \$9; No. 2, \$6.50 to \$7.50. Clover mixed, light, \$14 to \$14.50; No. 1, \$11.50 to \$13.50; No. 2, \$8.50 to \$11. Clover, No. 1, \$12 to \$13.50; No. 2, \$9 to \$11.50. Straw, \$6.50 to \$7.50.

The following quotations are given at Kansas City on millfeeds: Bran, \$17 to \$17.50 a ton; brown shorts, \$20 to \$21; gray shorts, \$24 to \$25.

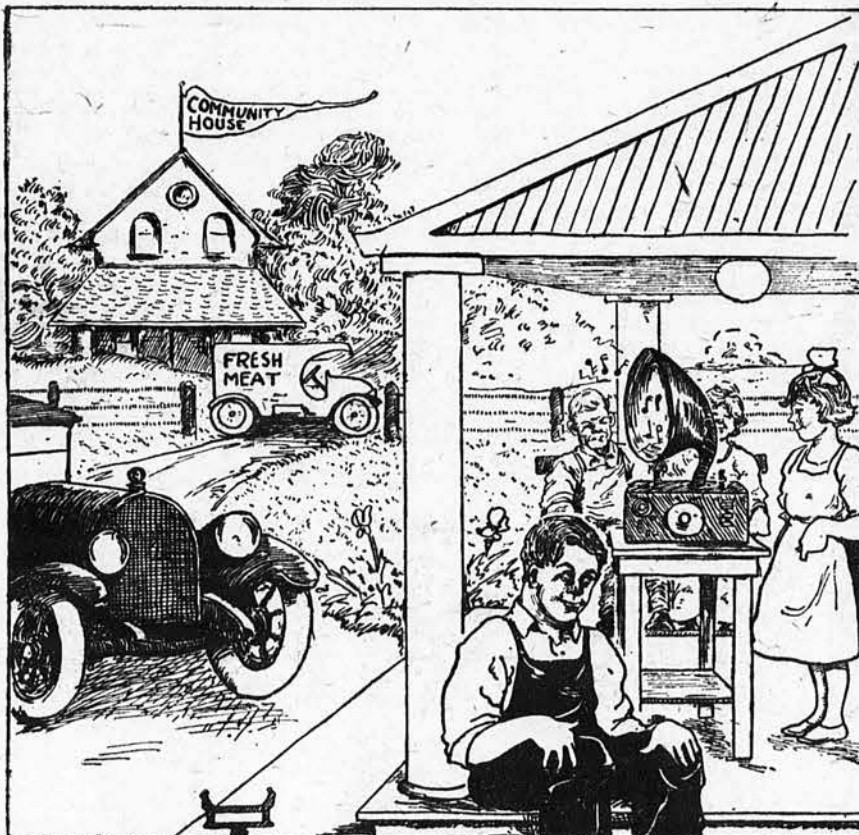
Linseed meal, old process, \$42.25; cottonseed meal and cake, \$41; tankage, \$70; alfalfa meal, \$20 to \$22; molasses alfalfa feed, \$21; grain molasses horse feed, \$22 to \$26; grain molasses hog feed, \$37; dairy feed, \$27 to \$31.

Broomcorn Shows Advances

Broomcorn showed slight advances at Kansas City and the following prices are quoted:

Fancy whisk, \$300 a ton; fancy hurl, \$280; choice, self-working, standard, \$225 to \$275; medium standard, \$200 to \$225; medium Oklahoma dwarf, self-working, \$150 to \$200; common, Oklahoma, self-working, \$140 to \$160.

Keeping Them at Home on the Farm



It is No Small Matter to Combat the Lure of the City and Its Bright Lights But Modern Inventions Have Eliminated Some of the Difficulties

A Close-Up on Opportunity

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should be up to the breed's record association to do this and make the work of exhibitors and judges really constructive, instead of the mystifying and unsatisfactory efforts they now are, due to lack of a permanent standard.

Exhibitors—W. P. Reaves, Earlboro, Okla.; J. H. Ferguson, Gypsum, Kan. **Judge**—George Hendry, Kansas City, Mo. **Bulls**—Aged: 2 shown; 1 Reaves on Altas; 2 shown; 1 Reaves on Franklyn. Two-Year-Olds: 2 shown; 1 Reaves on Special; 2 shown; 1 Reaves on Prince Albert. Junior Yearlings: 2 shown; 1 Reaves on G. V. Ted. Junior Bull Calves: 2 shown; 1 Reaves on Master. Junior Bull Calves: 2 shown; 1 and 2, Reaves on Ambrose and Rockford; 2, Reaves on Buster Boy. **Cows**—Aged: 3 shown; 1 Reaves on Lena of Rosedale; 2 and 3, Ferguson on Nina May and Maybelle. Two-Year-Olds: 2 shown; 1 Reaves on Rocky; 2, Ferguson on Ester. Senior Yearlings: 2 shown; 1 Reaves on Oklahoma Queen; 2, Ferguson on Eva. Junior Yearlings: 2 shown; 1 Reaves on Lady Newears; 2, Ferguson on Nettle. Senior Heifer Calves: 4 shown; 1 and 2, Reaves on Princess and Lida; 3, Ferguson on Ina Fay. **Senior and Grand Champion Bull**—Reaves on Altas Mascot. **Junior Champion Bull**—Reaves on Prince Albert. **Senior Champion Cow**—Reaves on Rocky. **Junior and Grand Champion Cow**—Reaves on Oklahoma Queen. **Groups**—Aged Herds: 2 shown; 1 Reaves; 2, Ferguson. Young Herds: 2 shown; 1 Reaves; 2, Ferguson. Calf Herds: 2 shown; 1 Reaves; 2, Ferguson. Get of Sire: 4 shown; 1 and 2, Reaves on Get of Dorothy's Redback and Alta's Mascot; 3, Ferguson on the get of Clifton. Three Bulls Owned by Exhibitor: 3 shown; 1 and 2, Reaves; 3, Ferguson. Two Bulls Owned and Bred by Exhibitor: 5 shown; 1 and 2, Reaves; 3, Ferguson.

The Holsteins

Grand champion bull was Canary Oak Fobes Homestead 2d, owned by Fred E. McMurray, Darlow, Kan. Two years ago this bull had been consigned to the butcher but was saved on account of what the cow testing association records showed on the production of his daughters. He was a strong favorite with the ringside. Prilly Clothilde De Kol, shown as a 13-year-old cow by A. J. King, Kansas City, Mo., won third place in the aged cow class despite extreme age. She has won more money in the show rings of the United States than any other cow except Minerva Beets.

The biggest and best class was 2-year-old cows in which 10 animals were shown. The first prize cow, Forum Pontiac Queen, shown by H. O. Larson of Dike, Ia., was later made senior and grand champion.

The junior champion bull, Forum Ormsby Superior, shown by Larson, was an outstanding senior calf. The get of sire class was again won by the uniform group sired by Maid Henry Pontiac De Kol, owned by George Young & Son of Manhattan, Kan. Young also won first prize on the produce of Lady Volga Colanthus 3rd.

Exhibitors—W. R. Crow, Hutchinson, Kan.; 10 head; C. C. Kagarice, Darlow, Kan.; 2 head; Fred E. McMurray, Darlow, Kan.; 2 head; A. M. Davis, Hutchinson, Kan.; 2 head; George Young & Son, Manhattan, Kan.; 6 head; Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan.; 1 head; A. J. King, Kansas City, Mo.; 12 head; H. O. Larson, Dike, Ia.; 12 head; Union College, Lincoln, Neb.; 14 head. **Judge**—Prof. H. W. Cave, Manhattan, Kan.

Bulls—Aged: 2 shown; 1, McMurray on Canary Oak Fobes Homestead 2nd; 2, Larson on Sir Rag Apple Pouch. Three-Year-Olds: 3 shown; 1, Young on U. S. Kornell Homestead Segis; 2, Union College on King Pontiac Champion Polkadot; 3, Crow on Herbert Oak Fayne of Rock. Two-Year-Olds: 1 shown; 1, Larson on Rex Clothilde Aagle Forum. Yearlings: 4 shown; 1 and 2, Union College on College King Centropia De Kol and College King Nethersveld; 2, Crow on King Mutual De Kol Heifers; 4, King on King Sylvia Caration. Senior Bull Calves: 7 shown; 1, Larson on Forum Ormsby Sensation; 2 and 3, King on King Segis Longfield Homestead and Imperial Clothilde Prilly; 4, Union College on Sir Pieterje Ormsby Florens Segis.

Cows—Aged: 10 shown; 1, Young on Maid Henry Pontiac De Kol; 2, King on Prilly Clothilde De Kol; 4, Union College on U. C. Anna De Kol Walker 2nd. Three-Year-Olds: 2 shown; 1, Young on Lady Lockhart Colanthus De Kol; 2, King on Princess Longfield Homestead. Two-Year-Olds: 10 shown; 1 and 2, Larson on Forum Pontiac Queen and Forum Maud Masterpiece; 3 and 4, King on Avon Pontiac Inca Sylvia and Elizabeth Echo Sylvia-Eli Ormsby. Senior Yearlings: 6 shown; 1, Young on Lady Volga Johanna; 2, Larson on Forum Hulda Maud; 3, Union College on C. K. S. A. Mary Segis Pieterje; 4, King on Carnation Sylvia Clothilde Emma. Junior Yearlings: 7 shown; 1, Union College on C. K. S. A. Charlesvoix Alcartra; 2 and 3, King on Charlesvoix Marbury De Kol and Winterthur Grubsky Claudina; 4, Larson on Maxie Plum De Kol. Senior Calves: 11 shown; 1, Larson on Marjorie Plum De Kol; 2 and 4, Union College on Plebe Wonder Ormsby and Abby Kornduke Segis Alcartra; 3, King on Lady Superba Pontiac Rag Apple. **Senior and Grand Champion Bull**—McMurray on Canary Oak Fobes Homestead 2nd.

Junior Champion Bull—Larson on Forum Ormsby Superior. **Senior and Grand Champion Cow**—Larson on Forum Pontiac Queen.

Junior Champion Cow—Larson on Marjorie Plum De Kol. **Groups**—Aged Herd: 4 shown; 1 and 2, Larson; 3, Union College; 4, Crow. Young Herds: 1 shown; 1, Union College. Calf Herds: 6 shown; 1, Larson; 2 and 4, King; 3, Union College. Get of Sire: 4 shown; 1, Young on the get of Maid Henry Pontiac De Kol; 2, Union College on the get of College King Segis Alcartra; 3, Larson on the get of Rex Clothilde Aagle Forum; 4, Crow on the get of Herbert Oak Fayne of Rock. Produce of Cow: 6 shown; 1, Young on the produce of Lady Volga Colanthus 3rd; 2, Larson on the produce of Waterloo Plgm De Kol 2nd; 3, Union College on the produce of Sarah Netherland De Kol; 4, Crow on the produce of Maud Mahomet Mutual De Kol 3rd.

Jersey Cattle

By one head a breeder from extreme Southwest Kansas increased the inadequate showing made in Jersey cattle at Topeka, making three breeders and 35 head to report. This, however, did not change the story of the visitor taking nearly all the Kansas money back to Iowa. An enormous Jersey Cattle Club "educational" tent nearly across the street from the show barn, stood nearly empty thru most of the early part of the fair. Jersey cattle are as good as ever, better in fact, but the job of "taking them to the farmer" has not yet been figured out satisfactorily.

Exhibitors—Joseph A. Lewis, Satanta, Kan.; 1 head; Omer A. Weir, Hiawatha, Kan.; 15 head; Waterloo Jersey Farm, Waterloo, Ia.; 19 head. **Judge**—Prof. H. W. Cave, Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan. **Bulls**—Aged: 1 shown; 1, Weir on Fluff Champion Lad. Three-Year-Olds: 1 shown; 1, Weir on Roxana's Ruby's Financial. Two-Year-Olds: 1 shown; 1, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Countess King. One

Year and under 2: 4 shown; 1, 2 and 4, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Winner, Financial Bonne Sans Albi, Financial Sans Alot's Pilot; 3, Weir on Lassie's Financial Lad. Senior Bull Calves: 7 shown; 1, 2, 3 and 4, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Merman, Financial Sensation Count, Financial Superior King, Financial Wonder Fern.

Cows—Aged: 2 shown; 1, Weir on Ulata's Jolly Lassie; 2, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Countess Topsy. Three-Year-Olds: 3 shown; 1, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Francene; 2 and 3, Weir on Jewel's Fluff and C. F. Hopeful's Jenny. Two-Year-Olds: 3 shown; 1, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Sans Alot's Goldie; 2 and 3, Weir on Fontaine's Betty Bell and Daisy Champion Fairy. Senior Yearlings: 1 shown; 1, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Sensation Francene. Junior Yearlings: 4 shown; 1 and 2, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Beauty Buttercup and Financial Beauty Brown; 3 and 4, Weir on Jenny Financial Ruby and Buff Sunny Muggins. Senior Heifer Calves: 5 shown; 1, 2 and 4, Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Fancy Buttercup. Financial Exquisite 3rd, Financial Wonder Marie; 3, Weir on Financial Lady Maud.

Senior Champion Bull—Weir on Fluff's Champion Lad. **Junior and Grand Champion Bull**—Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Winner.

Junior Champion Cow—Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Fancy Buttercup.

Senior and Grand Champion Cow—Waterloo Jersey Farm on Financial Francene.

Groups—Graded Herds: 3 shown; 1, Waterloo Jersey Farm; 2 and 3, Weir. Yearling Herds: 2 shown; 1, Waterloo Jersey Farm; 2, Weir. Calf Herds: 3 shown; 1 and 2, Waterloo Jersey Farm; 3, Weir. Kansas Special Calf Herds: 1 shown; 1, Weir. Get of Sire: 4 shown; 1 and 3, Waterloo Jersey Farm on get of Financial Beauty King and Financial Wonder King; 2 and 4, Weir on the gets of Roxana's Ruby's Financial. Produce of Cow: 1 shown; 1, Weir on the produce of Ulata's Pretty Easter.

The Guernseys

Guernseys seem to be emerging from the role of the "Mysterious Stranger" in dairy cattle circles, which they

sometimes have played in the farther southwestern fairs. The animals, of course, appeal to farmers who are "dairy minded" and this year four exhibitors, all but one of Kansas, brought out 39 creditable animals.

As our list of awards will show the Oklahoma breeder had a little the edge on championships, but elsewhere the home herds were strong enough to force a good division of ribbons, making a most interesting show, withal.

Exhibitors—Primrose Farm, Ardmore, Okla.; 12 head; Emmett Smith, Hutchinson, Kan.; 4 head; George M. Newlin, Hutchinson, Kan.; 11 head; Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan.; 1 head. **Judge**—H. W. Cave, Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan.

Bulls—Aged: 1 shown; 1, Newlin on Dairymaid's Cherub of the Prairie. Three-Year-Olds: 1 shown; 1, Primrose Farm on Peggy's Memorial Prince. Two-Year-Olds: 1 shown; 1, Smith on Brehaut's Moss Raider. Yearlings: 5 shown; 1 and 4, Primrose Farm on Langwater General Jacqueminot and Beckey's Bounty Primrose; 2, Newlin on Cynthia's Kitchener; 3, K.S.A.C. on Langwater Uncas. Senior Bull Calves: 1 shown; 1, Primrose Farm on Jenna's Beauty Primrose.

Senior Champion Bull—Smith on Brehaut's Moss Raider.

Junior and Grand Champion Bull—Primrose Farm on Langwater General Jacqueminot.

Cows—Aged: 3 shown; 1, Primrose Farm on Pride of Iowa's Oklahoma Miss; 2, Smith on Pinky; 3, Newlin on Katy Yeksa 2nd. Three-Year-Olds: 2 shown; 1, Newlin on Primula of the Prairie; 2, Primrose Farm on Wishtful Ardmore. Two-Year-Olds: 4 shown; 1, Primrose Farm on Mary of Guernseyvale; 2, Smith on Smith's Jewel; 3 and 5, Newlin on Sweet Lavender of the Prairie and Polly Princess. Senior Yearlings: 2 shown; 1, Primrose Farm on Jean of Edgewood 3rd; 2, Newlin on Marjoram's Cherry. Junior Yearlings: 2 shown; 1, New-

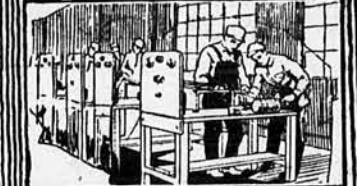
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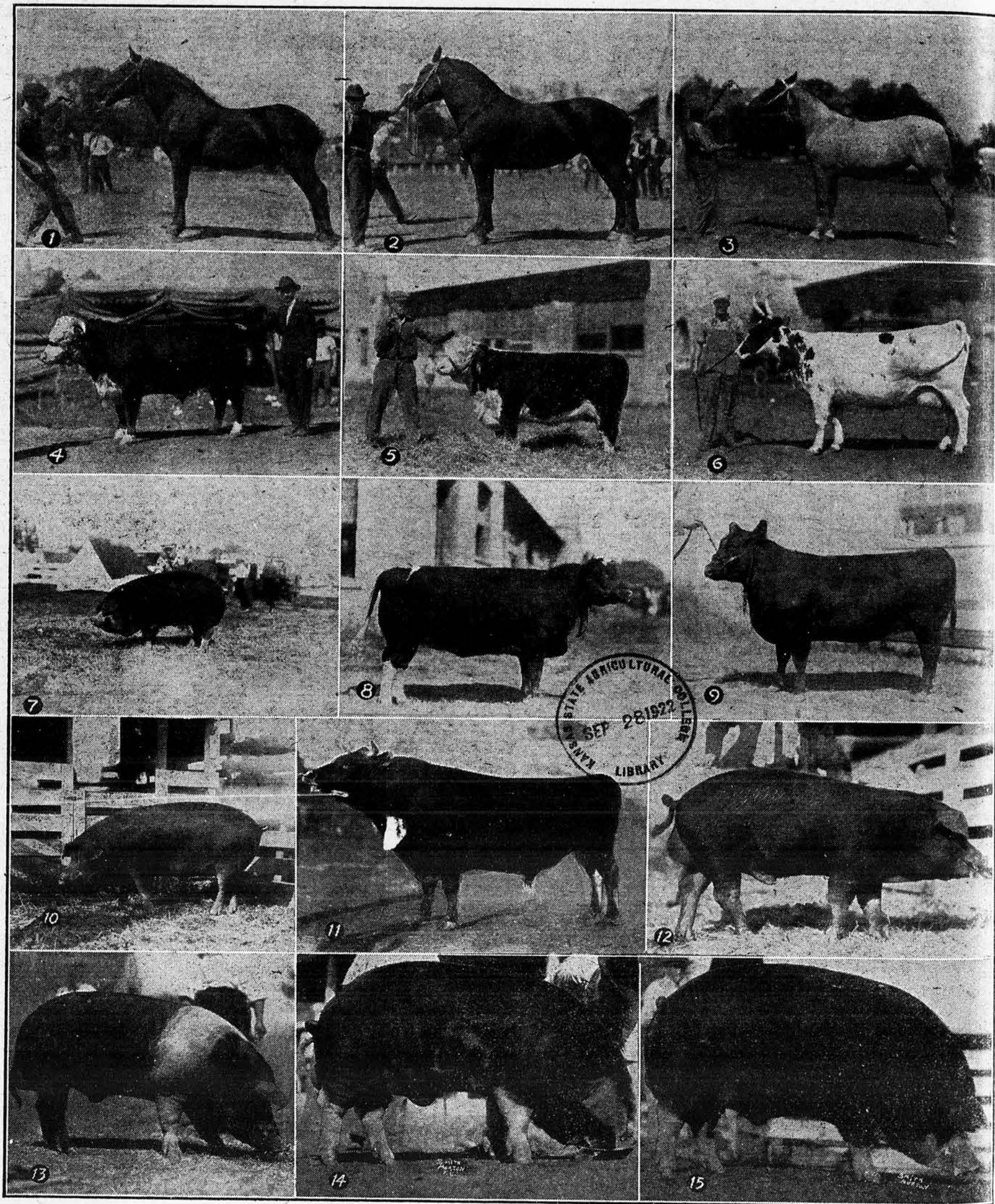
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An Overflow of Pictures from Our Regular Report in the Preceding Issue, Representing Ten Different Breeds and as Many Sections of the State



1—Tracy, Percheron Junior Champion Stallion, D. F. McAllister, Topeka, Shawnee County. 2—Idema, Percheron Grand Champion Mare, Ed Nickelson, Leonardville, Riley County. 3—Farzelle, Belgian Grand Champion Mare, Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Riley County. 4—Mischief Donald 8th, Hereford Third Prize Senior Yearling Bull, Frank Hug & Son, Seranton, Osage County. 5—Lady Regulator 9th, Hereford Junior Champion Cow, G. L. Matthews, Kinsley, Edwards County. 6—Willmoor Mandy, Champion Ayrshire Cow, David G. Page, Topeka, Shawnee County. 7—Rainbow's Wonder Queen 1st, Poland China First Prize Futurity Sow, Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Riley County. 8—Honor Maid 4th, Shorthorn Junior Champion Heifer, H. H. Holmes, Topeka, Shawnee County. 9—Blackbird, Angus Third Prize Senior Yearling Heifer, P. E. Gill & Son, Muscotah, Atchison County. 10—Miss Joy Senior 1st, Duroc Jersey Second Prize Junior Yearling Sow, Zink Stock Farm, Turon, Pratt County. 11—Fluff Champion Lad, Jersey Senior Champion Bull, O. A. Weir, Hiawatha, Brown County. 12—Kansas Giant, Duroc Jersey Fourth Prize Junior Boar Pig, Woody & Crowl, Barnard, Lincoln County. 13—Cherokee Master, Hampshire Grand Champion Boar, F. B. Wempe, Frankfort, Marshall County. 14—Ranch Yankee, Poland China Grand Champion Boar, Deming Ranch, Oswego, Labette County. 15—Bendena Wonder, Poland China Junior Champion Boar, H. B. Walter & Son, Bendena, Woodson County.

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and 2, Wempe on Cherokee Della 1st and Cherokee Della 2nd; 3 and 6, McPheeters on Cherokee's Beauty and Caroline's Best; 4, Leonard on Osage Queen; 5, Ward on Frisella Pershing 2nd. Junior Pig: 13 shown; 1 and 2, McPheeters on Baldwin Lady 1st and Baldwin Lady 2nd; 3 and 6, Morris on Bullion Lou 1st and Bullion Lou 2nd; 4 and 5, Wempe on Whiteway Jennie 5th and Katy's 1st.

Senior Grand Champion Boar—Morris on Amber Virginia.

Junior Champion Boar—Morris on Bullion's Top Chief.

Senior and Grand Champion Sow—Leonard on Lady Ex.

Junior Champion Sow—Wempe on Cherokee Della 1st.

Herds—Aged: 5 shown; 1, Leonard; 2 and 4, Wempe; 3, Ward; 6, McPheeters. Young Herds: 6 shown; 1 and 3, McPheeters; 2 and 4, Wempe; 5, Ward; 6, Leonard. Kansas Special Young Herds: 4 shown; 1 and 3, McPheeters; 2 and 4, Wempe. Get of Sire: 5 shown; 1, Ward on get of Gen. Pershing; 2, Wempe on get of Cherokee Maaster; 3, McPheeters on get of Kansas Colonel. Produce of Dam: 6 shown; 1, Wempe on produce of Whiteway Della 1st; 2, McPheeters on produce of Berenice Cherokee 2d; 3, Leonard on produce of Favorite 29th.

Spotted Poland Chinas

Four Kansas breeders of "the Spots" did fairly well against professional herds from Iowa and Missouri, in a showing of 73 animals from six herds. There is a great chance in this breed for the state association to hang up some special money and bring out a cracking showing next year.

The interest was apparent and Kansas breeders would cash in big on the effort necessary to do this. Three of the four championships went to a herd that took advantage of the best "black" Poland blood it was able to introduce, thru spotted members of that breed, and here again is something for Kansas breeders to think about.

Exhibitors—Miller & Manning, Parker-ville, Kan.; B. A. Singleton, Epworth, Mo.; Kaw-Nee Stock Farm, Rossville, Kan.; Shaver & Fry, Kalona, Ia.; E. Greenup, Valley Center, Kan.; Floyd Greenup, Valley Center, Kansas; Earl Fry, Iowa City, Ia.

Judge—W. L. Blizzard, Stillwater, Okla. Boars—Aged: 3 shown; 1, Shaver & Fry on Buster Bill; 2, Miller & Manning on M. & M's English Buster; 3, Kaw-Nee on Dunbar Boy. Senior Yearlings: 1 shown; 1, Singleton on Singleton's Giant. Junior Yearlings: 2 shown; 1, Shaver & Fry on Pathmaster; 2, Kaw-Nee on Kaw-Nee Booster 1st. Senior Pigs: 2 shown; 1, Shaver & Fry on Silver Spot; 2, Kaw-Nee on Kaw-Nee Gem Prince. Junior Pigs: 10 shown; 1, Earl Fry on Pathfinder's Equal; 2, Singleton on Giant's Model; 3 and 4, Shaver & Fry on English Harvester and English Harvester 2d; 5 and 6, Miller & Manning on Council Giant and Grove Giant.

Sows—Aged: 7 shown; 1 and 2, Singleton on Advance Lady and High Back Giantess; 3, Kaw-Nee on Devote's Choice; 4 and 6, Shaver & Fry on English Maid 2d and English Maid 1st; 5, Miller & Manning on Spotted Hazel. Senior Yearlings: 4 shown; 1, Singleton on Miss Jane; 2, Shaver & Fry on F's Julian; 3, Miller & Manning on Kaw-Nee Cynthia; 4, Earl Greenup on Equal A. Junior Yearlings: 6 shown; 1, Singleton on Wonder Giantess; 2 and 3, Shaver & Fry on Spotted Maid 3d and Spotted Maid 4th; 4, Miller & Manning on Booster Giantess; 5 and 6, Kaw-Nee on Kaw-Nee Mary 4th and Kaw-Nee Queen 1st. Senior Pigs: 8 shown; 1 and 3, Singleton on Hazel Jumbo and Fashion Queen; 2 and 6, Shaver & Fry on Silver Oblong 1st and Silver Oblong 3d; 4, Miller & Manning on Booster Spot; 5, Kaw-Nee on Kaw-Nee Gem 1st. Junior Pigs: 8 shown; 1 and 2, Shaver & Fry on Harvester's Lady 2d and Harvester's Lady; 3 and 4, Miller & Manning on Sylvan Perfection and Freddy Burress; 5 and 6, Singleton on Singleton's Perfection Giantess and Giant Beauty.

Senior and Grand Champion Boar—Singleton on Singleton's Giant.

Junior Champion Boar—Earl Fry on Pathfinder's Equal.

Senior and Grand Champion Sow—Singleton on Advance Lady.

Junior Champion Sow—Singleton on Hazel Jumbo.

Herds—Aged: 5 shown; 1, Singleton; 2 and 3, Shaver & Fry; 4, Miller & Manning; 5, Kaw-Nee. Spotted Poland Record Special: 4 shown; 1, Singleton; 2, Shaver & Fry; 3, Miller & Manning; 4, Kaw-Nee. Young Herd, Kansas Special: 3 shown; 1, Miller & Manning; 2, Kaw-Nee; 3, E. Greenup. Young Herds—Spotted Poland Record Special: 5 shown; 1, Singleton; 2, Shaver & Fry; 3, Miller & Manning; 4, Kaw-Nee; 5, E. Greenup. Get of Sire: 6 shown; 1, Singleton on get of Fashion Jumbo; 2 and 3, Shaver & Fry on get of English Captain and of The Harvester; 4, Miller & Manning on get of M. & M's English Booster; 5, Kaw-Nee on get of Kansas Spotted King; 6, E. Greenup on get of Victor Boy. Get of Sire—Spotted Poland Record Special: 5 shown; 1, Singleton; 2, Shaver & Fry; 3, Miller & Manning; 4, Kaw-Nee; 5, E. Greenup; on get of sires in preceding class. Produce of Sows: 4 shown; 1 and 2, Shaver & Fry on produce of English Maid 1st and of Blood Tella; 3, Kaw-Nee on produce of Gem Spots; 4, E. Greenup on produce of Henrietta. Produce of Sow—Spotted Poland Record Special: 3 shown; 1, Shaver & Fry; 2, Kaw-Nee; 3, E. Greenup; on produce of sows in preceding class.

The Tamworths

The only exhibitor of Tamworths was J. B. Mackoy, Farragut, Ia., who took all awards in classes for which he had entries. The 16 head made a creditable showing. They were well finished and were of good quality. The judge was H. O. Sheldon of Oswego, Kan.

Boys' Pig Club Contest

Eighteen boys put on a spirited contest in the boys' pig club division of the Kansas State Fair at Hutchinson last week, showing a fine bunch of

young stuff, mostly Duroc Jerseys. Culver Moser, Sabetha, Kan., placed first in a class of 13 on purebred Duroc gilt, while Victor Haury of Mound Ridge, won first with his purebred Duroc boar in a class of six entries. The pigs were judged by F. W. Bell of Manhattan, Kan. Lawrence Seyb, Pretty Prairie, headed the class in the pig showing contest.

Complete awards follow:

Exhibitors—Sigmund Siebert, Pretty Prairie; Dale Galle, Moundridge; Victor Haury, Moundridge; Carl H. Rupp, Moundridge; Clarence Rupp, Moundridge; Hugh McMichael, Kingman; Floyd Seyb, Pretty Prairie; Orlan Seyb, Pretty Prairie; Lawrence Seyb, Pretty Prairie; Ellis French, Pretty Prairie; Homer French, Pretty Prairie; Walter Murphy, Pretty Prairie; Dan F. Reusser, Moundridge; Jeanette Knapenberger, Ponca; Fern Moser, Sabetha; Culver Moser, Sabetha; Clarence Bohn, Sabetha; Roscoe Madison, Kingman.

Judge—F. W. Bell, Manhattan, Kan.

Purebred Duroc Gilts: 13 shown; 1, Culver Moser; 2, Lawrence Seyb; 3, Orlan Seyb; 4, Sigmund Siebert; 5, Fern Moser; 6, Carl Rupp; 7, Jeanette Knapenberger; 8, Victor Haury; 9, Clarence Bohn; 10, Floyd Seyb.

Purebred Duroc Boar Pigs: 6 shown; 1, Victor Haury; 2, Carl Rupp; 3, Clarence Rupp; 4, Walter Murphy; 5, Homer French; 6, Dale Galle.

Purebred Poland Gilts: 2 shown; 1, Hugh McMichael; 2, Roscoe Madison.

Fat Class—Section A—Within 50 Miles: 7 shown; 1, Lawrence Seyb; 2, Sigmund Siebert; 3, Orlan Seyb; 4, Hugh McMichael; 5, Don Reusser; 6, Victor Haury; 7, Carl Rupp. Section B—More than 50 Miles: 3 shown; 1, Culver Moser; 2, Fern Moser; 3, Clarence Bohn.

Pig Showing Contest: 7 shown; 1, Lawrence Seyb; 2, Carl Rupp; 3, Dan Reusser; 4, Sigmund Siebert; 5, Orlan Seyb.

Percheron Horses

To Professors F. W. Bell and B. M. Anderson, respectively superintendent of the department for equines, and secretary for the Kansas State Percheron Association, undoubtedly belong much credit for the remarkable showing of Percherons at the Kansas State Fair. Eleven studs were represented with a total of 90 animals, and the cleanest lot of Percherons ever brought together at Hutchinson.

The show was brisk, high class in its conduct and full of keen competition. The awards tell the most interesting story, of course, and it is worth while to note the size of some of the rings shown: 14 in aged mare, eight entries in produce of mare, and 10 entries of mares showing foal at side. It is a question whether the breeders of any other single state have made as good a showing this fall.

Exhibitors—D. F. McAllister, Topeka, Kan.; 10 head; J. T. Schwalm & Son, Baldwin, Kan.; 10 head; C. R. Soward & Son, Baldwin, Kan.; 7 head; Adam Becker & Son, Meriden, Kan.; 5 head; Ed Nickelson, Leonardville, Kan.; 7 head; T. B. Odell, Berryton, Kan.; 4 head; F. W. Dewey, Gridley, Kan.; 7 head; Guy McAllister, Mitchell, Kan.; 4 head; Ray Durr, Dighton, Kan.; 8 head; Miller Glenn, Lyons, Kan.; 2 head; Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan.; 7 head.

Stallions—Aged: 3 shown; 1, Schwalm on Burnap; 2, Odell on Jockwin; 3, Soward & Son on Bon. Three-Year-Olds: 3 shown; 1, Nickelson on Mark; 2, D. F. McAllister on Faun; 3, Schwalm on Franzell. Stallion, Two-Year-Olds: 4 shown; 1, Becker on Alf; 2, D. F. McAllister on Brilando; 3, Schwalm on Captain; 4, Dewey on Carby. Yearlings: 6 shown; 1, D. F. McAllister on Tracy; 2, Nickelson on Hobau; 3, Soward on Koumou; 4 and 5, Schwalm on Bernap and Odel; 6, Becker on Juel. Same awards were made for Kansas Breeders' Percheron Special in the same class. Foals: 9 shown; 1, Kansas State Agricultural College on Jungo; 2 and 6, Durr on Laddie and December Lad; 3, Guy McAllister on Blizard; 4, Becker on Korporal; 5, Soward on Bonaglace. Same award on Kansas breeders special in same class.

Mares—Aged: 14 shown; 1 and 2, Nickelson on Idana and June Bride; 3, D. F. McAllister on Manzelle; 4, Odell on Gaiter; 5, Guy McAllister on Biche; 6, Kansas State Agricultural College on V Annette. Three-Year-Olds: 6 shown; 1, Dewey on Lady Bird; 2, Nickelson on Beauty; 3, Soward on Martha; 4, Schwalm on Ona. Two-Year-Olds: 6 shown; 1 and 2, Dewey on Carolito and Carveine; 3, Nickelson on Abva; 4, Soward on Lucille. Yearlings—Kansas Breeders' Special: 7 shown; 1, 3 and 4, Kansas State Agricultural College on Alfine, Masse 2d, and Annette 2d; 2, B. F. McAllister on Mildred; 5, Nickelson on Benlah. Filly Foals—Kansas Breeders' Special: 8 shown; 1 and 5, Kansas State Agricultural College on Mosse's Lady and Annabel; 2, D. F. McAllister on Arlavin; 3 and 4, Odell on Alda and Alma. Mare and Foal: 10 shown; 1, D. F. McAllister; 2, Soward; 3, Odell; 4, Guy McAllister.

Senior Champion Stallion—Nickelson on Mark.

Junior and Grand Champion Stallion—Becker on Ilif.

Senior Champion Mare—Nickelson on Idana.

Junior and Grand Champion Mare—Kansas State Agricultural College on Alline. Groups—Produce of Mare: 8 shown; 1, Odell on produce of Cecelia; 2, produce of State Agricultural College on the produce of V Laura; 3, Nickelson on the produce of Alovra; 4, D. F. McAllister on the produce of Manuelle. Get of Sire: 9 shown; 1, Nickelson on the get of Jeun; 2, Kansas State Agricultural College on the get of Big Ben; 3, Becker on the get of Ellington; 4, D. F. McAllister on the get of Bunker. Best Stud: 8 shown; 1, Nickelson; 2, Dewey; 3, Kansas State Agricultural College; 4, D. F. McAllister.

Grooms' Contest: 1, Wilson, M. F. McAllister's groom; 2, J. J. Moxley, Nickelson's groom; 3, Sutton, Soward's groom; 4, Schwalm, groom for Schwalm & Son.

Team Hitches: 6 shown; 1, Nickelson; 2, Schwalm; 3, Durr; 4, Odell; 5, Dewey; 6, D. F. McAllister.

Belgian Horses

Belgian horses never may be numerous in Kansas, but exhibits like the one this year are ample to show what good Belgians look like. The two studs represented contained some of the very best Belgian breeding and individuality in the country, tho affording only one, two or three animals in each ring.

Exhibitors—H. A. Thomas, Anthony, Kan.; Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan.

Judge—D. W. Chittenden, Columbia, Mo. Rams—Aged: 1 shown; 1 and 2, White; 3, Homan. Yearlings: 5 shown; 1 and 3, White; 2, Gilmore & Hague. Lambs: 7 shown; 1 and 2, White; 3, Homan. Ewes—Aged: 6 shown; 1 and 2, White; 3, Merrett. Yearlings: 5 shown; 1 and 2, White; 3, Homan. Lamb: 6 shown; 1, White; 2, Merrett; 3, Gilmore & Hague. Groups—Lamb Flocks: 5 shown; 1, White; 2, Merrett; 3, Homan. Get of Sire: 3 shown; 1, White; 2, Merrett; 3, Homan. Flocks: 5 shown; 1 and 2, White; 3, Homan. American Shropshire Special: 2 shown; 1, Homan; 2, Gilmore & Hague.

Champion Ram—White.

Champion Ewe—White.

The Southdowns

Exhibitors—C. C. Croxen, West Liberty, Ia.; W. W. Waltemire, Peculiar, Mo.; Heatherhall Farm, Kellerton, Ia.; Geo. Allen & Sons, Lexington, Neb.

Judge—D. W. Chittenden, Columbia, Mo.

Rams—Aged: 3 shown; 1 and 2, Heatherhall; 3, Allen. Yearlings: 3 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Allen. Lambs: 2 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2, Allen.

Ewes—Aged: 4 shown; 1 and 2, Heatherhall; 3, Waltemire. Yearlings: 2 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2, Allen. Lambs: 2 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2, Allen.

Groups—Flocks: 2 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2, Allen.

Champion Ram—Heatherhall.

Champion Ewe—Heatherhall.

The Dorsets

Exhibitors—C. C. Croxen, West Liberty, Ia.; Edmund Hanson, Dean, Ia.; Heatherhall, Kellerton, Ia.

Rams—Aged: 2 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2, Hanson. Yearlings: 2 shown; 1 and 2, Hanson. Lambs: 3 shown; 1, 2 and 3, Hanson.

Ewes—Aged: 3 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Hanson. Yearlings: 3 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Hanson. Lambs: 4 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Hanson.

Groups—Flocks: 5 shown; 1, Hanson; 2, Heatherhall.

Champion Ram—Heatherhall.

Champion Ewe—Heatherhall.

The Cotswolds

Exhibitors—Geo. Allen & Sons, Lexington, Neb.; C. C. Croxen, West Liberty, Ia.; Ed. Hanson, Dean, Ia.; W. W. Waltemire & Sons, Peculiar, Mo.; Heatherhall Farm, Kellerton, Ia.; O. A. Homan, Peabody, Neb.

Rams—Aged: 4 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Allen. Yearlings: 4 shown; 1, Allen; 2, Hanson; 3, Heatherhall. Lambs: 4 shown; 1, Allen; 2 and 3, Hanson.

Ewes—Aged: 5 shown; 1, Allen; 2, Heatherhall; 3, Homan. Yearlings: 5 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2, Homan; 3, Heatherhall. Lambs: 3 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Allen.

Groups—Flocks: 3 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Allen.

Champion Ram—Heatherhall.

Champion Ewe—Heatherhall.

The Rambouillets

Only a few Rambouillets were shown.

George Allen & Sons, Lexington, Neb., was the only exhibitor.

Delaine Merinos

Exhibitors—C. C. Croxen, West Liberty, Ia.; Ed. Hanson, Dean, Ia.; W. W. Waltemire, Peculiar, Mo.; Heatherhall Farm, Kellerton, Ia.

Rams—Aged: 1 shown; Hanson. Yearlings: 2 shown; 1 and 2, Hanson. Lambs: 3 shown; 1, 2 and 3, Hanson.

Ewes—Aged: 2 shown; 1 and 2, Hanson. Yearlings: 2 shown; 1 and 2, Hanson. Lambs: 2 shown; 1 and 2, Hanson.

Groups—Flocks: 1 shown; Hanson.

Champion Ram—Hanson.

Champion Ewe—Hanson.

The Hampshires

Exhibitors—George Allen & Sons, Lexington, Neb.; C. C. Croxen, West Liberty, Ia.; John Graham & Son, Eldora, Ia.; W. W. Waltemire & Sons, Peculiar, Mo.; Heatherhall Farm, Kellerton, Ia.

Rams—Aged: 4 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Allen. Yearlings: 3 shown; 1 and 2, Graham; 3, Allen. Lambs: 3 shown; 1 and 2, Graham; 3, Allen.

Ewes—Aged: 5 shown; 1 and 3, Graham; 2, Heatherhall. Yearlings: 4 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Graham. Lambs: 4 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2, Allen; 3, Graham.

Groups—Flocks: 2 shown; 1, Graham; 2, Allen.

Champion Ram—Heatherhall.

Champion Ewe—Graham.

Sale Reports and Other News

V. A. Jaspersen's Shorthorn Sale

V. A. Jaspersen, Scranton, Kan., sold his herd of registered Shorthorns September 4, and is going to retire from farming for a while at least. He has made money farming and in the stock business and his Shorthorns were among the best in that section. Mr. Jaspersen expects to engage in some other kind of business where he will have a good chance to school his three boys. His Shorthorn sale September 4 was handicapped by the extreme heat and dry weather and the further fact that it was a little early, but necessary because of Mr. Jaspersen's future plans. The average on 45 head, big and little, was nearly \$100.

Earl F. Stout Buys Shorthorns

Earl F. Stout, Studley, Kan., Sheridan county, has written me that he is well pleased with his trip to Topeka and Manhattan, where he bought Shorthorn heifers for the Quinter calf club recently. At Manhattan he bought from O. B. Burtis, a herd bull for use in the Stout herd, and expects to show him at the Sheridan county fair at Quinter this fall along with his other Shorthorns. He also took this opportunity to tell me that he is very much pleased with the Shorthorn page in the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze and that the other members of the Short Grass Shorthorn breeders association are as well pleased. He is the club leader for a nice little pig club at Studley and says that some of the boys have put about 50 pounds of weight on their pigs in 30 days. Mr. Stout is the secretary of the Shortgrass Shorthorn breeders association, a live little association. A. B. Shoemaker, Lucerne, Kan., is the president and he and his four sons each own registered Shorthorns and live in the same neighborhood.

Buy Your Duroc Boar Now

Sale in pavilion at the farm joining town

Lawrence, Kan., Thursday, Oct. 19

23 spring boars, big, high backed, stretchy fellows, very typy and weighing better than 200 pounds sale day.

23 spring gilts, very choice and sisters to these outstanding boars.

These boars and gilts are mostly by Intense Great Wonder, an outstanding Pathfinder bred boar. Others by D.O's Choice Wonder.

Everything immunized. If you like size, type and real Durocs, you better come to this sale. Sale catalog ready to mail. Address

J. J. Smith, Lawrence, Kansas

Auctioneers, Homer Rule, Geo. Berry
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If you can't attend send your buying orders to J. W. Johnson in my care. Free autos from Eldridge Hotel to the farm and return. Mention Mail and Breeze when you write.

Martin's Big Sale of Durocs

At farm midway between Paola and Wellsville on county road.

Tuesday, October 17

30 big boned husky stretchy boars with lots of quality. 30 open gilts with lots of stretch and will make great brood sows. Sired by four good sons of world famous boars:

1. Great Orion's Fashionpiece by Great Orion, 1918 world's grand champion.

2. Jack's Col. Giant by Jack's Col., one of the largest boned boars of the breed.

3. Mammoth Sensation by Great Orion Sensation, 1919-21 world's grand champion.

4. The Major by Major Sensation, 1919 world's junior champion. The Major is also full brother to Rainbow Sensation, 1921 Missouri grand champion.

Dams include granddaughters of Joe's Nellie 8th, full sister to My Lady Friend, 1920-21 world's grand champion; daughters of Stills; Giant Sensation, 1922 Iowa grand champion; and granddaughters of Great Orion Sensation. The best blood lines the breed affords and you will not find a greater bunch of Durocs assembled in any Kansas sale this year. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Send all mail bids to J. T. Hunter. For a catalog write

M. A. Martin, Paola, Kansas

Rule and Blagg, Auctioneers.
J. T. Hunter will represent the Kansas Farmer-Mail and Breeze.

McBride's Great Duroc Offering

15 Fall Gilts, 15 Spring Gilts, and 25 Boars.

Parker, Kansas, Wednesday, October 18

HERD SIRES. 1. Echo Sensation by Great Sensation that sired Great Orion Sensation, 1919-21 World's grand champion. 2. H. & B's Pathfinder by Pathfinder, that sired more grandchampions in Kansas and the Southwest than any other boar of the breed. 3. Sensation Orion by Great Orion Sensation, the twice world's grand champion. 4. Parker Defender by Improved Defender. There will be some bred sows and gilts and some with pigs at side. Buyers at former sales know that the McBride sale offerings are always carefully selected from a large herd of good Durocs.

The offering as a whole will not only be outstanding but will include special attractions: A gilt by Improved Defender, a litter by Sensation Orion, and H. & B's PATHFINDER SELLS, because many females in the herd are too closely related to him to warrant his retention in the herd. Here is a great herd sire that has done a lot toward making the McBride herd what it is—the greatest herd in eastern Kansas. Aged boars never bring their worth in a public sale. Here is a good one. Come and get him. He will prove a valuable asset to anyone who can use him.

A lot of cracking good Duroc herd sire prospects. This will be THE Duroc sale of eastern Kansas. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Send all mail bids to J. T. Hunter who will represent Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Write today for catalog to

W. T. McBride, Parker, Kansas

H. T. Rule, Auctioneer. J. T. Hunter, Fieldman.

A First Class Offering of Durocs

C. O. Wilson Sells 15 Tried
Sows and 20 Gilts

Rantoul, Kansas, Thursday, Oct. 12

The chief herd sire, Pathfinder Jr., is a son of Jack's Orion King A by Jack's Orion King 2nd, 1917 world's junior champion and out of an Orion dam. Some of the offering is by Jack's Orion King 2nd, and Wonder Giant I Am. Most of the sale females are bred to Orion King.

There will be at least 10 sows with pigs at side in this sale. When you buy a sow with pigs at side you do not have to wait and see how many pigs she will farrow. A sow with pigs is one of the best possible buys at a sale. Come prepared to take one of these sows with her litter.

Write today for a catalog. Mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Send mail bids to J. T. Hunter. Address

C. O. Wilson, Rantoul, Kansas

Auctioneer, Homer Rule, Fieldman, J. T. Hunter.

Grandview Stock Farm

No public sale but the tops from 100 spring pigs. Real boars and gilts out of well bred sows and sired by King Pathrion, full brother in blood to state champion, Great Pathrion. Address
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"Legal Tender" Durocs

have been sold in 51 counties in Kansas. I have a nice lot of pigs 40 to 125 lbs. Papers free with each one. Pairs unrelated. Best breeding at right prices. Write me your wants. J. E. WELLS, Holton, Kan.

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The Sheep Show

The sheep show was well balanced, eight breeds being represented. Ten exhibitors had 210 animals entered. In 1921 the show consisted of 222 sheep shown by seven breeders. There was no competition in the Rambouillet division, all awards being made to George Allen & Sons, Lexington, Neb. Edmund Hanson, Dean, Ia., won every ribbon in the Delaine Merinos.

The awards follow.

Oxford Downs

Exhibitors—C. C. Croxen, West Liberty, Ia.; John Graham & Son, Eldora, Ia.; W. W. Waltemire & Sons, Peculiar, Mo.; Heatherhall Farm, Kellerton, Ia.

Rams—Aged: 4 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Graham. Yearlings: 4 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Graham. Lambs: 2 shown; 1 and 2, Graham.

Ewes—Aged: 3 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Graham. Yearlings: 3 shown; 1, Heatherhall; 2 and 3, Graham. Lambs: 3 shown; 1 and 2, Graham; 2, Heatherhall.

Groups—Flock: 1 shown; 1, Graham. Lamb Flocks: 4 shown; 1, Graham. Get of Sire: 1 shown; Graham.

Champion Ram—Heatherhall.

Champion Ewe—Heatherhall.

The Shropshires

Exhibitors—C. C. Croxen, West Liberty, Ia.; Gilmore & Hague, Peabody, Kan.; O.

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Durocs

A. J. Creitz & Son
Sell 50 Head

This is the first sale to be held in the new sale pavilion

Beloit, Kansas
Friday, Oct. 13

Spring boars, Spring gilts, and young sows with litters

The offering is sired by:

Pathfinder Paramount
Pathfinder's Orion
Pathfinder's Chief 2nd.
C's Orion Path Sensation
C's Wonder King
C's Giant Orion King and others

Their dams are real brood sows sired by

Pathfinder
Pathfinder Chief 2nd.
Pathfinder Jr.
Orion Great Sensation
Giant Invincible
Gold Dust Wonder
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An offering of uniform, big type, high class individuals. Rich red colors, standing well on strong pasterns. Not pampered but the kind that will go out and make money for you and friends for us. Catalogs ready to mail upon request. Address,

A. J. Creitz & Son,
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Auctioneers: Jas. T. McCulloch, Will Myers.

J. W. Johnson, Fieldman.

Save money by buying in the early sales. Sale starts at 1:30 p. m.

Boars and Gilts

30 Duroc Jerseys
30 Poland Chinas

Big, stretchy, typy, well grown boars and gilts of both breeds of excellent breeding.

Sale at farm joining town.

Riley, Kansas, Oct. 12

The Duroc Jersey boars and gilts are by Col. Pathfinder by Pathfinder Jr. Of the 30 splendid Duroc boars and gilts three boars are by Walt's Orion and out of Lady Scissors by Scissors Jack.

The 30 Poland China boars and gilts are mostly by Quality Jumbo by Missouri Jumbo. One litter of nine by Hill's Col. Jack and out of a Liberator dam. Special—A boar pig by Archdale 119678 and out of Priscilla Fashion 319973 by Designer. Remember there are 35 boars and 25 gilts in this sale. Catalogs ready to mail. Write for yours right now. Address

J. L. Griffiths, Riley, Kan.

Jas. T. McCulloch, Auctioneer.

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Field Notes

BY J. W. JOHNSON

T. L. Curtis, Dunlap, Kan., Morris county, breeds Spotted Poland Chinas, and his advertisement in the Mail and Breeze is changed this week to include a lot of choice August and September pigs at very attractive prices. He is also offering a lot of extra good spring boars and some bred gilts. Also three white Scotch puppies. Write today if you are interested.—Advertisement.

J. L. Griffiths' Sale

J. L. Griffiths, Riley, Kan., breeds Poland Chinas and Duroc Jerseys and his annual boar and gilt sale is October 12 and will be held at his farm joining town. Sixty boars and gilts, 30 of each breed, will be sold. They are well bred and extra well grown, and as good as any like number you will find anywhere this fall. The catalog is ready to mail and you can have your copy by return mail by dropping him a line.—Advertisement.

The White City Jersey Sale

The sale of federal accredited White City Jerseys at White City, Kan., next Wednesday, is a Kansas effort that the Jersey cattle fraternity everywhere should know about and feel an interest in. Only 35 head will be sold but they are of the right kind. The catalog is out and if you have not already asked for it you can do so right now and receive it before the sale. Be sure to go if you are interested in the best in Jerseys. The sale is at White City, Kan., which is in Morris county.—Advertisement.

H. T. Hayman's Poland

H. T. Hayman, Formoso, Kan., Jewell county, will sell 50 Poland China boars and gilts at that place, Monday, October 16. It is important that the offering is sired by several boars and seven of the litters that these boars and gilts are selected from are not related to anything Mr. Hayman has sold in the past so breeders and farmers can secure in this sale new breeding. The sale will be advertised in the next issue of the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. You can ask for the catalog right now. In fact you better do so as the time is drawing close.—Advertisement.

The A. L. & D. Harris Sale

A. L. & D. Harris, Osage City, Kan., are selling at their farm six miles west of Osage City, Poland China boars and gilts of last spring farrow; bred sows and sows with litters, and fall gilts. The sale is next Wednesday and the Harris farm is about six miles west of Osage City on the old Santa Fe trail to Rapp, a small station on the Santa Fe and just a half mile south of there. They are real Poland Chinas, the kind beginners and farmers are trying to get stocked up with. Remember the sale is next Wednesday and about 40 head will be sold. You will find a catalog waiting for you at the sale ring.—Advertisement.

Fred O. Peterson's Herefords

Fred O. Peterson, Lawrence, Kan., rural Route 5, is starting his Hereford advertising again in the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze with this issue. He is offering 13 registered Hereford cows that are bred to a good Anxiety bred bull at very low prices. He is also offering bulls, heifers and calves at the same kind of prices. Mr. Peterson is a well known breeder of Herefords at Lawrence, and is thoroughly reliable and just wants to sell some Herefords and is willing to make the price so low that it looks like he should sell at once. You better investigate this if you want registered Herefords.—Advertisement.

The Herington Holstein Sale

The Dairyman and Farmers sale of Holstein cattle at Herington, Kan., Saturday, October 7, is advertised in this issue of the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Sixty-five head will be sold. Thirty-five head are registered cattle and 30 head are choice high grade cows and heifers that are fresh now or soon to be fresh. The pure bred are mostly consigned by Ed Fitzgerald of Jamestown, Kan., who is dispersing his entire herd because he has sold his farm. Walter Stevens, Burdick, Kan., and Maplewood Farm, Herington, are also consignors. The catalog is ready to mail. Address, W. H. Mott, Sale manager, Herington, Kan., for the catalog.—Advertisement.

Henry J. Haag's Spotted Poland Sale

This is the last call for the Henry J. Haag sale of Spotted Poland Chinas at Holton, Kan., next Friday, October 6. The sale will be held at his farm, about two miles out from town. Free accommodations to the farm and return from the City hotel in Holton. I know there are a number of Spotted Poland China breeders and farmers in Kansas, who are going to want a Spotted boar this fall. I want to urge them to attend this sale. It will prove one of the strongest offerings of big, typy, well grown and attractive boars you have seen in a long time. If you can't come you can send me your order for a boar or gilts and I will handle it for you. But you better attend the sale in person. Remember it is next Friday, October 6, at Holton, Kan. It is a big sale, 60 head of tops.—Advertisement.

George Hammond's Polled Shorthorn Sale

George Hammond, Smith Center, Kan., has announced December 13 as the date for his dispersion sale of registered Polled Shorthorn cattle. In this sale he is making a complete clean up sale of his entire herd including his herd bull, Pleasant Dale Sultan, an intensely bred Sultan bull of great merit as a sire. Also a string of fine heifers sired by him that are very desirable for calf clubs. There will also be some older heifers by him and a very choice lot of cows and heifers bred and with calves at foot. Also some young bulls of serviceable ages and an all round offering of very high class Polled Shorthorns numbering around 40 or 50 head. It is one of the rare opportunities for those looking for foundation cattle of this popular kind at present. The sale will be held in Smith Center and will be advertised in the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze later on.—Advertisement.

H. Olson & Son's Shorthorn Sale

H. Olson & Son, Scranton, Kan., will disperse their herd of registered Shorthorn cattle at the Olson farm 22 miles south of Topeka on the Capital auto trail and about five miles southeast of Scranton, Friday, October 27. Mr. Olson has decided to leave the farm for a few years at least and has leased it. The matter of school facilities

decided them on making the change at this time. The herd of Shorthorns is one of great merit. Forty head will be sold, 20 cows that are bred, nine two-year-old heifers, extra good and bred, some yearling heifers and a few bull calves. The herd bulls, one a grandson of Fair Acres Sultan and the other an intensely Sultan bred bull, are included in the dispersal. For more than 20 years Mr. Olson has raised Shorthorns but six years ago he decided to build a strictly pure bred herd and set to work getting together a real herd of cows. You are going to get the results of this larger effort and at prices that are sure to be moderate. It is a nice young herd that will afford some real bargains if you get the catalog early and study it and attend the sale. You can ask for the catalog right now. Address H. Olson & Son, Scranton, Kan. The sale will be advertised in the Mail and Breeze shortly.—Advertisement.

A. J. Creitz & Son's Duroc Sale

A. J. Creitz & Son, Beloit, Kan., sell 50 recorded Duroc Jerseys in their big sale at Beloit, Friday, October 13. Spring boars, spring gilts and young sows with litters will be sold. The offering throughout is intensely Pathfinder and Orion breeding with plenty of Sensation blood. The Creitz herd has been built with careful selections from prominent herds and is one of the well bred herds of central Kansas. Everything except the litters with their mothers are vaccinated and recorded. This sale is held early in order to let one member of the firm get away to school and the early sales are always where you find the bargains. Besides it is decidedly to your advantage to buy your boar early. In addition to getting him for less money you have the decided advantage of being able to grow him better and develop a much better hog than if he was allowed to run with his mates 30 days longer. This is the first sale to be held in the new sale pavilion at Beloit. The catalogs are ready to mail and you should ask for your copy at once. Address, A. J. Creitz & Son, Beloit, Kan.—Advertisement.

J. M. Barnett's Sale

J. M. Barnett, Denison, Kan., Jackson county, will sell 29 Poland Chinas and 14 high grade Holstein cows and heifers in a public sale at his farm, two miles east of Denison, Kan., Tuesday, October 3. That is next Tuesday. Of the high grade cows, three are fresh since August 1, and three will be fresh soon after the sale and two are in milk since early spring. They are all young cows and the sale is made because his pure bred herd is assuming the size that he feels like keeping for his dairy. These high grade cows and heifers are all of a working herd of dairy cows and all of them of the desirable kind that make money the year round. He will also sell one yearling pure bred bull out of a 26 pound sire and a 22 pound dam. The Poland Chinas are of the big prolific kind that has made the Barnett herd talked about in northeast Kansas Poland China circles. There will be a fine string of spring gilts, some spring boars, a few fall gilts that are bred and others open. The sale is next Tuesday. You can get your catalog when you get to the sale.—Advertisement.

Dan O. Cain's Sale

Dan O. Cain, Beattie, Kan., Marshall county, sells Shorthorns, big type Polands, and Spotted Polands in his annual sale at the farm near Beattie, October 13. The sale is advertised in this issue of the Mail and Breeze. The offering consists of a draft of 12 Shorthorns, mostly bred three-year-old heifers, and a few two-year-old heifers and two yearling bulls. Twenty big type Poland China spring boars and gilts by Sky High Peter, and there is some real herd boar material here. Twenty Spotted Poland China boars and gilts and sows with litters. Featured in the Spotted Poland China section of the sale are six gilts by M. & M's English Booster and out of the highest priced sow sold in Kansas last year. Catalogs are ready to mail and you should write for one today. Dan will be glad to mail you his catalog by return mail and you better tell him where you saw his advertisement when you write.—Advertisement.

The St. Joe Holstein Sale

The Holstein breeders of north Missouri are among the best breeders of high class pure bred Holsteins in the state of Missouri and are in a class with the best breeders in any of the western states. There are no very large herds there but many of them find it necessary to sell some cattle occasionally. A number of them have joined together and will hold a combination sale at South St. Joe in the stock yards sale pavilion, Monday, October 16. A nice catalog is being mailed out upon request to W. H. Mott, Herington, Kan., who is managing the sale for them. Sixty-five head are catalogued and all are pure bred. In selecting cattle for the sale the sale management made it a point to select cows and heifers that were ready to freshen or that had recently come fresh. A few very choice young bulls from high record sires and dams were selected for the sale. These bulls are all ready for service. All cattle are tuberculin tested and sold with a 60-day retest guarantee. These breeders of northeast Missouri are joining forces and will make this sale one of the real offerings of the season. They are agreed that prices will range low in this sale but they have the surplus and more coming on and prefer to sell it to keeping it for the higher prices. Write W. H. Mott, Herington, Kan., for the sale catalog right now. It is free for the asking.—Advertisement.

J. J. Smith's Duroc Sale

J. J. Smith, Lawrence, Kan., sells Duroc Jersey boars and gilts in his own sale pavilion at his farm joining Lawrence, Thursday October 19. It is an unusually good offering of 23 choice spring boars and 23 spring gilts. These boars and gilts were sired mostly by Intense Great Wonder, a grandson of old Pathfinder that has and is doing his part to further popularize Pathfinders in Kansas. These boars are the kind so many breeders want and fail to get. They are the big, high backed kind, lots of bone, good feet and legs and just good all over and what is still very important, they have been well grown and will go into the sale ring sale day weighing around 200 pounds each. They won't be fat but in splendid breeding condition and just right to go to your farm and do good service. The average boar buyer each fall puts it off until later but the best time to buy is in October. A young boar, bought early and put by himself and away from his companions is much more sure to do well than those that are allowed to run together until late fall. These boars and gilts in the Smith sale are extra choice and sure to

SPOTTED POLAND CHINA HOGS

Modern Type

Spotted Polands

G. S. Wells and Son Sell 60 Head
—40 Gilts, 5 Sows and 15 Boars

Ottawa, Kan., Thursday, Oct. 5

Noted sires of the offering include Obena's Royal Spot, High Pocket, Royal Red Cross, Sington's Giant and Singleton's Lender. Noted dams include daughters of Leopard King, M. J. Lear, etc. 20 females are bred for October farrow, most of them to Obena's Royal Spot by Royal Spot. OBENA'S ROYAL SPOT is selling because we have too many of his daughters in the herd to justify his retention longer. This is a sale of modern Spotted Polands. You will like them. Spotted Polands in 1921 had the greatest percentage of increase in registration of any breed of hogs. Get started right by buying from a Modern Type Herd. For a catalog write today to **G. S. Wells & Son, Ottawa, Kansas**. Mention Kansas Farmer-Mail and Breeze. Homer Rule, Auctioneer, J. T. Hunter, Fieldman. Send mail ticks to J. T. Hunter.

Spotted Polands of Approved Type

500 head in this big modern herd. Everything immunized. Three great boars in service: Conrad's Nymph 32128, bred by Coughenour Bros., Sheldon, Ill. J. H. D. Model 18727, bred by Everett Goodwine, Potomac, Ill. Injun's O & O, bred by Henry Fields, Shenandoah, Va. 40 boars, March farrow, extra good at farmers prices. 200 pigs at weaning time for sale in pairs and trios or larger numbers. Very low prices if you act now. Bazant's Spots will please you. Write today for prices. **R. J. Bazant, Narka, Republic County, Kan.**

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The tops of 50 head. Immunized and shipped on approval. Also bred gilts. Also purebred August and September pigs at \$12.50 each. Granddaughters Arch Back King 11419 and Leopard King 6339. Also three white Scotch Collie pups. Write to **T. L. Curtis, Dunlap, Kan., Morris Co.**

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Spotted Poland Boar Pigs

Sired by Taylor's Duke, he by Carmine's Arch Back, he by Arch Back King; dam Lady Carmine. Their dams are direct descendants of the \$4,000.00 Buckeye Boy. Double immune.

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Bred sows and gilts, early or late farrow. Unrelated spring trios, spring or fall boars, English or Standard bred. Big type or medium. Immune. Guaranteed. **THOS. WEDDLE, Valley Center, Kan., R. 2.** Telephone Keechi, 1551.

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25 big, typy, well grown and well bred spring boars. Some splendid herd boar prospects by Lynch's Hoster. The big litter kind. Write for reasonable prices.

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Both sex, sows with pigs. Popular breeding. **EARL GREENUP, Valley Center, Kansas.**

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To farrow in Sept. Spring pigs both sex. Well bred and priced right. **JOHN DEITRICH, PLYMOUTH, KAN.**

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please you. Those who have seen them say they are about the best boars they have seen this year. Mr. Smith bought from Patman at the Topeka fair the 2nd prize boar pig by the Commander, at Lincoln and Topeka. We will have more about this great pig later on. He will be used on the gilts that go in the February bred sow sale. Better write for the boar sale catalog today. Mention the Mail and Breeze when you write.—Advertisement.

L. F. Cory & Son's Holstein Sale
L. F. Cory & Son, Belleville, Kan., are dispersing their herd of purebred Holstein Friesians in a big dispersal sale which will be held in Concordia, Kan., Wednesday, October 18. In the sale are 60 head, all purebreds and it is a real working herd. The Cories are selling. There are about 25 cows and 25 heifers that are fresh now, others that will freshen soon and others that are in milk. A nice lot of young heifers, choice young bulls of serviceable ages

Annual Sale Shorthorns—Big Type Polands— Spotted Polands

Sale in comfortable quarters at
the farm, near town

Beattie, Kan., Oct. 13

Shorthorns

A draft of 12 head, 10 females consisting of bred three-year-old heifers and yearling heifers. Two yearling bulls. Most of the Shorthorns are by White Goods, a splendid grandson of Ruberta's Goods. Those bred are bred to a Nonpareil bred bull.

Big Type Polands

20 spring boars and gilts largely by Sky High Peter. Featured in the sale are several real herd headers by this great sire.

Spotted Polands

20 spring boars and gilts and sows with litters. All are of fashionable breeding, sired by such boars as M. & M's. English Booster, Perfection Lad, etc.

Special. Six gilts are in the sale by M. & M's English, Booster and out of the highest priced sow sold in Kansas in 1922.

Catalogs are ready to mail. Address

Dan O. Cain, Beattie, Kan.

Mention Mail and Breeze.

J. W. Johnson, Fieldman

Poland China Pigs \$15.00

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Jumbo and out of choice sows.

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Big husky boars ready for service. Immunized and

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of all your needs for Polands.

H. O. Sheldon, Supt. Hog Department, Oswego, Kan.

SHORTHORN CATTLE

You Can Do Likewise

Following the annual purebred
sire demonstration and Shorthorn
show at Sni-a-Bar Farms

The Shorthorn Association
will make a public sale of the kind
of bulls needed for grading up good
non-registered herds.

25 Especially Selected Bulls

That can be bought at prices in line
with their value for building up
beef producing herds are cataloged
for this Public Sale

Friday, Oct. 13

They are well bred, registered
bulls from some of the best herds
of the country. Get a catalog and
see how well bred a bull has to be
to qualify for building up a high
class beef producing herd. Come to
the sale and see what a strictly
good bull the Shorthorn Association
will select for you for this funda-
mental work. For the catalog and
other information about the sale and
the Sni-a-Bar show, address

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Baltimore H-tel Building, Kansas City, Mo.

Sni-A-Bar Shorthorn Show and Sale

October 12 and 13, 1922

Sni-A-Bar Farms, Grain Valley, Mo.

Twenty-five bulls for farmer and

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Plan to attend these events. For par-

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American Shorthorn Breeders' Assn.,

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and two of the best herd bull opportunities that will be found in a sale this season. One is the senior herd bull, Dutchess Creamer Sir Inka and the other is a grandson of Tilly Alcartra, King Moro Mead Alcartra. Both bulls are valuable as you will see by consulting the catalog and are sure to sell below their real value. The cows and heifers have A. R. O. and semi-official records and you will be agreeably surprised when you investigate this good herd that is to be scattered out in new homes in this complete dispersal. The semi-official work the Corys have done has resulted in an average of 15,000 pounds of milk and 600 pounds of butter per cow. It is a working herd that you are asked to place your value on in this sale and every animal is one of real merit as a producer. There will be few sales where you will have a better opportunity to buy safely and profitably than this big sale affords. The matter of health of these cattle is settled when you know it is a federal accredited herd. The sale is advertised in this issue of the Mail and Breeze. Write today for the sale catalog. Address L. F. Cory & Son, Belleville, Kan.—Advertisement.

R. J. Bazant's Spotted Polands

R. J. Bazant, Narka, Kan., Republic county, is an extensive breeder of Spotted Poland Chinas. His herd today numbers over 500 head of registered and eligible Spotted Polands. He has spared neither time nor money in securing the best in the herd boar line and three great boars are in service in his herd and their names with their registry number appear in his advertisement in this issue of the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. His farm near Narka is splendidly equipped for the business with one of the best hog barns in the state. In a recent deal another farm that is about as well equipped with modern hog barns, etc., was acquired and Mr. Bazant may equip this new farm with registered Spotted Polands in the spring. But what I want to tell you about is the 40 great spring boars that he is offering for quick sale. They are by the three boars mentioned in his advertisement and out of big 500 and 600 and 700 pound sows. Because he does not feel that he has time to arrange for a boar sale this fall he wants to put these boars out at private sale just as quickly as possible. He is offering them at a very low figure considering their size and breeding. He is also offering 200 fall pigs at weaning time in lots to suit at attractive prices. But you should write him at once if you want a boar. You can have your choice now for a price that is within the reach of any farmer that wants to buy a registered Spotted Poland China boar. "I can grow them good just as cheap as I can grow them inferior," said Mr. Bazant in discussing his boars last week. Look up the advertisement and write today for prices on boars or pigs at weaning time.—Advertisement.

Bonaccord Farm Holsteins

Bonaccord Farm, Solomon, Kan., is the home of pure bred Holsteins and Duroc Jerseys. Louis Koenig believes in quality rather than numbers and his herds are both of a very high quality. The Holstein herd was established in 1917 with a few selections that proved profitable investments. One cow, now in the herd at 12 years and vigorous and due to freshen again soon, produced in four years five calves and nearly 60,000 pounds of milk and over 2100 pounds of butter. It was the fortunate purchases of animals of this character that enabled Louis Koenig to get started right in the pure bred Holstein-Friesian business. One of the remarkable things about the Louis Koenig herd is that with the exception of one calf he has 100 per cent of the heifer calves born during the six years still in the herd. During that time there has never been a heifer tested that did not make a creditable A. R. O. record. This was one of the first herds to get on the federal accredited list and the herd as a whole is one of the best in the west. It has been carefully built up by Mr. Koenig and many good records have been made and while it is not a large herd in point of numbers it stands out as one of the strong herds of the country in individual merit and production. The Duroc Jerseys are of the same high quality and the herd has been kept abreast of the times with the addition of new blood and has been carefully handled to insure the future usefulness of the animals that are sold for breeding purposes. Bonaccord Durocs founded the herd that made the largest export shipment that ever left the United States. The sows and gilts are being reserved for a bred sow sale this coming winter but some choice boars are for sale right now. Everything is immunized and the boars are big, thrifty fellows ready for real service.—Advertisement.

C. C. Witwer's Sale

C. C. Witwer, rural route 2, Topeka, Kan., is going to sell at his farm eight miles southwest of Topeka on the Lincoln street road, Tuesday, October 10, 20 Duroc Jersey spring boars, six of them by Adam's Express, the boar that has been called one of the best four boars raised in 1921 and a boar that is going to the National with a mighty good chance to win first honors there next month. These six boars are out of a Pathfinder bred sow and they are mighty good herd boar prospects. The rest of the boars are by Fear's Orion Model and all of them are of extra good size, plenty of bone and good stretch and are as a whole 20 as good boars as will be found in any sale in this section this fall. Fifteen gilts, their sisters and four fall yearling gilts and five tried sows complete the offering. All are open and mighty classy stuff. Because of the fact that it is so hard to keep competent help on a dairy farm, Mr. Witwer has decided to reduce his herd of high grade dairy cows. Twenty splendid dairy cows, working cows that are fresh since August or else to freshen right away, will be sold with 15 yearling and 2-year-old heifers. Five of the 2-year-old heifers are heavy springers. They will sell in this sale to the highest bidder and if you want milk now is your chance. They are tuberculin tested and sold with the usual retest privilege. All of the cows have milk records of above 5000 pounds of milk for the year. A neat folder or catalog is ready to mail that gives information about the dairy cows and heifers and the breeding of the Duroc Jerseys. Write for it at once and plan on attending this sale if you want milk cows of real merit or a boar of real value or a few gilts or sows. Address, C. C. Witwer, rural route 2, Topeka, Kan.—Advertisement.

BY J. T. HUNTER

Earl Greenup, Valley Center, Kan., starts his card in this issue of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. He offers Spotted Polands

Tucker's Big Poland Sale

The Best Bred Offering of the Southwest—
15 Tried Sows, 15 Young Females, 15 Boars

Wichita, Kan., Monday, October 16

Many of the offering directly by such sires as: The Joker, Wonder Masterpiece, Checktaker, The Yank, Marmon, King Pin, and Rex American. A number are by T's Joker by The Joker, and Wonder Masterpiece 2nd by Wonder Masterpiece. Some are out of Big Maid by Golden Gate King out of Giant Master by Grand Master. (This is the best brood sow of the Southwest), Miss Pacemaker by Checktaker out of a Giant Buster dam, and Rainbow Girl by Rainbow Lad, out of a Big Bob Wonder dam. **EVERY FEMALE SOLD WITH FREE BREEDING PRIVILEGE TO ANY BOAR IN THE TUCKER HERD.**

An offering of good big Polands from a herd that has been producing a goodly number of prize winners at the biggest Kansas and Oklahoma shows and a number of the prize winners go in this sale. A sale you cannot afford to miss. Write today for catalog. Please mention Kansas Farmer-Mail and Breeze. Address

S. J. Tucker, 140 S. Belmont, Wichita, Kan.

Herriff and Newcom, Auctioneers.

J. T. Hunter will represent Kansas Farmer-Mail and Breeze. Sale at farm 15 miles southeast of Wichita. Send mail bids to J. T. Hunter.

S. U. Peace Will Have a Real Offering

POLAND CHINA SALE

Olathe, Kan., Monday, Oct. 9

DUNDAL GIAN by Dundale Pilot, 1920 Iowa grand champion, out of Model Belle by Model Mastadon, 1918 Ill. grand champion, sired most of the offering. Dundale Giant is one of the greatest boars in Kansas and his get will be top-notchers. A MONSTER by Smooth Orange by Big Orange out of Mammoth Jumbo by D's Defender sired a number of the dams of the offering. Sires of other dams include Caldwell's Big Bob, Phenom by Liberator, Surprise Prospect, F's Big Jones, etc. Offering includes 5 tried sows, some of which are by Caldwell's Big Bob, world's grand champion; 30 spring gilts, some by Liberator 2nd, by Liberator; 15 spring boars, some out of Liberator dams.

Beyond question of doubt this Poland sale will provide one of the best offerings at auction in Kansas this fall. Do not miss it. Write for catalog. Please mention Kansas Farmer-Mail & Breeze. Address

S. U. Peace, Olathe, Kansas

Send all mail bids to J. T. Hunter, who represents Kansas Farmer-Mail & Breeze. Auctioneers, Nelson and Jameson. Fieldman, J. T. Hunter.

Hall's Line-Up For Their

Better Bred Big Type Poland Sale

Coffeyville, Kansas, Thursday, October 19

4 yearling boars, 10 spring boars, 18 fall gilts, 12 spring gilts and some bred sows and gilts.

SEE WHAT IS HERE. Spring gilts and boars and fall gilts are sired by Giant Clan by The Clansman; Peter Pan, Hall's Peter Pan by Peter Pan; Hall's Revelation by Revelation, and Hall's Rainbow Pan. DAMS OF THE OFFERING are by Revelation, Giant Clan, Caldwell's Big Bob, Williams' Wonder, Liberty Bond, The Clansman, Big Joe, and Emancipator. The yearling boars are by Hall's Emancipator by Emancipator, Giant Clan and Peter Pan.

THE BEST BRED POLAND OFFERING to be found anywhere in Kansas this fall. Attend the sale and see for yourself that the quality is as good as the breeding. Get some of this good seed stock. Mention Kansas Farmer-Mail and Breeze. Send all mail bids to J. T. Hunter who will represent the Capper Farm Press. For a catalog write

Dr. W. C. or W. Carlton Hall, Coffeyville, Kan.

E. E. Gardhouse, Auctioneer.

J. T. Hunter, Fieldman.

An Opportunity Monday, October 16

To select your herd boar or sow from 50 head sired by 12 good boars of the corn belt. Boars from Nebraska, Indiana, Missouri, Kansas and Minnesota.

Formoso, Kansas, Monday, October 16

These boars are good and will sell in this sale at farmers' prices. Sale catalogs ready to mail upon request. Address

H. T. Hayman, Formoso, Kansas

Jan. T. McCulloch, Auctioneer. J. W. Johnson, Fieldman.

Formoso is in Jewell county, 14 miles east of Mankato and about 25 miles west of Belleville on main line of Rock Island and Rock Island Highway.

25 Extra Good Poland China Sows and Gilts

Bred to Clansman Jr. 124480 for Sept. farrow. 75 extra well bred and well grown spring pigs. Can furnish boar and gilt, no relation, some real herd boars, everything immune, pedigreed. Satisfaction guaranteed. Priced to sell.

ED SHEEHY, HUME, MISSOURI.

Big Typy Spring Boars

15 of them reserved for our fall trade. Sired by L's Yankee. Also a few of them by Liberty Bob, a son of Big Bob Wonder. Also open gilts or will breed them to our son of Cicotte.

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Schoenhofer's Immuned Polands

Extra good boars by Premium Monarch out of extra good sows. Write us at once if you want one of these good boars.

GEO. J. SCHOENHOFER, WALNUT, KAN.

SUNNYSIDE POLANDS

Spring boars and gilts. The big boned, prolific kind, best breeding, immuned and pedigrees. Write or call

L. J. McGlinchy, Harris, Kansas.

Holstein Cows Poland Hogs

Eight high grade Holstein dairy cows, young and the \$100 to \$160 profit kind above feed bill. Federal accredited. 3 fresh since Aug. 1; 3 to freshen soon. 2 in milk since early spring.

Denison, Kan., Tuesday, Oct. 3

(Jackson County)

3 coming yearling heifers; 1 two year old; 1 calf, 1 pure bred yearling bull.

Poland Chinas—Pure bred, 2 yearling sows, will farrow soon; 5 fall gilts to farrow soon; 2 fall gilts; 5 spring boars; 15 spring gilts.

J. M. Barnett, Denison, Kansas

Frank Blake, Auctioneer.

Austin's Stock Farm Poland Chinas

Spring boars and gilts by Austin's Yankee Giant and a son of Liberator. MILES AUSTIN, Burtron, Kan.

PERRY BROS. BIG TYPE POLAND spring

boars. Write at once. Pedigrees furnished. Immuned. Perry Bros., Tescott, Kansas.

Extraordinary Hereford Dispersion

100 Head Sell at the V. D. Milner Farm
Neosho Rapids, Kan.

Thursday, October 19

60 FEMALES including 30 young cows with calves at side and rebred; a lot of young bred heifers. Older females by Beau Mischief 40th, Donald Lad 15th, Odessa Lad 22nd, Sir Goodman, Royal 51st, Mapleton 9th, Dover 12th, Debitola, Prince Donald, Monarch Vision, Johnson Fairfax, Don Perfect, Don Apollo, and Sir Paul.

10 BULL CALVES. Most of them of long ages and soon ready for service. 1 HERD SIRE, PRAIRIE MONARCH, one of the best fleshed large sons of Southard's Monarch. Wild Tom bred on the dam side. 35 of his get sell, a number of which are bred to Prince Elliott by Peerless Prince.

MR. MILNER is dispersing his entire herd. Not only is the entire calf crop selling but he has never sold any heifers out of the herd. A rarely well built up herd that is selling in pasture condition.

CARL HOWE, NEOSHO RAPIDS, KAN., is selling a dozen yearlings and two-year-old heifers by Mason Stanway by Gallant Stanway, the \$1,000 bull at the 1919 Round-up sale, and by Prince Elliott by Peerless Prince, the present Howe herd sire. The two-year-olds are bred to a strongly bred Anxiety 4th bull.

These 100 head of Herefords are mostly young females in fine pasture condition. You will like the offering when you see it.

Please mention that you saw the advertisement in Kansas Farmer-Mail and Breeze. For a catalog write

Carl L. Howe, Mgr., Neosho Rapids, Kansas

Wood & Crouch, Auctioneers

J. T. Hunter will represent the Kansas Farmer-Mail and Breeze

Hereford Consignment Sale Emporia, Kan., Wednesday, Oct. 11

75 head of first class Herefords will sell at the pavilion. Bred heifers will comprise most of the offering. There will be some cows and a few bulls. A number of females will have calves at side. All will be in good flesh. Dan Luthi, Madison, Kan., consigns 14 head; Dave Cowan, Emporia, Kan., 11; Joe Imthurn, Madison, Kan., 28; G. E. Shirky, Madison, Kan., Lumley Bros., Emporia, Kan., Russell George, Olivet, Kan., and others will complete the consignment.

Total farm values of the 12 principal agricultural states, including Kansas, was 24 billion dollars in 1910 and 47 billion dollars in 1920. Expense of operation doubled along with the doubling of farm values in those ten years. What does this mean? It means that present valuation and operation expenses compel application of intelligent methods if the Kansas farmer is to make farming a paying proposition. Livestock farming must supersede grain farming both to conserve fertility and to market feed at home, and the livestock should be of select stock of pure breeding to insure maximum production at minimum cost.

If you are prepared to raise beef cattle, and most farmers are so prepared, attend this sale and get some bred females. Herefords continually brought highest price over all breeds at Chicago market in 1921. For catalog write

Joe Imthurn, Manager, Madison, Kansas

Please mention Kansas Farmer-Mail and Breeze.
Auctioneers, Wood and Crouch. Fieldman, J. T. Hunter.

HOLSTEIN CATTLE

HOLSTEIN CATTLE

Dairymen and Farmers Sale

65 Head of Holsteins at

Herington, Kan., Saturday, Oct. 7

35 Head of Registered Cattle and
30 Head of Choice Grades

The principal consignors to the sale are Ed. Fitzgerald, Jamestown, Kan., who is dispersing his entire herd because he has sold his farm; Walter Stevens, Burdick, Kan., and Maplewood Farm, Herington.

In the pure bred offering there are many fine cows, either fresh or due to freshen soon, some choice well bred heifers and some extra good young bulls ready for service.

The grades are selected animals and will freshen soon after sale day; a few fresh now.

All cattle are tuberculin tested, many from accredited herds.

Write today for catalog to

W. H. Mott, Sales Manager, Herington, Kan.

Auctioneers: Boyd Newcom, Wichita, Kan., J. T. McCulloch, Clay Center.

spring and fall pigs, both sex, and some sows with pigs at side. The main herd sire is Victor Boy by Count Victor. Mr. Green-up has a lot of good pigs out of popularly bred dams and it will pay you to investigate his herd if you are planning to buy some Spotted Polands. Write today mentioning Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

Wednesday, October 18, John P. Johnson, Lindsborg, Kan., will hold a Duroc sale at his farm, 2 miles east of Lindsborg. In this sale will be 30 young females and 20 males. Most of the offering will be March farrow and a real stretchy thrifty immuned bunch that will grow into good brood sows and herd sires. That is the only kind one can afford to buy nowadays. The display advertisement in this issue of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze gives a general idea of the blood lines of the offering. Read this and write at once to Mr. Johnson for a catalog. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

Pratt County Livestock Breeders Association will hold a livestock show at Pratt, Kan., October 9 and 10. Sixteen Duroc herds of the county have been nominated for the futurity show and 10 Poland herds have been nominated for the Poland promotion show. Over \$400 premium money has been provided by farmers of the county, Pratt Chamber of Commerce, and the two breed associations. Following the livestock show there will be five community fairs at different towns in the county, two days at each town. October 11 to October 20 as follows: Byers, Coats, Cullison, Sawyer and Glendale.—Advertisement.

Miles Austin's Polands

Miles Austin, Burrton, Kan., started two years ago to raise pure bred Polands. He started with good seed stock and now has a surplus of extra good spring gilts and boars that he begins to advertise in this issue of the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. They are by Austin's Yankee Giant by W's Yankee out of a dam by Giant Lunker by Disher's Giant. Dams are by M's Great Jones, a son of Liberator, etc. Mr. Austin showed a few Polands for the first time at the recent state fair at Hutchinson and was in the money right along. Write him today if you want a good boar or gilt. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

Wooddell Offers Duroc Boars

G. B. (Bennie) Wooddell, Winfield, Kan., starts a card in this issue of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze advertising Duroc spring boars. Bennie Wooddell is young in years, but a seasoned breeder and showman of Durocs. It wouldn't seem natural to attend the state fair without seeing him at the Duroc show with a herd of good ones. He has a herd of real Durocs and culls his hogs closely and offers for sale only such that will be entirely satisfactory to buyers. He now offers spring boars by Major's Great Sensation, Scion's Wonder, Chief Surprise, etc., out of Pathfinder, Sensation, etc. dams. Write him mentioning Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

Durocs Look Like Peas in the Pod

W. H. (Will) Fuls, Langdon, Kan., has one of the good sons of Pathfinder at the head of his herd. One of the prettiest sights we saw last summer when visiting hog herds was the four months old pig crop at the Fuls farm as they rushed across the field to the feeding troughs. One could easily pick out the pigs sired by Pathfinder, because they looked like peas in the pod and all had the characteristic Pathfinder heads. Mr. Fuls has some fine spring gilts and boars for sale. Most of them are by Pathfinder Jr., and out of dams as follows: Victory Sensation 3rd.; Jack's Orion King 2nd., Sensation Wonder, Orion, and Defender. Mr. Fuls starts his card in this issue of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Write him mentioning this paper.—Advertisement.

J. F. Larimore & Sons' Duroc Spring Boars

J. F. Larimore and sons, Charley and John, of Grenola, Kan., live in a cattle grazing section but have proven to themselves and others in that section who have attempted to raise pure bred Durocs that such can be raised at a profit there as well as in sections considered especially adapted to hog raising. They have an extra good herd. In fact it is known everywhere in the Southwest as one of the best Kansas herds. Recently they added to the herd a tip-top son of Commander, a spring pig that looks like he is going to help Larimores write even better Duroc history than they have been writing. They are at this time offering for sale spring boars by their sires, Major Sensation Col., Valley Sensation, Great Wonder Giant, etc. Write Larimores today about getting a spring boar from them. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

McBride's Annual Fall Duroc Sale

W. T. McBride, Parker, Kan., has raised Durocs for a number of years and at his sales has never failed to please the buyers with the offerings he presented for their selections. His annual fall sale, Wednesday, October 18 will be no exception. In fact he states, "This is the best quality, age considered that I have ever put up for sale," and that means that Mr. McBride is going to put up a first class offering. The display advertisement in this issue of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze gives the breeding of the offering and other important information. Read it. The sale includes open and bred females, some with pigs at side and a lot of cracking good boars. H & B's Pathfinder sells. Note the reasons for sale as given in the advertisement. The W. T. McBride Duroc herd is one of the largest and oldest in the state, and it is one of the most favorably known herds also. Here is just the right kind of a herd from which to select a herd sire prospect or female. Write W. T. McBride, Parker, Kan., for a catalog. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Send all mail bids to J. T. Hunter, who represents Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

Is Stafford a Wheat or a Livestock County?

Three or four years ago Stafford county was known everywhere as a wheat county. It is a good wheat producing county today, but has been rapidly developing into a livestock county. The annual livestock show occurs at Stafford, October 19 and 20. Twenty-three Duroc herds of the county have been nominated for the futurity. That is more herds than many would-be livestock counties of eastern parts could spare up in

HEREFORD CATTLE

HEREFORD COWS \$60

13 registered Hereford cows bred to good Anxiety bull, at \$60 per head. Bulls, Heifers and Calves at correspondingly low prices.

Fred O. Peterson
Route 5, Lawrence, Kan.

Western Kansas Bulls

40 Hereford Bulls
25 Shorthorn Bulls

These bulls are yearlings, big rugged, big boned bulls of splendid blood lines. Write for prices and descriptions.

C. G. COCHRAN & SONS, HAYS, KAN.

Hereford Cattle For Sale

100 Early Bull Calves, 100 Early Heifer Calves, 300 Cows, all registered. No better blood in Kansas. For descriptions and prices write Martin Litke & Sons, Alta Vista, Kan.

45 REG. HEREFORDS for sale. 22 should calve next year; balance young. Terms if desired: W. M. Garrison, Salina, Kansas.

RED POLLED CATTLE

Springdale Farm Red Polls

A nice lot of yearling bulls, sons of Duke of Springdale, he a son of Cremo 22nd. Bull calves same breeding. Prices right. We also offer Choice Chester White spring boars and gilts.

W. E. ROSS & SON, SMITH CENTER, KAN.

Choice Red Polled Bulls and Females

All ages. From our accredited herd. Shipped on approval. Schwab & Son, Clay Center, Neb.

Pleasant View Stock Farm
Registered Red Polled cattle. For sale, a few choice young bulls, cows and heifers.
Halloran & Gambrell, Ottawa, Kansas

FOSTER'S RED POLLED CATTLE
A few choice young bulls.
C. E. Foster, Route 4, Eldorado, Kan.

RED POLLS, Choice young bulls and heifers. Write for prices and descriptions.
Chas. Morrison & Son, Phillipsburg, Kan.

JERSEY CATTLE

HILLCROFT FARMS JERSEYS

Imported and Register of Merit Jerseys. Choice bull calves for sale. Also registered Durocs.

M. L. GOLLADAY, PROP., HOLDEN, MO.

High Class Registered Jersey Cows

Exceptional values, young cows 2 to 8 yrs. Some have large register of merit records. Others on test now. Many state fair winners. Also some good young bulls 3 to 18 mos. old. Inspection invited.

R. A. GILLILAND, DENISON, KANSAS

DO YOU WANT JERSEYS?
If so, write us. We have them in all ages, either sex, one or a carload. Kindly state the number and ages you want to buy when writing. No commission charge to buyer.

KANSAS JERSEY CATTLE CLUB
R. A. Gilliland, Secretary, Denison, Kansas.

BULLS OUT OF REGISTER OF MERIT
dams, for sale. Herd Federal accredited.
Sylvia Jersey Ranch, Sylvia, Kansas

GUERNSEY CATTLE

Reg. Guernsey Bull Calves

May lose breeding, from six weeks to serviceable age, from \$50 up. C. F. HOLMES, OVERLAND GUERNSEY FARM, OVERLAND PARK, KANSAS.

RANSOM FARM GUERNSEYS
Bulls—Calves to serviceable age by 1919 world's grand champion—out of record breaking dams.
Ransom Farm, Homewood, Kansas

AYRSHIRE CATTLE

Ayrshire Cows, Heifers, Bulls

Young cows in calf or with calf at foot, yearling heifers, bulls of serviceable age, calves both sex. High producing families. Tuberculin tested.

R. W. CUMMINS, PRESCOTT, KANSAS

SHEEP AND GOATS

Homan's Shropshire Rams

Yearlings and two-year-olds including show rams by grand champion Senator Blady 17th. This grand champion also for sale.

O. A. HOMAN & SONS, PEABODY, KAN.

Delaine Rams—Extra Fine Ones
Bred for wool and mutton. Circulars free.
F. H. Russell, Box 90, Wakarusa, Ohio

Reg. Shropshire

Ewes and rams Otto Borth, Plains, Kansas.

For Sale, Shropshire Rams, 2-yr-olds
priced right. G. M. Fisher, Rt. 4, Wichita, Kan.

HORSES AND JACK STOCK

6 Percheron, Ton Breeding Stallions

7 reg. jacks (own raising). Colts and mules to show, very choice stock with size and weight, desirable ages, dark colors.

GEO. SCHWAB, CLAY CENTER, NEB.

GREAT SHOW AND BREEDING JACKS
Priced right. Hineman's Jack Farm, Dighton, Kan.

the whole county, including all breeds of hogs, and these 23 herds are just those Duroc herds that have nominated for the future. There are a number of Duroc herds in the county that have not nominated for the future. There will be a Poland sale at the county fair on the same time. The promotion of Poland herds represented in this show is not available, but will be close to that of the Durocs. There will be a sale of each breed during the show. Polands sell the night of October 19 and Durocs sell the night of October 20. E. E. Erhart, Stafford, Kan., will manage the Poland sale and C. C. Horn, Stafford, Kan., will manage the Duroc sale. Write either or both of these managers for catalogs. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

A Hoggish Distinction

In addition to winning grandchampionship on senior boar pig, an unusual honor, the H. C. Krause, Hillsboro, Kan., Chester White herd has another distinction. The pig shows that at various times came thru the Magna Vox at the recent state fair and spread to all parts of the fair grounds much to the amusement of visitors emanated from the throats of Chester White pigs from the Krause herd that were protesting in no uncertain terms against their being torn so rudely from their mother's bosom. Mr. Krause starts a card soon offering weanling pigs of championship breeding. Better write him now about getting pigs. Mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

Tucker Sells Polands, October 18

S. J. Tucker, 140 S. Belmont Ave., Wichita, Kan., has one of the best Poland herds in the Southwest at his farm 15 miles southwest of Wichita, Kan., and 8 miles southwest of Augusta, Kan. The herd of over 300 head is headed by Wonder Masterpiece 2nd, by Wonder Masterpiece by Masterpiece and T's Joker by The Joker. Monday, October 16, Mr. Tucker sells 15 tried sows, 15 gilts and 15 boars at the farm. In the offering will be a number by The Joker, Wonder Masterpiece, Checktaker, The Yank, Rex Americus, etc. A number will be out of Big Male by Golden Gate King. (This sow is one of the really great sows of the breed because she is a great brood sow that has produced some of the greatest Polands of the Southwest. She has recently weaned a litter of eight pigs by The Joker). Miss Pacemaker by the Checktaker, Rainbow Girl by Rainbow Lad, etc. All females are sold with free breeding privilege to any herd sire. Here is an offering from a herd that has won honors at Kansas and Oklahoma shows. Some of the prize winners sell in this sale. Send for a catalog at once. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Send all mail bids to J. T. Hunter, who will represent Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze at the sale.—Advertisement.

Halls' Popularly Bred Poland Sale

Seldom are as many popularly bred Poland blood lines represented in one auction sale as will be found in the Dr. W. C. and Carl-ton, W. Hall Poland sale Thursday, October 19, at their hog farm near Coffeyville, Kan. When Dr. Hall and his son decided to start a herd of Polands they went directly out and bought the best bred individuals that they were able to find and they did not hesitate on the price when they found what they wanted. The result has been that they have assembled a herd of Polands unsurpassed anywhere for popularity of breeding. In this issue of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze will be found the advertisement of their October 19 sale. This advertisement is worth reading just to see what well bred Polands they have even if you have no intention of buying some good Polands. In fact, nearly every Poland for sale will be out of sires and dams of nation-wide importance and if you get the catalog you will note that nearly every Poland for sale will be by and out of well known sires and dams. From time to time the Doctor and his son hold auction sales and dispose of accumulated surplus. This is one of their annual fall sales of good breeding stock. Write for a catalog. Please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. Attend if possible, if not possible then send all mail bids to J. T. Hunter who will represent the Copper Farm Press.—Advertisement.

Monty Martin's Fall Duroc Sale

In all our sale experience we never before have seen as keen a demand for Duroc as was manifested at M. A. Martin's Duroc sale at his farm near Paola, Kan., last October. Prices were not inordinately high. The offering was good and the buyers wanted the boars because they were good ones. Tuesday, October 17, Mr. Martin presents a better offering of 30 boars and 20 gilts. He has not only increased the size of his herd thereby giving opportunity for selection of more good ones from a larger number but has added more new blood of championship quality. The display advertisement in this issue of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze gives the breeding of the four sires that got this offering as well as the breeding of some of the dams that produced the offering. No one really wants little, short, dumpy pigs after he has raised some of the big type kind. For that reason you should attend the Martin sale and get something bred big and raise the kind that will make you more money. You will not find a better offering of Durocs in the state. Write M. A. Martin, Paola, Kan., for a catalog. Mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze. The sale will be at the Martin farm midway between Paola and Wellsville. Attend if you can be present, if not able to be there, send your mail bids to J. T. Hunter who will represent the Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

Milner-Howe Hereford Sale

When a man starts a Hereford herd with a bunch of good hand picked young cows and a good bull and then holds on to the better calves and discards of bulls only and finally decides to hold a dispersion sale in the fall when there are a lot of calves in the pink of condition, it is a self-evident fact that something very good is to be found in such an offering, especially in the heifer and calf crop. Thursday, October 19, V. D. Milner, Neosho Rapids, Kan., is dispersing his entire Hereford herd of 60 females including 30 young cows with calves, a lot of young bred heifers, open heifers, and bulls from young calves up to serviceable ages, including the big herd sire, Prairie Monarch, one of the best fleshed sons of Southard's Monarch. Mr. Carl L. Howe, Neosho Rapids, Kan., a neighbor of Mr. Milner, is putting in a dozen herd of yearling and 2-year-old heifers, the latter bred to Mason Stanway by Gallant Stanway, and Prince Elliott by Peerless Prince. These cattle have had abundant pasturage this summer and have done exceedingly well

Corydale Farm Holstein Dispersal

Marks the Closing Out of a Strong Kansas Herd of Pure-Bred Holstein-Friesians—A Federal Accredited Herd

The sale will be held at

Concordia, Kansas, Wednesday, October 18

60 head of cows and heifers and a few very choice young bulls of serviceable ages. The cows and heifers have A. R. O. and semi-official records. The semi-official work we have done averages 15,000 pounds of milk and 600 pounds of butter to the cow.

Two Great Milk and Butter Bred Bulls—Dutchland Creamelle Sir Inka 199300 and King Morco Mead Alcartra 286137, grandson of Tilly Alcartra

There are daughters of both of these bulls in the sale. Both bulls are in their prime and sure to be great bargains in this sale.

A complete dispersion that affords a wonderful opportunity to buy real Holsteins at auction.

The sale catalog is ready to mail. Address

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Choice Holstein Cattle for Sale. I have one of the best bred herds of Holstein cattle in central Kansas, consisting of 23 head of purebred cows and heifers. I also have 20 head of high grade cows and heifers, many of them ready to freshen. Also a few choice bulls. If in the market for high producing dairy cattle come and look my herd over.
M. E. NORMAN, Prop., Herington, Kan.

and are coming into the sale ring in good pasture condition. Sale at the V. D. Milner farm. The display advertisement in this issue of Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze gives detailed information concerning the offering and should be read by you. Write to Mr. Carl L. Howe, Mgr., Neosho Rapids, Kan., for catalog. When writing please mention Kansas Farmer and Mail and Breeze.—Advertisement.

BY JESSE R. JOHNSON

Geo. Dimig, the big constructive Duroc Jersey breeder, of York, Neb., asks us to claim October 21 as the date of his fall sale. On the above date Mr. Dimig will sell a great line of boars and gilts sired by Constructor, the \$1,000 boar that won second in class at Nebraska State Fair and whose get won among the best winners at Topeka State Fair this year. Watch this paper for later announcement.—Advertisement.

BY O. WAYNE DEVINE

Owing to the death of Mr. Adams of the well known Shorthorn firm of Adams and Grant at Belton, Mo., they will sell 250 head of valuable Shorthorn cattle; about 175 cows with calves at foot or ready to drop calves soon. Thirty-five head of two yearling heifers and 35 head of yearling heifers sold open. The cattle are not fat but in good condition coming right from the pasture. They are a useful lot of cattle that will prove money makers for any farmer or breeder that will give them a little care. The sale advertisement and later mention will appear in the next issue of this paper. Please arrange to attend this sale if you want Shorthorn cattle that will make money.—Advertisement.

Slatten & Son's Spotted Polands

Chas. Slatten & Son, the well known farmers and breeders of Spotted Poland China hogs, near Jamesport, Mo., have raised about 200 head of Spotted Poland China spring pigs. They own two large farms near Jamesport, Mo., and produce the largest herd of old fashioned Spotted Poland Chinas of any breeders in Missouri. They have a herd of top hogs. The foundation stock was bought from some of the best herds in the corn belt. Breeders with old established herds can go there and buy because they can get the blood and individuality which will work an improvement in most herds. Beginners can go there and buy because they can be assured that a Slatten & Son farm bred Spotted Poland will be the basis of a herd of top hogs. Chas. Slatten & Son are reliable breeders. There are no chance freaks in their herd. Every animal they will offer for sale for foundation stock will be backed by years of careful thought in the mating of almost perfect individuals. Please write Chas. Slatten & Son about prices on their Spotted Polands—tell them what you want and if you are lucky enough to buy from this herd you can rest assured you will have as good as the best of the old fashioned Spotted Poland China breed. No farmer or breeder can make a mistake buying foundation stock from this herd. Please write them—kindly mention this paper.—Advertisement.

BY T. W. MORSE

The lessons learned in the annual purebred sire demonstrations at Sni-a-bar Farms are to be passed along by the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association in the form of young bulls suitable for doing, in other words, just what the Sni-a-bar bulls have done in the demonstration herd. For catalog of the public sale at which these especially selected bulls will be sold, address W. A. Cochel, Baltimore Hotel Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. Mention this paper in which the advertisement appears.—Advertisement.

Missouri Holstein Breeders—Farmers and Dairymen's Sale

South St. Joseph Sale Pavilion

St. Joseph, Mo., Monday, Oct. 16

65 Head of Holstein Friesian Registered Cattle

The consignors to this sale are reputable breeders of Northeast Missouri who are selling because of a surplus of cattle on hand.

There is some of the best breeding to be found in the state in this sale, but consignors are not expecting fancy prices. Offering is made up largely of cows either fresh or due to freshen soon. A few good bulls ready for service from high record sires and dams. All cattle tuberculin tested and sold with a 60-day retest guarantee.

This is the place to buy a foundation for a registered Holstein dairy herd without the outlay of a large amount of capital.

Make your arrangements now to attend this sale. Mark the date on your calendar and write today for catalog to

W. H. Mott, Sales Mgr., Herington, Kansas

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Get a bull to use for fall freshening. Or a bred cow, or heifer, while prices are low. Take pick of a dozen to make room, first come, most choice.
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Oct. 16—Dairymen and Farmers' sale, St. Joe, Mo.
Oct. 18—L. F. Cory & Son, Belleville, Kan.
Oct. 23—Breeders' sale, McPherson, Kan.
Oct. 26—J. M. Chestnut & Sons, Denison, at Topeka, Kan.
Nov. 2—Frank Boone, Kingman, Kan.
Nov. 8—Pettis County Holstein Co., Sedalia, Mo.
Nov. 27—F. H. Bock & Sons, Wichita, Kan.
Jan. 25—Kansas Asso. Show sale, Wichita, Kan.
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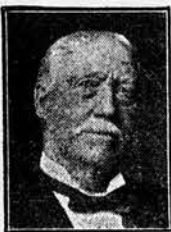
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