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To My Mail and Breeze Friends:

I am asking the people of Kansas to elect me to the high office of Governor of the state, with a deep sense of the enormous responsibilities of the task to which I aspire. But I believe that I have the ability to cope with the many problems which confront the governor of a great state; I know that I have a high purpose and a strong resolve to serve the best interests of the people; and I feel that I have a few ideas which will be of value.

Throughout the campaign, I have urged upon the people of Kansas that they regard their government as a great big corporation, in which every citizen is an equal stockholder. Your chief executive is the man whom you choose to manage the business of this corporation, with fairness and justice to every stockholder. His honest intentions must be beyond question, and his ability have been proved and demonstrated.

If the people of Kansas think that I meet these requirements (and they should elect no man who does not measure up to their highest ideals) I pledge you that I will give the state a **BUSINESS** administration—and by that I mean an administration that will look after the business of the **STATE**, first, last and all the time, honestly, fearlessly and with justice to all. I will bring to the executive office all the ability that I possess; all of the earnest purpose and all of the energy that I have in the past devoted to my personal business. I shall administer the affairs of this state with an eye single to the best interests of the whole people; I shall do my very best to give the state a clean, honest, economical and progressive administration. I shall work for the lowest taxes consistent with an administration that keeps pace with the progress of the times, and shall do my best to keep out the grafters; the leeches; the hangers-on; the jobbers; the useless officials, clerks and commissions; to abolish the excessive salaries; to eliminate the jokers in legislative acts; to head off all extravagant appropriations; to destroy the infamous school-book graft; to repeal the unjust inheritance tax; and shall endeavor to handle the business of the state with justice and economy and on the broad basis of the greatest good to the greatest number.

I was born in Kansas; I have lived here for 47 years—all my life; and every interest I have is centered in Kansas. I have unbounded pride in the state and unlimited confidence in its future. My continuous residence at the capital of the state for over twenty-seven years has given me unusual opportunity to become thoroughly familiar with every department of the state's business. I have done what I could to produce a better and a greater Kansas. I

have advocated certain principles and certain ideas of public service and I have endeavored to live up to these ideals and these principles. I have been a Republican and I have labored in the Republican party, but I have always been a **PROGRESSIVE** Republican; I have always been as ready to oppose crookedness within the party as without it; I have always endeavored, so far as my influence went, to keep the party true to the fundamental principles of the party of Lincoln, a party that regards human rights as the first aim of government and that seeks to maintain "a government of the people, for the people and by the people." For this reason, I have from the beginning of the campaign stated frankly that I am supporting Col. Roosevelt for President. I think the people should know this, because it is no time for a candidate to straddle or dodge. I believe there is much for the Progressive movement yet to do. I am with it and propose to stay with it, stand by it, defend and support it now and in the future, with all the energy I possess, for I heartily sympathize with its aims and spirit.

If I become Governor I will take the office untrammelled by a single promise, expressed or implied, save my public promises to the voters. If I occupy the executive chair I want to feel I have been chosen and elected by the rank and file of the voters of this state, and that the only allegiance I owe is to the people of the state. No special interest, no individual, no boss, no faction can dictate to me. I wear no man's collar—my hands are not tied and will not be. If elected I shall be the Governor.

It is my ambition not only to render Kansas genuine, patriotic service in the State House—if honest hard work and a knowledge of Kansas affairs will do it—but if I should be elected and thereby become the first native Kansan to be called to that place of honor and trial, it would be a matter of strong personal pride with me to make mine the best, the cleanest, the most efficient and progressive administration the state has ever had. My heart would be in the work. My head and my hands as well.

I solicit the support of all the readers of the Farmers Mail and Breeze at the election on next Tuesday, November 5, and promise that if elected, I shall be Governor for all the people, and shall administer the powers entrusted to me without favoritism and without prejudice toward any man or any faction.

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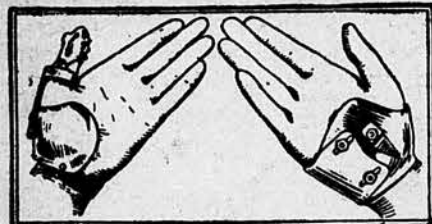
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What Farmers Are Thinking

You are cordially invited to air your opinions in this column, but the Mail and Breeze reserves the right to condense such statements as far as possible to give other contributors a chance to say something. Short, crisp expressions of opinion on matters of interest or consequence to farm folks are welcome. All contributors must take their turn.

Another Democrat Who's for Capper.

Mr. Editor—Though I am a Democrat I am for Mr. Capper for governor because I am satisfied he will make an ideal executive. Mr. Capper is a clean, honest, honorable man; thoroughly competent and fully determined to give the whole people of Kansas an equal show and a square deal. The man who has made a brilliant success of his own business is a safe man to trust with the business of the state. He stands for the repeal of all unjust laws and the enactment of the laws the people demand; he is pledged to the strictest economy consistent with progress and the advancement of the people; also the abolishment of unnecessary and useless officials. We have no doubt of Mr. Capper's election, but want to see his majority as large as possible. Louisburg, Kan. T. B. Bowes.

Town Woman Finds Farm Life Best.

Mr. Editor—Mrs. Pottorf's article in the Mail and Breeze of October 10 is a splendid article. She was a farm girl and will always be a farm woman—one of the noblest of God's creatures. I am another who is perfectly content to live on a farm. Was raised in town and lived there until seven years ago. Would I go back to town to live? No, indeed! Who is so independent as the farmer? Many people talk about the hard work and drudgery on the farm. Is there none in town? And what about the worry to make ends meet, that so often is found in the city homes, also the environment for one's children?

Country people need not run to town for amusement, they can have good times in their own immediate neighborhood. The "W and I" neighborhood in Dickinson county is becoming known far and wide because of its good times. Town people scheme in every way possible to get invitations to its social affairs. These farmer folk seem to know what is best for their welfare and practice it. They see to it that they have good times along with their hard work. They try to keep abreast of the times. They can talk religion, politics, college and farming. None of these people make slaves of themselves, yet all are successful. We may not be in the middle of the road, as Mrs. Pottorf says, but we are not in the ditch at the side of the road and we are getting farther from the ditch all the time. Why shouldn't the women be contented and happy? May Barcus Taylor. Abilene, Kan.

Farm Woman's Unenviable Lot.

Mr. Editor—The article on farm life by Mrs. Lucy Pottorf in a recent issue of the Mail and Breeze should cause the meek and lowly farmer's wife to find her voice. Women on the farm are in the exact position of working women everywhere, and as long as woman is in a condition of dependence discontent will prevail. On the farm her dependence is more complete than in other positions to which she has attained by years of struggle against the customs of ignorance and superstition. On the farm, as

a rule, she has no initiative, no outlet for either social or constructive ability, she serves and aids, but seldom leads. Women of education and advanced ideas are no longer content to be forever baking, boiling, even frying, in order to find the way to men's hearts by way of their stomachs, that, too, is "hard on the liver."

The picture of the farm woman, destitute of hope in the world, always drudging, dressed in faded calico and checked gingham apron, prevails here in Leavenworth county and in all other counties of which I have any observation. She is not an extreme or an imaginary case, she is the usual thing.

The work of the farmer's wife is not of more importance than the work of her sister in school, shop or factory, and has far more of monotony and drudgery.

Mrs. Pottorf speaks of the increase of consumers and the decrease of producers of farm products, when in fact, there is no lack of production but a great lack of scientific management and distribution causing unrest and a constant shifting of the toilers in an effort to better individual conditions.

In past ages, the subjection of woman was an economic necessity for the progress of civilization, but the time has come for her to take her rightful position in the world and she will not be kept back by the platitudes of writers whose only aim is to bolster up a decadent system. Mrs. Laura Helfrich. R. 4, Leavenworth, Kan.

The Right Man for Governor.

Mr. Editor—I will support Arthur Capper for governor because I think he is the right man for the position. I believe him to be a thoroughly honest and capable business man, and a good governor must be a good business man. Mr. Capper will be elected, if the people of Kansas wish to have an honest and upright man in the governor's chair. St. Marys, Kan. H. J. McGlinchey.

Why Woman Needs the Ballot.

Mr. Editor—Every farmer should vote for the equal suffrage amendment November 5. The women of Kansas have helped to make this state one of the greatest states in the Union and granting them the right to a voice in the making and enforcement of the laws under which they and their children must live is only simple justice.

But women in asking for the ballot are not asking for it simply for themselves that they may have personal representation, but that they may help their less fortunate sisters to better laboring and living conditions. Farmers in "Sunny Kansas" with plenty of fresh air and sunshine, good homes and good things to eat little realize how the woman in the town or city who toils for a bare living and frequently works in foul air and sickening surroundings, needs the power to express a demand for good laws to save herself and children. It is for this that the women of Kansas must work. There are thousands of such in our own state. The women of a state must stand shoulder to shoulder, the country women ready to help the laboring women. Therefore the men of the state must help in this effort for better living. Let the women on the farm talk to their husbands and sons and urge them to vote for the amendment. Mrs. N. W. Shawnee county, Kansas.

Bread Now a Western Product.

According to an estimate of wheat production and requirements by states, Delaware is the only state east of the Mississippi river which has this year produced a surplus above the state's requirement for food and seed.

BRISTOW STRONG FOR CAPPER FOR GOVERNOR

Senator Bristow said at the big progressive meeting in Topeka on Tuesday evening of last week:

"There are but two tickets in Kansas, the Republican and Democratic tickets, and it gives me great pleasure to come to Topeka and say a few words about the man who heads the Republican ticket. Arthur Capper was born in this state and stands for all we admire. I

remember years ago when he was a printer boy on the Capital. He progressed step by step, until he now owns the property and has the largest printing establishment in the state. It is conducted on whole-hearted, humanitarian principles. He embraces in his personality all the things for which the best citizens of Kansas stand, and I trust he will be given an overwhelming majority."

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WHAT MAY BE DONE TO GUARD YOUR HOGS FROM CHOLERA

The general prevalence of hog cholera last year would make a return of the disease in epidemic form this fall not very surprising. Cholera still exists in the state and the wise man will take ample precautions. That is why this article is published. Dr. Schoenleber outlines the measures that may be taken to keep hogs healthy and tells how vaccine may be procured. The great danger in cholera lies in letting the disease get too much headway before taking action to stamp it out or keep it out. The safe thing to do is to vaccinate as soon as the disease is known to be in the neighborhood. To wait until it breaks out in your herd before getting the serum, is too risky. Disastrous results frequently follow the use of fake remedies. These should always be let alone.—Editor's Note.

CHOLERA is mostly a warm weather disease, but is also prevalent in the fall of the year and early winter. During cold weather the cases, as a rule, become more chronic, the hogs do not die so suddenly, and a greater per cent of them get well. It is usual for an outbreak to begin with the younger pigs and later to attack the more mature animals. But this is not always the case.

Overcrowding in the sleeping quarters, especially where different sized animals are kept in the same pen, favors the spread of the disease. The smaller pigs become too hot and then very easily catch cold. Damp, filthy, dark pens where little fresh air or sunshine can reach; sleeping in a draft under buildings or windows; too much green corn; too close breeding or in-breeding; the accumulation of vermin on the animal itself or in the pens; too exclusive a corn diet—these are additional conditions favoring the spread of cholera.

If a hog misses a feed, watch him; if he misses the second feed, remove him from the herd and thoroughly disinfect where he has been. Whether a herd is sick or healthy, air-slaked lime scattered in the pens and houses will pay well for the trouble.

A cough in a hog can usually be traced to one of three things—dust, worms, or cold; but there is no telling what it may result in. Pneumonia kills many pigs before they get used to sleeping in damp pens, drafts, or snow-banks.

If a hog dies and there is another in the same herd acting as though the dead one was his most intimate friend, cut the dead one open and examine thoroughly. If there are any red spots upon either the lungs, kidneys or bowels, or if the spleen is enlarged, or if there are any ulcers in the intestines, or if the skin of the abdomen is colored red or purple, the hog probably died of cholera.

Cholera usually starts with diarrhea. The pigs quit feeding, many have coughs, are dumpish for several days, lose all energy, gradually become weaker and die. The older hogs usually act in the same way, except that they do not become so thin before they die. Sometimes a constipation precedes the diarrhea for a longer or shorter period. The discharges are usually very offensive. There is frequently a discharge from the eyes which resembles pus, but may be sticky enough to gum the lids together.

In some outbreaks one or two hogs may not feel well for several days, and before the owner is aware of the fact, the whole herd may be infected and a number die every day. Some may show symptoms of a severe illness,

Also What Should Be Done if the Disease is Suspected—Facts About Cholera

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such as fever, weakness, loss of appetite, diarrhea, redness of the skin of the abdomen or flanks and in patches around the snout or ears, while others may show but a few of these symptoms before death.

Garbage which contains much soap, lye or salt will frequently cause death with symptoms resembling cholera; so also will moldy bread, cottonseed meal, new corn, or too sudden changes of feed. Many things which are unfit for human food are thrown into the swill barrel, to form toxins and ptomaines. These may cause vomiting, bloody diarrhea, griping,

hogs; neither should the attendant be allowed to leave the vicinity of the pens without first thoroughly cleaning and disinfecting his shoes or putting on others not infected. Dogs, cats, rabbits, rats, chickens, birds—in fact every living thing—should so far as possible be kept away from the infected places.

It seems we must consider all public stockyards infected with cholera. Persons walking from these public yards to the depot platforms naturally infect these places. It is in this way that a crated breeding-hog, shipped by freight or express, becomes exposed to the disease. After shipping, a hog should be dipped as soon as removed from the crate and kept away from all others for several weeks, and then dipped again before being allowed to come in contact with the rest. If a hog shows signs of sickness, it should be removed immediately and kept by itself until well. The time required for a hog to become sick with cholera after being exposed to the disease varies, usually from six to 14 days, but sometimes runs much longer.

The feeding and care of hogs have much to do with the prevention of the cholera. Hogs should be provided with clean, dry pens; regular and proper feeding; comfortable sleeping quarters; plenty of sunshine; proper ventilation—as a pig requires twice the breathing space for every hundred pounds weight that is needed by a horse or a cow. The pens should be cleaned and disinfected regularly. The hogs themselves should be dipped every few weeks when the weather is suitable. Maintaining these conditions helps to keep up the vitality of the hogs, and in this way troubles of all kinds are warded off. To aid digestion and circulation and to prevent worms, many hog raisers feed at regular intervals some of the following mixture, especially where the animals are confined to a small lot, the dose being 1 tablespoonful to every hundred pounds of hog:

Wood charcoal.....	1 pound
Sulphur.....	1 "
Sodium chloride.....	2 "
Sodium bicarbonate.....	2 "
Sodium hyposulphite.....	2 "
Sodium sulphate.....	1 "
Antimony sulphide (black antimony).....	1 "

Hogs affected with worms in the intestines become very thin and scurvy; the back is arched, the eyes dull. The hogs refuse to eat, walk stiffly, and appear lifeless. To secure the best results, affected hogs should receive individual treatment. Twenty-four hours before administering treatment, very little feed should be given. Then give the following medicine, as a drench if necessary, to each 100-pound hog; larger or smaller hogs should receive a dose in proportion:

Oil of turpentine.....	4 drachms
Raw linseed oil.....	6 ounces

If necessary repeat the dose in four days. After the worms have been removed, give the tonic recommended above to put the pigs in condition.

All straw, cobs and litter should be removed and burned, and a strong solution of some good coal-tar dip or crude carbolic acid, about 1 part of the dip to 20 of water, used on all woodwork and floors of the pens. Slaked lime scattered over the ground and floors of the pens every few days will help keep them clean.

If cholera is in the herd or the herd has been exposed, application for

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"Button" ulcers in the blind gut of a hog that died of cholera. In chronic cases ulcers are usually found on the inner lining of the large intestine. When intestinal ulcers are present and "turkey-egg" spots are found on the kidneys, they are almost positive evidence the hog died of cholera.

nervous trouble, weakness, staggering gait, dullness and death, all of which may in some stages resemble cholera.

The smallest particle of dirt, dust or straw—so small that it cannot be seen—can carry enough cholera germs to infect several herds of hogs. A stranger should not be allowed near the pens of sick



The ordinary method is to vaccinate on the inside of the fleshy part of the ham. This location is easily infected causing tumors or abscesses, therefore some operators vaccinate immediately under the skin under the jaw or flank. Sows heavy with pig are sometimes vaccinated just back of the ear.

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I am not going to use up any space in criticism of his opponent. I am asking for votes for Mr. Capper, not trying to blacken the character of the other man. I do not believe that you will have cause to regret it if you cast your votes for Mr. Capper, and I most sincerely trust that you will.

You are for the first time this year given a chance to express your individual choice for United States senator. You will have the opportunity to mark your ballot after the name of the gentleman you wish to see go to the senate and this will be your instructions to the member of the legislature and state senator from your district.

Personally I would be glad to see Governor Stubbs elected. I know that he has some bitter enemies and that he has been criticized with a bitterness rarely equaled. But after all, any fair-minded man must acknowledge that Governor Stubbs is a strong, forceful character and with all the criticism that has been hurled at him it has not been shown that there has been any corruption or graft connected with his administration. If there had been it is certain his enemies would have pointed it out before this. He stands for the progressive principles that have put Kansas in the front rank of the progressive states of the Union.

There are several state officers asking for second terms. Charley Sessions, secretary of state; Will Davis, auditor of state; John Dawson, attorney general; Ike Lewis, superintendent of insurance; W. A. Austin, state printer. They have all made honest and efficient officers. I know of no reason why they should not be re-elected.

There are two new men asking for state offices. Earl Akers, who asks to be elected state treasurer, and W. D. Ross, who asks for the office of superintendent of instruction. Both of them are fine men and I know of no reason why they will not make good officers.

There are two gentlemen who ask to be continued on the supreme bench of the state, Chief Justice Johnston, who has had a long and most honorable career on the bench, and Justice Burch, who has al-

ready served two terms, I think, to the general satisfaction of the people.

I have indicated frankly in the foregoing paragraphs how I expect to mark my own ballot. I would be glad to have you vote with me, but you are responsible for your own votes, not I. I trust that every one of you who is entitled to a vote will go to the polls and cast that vote on Tuesday.

In addition to what I have already said I want to say further that I shall also cast my vote in favor of giving to the women of Kansas the same rights of suffrage that I now enjoy. It seems to me they ought to have that right. I hope you think the same way.

For those of you who differ from me I have no criticism and with you I will entertain no quarrel. Vote according to your best judgment and best conscience. If the election should not go as I would wish, I shall not despair of the Republic. I think no matter how the ballots may fall on Tuesday the government will still live, the flag will still float in glory and I trust we will all move on toward a better and juster state of society.

THE COMING ELECTION.

This is the last time I shall have an opportunity before election for a heart to heart talk on paper with the readers of the Mail and Breeze. Many of these readers no doubt differ from me as they have the fullest right to do. I trust, however, that most of them will give me credit for having tried to be fair and honest with them, no matter how badly they may think I am mistaken in regard to some public questions.

I realize how narrow are the limits of our several horizons, how much our opinions are shaped by our environments and influenced, perhaps unconsciously, by self-interest.

So I have tried to cultivate a feeling of toleration and charity toward my fellow man who differs from me, for I know that both of us see with imperfect vision and both of us may be mistaken.

It is a great privilege to be an American citizen and an especially great privilege to be a citizen of the state of Kansas, but with citizenship come responsibilities that every voter ought to understand and which he should not try to shirk or evade.

You have one vote, my fellow citizen, just as I have, and while that does not seem to count for much among so many, you ought to try to cast it intelligently and honestly and for the very best interest of your state and nation. You ought not to allow yourself to be guided simply by blind partisanship.

The fact that your father voted a certain way, if he was a good, honest and intelligent man, is some reason why you should vote the same way, but it is not a sufficient reason. Conditions were different when your father was a young man from what they are at present. What may have been a sufficient reason for him to vote a certain party ticket may not be a reason for you to vote that party ticket now.

Get the party platforms and study them carefully. Analyze them to the very best of your ability. Find out the things they stand for, the measures and policies they propose.

Then study the history of each political organization so far as you have the opportunity. Find out as much as you can about the men who are nominated. Not the biased estimates of their political opponents or their political partisans, but as far as possible get a fair and honest estimate. That may not always be possible. I realize that.

There are five political parties asking for your suffrage nationally. Only three of the five have any possible show of winning next week, and in my opinion only two. I think that either Woodrow Wilson or Theodore Roosevelt will be the next president of the United States. If you believe that you should make your choice between those two, then take up the Democratic platform adopted at Baltimore and the Progressive platform adopted at Chicago and study them.

The Progressive platform declares for an effective control of great corporations so that they may no longer abuse their privileges and unjustly exploit the people. Do you believe in that?

It declares in favor of the changing of the constitution so that it may be easier to amend to suit changing conditions and modern development. Do you believe in that?

It favors the principle of protection, but insists that protection should in fact as well as theory protect the American workingman from the competition of the poorly paid workmen in foreign lands and that this protection must show up in the pay envelope of the workingman instead of in increased profits for the millionaire manufacturer. Do you believe in that?

It asks for legislation that will prevent as far as possible industrial accidents, diseases occasioned by unsanitary conditions in workshops, overwork and involuntary unemployment. Do you believe in that?

It demands safety appliances in connection with modern industry so as to prevent the terrible loss of life and limb that at present results in the killing or disabling of more than 50,000 workmen every year in this country. Do you believe in that?

It prohibits child labor, that means in factories. Do you believe in that? It demands a minimum living wage for workers. Do you believe in that? It demands the establishment of an 8-hour day for

women and children who are forced to toil for their daily bread. Do you believe in that?

It demands that each worker in shop and factory and mine shall have an opportunity to rest one day in seven. Do you believe in that?

In those industries that run night and day, it demands that the old system that requires men to toil continuously, often for 24 hours at a stretch, shall give way to an 8-hour shift plan. Do you believe in that?

It demands the abolition of the prison contract system. Do you believe in that?

It demands standards of compensation for death or accident in industrial occupations. Do you believe in that?

It demands a system of insurance for old age when the man or woman is no longer able to earn his or her living by toil. Do you believe in that?

I think you will not be able to find these demands in the Baltimore platform. At any rate, I have not.

A PLEA FOR WILSON.

Editor Mail and Breeze—In your reply to Harvey E. Long, October 19, you say you don't know of anything Mr. Wilson has done during his term of office as governor to drive the trusts out of his state. Will you be kind enough to publish his answer to ex-Senator Beveridge on that subject, taken from the St. Louis Post Dispatch? Blaine, Kan. T. O. CONNELL.

Ex-Senator Beveridge, who has no very exact knowledge about anything, claims that Mr. Roosevelt wanted him to ask Governor Wilson a certain pointed question. It was to this effect: Since many of the trusts are organized under the laws of New Jersey, why has not Mr. Wilson, as governor, recommended amendments that would curtail the powers of these combinations?

The governor's reply is brief, but it covers the ground. It is: (1) In his inaugural and on three other occasions in messages to the legislature he did make these recommendations. (2) At the 1911 session of the assembly the Republicans controlled the senate and its majority was so busy thwarting Governor Wilson's progressive measures that it had no time to heed his repeated demands that the corporation laws be made effective. Sick or well, Mr. Roosevelt is not in the habit of asking questions that bring such responses as this. Probably the inquiry was Beveridge's own.

I have no desire to be unfair to Governor Wilson. The utterances of public men are often garbled or misquoted and a grave injustice done them. In order that I might inform myself as to what Mr. Wilson actually did say concerning trusts I have hunted up the official records of the state of New Jersey.

At the beginning of the legislative session of 1911 the outgoing governor delivered the message to the legislature and Wilson, governor-elect, merely delivered an inaugural address. In that address Mr. Wilson spoke as follows concerning the corporations known as trusts:

"If I may speak very plainly we are much too free with grants of charters to corporations in New Jersey. A corporation exists not of natural right, but only by license of law and the law, if we look at the matter in good conscience, is responsible for what it creates."

"I would urge, therefore, the imperative obligation of public policy and of public honesty we are under, to effect such changes in the law of the state as will henceforth effectually prevent the abuse of privilege of incorporation, which has in recent years brought so much discredit upon our state."

"In order to do this it will be necessary to regulate and restrict the issue of securities, to enforce regulation with regard to bona fide capital, examining very rigorously the basis of capitalization and to prescribe methods by which the public shall be safeguarded against fraud, deception, extortion and every abuse of its confidence."

That language seems pretty vigorous, and while it does not hint at destroying the trusts it does demand their regulation.

This, as I said, is quoted from his inaugural address on taking his oath of office. One year later he delivered to the New Jersey legislature his first official message. This message was sent to the legislature on January 17, 1912. I have carefully read this message, which is supposed to contain the governor's recommendations concerning legislation that he thinks should be enacted.

I have not only read this message, which is really his official direction to the legislature, but I have read it again in order that I might be certain I had not overlooked something Governor Wilson might have said. In that message there is not the slightest recommendation concerning either the driving out of trusts from the state, or even the regulation and restraining the abuses of such trusts. On the subject of trusts the message is as silent as the grave. Not a word about the abuse of privileges by corporations which he said in his inaugural had "brought so much discredit on the state." He attacks with great vigor the New Jersey mosquito and the house fly and urges the legislature to enact legislation to put them out of business, but he has nothing to say about the trusts.

Had he changed his mind during the year he had been governor? Did he think in 1912 that the corporations were abusing their privileges less than the year before? Or had he reached the conclusion that he was wrong the year before when he recommended rigorous restriction?

Of course, Mr. Wilson should not be held accountable for the failure of the legislature to do its duty. All he could do as governor was to urge in his message a correction of the abuses of the trusts, or he could recommend that their charters be revoked and they driven out of the state. He had the right and the power to do that. It would then have been up to the legislature to either follow his recommenda-

tions or to disregard them. But the fact is that in his message he made no recommendation whatever concerning the trusts or great corporations.

HE IS FOR ROOSEVELT AND CAPPER.

Editor Mail and Breeze—I read Passing Comment of October 12 and Silas D. Warner's letter. I was well pleased with your comments on it. You are broad and fair in dealing with most any question. I think Mr. Warner's comparing Mr. Roosevelt to Napoleon Bonaparte is unreasonable and unfair. So far as any empires being set up in this country that is bosh. I am too much of a Kansan and an American to believe that for a minute. When Mr. Roosevelt was president we common people, farmers and business men, all prospered as we never did before, and nine-tenths of us obtained about all we possess under his administration. He did more to restore and unite the North and the South, people that we never realized were one people and had one common interest, until Mr. Roosevelt's administration.

Now, then, Mr. Roosevelt never forced himself on the people. He was prevailed upon by about a dozen governors of as many different states and was asked by thousands of voters to make the race. One of those governors was from this bully good state of ours and another was from grand old Missouri. Even if that was not the case or if he had been chosen and elected to the presidency twice, and if he did say he wouldn't accept another term, the question is still unanswered, is Mr. Roosevelt the choice of the common people?

I believe Mr. Roosevelt will go down in history as being a great and good man with the American people. I have nothing against the other candidates further than I don't think Democracy is best for this country.

The question of contribution to campaign funds is six of one and half a dozen of the other, only Roosevelt hasn't as many big brothers as Taft.

I have heard good Republicans, Democrats and Socialists that were better informed than myself and what we call successful in their business, express themselves like this, that they believed Mr. Roosevelt would be more nearly in touch and sympathy with the common people than Mr. Taft and if their man could not get it Roosevelt would be the one they would like to see elected; that they didn't think Mr. Roosevelt had a square deal in the convention.

I am still a Republican and if I see I have erred I will admit it. I wear a Capper button and a T. R. button, too, and will until after November 5. Some "Dem." friends say, "Why are you for Capper?" I tell them there are about 10 reasons—that I believe he will make us a good and wise governor; that there will be no strings or axes to grind with him; that he will try to get our school books so we won't have to change them every change of the moon, and will see that the inheritance tax law is repealed; will use economy with public money; will see that our taxes are checked if not lowered (our taxes are becoming fierce), and will teach the people to apply economy to county and township as well as the state. He will cut out unnecessary expenses.

Croft, Kan.

S. W. HOWELL.

CONCERNING INHERITANCE TAXES.

Editor Mail and Breeze—I would like to ask a few questions about the inheritance tax. It is said to be a most just and righteous tax "because the heirs did not earn the estate"—which is hardly true in case of direct heirs. The question is, "Did the state earn it or even 1 to 5 per cent of the estate?" If the state did earn it, why hasn't the state gotten it? If not, where does the state's claim come in?

If an estate pays its regular annual taxes it does look as if it was doing its full share toward supporting the government without being nipped for 1 to 5 per cent every time an owner dies. This is too much like the game of stud-horse poker besides furnishing a good precedent for Socialism. In stud-horse poker the dealer (state) furnishes the cards, the table, deals the cards and takes 10 per cent of the winnings. The losers (the dead men) can't kick because they have lost out anyhow. The winners (heirs) can't kick because they are ahead. But anyone can see if they play long enough it is only a question of time till the dealer (state) has all the player's money and that, too, without betting a cent on the game. A dead open and shut heads-I-win, tails-you-lose game.

If the state can take 1 to 5 per cent when an owner dies, why not take all? The heirs did not earn it. Difference is in degree only. Or why not go a step farther and have Socialism, let the state take all without waiting for anyone to die? No one has to play stud-horse poker unless he wishes to, but in the game of life none can quit and all must play until they lose (die).

Carlyle, Kan.

A. E. B.

This correspondent has put up an adroit, strong argument which necessarily brings up the whole question of the power of the state to levy taxes. Theoretically the power of the state or government to tax seems to imply the power to confiscate. The only limit on the taxation power of the government local and general, is the limit the people themselves through their legislatures place upon that power.

If no limit were placed on the rate of taxation it would be possible theoretically to tax away all of the citizen's property. Of course it is not conceivable that such a thing would be done, for the people would in such a case rise in revolt and run the officials who levied the tax out of the country, but the theoretical power is there just the same.

Income taxes and inheritance taxes are levied on the theory that the burdens of government should be placed as far as possible on the shoulders of those best able to bear them. In the case of the inheritance tax on large estates the state takes a part of what is generally supposed to be an unearned increment. This is especially true in the case of very large estates.

Take the Vanderbilt fortune as an example. The heirs to those vast fortunes never contributed, as a rule, anything toward the earning of the fortunes they have inherited. They are simply the beneficiaries of swollen fortunes built up by their ancestors. The Astor fortune is a more striking case of the unearned increment. The old original John Jacob Astor built the foundation of the enormous Astor fortune in the fur-trading business and then was

shrewd enough to invest his money in New York real estate. The fortune he accumulated would be a mere bagatelle compared with the Astor fortune of today and every dollar of the increase has been a gift from industry to the descendants of old John Jacob. It is no more than fair that society, which has made this fortune, should take back at least a part of what it has contributed.

I think the principle on which the inheritance tax is based is correct. The only trouble is, that in Kansas it works a hardship in many cases because the tax is levied on small estates and also because the widow and other direct heirs have often contributed fully as much to the building up of the little estate as the deceased. In other words, the estate to them is not unearned increment.

Large estates should bear an inheritance tax especially so far as indirect heirs are concerned.

AN ARGUMENT FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Editor Mail and Breeze—Some time ago in one of the departments of the Mail and Breeze an opportunity was given the women of Kansas to express their wishes in regard to equal suffrage. I did not send in my vote, but I was far from being indifferent to the subject and to be strictly honest, I do not want to vote nor take an active part in public politics, though I am intensely interested in all of the political issues of the day. Yet, I did not wish to send my vote opposing the measure as I think woman suffrage an improvement on the present ballot system.

One objection made to votes for women is that it would make more complicated an already complicated affair. Another objection is that it would add more responsibility to the already overburdened housewife and mother. And still other objections are given by those who are no doubt honest in their opinions, though objections are not always reasons.

The following plan if it could be adopted, would, in my opinion, bring the good results that would be expected from women voting, yet make fewer voters, and therefore a less complicated and expensive election; and would also have a tendency to raise the moral standard of men and afford higher protection to womanhood. The voters I would name as the proper ones to select our public officials would be the married men with the age perhaps advanced two or more years, at least to 23. There is such a large number of male citizens at 21 that are only boys and vote just because they can. Then there are many others who say they cannot make enough to support themselves, let alone a wife and family. And these men, whether their wages be large or small spend it all on "riotous living."

Neither of these classes have any thought of the good of the coming generations or of protection to womanhood; and the latter class often uses its influence to the reverse.

While there are no doubt many noble minded "old bachelors," still they are not really normal citizens, and a good government must be a normal government. These citizens could use their influence for good without the ballot as directly as women have. The bachelor would have a deeper interest at heart than the bachelor in future posterity and social purity for his sons and daughters, and the arrangement would lend dignity to the normal state of manhood and womanhood.

Taxes could be regulated by taxing voters only, by the regular taxation laws and all citizens be taxed under a fixed income tax law. A good woman's influence would be as great as with a "free for all" ballot, and this method would cut out a great deal of the frivolous vote.

To be consistent, while divorces are still deemed necessary, where the man was found in the fault, his right to vote would be annulled in case of divorce and a childless widower would not be eligible to vote.

A regulation of this kind would also stand in the nature of a compromise between the equal suffrage enthusiasts and those that oppose the measure.

I have appreciated highly your comments on passing events and submit the above comments I have to make on the suffrage question.

Frankfort, Kan.

Mrs. A. R. C.

A SOCIALIST HAS A WORD.

Editor Mail and Breeze—I have just been reading your confession of faith, and I agree with you when you say everyone should confess his faith and be in the open on political subjects, so one can see where he stands without making any mistake. But one thing puzzles me quite a bit and that is why you don't confess to be a Socialist.

Judging from your articles from time to time in the Mail and Breeze, you seem to me to believe in the genuine doctrines of Socialism, and surely the genuine is better than the counterfeit any time, and there must at least be enough good things in the Socialist platform to overcome the bad, should any exist. Also the majority are supposed to rule, giving a chance to correct things.

In your article I note you say all able-bodied persons should earn their living, and I also note the Socialists say that to the producer belongs the product, so following this, all able people would of necessity have to produce in some way or other, in order to have the product.

Also the Socialists aim to build up the weak and down-trodden by education and by removing the profit system as applied to capitalism.

Instead of monopolization by the few, we would substitute co-operation for all. The Socialists also propose the graduated income tax, equal suffrage to men and women, and the collective ownership of the things publicly used.

One place I don't quite agree with you is where you class the tramp and hobo with the millionaire, as that seems a little bit hard on the tramp, as the tramp is the product of the millionaire, and doesn't exact as much from society as the millionaire, from the simple fact that an existence is all he requires, while the millionaire requires great profits wrung from the lives of labor. Yet both seem about as useless as a diseased appendix.

E. M. BADGLEY.

New Albany, Kan.

I have tried to state frankly wherein I found myself unable to agree with some of the Socialist philosophy, but that is no reason for not treating Socialists with fairness and respect.

I regard the candidate for president on the Socialist ticket, Eugene Debs, as a big-brained and big-hearted man. I do not believe that he is a very practical man, but in that I may possibly be mis-

taken. I do think, however, that he is full of sympathy for the poor and unfortunate and that when the impartial historian writes his biography he will say that Debs should be entitled to credit for stirring men up to higher ideals.

I regard him as one out on the skirmish line ahead of the main army of progress. And such skirmishers are needed. Phillips was that sort of a man, so was William Lloyd Garrison. Neither one of them would have been a safe man to put at the head of the nation at the time of the terrible crisis in its affairs as was Lincoln, the conservative, but after all, their fight helped Lincoln to win his.

That Debs is actuated by motives of true philanthropy I do not doubt. As I see it now he is mistaken in some of his theories and proposed methods, but that does not destroy the high opinion I have of the intellectual power and nobility of the man.

A PLEASANT BOUQUET.

Editor Mail and Breeze—I have just read your comments on Silas D. Warner's "Roast of Roosevelt" and am so impressed with it that I must write to congratulate you on the manner in which you handled the subject.

You make the radicals of all parties measure their very own thoughts and words in the past with their thoughts and words of the present, and compel them to say whether they were hypocrites in the past, because they did not think and speak as they do now.

You also invite them to glance back upon some of the history of notable presidents of the past who were spoken of by radicals as Roosevelt is now spoken of by Mr. Warner; and that as they have passed from the smoke of political conflict their virtues are understood, and likewise their faults are also seen. But upon the whole, they are regarded as very great men.

By such timely influence you bring the antagonistic elements face to face and compel them to see that the chasm that so widely separates them is largely imaginary and is a creature of their own making. At this time, when if we were Latin-Americans we would be on the verge of armed conflict, such calm, unanswerable reasoning is worth more than all the political campaigning in the land. That one article is worth more than a year's subscription to the Mail and Breeze.

JAMES LOGSDON.

We are all too much inclined to intolerance of opinion and intemperance of speech. Most men in this country, I think, do not intend to be unfair, but their mental vision is apt to become warped by the heat of passion and prejudice. Possibly the time will never come when all men can take a dispassionate view of matters that pertain to the common weal or to the common injury, but I trust as intelligence increases, as men read more, think more, that they will be disposed to take a fairer view of both measures and men.

SOME THINGS I PROPOSE TO DO AS GOVERNOR

As a candidate for governor my pledge from the beginning to the end of this campaign has been my most earnest purpose if elected to keep out the grafters, the leeches, the hangers-on, the jobbers; to cut off all useless officials, clerks and commissions; to abolish excessive salaries; to eliminate the jokers in legislative acts; to head off extravagant appropriations; and to endeavor as a business man in a business way to handle the business of the state with justice and economy on the broad basis of the greatest good to the greatest number.

I believe the people of the state are entitled to the fullest information in regard to the expenditure of public money, and I would also apply this principle strictly to the matter of levying taxes.

I am for revision of taxes downward for city, county and state so far as compatible with public needs and progress.

I am for more business and less politics in all public offices.

I am for salaries for all county officials instead of the present fee-grabbing system.

It is my opinion one of the useless, unnecessary officials in Kansas is the county assessor and that that job should be promptly abolished.

As measures needed in promoting efficiency I am for the Initiative, Referendum, and Recall.

For a practical, sensible good roads law, that will do away with the wastefulness and inefficiency of the present system.

For less technicality and speedier justice in courts.

For more farmers and business men and fewer lawyers and politicians for legislative work.

For a more efficient primary law, including a presidential preference, and the fullest publicity to campaign expenses and contributions.

I am most strongly and emphatically for legislation to end the frequent changing of school books, by means of state publication and distribution of such books at actual cost.

And for the repeal of the present inheritance tax law, exempting widows or all direct heirs for at least \$25,000.

First and last I am earnestly interested that Kansas shall have at my hands an honest, clean and progressive administration. I was born in Kansas. Every interest I have is centered in Kansas. I am under obligations to no special interests, bosses, factions, or individuals. If elected I shall be the Governor. I shall stay on the job six days in the week and will not put in my time setting up the pips for a second term.

Arthur Capper

TO WATER WESTERN KANSAS

Kansas Irrigators Have Organized to Push the Work

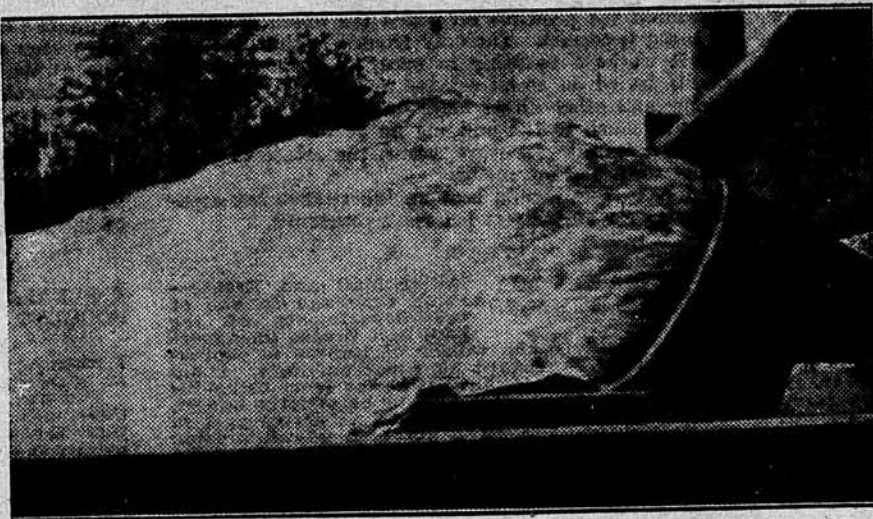
IN YEARS to come the state irrigation conference held Thursday and Friday of last week at Garden City will be referred to as an epochal event in Kansas history, for it is to be responsible for giving direction and impetus to the hitherto indiscriminate effort to develop the underflow—next to the soil itself—God's greatest gift to western Kansas. A permanent organization was effected, "to promote the spread of irrigation of whatever nature, to all sections of the state where the artificial application of moisture will increase the production of the soil."

Since the advent of the fuel oil engine has made it possible to pump water cheaply from wells, pump-irrigation has grown surprisingly in all parts of the country, but nowhere are the demonstrated possibilities so great or so general as in western Kansas with its strata of water-filled gravel ranging from 7 to 50 feet in thickness through which courses the huge underground sheet of water known as the underflow.

Until recently the development of pump-irrigation in western Kansas has been on an experimental footing, the experiments being conducted by men who were widely separated, no one profiting by the experience of his more or less distant neighbor. The conference held last week was proposed by H. B. Walker, the state drainage engineer of the Agricultural college, as a sort of experience meeting for these pioneers of well-irrigation in Kansas and for the purpose of having them see the four pumping plants of the United States Sugar and Land company at Garden City, also the well and pumping plant of the branch experiment station at the same place.

The conference developed into one of the liveliest irrigation meetings that has ever been held in Kansas. A. B. Walker, of Holton, who has been to two national irrigation congresses and is the developer of a 1600-gallon-per-minute well in Meade county remarked, "that for all practical purposes and getting down to the actual business in hand, this beats any irrigation convention I have ever attended."

There was a noticeable and surprising demand for information about windmill pumping plants, and pump-



The famous Lough well on the uplands of Scott county which is capable of watering 320 acres. Mr. Lough is planning to increase his plant and furnish power not only for more pumps but for the pumps of his neighbors. Mr. Lough got four big cuttings of alfalfa this year, up to September 23.

ing plants for 5-acre garden plots. In many parts of western Kansas the Big Idea still prevails. One man recently wrote the state irrigation engineer inquiring how many wells it would take to irrigate a section. Some comparatively large tracts are being irrigated by a single well from the underflow, but in a general way irrigation is intensive rather than extensive farming. An irrigated acre will do much more work than a non-irrigated one, more crops are grown in less time and more work on the land is required. The problem usually is to handle these crops in the best way and keep the irrigated land busy.

A number of western Kansas farmers are finding winter irrigation a time saver, and profit-maker, especially for early crops which can be taken off the land and followed with later crops during the succeeding warmer season. There is less evaporation in winter. With alfalfa it has been found that simply one application of water in the fall or winter will do wonders.

There was a decided absence of oratory at the Garden City conference. The papers for the most part dealt with the practical side of the new irrigation. I. L. Diesem, Garden City, outlined the history and purposes of

the Kansas Irrigation association; R. H. Faxon, Wichita, discussed the probable future of irrigation in Kansas; L. A. Williams, of the United States Sugar and Land company, detailed the experience of the company with its large pump-irrigation plants at Garden City and their cost of operation; "The Small Irrigation Pumping Plant" was discussed from the viewpoint of experience by A. R. Towles; E. E. Coffin, Scott City, spoke on "The Possibilities of Windmill Irrigation"; G. A. Case presented the paper of J. B. Case, of Abilene, on "Back to the Land"; W. S. Gearhart, state engineer, spoke on "What Kansas Can and Should Do to Encourage Irrigation". "Irrigation Law and Needed Legislation" was treated by H. O. Trinkle, Garden City; Superintendent Chilcott, of the branch experiment station, at Garden City, spoke on "What shall Be Our Principal Irrigation Crops"; J. W. Lough, Scott City, on "Irrigation of Alfalfa"; C. I. Reed, Wichita, on "Subirrigation in Kansas"; H. J. Mott, Scott City, on "The 5-Acre Irrigated Farm"; Mr. Downing, on "Advantages of Winter Irrigation"; H. B. Walker, Manhattan, on "A Summary of Our Irrigation Problems".

A number of the papers are to ap-

pear subsequently in Farmers Mail and Breeze.

Thirty western Kansas counties were represented at the conference by 100 delegates. About 200 delegates and visitors attended its sessions. The delegates were taken in automobiles on an inspection trip to the pumping plants of the United States Sugar and Land company and the local Experiment station. The station well is on the upland and pumps 750 gallons a minute. It is 180 feet deep, but the pump sets 120 feet from the top. The engine is a 75-horsepower gas engine and the pump a No. 6 2-stage centrifugal. In the shallow water district water is obtained at 8, 10 and 15 feet.

During the Friday session copies of last week's Mail and Breeze containing F. D. Coburn's article on the year's developments in pump-irrigation in western Kansas were distributed to the delegates and proved of general interest.

A permanent organization was effected under the title of the Kansas Irrigation congress with Dr. F. A. Carmichael, Goodland, as president; L. S. Runnels, Scott City, vice president; H. B. Walker, Manhattan, secretary, and I. L. Diesem, Garden City, treasurer. Goodland was selected as the place of meeting next year.

It is the purpose to continue the congress as a western Kansas institution and hold district or sectional meetings whenever deemed advisable.

In resolutions the conference strongly commended the work of the state engineer's office, at Manhattan, and the effort put forth by W. S. Gearhart, state engineer, and H. B. Walker, drainage engineer, to promote the success of the conference. It was recommended that the state engineer's office be better equipped by state appropriation for research work, especially for carrying the result of such work to the man interested and that a committee be appointed to lay the matter before the next legislature.

The resolutions also declare for a codification of existing irrigation laws of Kansas; for stream measurement and water duty determination; for registration with the state engineer of every pump plant, and that accurate data be compiled.

PUMPING THE UNDERFLOW

Some of the Things Kansas Has Yet to Learn About It

BY H. B. WALKER

Drainage Engineer Kansas Agricultural College

Everything connected with pump-irrigation is even yet so new in Kansas that it may be said we are still groping in the dark. At the Garden City irrigation conference H. B. Walker, the drainage engineer of Kansas Agricultural college, presented a paper on "Kansas Irrigation Problems" which contained a great amount of important information. This article is a digest of the paper.—Editor's Note.

KANSAS needs lots of water. There is west of the 99th Meridian practically 19 million acres of rich agricultural land which could be made more productive by irrigation if the water were available at a reasonable cost. The



H. B. Walker.

general development of irrigation in Kansas depends upon, first, economical methods of pumping from the underflow; second, efficient and simple systems for storage of storm waters; third, a high duty from the available water; and fourth, correct cropping and efficient methods of

marketing the produce; fifth, a home-making people. Each succeeding year brings reports of deeper wells that are being successfully pumped for irrigation. In British

Columbia irrigation by pumping is profitable up to 200 feet in depth. In New Mexico pumping heads of 250 feet are economical while in California in the citrus belt 400 feet has been found profitable. It would seem that if it is profitable at those depths for these localities Kansas can develop a great pumping area where the pumping heads may be more than 100 feet. This can be done but the success and rapidity of the development depend to a great extent upon the land owner. Farmers must work together. Winter irrigation must be utilized as far as possible in order to increase the acreage of irrigable lands and decrease the cost of water per acre.

The irrigation farmer is not expected to farm a section. If he is the proper kind he can make more from 40 acres of irrigated land than the average farmer makes from a section without water. We need little farms, cozy farm homes, and as far as possible community development. Systematic development of our shallow water areas should come first afterwards to be followed by extension of work into the deep-well areas.

It is a difficult matter for the Western Kansas settler who has been accustomed to cattle ranges and large

cultivated fields to confine his efforts to tracts of 20 to 80 acres. On the small irrigation farm the tiller of the soil has control of the moisture and he is working with certainties. He does not take the chances that the average farmer in Western Kansas has been doing.

Centrifugal Pumps Are Best.

It is rather a difficult matter for the average farmer without technical advice to select the proper type and size of pumping machinery for his needs. Many farmers would do well to consult a reliable engineer. Only standard makes of pumping machinery with a reputation earned by actual performance should be considered.

It has been found by actual practice in Kansas that the improved and ordinary types of centrifugal pumps are giving more general satisfaction than any of our simple types of pumping machinery for irrigation pumping. Other types of pumps are being placed on the market but not until such machinery has been thoroughly tested and endorsed by competent authorities should a landowner consider such an installation. The same is true in regard to engines and motors.

In general stationary pumping plants are more satisfactory than the portable

plants since the former permit a more accurate adjustment of machinery and better housing. On account of our high winds and frequent dust storms all of the machinery should be housed in tight buildings if we expect our plants to last.

Many of our old pumping plants were not entirely satisfactory because sufficient power was not supplied to the pump. This has not been so much the fault of the engine as it has been the neglect of the plant purchaser. A centrifugal pump frequently has a factory efficiency of 60 to 70 per cent but when installed in the pumping field it may be a difficult matter to get even 40 per cent efficiency. Ample power should be supplied for the possible deficiencies that are likely to occur under actual field conditions.

Watch the Cost of Pumping.

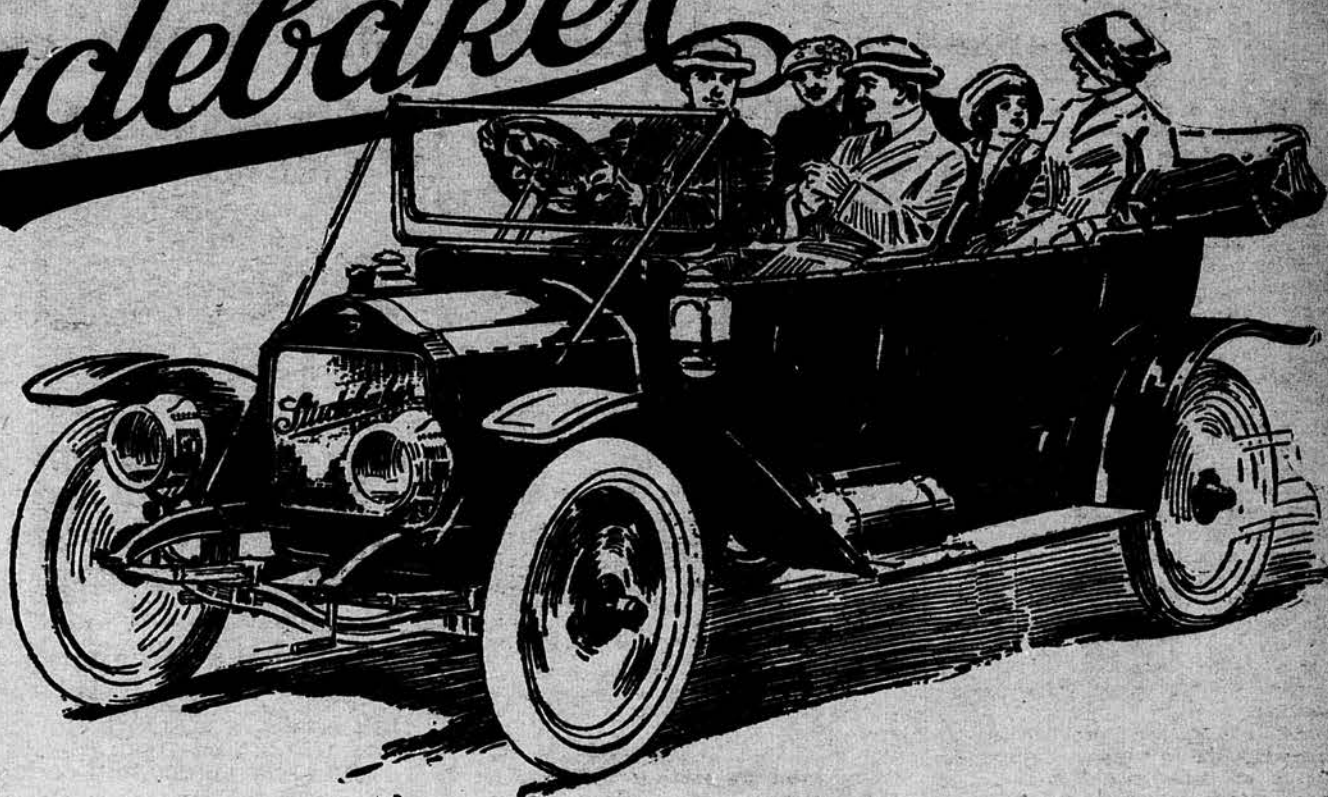
Pumping plant owners should keep an accurate account of the cost of operating their plants. Many farmers do not even know the number of days they operate them. Others guess at the probable cost of pumping. Some time ago cost data was collected by the author of this paper. The results indicated that the cost varied from 4 to 9 cents per acre foot per foot of lift. The cost included interest on the investment, depreciation of the plant, fuel, attendance, etc. By increasing the number of pumping days and in-

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We have been feeding the cattle for more than a week. In the morning they have left the yard before we get around to feed them but they are always on hand at night. There will be more rough feed on this farm this year than can be fed to the stock.

It is not a question of winter feed in this part of the state in regard to how much stock may be kept, it is the ground in pasture that determines that question. Because so much pasture ground has been turned back to meadow in this section it is becoming harder than ever to find pasture that can be rented.

There is quite an acreage of Kafir yet to cut. We cannot see the use of letting it stand any longer for it will ripen no more this year even if it has not been killed by frost. Dry as the weather is as we write this, it does not take long for a change to come and rain would mean hard cutting; the corn binder runs a full horse harder when the ground is soft than when it is hard as it is now.

Farmers in some sections of northern Nebraska write that they expect corn to start at about 35 cents a bushel. This is 15 cents a bushel lower than most people expect to see it move here; 50 cents is the price paid for new corn here in what sales we have learned of and we do not think it will go much lower. In fact, we fully expect to see corn selling for 60 cents before next spring. At present prices there is no livestock to which 60 cent corn could not be fed at a profit unless it might be old cows. It does take a powerful lot of corn to fill up a hollow old cow.

If there is any tax the average man hates to dig up more than another it is poll tax and in almost every town there is some kind of a lawsuit about it every year. Now we should like to know what the women expect to do about it if the right to vote is extended to them next month. Doesn't the right to vote carry with it the right to pay a poll tax? Surely the women would not want to shirk any of the burdens of the voter. What an addition to our road tax it would be if the poll tax list was doubled.

Cider enough to float a battleship has been made in this county during the last two weeks. This ought to mean a liberal supply of vinegar for some time, for little of this large supply will be drunk while it is sweet; if a man drinks hard cider it is not because he likes it but just because he thinks he is doing

WHERE CAPPER STANDS

As a Progressive Republican, I have been proud to support the great movement for better government in Kansas and to take my share of the knocks which such active support necessarily involved. I believe there is much for the Progressive movement yet to do. I am with it and propose to stay with it, stand by it, defend and support it now and in the future, with all the energy I possess, for I heartily sympathize with its aims and spirit. I have no use for the candidate who is afraid to tell where he stands, and I will not attempt to gum-shoe my way into the office of Governor this year or any other time. For that reason I have from the beginning of this campaign frankly stated that I am for Colonel Roosevelt for President.

Arthur Capper

something smart. By the way, pure vinegar is supposed to contain only apple juice and the pure food law says that it is adulterated if water is added. If you sell vinegar be sure that it contains no water.

Not since we have lived in Kansas have we seen such a crop of walnuts as the trees bore this year. The large trees bore so many that the nuts were small and the best ones were to be found on the younger trees that grew along the outside of the groves. In our pasture along the creek we found young trees holding up as many walnuts as the branches could bear and these trees, to our certain knowledge, had grown since we came on this farm 16 years ago. On the uplands walnuts make a slower growth but it does not take a tree many years to reach a bearing age.

All the original timber along the creek on this farm was cut by early settlers so that any tree growth there is has been made in the last 35 years. The soil and climate seem to be adapted to walnuts for there are trees in our pasture which bore at least 5 bushels of nuts and one tree in a fine location must have borne 10 bushels. The nuts on these bigger trees were small but if one had none they would do very well. Just think what food value creek bottom land will produce; this tree which bore 10 bushels of nuts took up a small space but it produced more food value than any crop which we could conceive of growing on the same ground.

For the first time since our pump was installed at the windmill we have had to put a new leather on the plunger. This has been more than seven years and the leather was not greatly worn when we took it out. The pump has a double leather on the plunger and one leather was worn so little that we let it remain. This goes to show that there is little sand in the water or the leather would have been cut out years ago. On the pumps which we had in driven wells in northern Nebraska we had to renew the leather every six weeks as the water came from quicksand and the finest of wire gauze on the points would not keep the sand out of the cylinder.

Of all the investments we have made on this farm since taking possession the windmill and water supply have proven the most profitable. By piping the water 60 rods we have it just where we want it around the yards and instead of carrying water all we have to do is to turn a handle at the hydrant. The cost of the whole thing, windmill, pump, hydrant, tanks and pipe was less than \$150 and we could not have spent that amount in any other way and had it return half the value that our water works has. In addition to the low first cost there has been no repair cost except 75 cents for a new check valve. We have done a little work on it a few times but there was no money outlay.

A letter from a Marion county reader asks where oil meal may be procured and how it is best fed to hogs. We suppose that every feed dealer in Kansas carries oil meal and if they do not they can easily get it. If you wish to buy direct you can get it from the mills at Fredonia, Kan. In feeding oil meal to hogs we prefer to mix it with something else instead of making slop of it alone. By mixing 1-3 oil meal and 2-3 shorts we think we have an ideal slop-making material. As compared with shorts in feeding value oil meal has about twice the protein and that is what we buy both for. Hence when oil meal costs \$35 per ton and shorts \$25, which are about standard prices, oil meal is far the cheaper feed but hogs do not relish it quite so well as shorts. So we like to mix them as we stated above. Hogs are so high in price that all such feeding stuffs can be used at a good profit to supplement corn.

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New Idea For County Fairs

Washington County's Court-House Exhibition

BY J. W. JOHNSON
Mail and Breeze Field Man

This year with its big livestock and agricultural show Washington county has succeeded splendidly in doing what many other Kansas counties and county-seat towns are doing only indifferently well and usually at a loss. Washington county for two days turned its court house and the court house square over to the people for a real farmers' fair. There were no fake or questionable attractions of any sort and no "hoss-trotting." The way the thing was done was simplicity itself and the fair made a tremendous hit with town and country folk alike. The fair came off Wednesday and Thursday, October 17-18. The writer saw it on the last day. It was estimated that between 8,000 and 10,000 people were in attendance on that day. Everything was free. The town was turned over to the farmers with their families as completely as it is possible to do such a thing. The fine \$50,000 court house which stands in the square and which is surrounded by as beautiful a lawn as you ever saw was headquarters for everything except the livestock and fruit display. The halls of this handsome modern building were used to display the different handicraft exhibits and it was one of the largest exhibits of this kind I ever saw. The court room upstairs was used to show the school work of the county. The jury room was turned into a rest room for ladies and was in charge of an attendant. The rooms of the different county officers were used for displaying canned fruit and other exhibits. And there was nothing commonplace about any of the exhibits, they were exceptionally fine. The display of fruit, while not as large as some we have seen at county and state fairs, was as good as we ever saw. Washington county is an apple county and the apple exhibit made by the different growers was wonderful. The poultry show was good. An exhibit that attracted considerable attention was of three different breeds of dogs. Another was of Shetland ponies.

Breeders Glad to Co-operate.

Not a dollar was hung up to secure the fine livestock exhibit, but the public spirit of the exhibitors made it one of the best stock shows of the season. A. C. Lobough, Glen Keesecker, D. A. Kramer, Achenbach Brothers and a number of other breeders were responsible for initiating it but, according to the breeders, farmers, and the business men of Washington, all the glory belongs to "Joe" Smith, superintendent of the show. He had the assistance of the breeders

and farmers and liberal support from the business men of Washington who hung up special premiums for all of the exhibits but the livestock.

Mr. Smith has succeeded in doing what other towns the size of Washington have spent lots of money trying to do and then failed. The very simplicity of the thing is its biggest asset. Not a fake of any kind was allowed in town. The city marshal is an old soldier and was the only police officer on duty. There were no hamburger joints, instead every church in town gave a big dinner of chicken and other good things. Many brought their dinners with them and enjoyed them on the court house lawn.

Half of the court house square was turned over to those with autos as a garage. The west half of the square was banked with them, most of them belonging to Washington county farmers. "A sociability run" was made by Clifton, Linn and Palmer, all three of them Washington county towns. These visitors came into town in a body and the procession of autos was an imposing sight.

A Stock Show of 164 Head.

The livestock show occupied a large covered pavilion used at other times as a feed yard. It was exceptionally strong and better in many respects than the average county fair put up this season. There were 50 hogs, 55 cattle and 59 horses exhibited, besides a good display of sheep. The fair exhibit of the State Agricultural college was there with an instructor in charge of it. Prof. Wright, superintendent of swine, delivered instructive and entertaining lectures on hog culture and made a big hit with the Washington county farmers. Achenbach Brothers, whose farm joins Washington, and who made many of the big state fairs this season with their Poll Durhams, were there with their show herd of 28 head.

The list of livestock exhibitors included:

Percheron Horses—A. M. Dull & Sons, A. Bond, Thos. McWilliams, Wm. Linn, Frank McCormick, Carl Diller, C. B. Baird, J. R. Pruden, John Myers, Joseph Bowers, Carl Wilson, Lewis Reep, Jake Wayman, T. H. Parish, J. D. Nutter, J. D. Sawyer, Cattle—Achenbach Brothers, Poll Durhams; D. A. Kramer, Jerseys; C. M. Hamshaw, Holsteins; Henry King, Holsteins; Carl Smith, Jerseys; W. E. King, Jerseys; Geo. Newcomb, Red Polls; J. D. Nutter, Shorthorns. Hogs—Glen Keesecker, Wm. Knabbe, C. E. Wehling and Garrett Brothers, (Steele City, Neb.) Duroc-Jerseys; A. C. Lobough, Poland Chinas. Sheep—J. A. Ashland, Hampshires; A. M. Dull & Sons and Louis Reep, Shropshires; John Van Kirk, Angora goats.

Hodges and the Lumber Trust

Court Records Show His Relation to It

The Kansas City Star recently gave space to a charge by Frank Hodges of Olathe that the Capper publications are maliciously and unjustly making slanderous attacks upon George H. Hodges, the Democratic candidate for governor of Kansas, in their comment upon Mr. Hodges's relation to the lumber trust.

The Capper papers have printed two articles concerning Mr. Hodges and the lumber trust. One was reprinted from a reputable newspaper published in Mr. Hodges's home town and the other was a statement furnished to the Kansas Republican state committee by one of the attorneys who represented Kansas in the prosecution of the lumbermen's association. "The attack" was not made "in a roundabout way" as alleged by Mr. Hodges. It consisted almost entirely of quotations from the report of the commissioner who took evidence in the case of the State of Missouri against the so-called trust—a report which is accessible to the general public. It showed that Hodges Brothers of Olathe were members of the Southwestern Lumbermen's association for 12 years, and quoted the commissioner to the effect that "the evident object of this association as gathered from its constitution, by-laws and practice, is to compel the observance of so-called 'ethical rules' between dealers, wholesalers and retailers in the trade. These 'ethical rules' were arbitrary and relate in a manner to the division of territory among retail dealers in the trade,

for the purposes of trade; to limit the trade and industry to such retailers and to such manufacturers and wholesalers as recognized such rules and to place the control of such industry in the hands of such dealers, wholesalers and retailers as would operate along such lines, and to exclude all others therefrom."

This is the charge under which Mr. Hodges squirms with such indignation, and it must be admitted that the evidence is not particularly pleasant in an "anti-trust" campaign.

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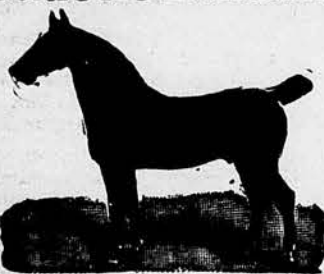


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trash.

Fall is the time to spread manure
over the garden.

Storing apples in crates makes it
easier to detect rot.

Better save the seed from the extra
good pumpkin or squash.

The outdoor pit would make a fine
place to store apples if they did not
take on that "earthy" flavor.

Rhubarb plants covered with well
rotted manure now will insure a heavy
crop of pie timber next spring.

The time to mulch the strawberry bed
is just as soon as the ground is frozen
hard enough to bear up a wagon.

Ordinary frosts will not hurt cabbages
in the ground, in fact it will be better
for them if left out until the heavy
freezing comes.

Kansas' Pioneer Tree Planter Dead.
L. W. Yaggy, the man who put out
the first catalpa plantation in the Mid-
dle West, died on October 18 at Wat-
kins Glen, N. Y. Thirty years ago Mr.
Yaggy planted 400 acres of catalpas
near Hutchinson in Reno county, Kan-
sas, that have proven a most successful
venture from a financial standpoint. He
also put out the 600-acre apple orchard
near Hutchinson. Edward Yaggy, a
son, is now the manager of this planta-
tion.

Money in Onions for Boys.
Carl and Dow Teeter, two Kansas
boys whose home is in Wamego, are of
the opinion that it is more profitable
and a wiser plan all around to raise
onions than wild oats. At least they
put out a crop of onions last spring on
some land near town and have just
stored 3,000 bushels of fine sound stock
as a reward for their four months of la-
bor. A commission man who examined
the crop pronounced them the finest on-
ions he ever saw grown in the state.
Prices for onions usually range around
\$1 per bushel with a normal crop al-
though a year ago the price was up
around \$3.

Watered Potatoes Made Good.
N. A. Christensen, living west of
Kackley in Republic county, Kansas,
tried irrigating his potato patch last
summer and the results he obtained
show his efforts were well worth while.
His patch covered 5 acres and he
pumped the water to it from a creek
by means of a small gasoline engine.
The 5 acres turned out 1,000 bushels or
200 bushels per acre.

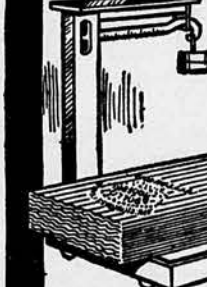
Auto Handy in Orchard.
W. W. Kane, who has a 20-acre ap-
ple orchard near Chanute, Kan., finds
his auto makes a good "hand" in his
orchard. He has a 60-horse power tour-
ing car and this was turned into an ap-
ple freighter when picking time came.
His orchard yielded 5,000 bushels of
Jonathans and the demands on the car
soon exceeded its capacity, so he rigged
up a low wheeled trailer and coupled
it on behind to keep up with the pick-
ers. Last summer he hitched the car
to a disk and went over the 20-acre or-
chard in six hours. He says he could
disk 50 acres a day in an open field.
But isn't a touring car a rather expen-
sive tool to use for such purposes?

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Mr. Editor—We have a Jersey calf 7 months old that was badly bloated in running on alfalfa. I gave it 1 ounce of turpentine, then mixed up 2 ounces each of turpentine and camphorated oil in lard and rubbed this in vigorously for a half hour from the backbone to the underside of body, giving most attention to the part just in front of the left hip bone. When the veterinarian arrived we continued the rubbing and at the same time held the calf's mouth open. We still have our calf. I thought this treatment might help someone else in trouble.

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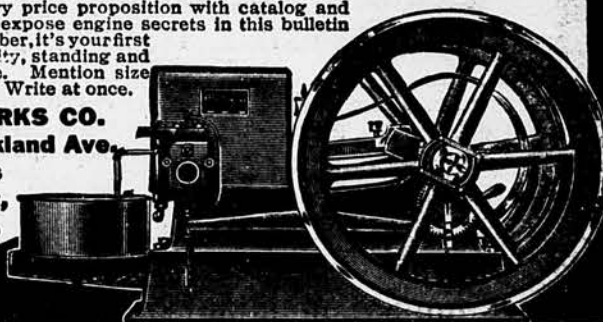
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The hen that does not get a full new coat of feathers before severe weather

will lay but few eggs this winter. Help her along with nourishing feed.

A barrel of road dust put in the dry will make good indoor dust bath material in a few weeks.

As to Earning "Pin Money."

Mr. Editor—I want to endorse what Mrs. R., of Mound City, Kan., had to say in a recent issue of Mail and Breeze on "side lines" or "pin money" for women folks. If we wives don't earn our "pin money" keeping the house and children in order why have a home at all? I have an incubator and raise chickens for the use of the household. I surely enjoy reading the Mail and Breeze and the little ones enjoy looking at the stock pictures. Mrs. G. N. Glencoe, Okla.

Housing and Feed For Winter.

[Prize Letter.]

Mr. Editor—I have found the double winter and summer colony coops the best kind of housing to get winter eggs. Last winter I had 20 White Orpington pullets in three coops and they laid all winter. I make the coops myself and they cost me only about half as much as to have it done. They have all the ground floor to scratch on with a dropping floor above and movable roosts, which may be taken out in cleaning the house. The nests are also on this second floor. The houses have glass fronts in the south. Hens like a change in food and mine don't get the same thing twice in one day. In cold weather I feed cracked corn and Kafir mixed, in a litter for breakfast. At noon they get a hot mash of bran, alfalfa meal, corn meal and blood meal, with a spoon of salt and bit of cayenne pepper mixed in. I don't have any trouble in getting eggs in winter. W. A. Allmon, Cottonwood Falls, Kan.

CAPPER A PROGRESSIVE

William Allen White Compares the Records of the Two Candidates For Governor

Emporia, Kan., Oct. 19, 1912.

I have known Arthur Capper for thirty years. I have known him and associated with him politically with a great degree of intimacy during these years. He is not a turnover or a dodger. He came out squarely for Roosevelt long before the Republican National Convention, and in the primary campaign, after the Republican National Convention, he still reiterated his declaration for Roosevelt and has given generously to the Roosevelt State campaign.

His paper stands openly for Roosevelt and the Progressive movement. He has lent all the strength of his paper and his personal influence to the Progressive cause in this State.

On the other hand Senator Hodges, who made a good Progressive record in the Senate after he ran for Governor, lined up with the reactionaries and took away from the Progressives the organization of the Senate, which carried with it the control of the Senate and thereby defeated many important Progressive measures. Hodges was careful to vote for these good measures himself, but when he lined up the Democrats against the Progressive Republicans and with the Stand-pat Republicans in the State Senate, he sounded the death-knell of several big and important Progressive measures. More than that, during all this campaign, Senator Hodges has been making an open bid for stand-pat votes. He has been ridiculing all the work done by Governor Stubbs, and charging him falsely with increasing the State expenditures. Every one knows that the Governor cannot spend one single penny of the State money for State purposes, or that no officer can spend a single penny for any purpose without being authorized by law. And Hodges, as a member of the Ways and Means Committee in the Senate, voted upon every item of increased expenditure for which he is now complaining. Moreover, if he had voted against these items of increased expenditures, he would be trotting up and down Kansas with the pages of the records showing where he had voted against them.

His plea is an appeal to the ignorant, and it should not deceive Progressive Republicans. It seems to me there is no equal choice for Progressive Republicans in this State between Hodges and Capper. Capper is supporting Roosevelt and standing upon the Republican Platform which endorses the Progressive work of Kansas during the last eight years. Hodges, on the other hand, who claims in one breath to have written many of the Progressive laws, is making a bid for the stand-pat votes, and in the next breath proclaiming that these laws which he made have increased the taxes.

Capper endorses the Progressive National candidate, and the Progressive movement in this State. Hodges is fighting Colonel Roosevelt with all the bitterness he can use, and is trying to destroy the Progressive movement in this State. No good Progressive in either party should vote for Mr. Hodges. He will get the stand-pat vote in both parties and Mr. Capper is entitled to the Progressive vote in both parties.

W. A. White

National Committeeman The Progressive Party.

Guarding Hogs From Cholera

(Continued from Page 3.)

serum may be made to J. H. Mercer, state livestock sanitary commissioner at Topeka. If the sanitary commissioner thinks it necessary to vaccinate, he will have it done, but the owner must buy the serum.

If the hogs are healthy, application is made direct to the Veterinary Department of the Agricultural college at Manhattan. The name of the local veterinarian who is to do the vaccinating should be given. The cost of the serum is 1½ cents per cubic centimeter, or about 35 cents for a pig weighing from 20 to 50 pounds.

It should always be stated whether the herd is perfectly healthy or whether there are some sick hogs. Also the number and weights of the hogs to be vaccinated should be given. If there is no graduate veterinarian near, the veterinary department has a record of all such men, with their qualifications, and will gladly supply this information.

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I have been especially gratified on account of the assurances of support by the farmers of Kansas. They constitute over half the voting strength of the state. They also represent the dominant political sentiment of the state. It is chiefly on account of the farmers that Kansas stands before the country as the champion of certain political ideas and ideals. I am asking for support at the polls next Tuesday because I stand for these progressive Kansas ideas, and have constantly stood for them for many years and am being opposed by those who are fighting these ideas. In a state wide primary in August I carried 104 out of 105 counties in this state. I am glad to believe that the majority of the votes I received then came from the farmers of Kansas. I have every reason to believe that I shall have this same support next Tuesday. I cannot, of course, publish more than a very few of the letters received from farmers from all portions of the state. Letters from representative farmers and stockmen are reproduced below.

Arthur Capper

"While I am not a politician and have talked but little about the election, I think that Mr. Capper will run ahead of his ticket in this precinct and county. Personally I favor him for governor."
—E. E. Heacock, Hartford, Kansas.

"When Mr. Johnson was here this spring he had some of the buttons with Capper's picture on them and he gave us all one, that is, myself and sons, and the hired man. We put them on our hats and have been wearing them there ever since. We are all going to vote for Capper and some of my Democrat neighbors are also. If Mr. Capper can take care of the Governor's office as well and successfully as he has his own business I think there will be no chance for complaint. We will do all we can here to get him in the office."
—Chas. Morrison, Phillipsburg, Kansas.

"Capper is all right. I am doing all I can for him."—D. C. Van Nee, Richland, Kansas.

"I wish to say I am for Arthur Capper for governor. I have never lost an opportunity to say a good word for his candidacy. I believe him to be a clean, honest, unassuming man who is abundantly able to be governor."—W. B. Van Horn, Overbrook, Kansas.

"I am for Capper and my precinct is strongly Republican, and I think will vote almost solidly for Capper. Why not? We are progressive and Capper is a man after our own hearts, and we certainly expect him to be elected. Don't you know that Kansas is progressive and that Capper stands for the very things that the people of Kansas are asking for? I am certain that he will make a splendid governor and if he does make the best governor the state has ever had he will put Kansas 25 years ahead of all her sister states, as she has advanced one-half of that or more in the last four years under the grand administration of Stubbs who is leaving a high mark for all future governors to aim at."—Ira Romig, Sta. B., Topeka, Kansas.

"I wish to say I think Mr. Capper's chances are good. I am very busy with my farming and am not as well posted on the political situation as some. Personally I am for Mr. Capper."—C. E. Wyman, Courtland, Kansas.

"I am for Mr. Capper and doing all I can for his success. I think Mr. Capper will get both Taft and Roosevelt supporters in this section. You can tell Mr. Capper I am pulling the string for him as hard as I can and wish him success."—R. M. Dobson, Independence, Kansas.

"I am for Mr. Capper and was before the primary. We need such men in the highest positions in our state. This precinct is almost solid for Mr. Capper. I predict for him an overwhelming vote at the coming election."—W. W. Bales, Manhattan, Kansas.

"Now as to the political pot in this county. Personally I am considered a Democrat, but the fact of the matter is I am so mixed up politically that I don't know what I am. I am, however, for Mr. Capper for governor. I believe that he would make a good governor and would like to see him elected. So far as his candidacy is concerned in this county I have only heard a few men object to him. I think that many people will leave their party to vote for him. I think that the people who are subscribers of his paper will vote for him on account of his policies as outlined in the papers. I believe that if he could make a speech or two in this district it would help matters, but I know that the time is short. I would like to know if he is to speak in this district and when it will be."—Edw. Chalk, Lewis, Kansas.

"I am doing, and have been doing, all I can to help make Mr. Capper governor and believe we are all right. The opposition are right now making a desperate fight, but I feel that they cannot accomplish much by their present tactics. If at any time you think of anything that I can do to help the cause, let me know and I will do what I can."—John D. Snyder, Hutchinson, Kansas.



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CROPS AND LIVE STOCK

By Correspondents of Farmers Mail and Breeze.

Corn husking and cribbing are now pretty generally under way and if November weather is to be anything like that displayed by October the bulk of the crop will be under cover by the end of the month. And so long as the corn is dry and in shape for cribbing it will be the safe thing to do to get it housed and out of the way before severe winter weather reaches the corn belt. The experiences of the winter of 1909-'10 are still too recent to be forgotten and those who allowed corn to go unhusked beyond the holidays last winter will also see to it that they are not caught again. Yields

We ask all Mail and Breeze crop correspondents to make a special report under date of Saturday, November 2, on the condition of fall sown wheat. Give all the facts as nearly as you can and be sure to mail your report on that day so as to have it reach this office by the following Monday. First, is the acreage larger or smaller than that of the preceding crop, estimating about what per cent. Second, what is the condition of the soil as regards moisture and the condition of tillage? Fourth, are flies, chinch bugs, grasshoppers doing any damage?

will vary considerably but the crop is far beyond that of last year and will average up well with the normal production of the last 10 years.

Fall pasture is still good and is saving a lot of feed for use later on. Stock is in fine condition generally but the last two or three weeks have seen some serious hog cholera outbreaks that will necessitate quick work in vaccinating if the plague is to be kept within bounds. Reporter Newell of Stafford county, Kansas, says the disease is making a clean sweep of some herds in that part of the state.

Wheat is making fine headway everywhere. With the ground in the best of condition and weather mild the plants have already begun to stool in some fields, as reported by H. E. Stewart of Kiowa county, Kansas.

New corn is starting at encouraging prices in some Kansas counties. In Cloud county buyers are offering 50 to 75 cents and in Morris county feeders are paying 55 cents.

KANSAS.

Wyandotte County—Delightful fall weather. Have had showers but no heavy rains lately. Streams are low. Wheat looking fine. Roads in good order.—G. F. Espenlaub, Oct. 25.

Reno County—Cold nights and warm days. Broomcorn harvest finished and corn husking has begun. Some nice fields of wheat but others are blowing badly. Wheat 75 cents, corn 55, broomcorn \$80 to \$115.—D. Englehart, Oct. 25.

Franklin County—Most wheat sown late but fine growing weather has given it a splendid start. A few farmers have begun to crib corn. Potatoes plentiful and of fine quality. Apples abundant. Butter fat 27 cents, eggs 22.—H. O. Cain, Oct. 26.

Roos County—First sowings wheat looking good and late fields coming up nicely. Threshing about finished. Corn husking will soon be in order. Cattle being taken off pasture and put on dry feed. Hogs scarce and high.—C. O. Thomas, Oct. 25.

Kiowa County—Wheat continues to thrive and in many fields is stooling. Corn husking next on program. Much building done in this county. Horse plague seems to have disappeared. Horses selling at better prices than before.—H. E. Stewart, Oct. 26.

Scott County—Feed crops taken care of and cane and milo threshing begun. Some corn husked. Not much wheat sown in county. Soil dry. Stock doing well on grass which is good. Milk cows in demand. Horse plague has passed. Young mules sell high.—J. M. Heffrick, Oct. 25.

Riley County—Weather fine. Wheat looking good. Apples all picked and crop was good. Corn husking has begun. The crop was damaged some by drouth and bugs. Alfalfa made a light crop for the season. Stock selling well. Alfalfa hay \$10, hogs \$8.—R. A. Willis, Oct. 29.

Stevens County—First general frost came Oct. 21. No rain lately. Good deal of grain still to gather and everybody is busy. Grass will be fine for winter. Good deal of early broomcorn damaged. Railroad from Dodge City building in the county. Broomcorn \$20 to \$30.—Monroe Traver, Oct. 22.

Cloud County—Present condition of early sown wheat is 100 per cent. Some late sowings not up yet. Acreage up to normal. Corn huskers and politicians busy. Corn making from 20 to 40 bushels. No new cases of horse disease. No sickness among hogs. Good many fall pigs. Farmers baling hay. Buyers offering 50 to 75 cents for

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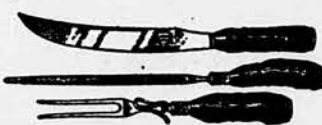
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Some Farm Home Affairs

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We bought a linoleum for our dining-room last spring. Before that we had a rag carpet on the floor. The floor was so rough we put the carpet down again, under the linoleum, to keep it from wearing. I made a cover for my stand table from a piece of white oilcloth and scalloped the edge. It can be washed with a damp cloth, and is much easier than laundering a cover so often.

Mrs. D. A. Edmisten.

Towanda, Kan.

New Sweet Potato Ways.

The following ways of cooking sweet potatoes will make a change from the way they are usually served:

Boil 6 large sweet potatoes till tender. Drain and add 4 tablespoons sugar and 4 tablespoons butter. Mash fine and serve hot, with melted butter over them.

Three cups of mashed sweet potatoes, 1 cup of fresh sausage. Form into a loaf and bake half an hour.

Three cups of mashed potatoes, 3 teaspoons sugar, 3 teaspoons flour. Form into small cakes and fry in butter. These are nice for breakfast and for school lunch, as they can be boiled the evening before.

Ella McCaleb.

R. 2, Vinita, Okla.

A Dime's Worth of Bologna.

[Prize Letter.]

When meat and money are both scarce a dime's worth of bologna may be prepared in any of several appetizing ways to help out:

Bologna and Spaghetti—Break spaghetti into small pieces till you have a cupful, and cook in boiling salted water. While cooking cut a dime's worth of bologna in pieces small enough to handle easily, then run through a food chopper. When the spaghetti is done turn the chopped bologna in with it, season with butter, salt and pepper to taste, cook a few minutes, then dish up. This will make enough for six persons.

Bologna Hash—Make and season the hash as usual, only for the meat use bologna that has been run through a food chopper.

Bologna Mexican Stew—Cut some fat bacon in small bits till you have 2 or 3 spoonfuls, and put in a skillet to fry. Cut up a medium sized onion and fry with the bacon till both are beginning to brown, then add a cup of water, a dime's worth of bologna chopped, and a heaping teaspoonful of chili powder. Cook 15 or 20 minutes, or till it is thick enough that no water stands in it, then dish up. If any of this should be left over, when cold it can be made into patties like hamburger steak and fried, in which way it is most delicious of all.

Kinsley, Kan.

E. A. L.

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[Prize Letter.]

We are subscribers to the Mail and Breeze and can safely say it is the best farm paper we ever read. I am sending a few hints which may be of some help to your many readers:

A useful article in the kitchen is a gallon can or pail with holes punched in the bottom. Set this in the kitchen sink and put all parings in it. The water will all drain off, leaving the parings to be thrown out.

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Grass fat cattle which for three months past have made up the bulk of the offerings, are making their final adieu for the season. Numbers last week were fairly liberal, but the plain quality proved that everything is being shipped that carries anything like a killing per cent. In the Panhandle, Oklahoma, and Arkansas, some shipments as far south as Louisiana, the adjustment is being made for the winter season. The result is that sections that have fattened cattle on grass this summer are shorter on cattle than at this season last year. Kansas, the sand hill districts in Nebraska, and even northern Oklahoma are trying to restock consequently killers from competition by country buyers found it harder to get half fat steers than for some time past. On the other hand short fed cattle are beginning to loom up as a visible supply in the near future. The price movement last week bore out such conditions. Short fed steers were moderately lower, prime steers firm, and grass fat steers stronger. As to the future trend in prices it now appears that grass fat cattle will make a further advance, short fed grades recede moderately, and prime kinds remain in a class unto themselves. The first two weeks in December, when killers are selecting beeves for the Christmas trade, will probably mark the extreme high point of an unprecedented high year. Last week in Chicago prime steers made \$11.05, the year's record on the open market. St. Louis reported a few head at \$11, and \$10 to \$10.25, at other markets was paid for the few near prime cattle offered. Prime cattle are marketed at all the markets and practically the same prices prevailed. Killers always show an inclination to discriminate against the short fed classes at the beginning of the season. However as soon as they have bought enough to get a line on killing quality they know into what relative price position to put them compared with prime beeves. A large number of cattle have gone back to the country in the past 30 days but such a large per cent of them were light weight or stock cows and heifers, that the increase does not figure a big increase in the number on feed.

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PUREBRED STOCK SALES.

Claim dates for public sales will be published free when such sales are to be advertised in the Farmers Mail and Breeze. Otherwise they will be charged for at regular rates.

Combination Sale.

Feb. 12-13-14—L. E. Wooderson, Mgr., Caldwell, Kan.

Percheron Horses.

Dec. 17—Lee Brothers, Harveyville, Kans. at Manhattan, Kans.
Dec. 19—J. C. Robison, Towanda, Kan.

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Nov. 9—A. C. Lobough, Washington, Kan.
Nov. 9—Lomax & Starrett, Leona, Kan.
Nov. 15—C. H. Plicher, Glasco, Kan.
Nov. 15—W. M. Watt & Sons, Green City, Mo.
Nov. 16—E. C. Logan, Solomon Rapids, Kan.
Nov. 19—G. E. Leslie, Memphis, Mo.
Nov. 27—F. W. Comfort, Cawker City, Kan.
Dec. 11—H. C. Graner, Lancaster, Kan.
Dec. 20—Miller and Manderscheid, St. John, Kan.
Jan. 20—Roy Johnston, South Mound, Kan.
Jan. 29—S. A. Roberts, Knoxville, Ia.
Jan. 30—C. W. Jones, Solomon, Kan.
Feb. 6—J. L. Griffiths, Riley, Kan.
Feb. 6—H. Fesenmeyer, Clarinda, Ia.
Feb. 7—Olivier & Sons, Danville, Kan.
Feb. 7—Peter Ellersbroek & Sons, Sheldon, Ia.
Feb. 15—L. E. Holmes, Bloomington, Neb.
Feb. 15—Thos. F. Walker & Son, Alexandria, Neb.
Feb. 18—J. H. Harter, Westmoreland, Kan.
Feb. 21—R. W. Halford, Manning, Ia.
Feb. 22—C. L. Branin, Hiawatha, Kan.
Feb. 22—C. C. Ingram, Bloomington, Neb.

Duroc-Jersey Hogs.

Nov. 8—H. B. Miner, Guide Rock, Neb.
Nov. 12—Lant Bros., Dennis, Kan.
Nov. 13—Sam'l Drybread, Elk City, Kan.
Nov. 14—J. F. Staadt, Ottawa, Kan.
Nov. 14—W. W. Oley & Sons, Winfield, Kan.
Nov. 15—F. P. Sylvester, Hennessey, Okla.
Jan. 6—Munsell & Isenberg, Herington, Kan.
Jan. 15—H. B. Miner, Guide Rock, Neb.
Jan. 16—F. C. Crocker, Filley, Neb.
Jan. 22—Thompson Bros., Garrison, Kan.
Jan. 24—John Higgins, Abilene, Kan.
Jan. 25—Glenn Keesecker, Washington, Kan.
Jan. 28—W. E. Monasmith, Formoso, Kan.
Jan. 30—Leon Carter, Asherville, Kan.
Jan. 31—W. H. Seddon, Persia, Ia.
Feb. 1—Geo. P. Philippi, Lebanon, Kan., at Esbon, Kan.
Feb. 4—J. O. Hunt, Marysville, Kan.
Feb. 5—Samuelson Bros., Cleburne, Kan.
Feb. 6—Samuelson Bros., Blaine, Kan.
Feb. 7—T. Cross, Guide Rock, Neb.
Feb. 8—Hammond & Buskirk, Newton, Kan.
Feb. 8—Geo. E. Garrett, Bloomington, Neb.
Feb. 11—H. H. Shaw, Hebron, Neb.
Feb. 20—Geo. W. Schwab, Clay Center, Neb.
Feb. 20—Rinehart & Son, Smith Center, Kan.
Feb. 21—W. C. Whitney, Agra, Kan.

O. I. C. Swine.

Feb. 6—H. L. Bode, Friend, Neb.
Feb. 7—Chas. H. Murray, Friend, Neb.

Berkshire Hogs.

Nov. 15—Charles E. Sutton, Lawrence, Kan.

Hampshire Hogs.

Nov. 14—D. H. De Kalb, De Kalb, Ia.

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Nov. 12—John McCoy & Son, Sabetha, Kan.
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Nov. 21—J. F. Stodder, Burden, Kan.

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Feb. 4—Rock Brook Farm, Omaha, Neb.

Jerseys.

Nov. 25—A. L. Churchill, Vinita, Okla.

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Feb. 26—Warren T. McCray, Kentland, Ind.

Kansas and Oklahoma.

BY A. B. HUNTER.

Sta ley's Horse and Jack Sale.

The writer visited the barns of H. C. Sta ley some days ago and looked over the

Percherons and jacks together with the other stock to be sold at auction, Tuesday, November 12. While there is not a large list to be cataloged this offering has both imported and home bred stallions that for individuality, bone, size and conformation would do credit to some of the foremost breeders. From the fact that this is only a small offering, yet it has much variety and will likely sell much below its value since not large enough to attract buyers. If you want a good stallion or jack don't wait, but send for a catalog and arrange to attend.

Duroc Men—Attention.

You can't afford to miss the great sale of W. W. Oley & Sons, in Winfield, Kan., November 14. Four boars and one gilt by the great B. & C's Chief out of a great sow. Others out of Indian Chief, by Beauty's Model Tot grand Champion of Missouri, 1911 and 1912. Then numbers of them are sired by Good E. Nuff Again King, perhaps the best boar of his age within a large radius. Neither breeders nor farmers can afford to miss this great chance at the best at your own prices. Ten railroads center at Winfield. Come or send bids to A. B. Hunter, Fred Reppert, Len Hoover, or Geo. Drybread. Send for catalog.

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Have you sent in your name for a catalog? This sale is a fitting climax to the four days circuit of Duroc sales beginning Nov. 12th Lant Bros., Dennis, Kan., Nov. 13th Sam'l Drybread, Elk City, Kan., Nov. 14th W. W. Oley & Sons, Winfield, Kan. and Nov. 15th F. P. Sylvester, Hennessey, Okla. This offering is rich in the best blood of the Duroc breed and consists of 50 head including 12 tried sows, 11 fall yearlings safe in pig. There will also be 10 spring and summer gilts together with 15 winter, spring and summer boars. Don't think, Mr. Farmer, these hogs will sell too high for you. One-fourth of this offering should go to the best breeders in the country and the other three-fourths should go to the progressive farmer. Don't miss this sale. Write today for a catalog and arrange to attend. Please mention Farmers Mail and Breeze.

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J. P. & M. H. Malone of Chase, Kan., made their first entrance into the show ring by exhibiting nine head of their fine breeding stock at Hutchinson State Fair. The show consisted of two Percheron stallions, one Morgan stallion and six jacks. They carried away eight ribbons, winning second on Percheron stallion, second on Morgan stallion and four firsts, one second and one third on six jacks. Malone Bros. have always been considered excellent judge of stock and their motto has always been quality. When a breeding firm shows only nine head and carries away eight premiums, half of them firsts, it surely spells quality in their stock. Kansas is the natural home of the jack and horse, and some of the greatest animals the world has ever known have been developed on her sunny plains. Right in middle of the state, where grain and alfalfa grow to greatest perfection, is located this great stud of jacks and horses.

Kansas and Nebraska.

BY J. W. JOHNSON

Miner's Strong Offering.

This is the last call for H. B. Miner's sale of Duroc-Jerseys at Guide Rock, Neb., Friday, November 8. His advertisement appears in this issue and you can get his catalog in plenty of time by writing at once. Kansas breeders can get to the sale easily by going to Burr Oak, Kan., on the Missouri Pacific and driving over from there. Autos can be hired there and the cost will not amount to anything where several accommodations at the Watt hotel. Guide Rock is 15 miles from Superior, on the B. & M. and it is driving distance from Superior. The offering is a strong one and of the best of breeding. If you desire to send bids to J. W. Johnson of Farmers Mail and Breeze you can feel sure of careful and painstaking effort in your behalf. Such bids should be sent in care H. B. Miner, Guide Rock, Neb. See advertisement in this issue.

A Meritorious Offering.

One of the best known breeders of Poland Chinas in Mitchell county, which is noted as a purebred stock center, is E. C. Logan of Solomon Rapids. He has made a study of the business and probably is as capable of mating and feeding for best results as any man in the west. His sale of Poland Chinas on November 16 is one of unusual merit and is a big offering both in quality and numbers. Fifty-five head will be cataloged as per advertisement, elsewhere in this issue. The entire offering is one of real merit with plenty of size and finish. Almost everything was sired by Gater Wonder and Glasco Chief Jr., two boars of exceptional worth as breeders. Gater Wonder was sired by the great A. Wonder and Mr. Logan bought him of Mr. Gates, a prominent Missouri breeder, after a long search two years ago for a strictly big type boar that suited him and that he thought would mate well with the great herd sows in his herd. He has grown into a wonderful boar with size, quality and

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Big Type Poland Sale.

This is the last call for A. C. Lobough's Poland China sale at Washington, Kan. Forty-six choice Poland Chinas go in this sale, 21 of which are last of February and March boars. There will be one yearling and 15 spring gilts the same age as the spring boars and six fall yearling gilts. Some of the spring gilts and the fall gilts will be bred to Mr. Lobough's new boar or sold with breeding privilege. The entire herd has been immunized with state serum. This is a strictly big type herd and the offering is a good useful one. Those who cannot attend the sale may send their bids to J. W. Johnson, Fieldman, Farmers Mail and Breeze in care of Mr. Lobough at Washington. Free hotel accommodations will be provided at the Gibson hotel and the sale will be held in Washington's big sale pavilion on Saturday, November 3. Catalogs are now ready and will be mailed upon request.

Pilcher's Poland China Sale.

In this issue will be found the advertisement of C. H. Pilcher's Poland China sale at Glasco, Kan., Friday, November 15. This sale is the day before the E. C. Logan sale at the Fair Grounds, Beloit, Kan. C. H. Pilcher is too well known to need much of an introduction here. He has been a successful showman and Conqueror, the sire of most of the offering, is one of the best known show boars in central Kansas. He has won honors over all competitors at several of the best shows that have been held during the past three years. Winning Grandtiter is likewise well and favorably known over the central part of the state. The 28 fall gilts that go in the sale were sired by these two boars as were the boars. When you buy from this herd you are buying from one of the real strong Poland China herds of the state and from a man who has made good in the show ring with his herd and from his numerous public sales have come some of the best producing sows ever sold at auction. He has

as seldom is sold from one herd. Three of the cows in the sale sold with twin calves at foot, which is a sample of the class of producing matrons in the Eckles herd. The cattle were offered a little thin 'n flesh and for this reason did not bring the prices that cattle in better condition demand. Mr. Eckles realized this and the buyers realized they were getting their money's worth on every lot sold. An unusually good attendance was had, made up mostly of local farmers with a good sprinkling of breeders from a distance. Thirty-seven head were sold for a general average of \$94.39. The 15 bulls averaged \$96.50 and the 22 females \$92.95. This number included a few calves, which sold well, but not up to the average of the matured stock. Hutchinson's Choice sold to J. H. Prough of New Boston, Mo., for the top price of the sale, \$215. Mr. Prough was a heavy buyer of the best cattle offered, securing 13 head. Mr. Prough has a small, but choice herd and is adding to it with just such good purchases as he made at this sale. He also topped the female offering on lot 21, a daughter of Prairie View Raven 24791 with twin calves at foot. The list of sales given below shows how they sold.

BULLS.

1—J. H. Prough	\$215.00
4—A. J. Ryan, Milan, Mo.	95.00
5—B. F. Pigg, Newtown, Mo.	137.50
8—Forest Winterger, Hurdland, Mo.	127.50
15—J. S. Cotchell, Lucerne, Mo.	82.50
16—Harvey Cunningham, Pollock, Mo.	80.00

FEMALES.

20—J. D. Prough	80.00
21—Same	200.00
22—Bruce Gilpatrick, Sumner, Mo.	87.50
23—J. D. Prough	105.00
24—B. F. Pigg	95.00
25—J. D. Prough	140.00
26—Henry Stockton, Unionville, Mo.	92.50
30—J. D. Prough	100.00
31—J. D. Prough	110.00
32—Same	100.00
36—Same	90.00
41—J. D. Prough	92.50
42—Same	110.00

Noll Makes Good Sale.

Jno. W. Noll of Winchester, Kan., held his first sale of big type Poland Chinas at his farm Tuesday, October 22, and made the very satisfactory average of \$27.53 on 50 head. The offering was uniformly

His Ad Brings Good Results

Farmers Mail and Breeze.

Dear Sir: Am having good success with my ad in the Mail and Breeze having sent Boars to several different parts of Kansas and Oklahoma. Last week there was a breeder from Nebraska here and offered me \$500.00 cash for my hog Advance. I have thought for some time that he was a pretty good hog but when a man will offer \$500.00 cash and then try to get me to price him that begins to look as if he really is some good. He weighed 810 pounds about the middle of September and you know the condition he was in, he was 2 years old the 7th of September. That makes considerable more than one pound for every day of his life and he could easily take on 200 more pounds as you know. I have several of his best spring boars and gilts left and if anyone wants some they had better get busy as they won't last long at the rate they are going.

I am taking double work in school this year and in order to reduce my herd as much as possible have about decided to offer my fall pigs at weaning time. I have about 50 of as good pigs as I ever saw, all sired by Advance 60548 and out of my Black Mammoth sows. If I do decide to sell them I will price them at \$15.00 each in order to move them quick, and those who take advantage of this will certainly get their money's worth if they ever did.

I still have the two last fall boars by Expansion Wonder, that I am pricing low and either one is a bargain for someone wanting a more mature hog than a spring pig.

Yours for Bigger and Better Poles,

PAUL E. HAWORTH.

NOTE: Paul E. Haworth, the writer of the above letter, is a young man attending the Kansas State University, and while taking double work in school, attends to his herd of Poland Chinas. He belongs to the class of energetic young men for whom a brilliant future is held in store.—G. W. B.

never made any record breaking sales so far as prices go but has always received fair prices and it is generally conceded that his methods in handling his sales have insured the best of results to purchasers. That is the most important thing after all and this is a record that Mr. Pilcher has a perfect right to be very proud of. You can't miss it by being at his sale on the 15th if you can use some good stuff. Send bids to J. W. Johnson, in his care.

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A Very Successful Sale.

Moser & Fitzwater, the Duroc-Jersey breeders of Goff, Kan., held a very successful sale at their place last week. This is the first public sale this firm has made. Their offering consisted of Wonder, Col., Crimson Challenger and Tattarrax strains. All the visiting farmers and breeders pronounced the offering an extra good one. These people will make another sale February 5, 1913, at which time they will sell a nice bunch of bred gilts and tried sows. Their herd at present consists of about 250 head. They have a few spring boars left on which they will make very reasonable prices to close them out quick.

The 900 Pound Kind.

T. T. Langford, Jamesport, Mo., is one of the best hog men in the state and owns one of the best herds in the state. He breeds the big kind of Poland Chinas—the kind that develop into 900 pound hogs in his customers' hands. The following letter illustrates the feelings of his customers: "Mr. T. T. Langford, Dear Sir—The hog I got of you weighs 900 pounds, and won the first premium in the Poland China class and first in sweepstakes at Knox City. My brother wants a male pig that will grow as large and I want a sow that will make a 700 or 800 pound sow. Give description and price. Yours resp.—Samuel Snell." Write Mr. Langford if you want the kind that weigh and win.

Eckles's Sale Satisfactory.

Breeders and farmers who attended the W. F. Eckles Aberdeen Angus sale held at Green City, Mo., Wednesday, October 23, had an opportunity to buy at their own price as useful a lot of breeding cattle

good throughout. Mr. Noll's local trade was good and his farmer friends appreciated that they had right at their door one of the best herds in the corn belt. They bought liberally, in many instances outbidding those who came from a distance. C. C. Asberry of Easton, Kan., a farmer, topped the sale on a March boar pig, by Expansion's Son, at \$82. The competition was furnished by two mail bids from breeders from a distance. E. Chindling of Spring Dale, Kan., topped the gilt offering at \$40 on a daughter of Big Osborne. Pfander's King, Mr. Noll's good boar, was greatly admired by all who saw him and his get were in good demand. Col. Zaun cried the sale and did much toward its success. Below is a list of sales.

BOARS.

1—C. C. Asberry	\$82.00
2—F. G. Sherer, Winchester, Kan.	39.00
3—W. Sanders, Easton, Kan.	26.00
4—Jno. Omery, Easton, Kan.	26.00
5—Tony Haas, Winchester, Kan.	24.00
7—J. W. Miller, Winchester, Kan.	35.00
16—M. Dannevik, Valley Falls, Kan.	36.00
22—A. W. Noll, Winchester, Kan.	27.00
25—Ben Schneider, Nortonville, Kan.	32.00
26—Col. J. H. Brown, Oskaloosa, Kan.	24.00
29—Joe Noll, Winchester, Kan.	28.00
30—F. J. Danneler, Winchester, Kan.	27.00

GILTS.

50—R. Courtney, Springdale, Kan.	26.00
36—B. Noll, Winchester, Kan.	28.00
35—H. Trower, Winchester, Kan.	29.00
41—E. Chindling	40.00
43—Chas. Hyme, Winchester, Kan.	28.00
44—Barney Marsh, Easton, Kan.	35.00
45—R. Courtney	35.00
52—H. B. Walter, Effingham, Kan.	36.00
46—Albert Dolman, Winchester, Kan.	35.00
42—Barney Marsh	35.00

Last Call—Lomax-Starrett Sale.

This is the last issue in which we will have an opportunity to call our readers' attention to the Poland China hog sale to be held at Leona, Kan., on Saturday, November 9, by Dr. J. H. Lomax and J. H. Starrett. In this sale 35 head are listed and include spring boars and gilts sired by

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Twenty cows and heifers for sale, either registered or high grades. All two years old and over are bred to Flagstaff 29235 and Sally's Othello 33696. Anyone desiring a herd of breeding cows should inspect this offering. Also two yearling bulls for sale.
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Gollath, Joseph, Top Notch and fall boars and gilts by these sires and out of sows sired by such boars as Byrne's Corrector, Meddler's Dream, Chief Jumbo, Pan Jr. See and Black Chief. The offering will be sold in the best of condition to go out and make good for the buyer. It is an offering of useful well bred, rightly handled breeding stock and Messrs. Lomax and Starrett extend a cordial invitation to all farmers and breeders to be in attendance. The catalogs are ready and will be sent upon application by mentioning this paper. Write for one today.

Stanley's Sale Season's Top.

The best, most uniform and growthiest lot of big type Poland Chinas that has gone through a sale ring in this territory this fall was the verdict placed on the offering which A. O. Stanley sold at Sheridan, Mo., Monday, October 21. That was the opinion of all who attended the sale and those present backed up their judgment by buying them at the record average of the season. Fifty-three head were sold for an average of \$43. Mr. Stanley deserves great credit for his ability to put through a sale ring as good a lot and it was his ability and the class of Poland he breeds that made it possible. The get of Panorama showed up exceptionally strong. Besides these he had litters in

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the sale by A. Wonder, Chief Price Wonder, B. T. Wray's top breeding boar; Longfellow King and Bell Prince. The spring pigs were as large as lots of fall yearlings and the matured sows and boars were of extreme size and combined that with quality. The top was \$130, paid by A. R. Blake of Dallas Center, Ia., for King's Lady & 2-year-old daughter of Longfellow King. She was a 700 pound sow and an extra good one. The good A. Wonder yearlings went to W. O. Garrett of Maryville, Mo., and H. B. Walter of Effingham, Kan., at \$77.50 and \$65. The A. Wonder spring gilt went to Guy Sickles of Athelstan, Ia., at \$70. Mr. Sickles also topped the boar offering on a litter brother at \$97.50. Alvin Windom of Nodaway, Ia., got the second choice in this A. Wonder litter at \$85. The sale was a snappy one and was conducted by Col. H. S. Duncan. Below is a representative list of sales.

BOARS.

Lot
1—J. D. Cashin & Son, Grand River, Ia. \$60.00
2—Guy Sickles 97.50
3—Alvin Windom 85.00
17—H. B. Graham, Athelstan, Ia. 55.00
18—M. A. Shipley, Grant City, Mo. 50.00
19—D. M. Landis, Sheridan, Mo. 37.50
20—W. C. Sraight, Bedford, Ia. 40.00
21—Albert Wilson, Sheridan, Mo. 47.50
22—Bud Foley, Bedford, Ia. 47.50
23—W. O. Garrett 60.00

SOWS.

5—Guy Sickles 70.00
6—R. R. Blake 130.00
14—Guy Sickles 50.00
15—W. O. Garrett 77.50
16—H. B. Walter, Effingham, Kan. 65.00
23—Albert Wilson 34.00
54—Rob't. Graham, Blockton, Ia. 50.00
37—Byron Engle, Athelstan, Ia. 55.00
42—H. B. Graham, Athelstan, Ia. 40.00

Blake's Shorthorns Sold Well.

The dispersion sale of T. J. Blake's Shorthorn herd at Hiawatha, Kan., Thursday, October 24, resulted in an average of \$89.73. This included a number of spring calves, which of course cut the average. The bargain of the sale was the herd bull, True Goods. He sold at the low price of \$300 to W. L. Deppa, of Leona, Kan. This was one of the best bulls to go through a sale ring in many a moon and should have brought more money. Roy Dale, of Smithville, Mo., was a liberal buyer of the better lots and secured Snowflake's Beauty, a 4-year-old daughter of Snowflake with a great bull calf at foot, by True Goods for \$152.50. David Lynn, of Netawaka, Kan., topped the female offering at \$170 for lot five, a good daughter of Good Mixture. Below is a list showing how they sold.

Lot
1—W. L. Deppa \$300.00
2—Elmer Dowell, Hiawatha, Kan. 116.00
3—Roy Dale, Smithville, Mo. 152.50
5—David Lynn, Netawaka, Kan. 170.00
7—Ed Merritt, Powhattan, Kan. 90.00
8—Jno. Hall, Powhattan, Kan. 80.00
9—Boyd Overfield, Hiawatha, Kan. 79.00
10—W. M. Sawyer, Fairview, Kan. 102.00
13—Roy Dale 79.00
14—Wm. Schmitt, Powhattan 91.00
16—Davis Bros., Pawnee City, Neb. 130.00
17—Isaac Crow, Netawaka 101.00

Kansas and Missouri

GEO. W. BERRY.

Baker's November Sale.

On Tuesday, November 12th, J. J. Baker of Independence, Kan., will sell at his farm adjoining town, 45 head of Duroc-Jerseys that represent the best breeding that will go through a sale ring in Kansas this season. The offering will include 10 bred sows safe in pig by the great show champion and breeding boar, McNeal's Model; 10 fall yearling boars; 10 fall yearling gilts; 10 boars and 10 gilts of spring farrow. This offering represents the noted Champion Buddy K IV, Wonder's Advance, Bud's Model and other noted boars. This is the same offering that was advertised for October 23rd. Mr. Baker thought at that time, that owing to the scarcity of corn in his immediate vicinity that he would not make the sale. Later on he concluded to go ahead with the sale and this announcement is to call attention to the splendid offering which he will make on the above date. You will have time to send for a catalog of this offering. See the advertisement in this issue.

Combination Shorthorn Sale.

An important sale of Shorthorn cattle is announced to be held at Ottawa, Kan., on the 13th of November. The contributors on this occasion are C. S. Nevius, of Chiles, Kan.; Ira Berkey, of Louisville, Kan., and H. H. Holmes, Great Bend, Kan. The offering consists of choice selections from these good herds and consists of good Scotch and Scotch Topped cattle. The Nevius herd will be represented by the get of the great show bull Searchlight, and those wanting foundation material bred close up to this great sire will have the opportunity to make selections and secure choice individuals among the animals catalogued by Mr. Nevius. The Shorthorns which will be sold by Mr. Holmes consist of 11 head of females which are bred to his excellent herd bull Echo a son of Newgoods who is rated as one of the greatest breeding sons of the Champion Choice Goods. Mr. Berkey will sell a number of females which are bred to the Marsh Violet bull Redlight, one of the good sons of Searchlight. Catalogs will be mailed upon application to C. S. Nevius, Chiles, Kan.

Duroc Sale Circuit.

The series of sales styled the Southern Kansas and Oklahoma Duroc sale circuit, eclipses all others that have yet been proposed in this section of the country, in the great number offered, in high class individual excellence and rich breeding, backed up by breeders who stand for progress and square dealing. The sales which should mark a new era in Duroc breeding in the Southwest are scheduled to occur as follows: Lant Brothers at Dennis, Kan., November 12; Samuel Drybread & Sons, Elk City, Kan., November 13; W. W. Otey & Sons, Winfield, Kan., November 14, and F. P. Sylvester, Hennessey, Okla., November 15. The offerings comprise nearly 200 head of richly bred Duroc-Jerseys, consisting of choice selections from the great herds of the Southwest. No such opportunity has before been offered to breeders in this part of the country to secure the best in blood lines and individuality of this popular breed. Invitations are extended to

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No boar sale but best for private sales. Gilts reserved for February 7 bred sow sale.
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Some bred sows, fall and spring gilts and boars. Two fall boars sired by the famous B. & C's Col. Pedigrees furnished. PRICES REASONABLE. JUDAH BROS., HIATTVILLE, KANSAS.

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March and April boars and gilts from state fair winners. Choice boars by G. M's Col. and Carl's Critic. Farm joins Agricultural College. W. W. BALES & SON, Manhattan, Kansas

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Choice spring boars and summer and fall pigs, ready to ship, from dams sired by state fair champion boars. Satisfaction guaranteed. C. O. ANDERSON, MANHATTAN, KAN.

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35 Sept. yearlings and tried sows for big bred sow sale in February. Nothing better. Also choice boars. LEON CARTER, Asherville, Kan.

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118 pigs from 14 sows. Boars and gilts for sale. G. H. RAMAKER, PRAIRIE VIEW, KAN.

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Bred sows at private sale. Also fall and spring boars. Sows bred to Tom Lipton, Welcomer, Iron Clad 2d and others. Priced right. Ask for prices and descriptions. JOSEPH M. BAIER, ELMO, KANSAS.

farmers as well as breeders to attend these sales. The offering is sufficient in quality to satisfy the most exacting breeder, though doubtless three-fourths of the boars and sows will be sold to the progressive farmers of the country to whom they will prove profitable investments. With a record corn crop in the United States, and hogs selling on a high level, the day is at hand for farmers to stock their farms with the class of hogs and cattle that will solve the problem of high cost of living and at the same time enrich their bank accounts by getting in early in the business and be ready to enjoy the good times confidently predicted to remain with meat producers. Attention is directed to the sales announced by above named breeders elsewhere in Farmers Mail and Breeze.

Lant Brothers' Duroc Sale.

Breeders and farmers who are interested in the better class of Duroc-Jersey hogs should procure the catalog of Lant Brothers and plan to attend their sale which will be held on November 12, at their farm near Dennis, Kan. It is safe to say no better offering of Durocs will pass through an auction ring during this season. The catalog contains the pedigrees of 40 head, including 20 gilts, 15 young boars and five fall yearling sows. The offering has been carefully selected and well grown out and represents the largest and best sows on the farm of Lant Brothers, and it is safe to assert that the superiors of their breeding sows, in size and quality, cannot be found on any farm. Nearly everything in the sale represents the splendid herd boars Ladore Wonder, Ohio Kant Be Beat or Colonial Col. Every admirer of the Duroc hog should use the opportunity to see this trio of really great boars and the brood sows at Lant Brothers' farm, and at the same time inspect the sale offering and secure bargains in the valuable breeding stock that will be sold. The advertisement elsewhere in this paper furnishes information as to location, entertainment and particulars of the offering.

J. F. Staadt's Durocs Sale.

J. F. Staadt a well known breeder of Duroc-Jerseys will hold his fall sale at the fair ground, Ottawa, Kan., on November 14. The offering on this occasion represents one of the most carefully bred herds of Durocs. Those who are conversant with the line of constructive breeding pursued by J. F. Staadt are familiar with type of Duroc-Jerseys which he has established in his herd, and which has been styled "Staadt's O. K. Type," suggested by the name of the great boar Crimson O. K., a sire used with pronounced success in this herd. The most of the offering on Nov. 14th represent the get of the present herd boar Paul Surprise. This boar possesses remarkably heavy bone of the best quality and combines great size with smoothness and finish. His excellent hams and stout pasterns and feet commend him to those looking for improvement in these points. The breeding herd now combines the blood lines of Nelson's Model, Crimson O. K. and Paul Surprise, and shows wonderful uniformity in type and color. Farmers and breeders should secure the catalogue which will be sent on application to J. F. Staadt, Ottawa, Kan., and be on hand sale day as noted above.

Model Top Owned by Drybread.

Duroc-Jersey breeders will be interested in knowing that the noted boar Model Top is now owned by Samuel Drybread of Elk City, Kan., and has been installed as the successor of the famous B. & C's Col. at the head of the herd at Star Breeding Farm. A letter from Mr. Drybread says "You are no doubt familiar with Model Top's history as to his prize winning also the honors his get have won in the past two years. We consider him the best purchase we have made in buying herd boars. We have been trying to buy this boar for the last year and a half, and have at last landed him. A number of the choice sows and gilts which will go in our sale of November 13 will be bred to Model Top for early litters. We will also breed a limited number of outside sows at a fee of \$50." Mr. Drybread states that he has decided to put in his sale, announced in Farmers Mail and Breeze, 15 tried sows by such noted sires as B. & C's Col., Belle's Chief, Buddy K. 4th, Wonder's Advance, Beat Me If You Can by Kant Be Beat, and others. Also, nine fall yearlings by B. & C's Col and Belle's Chief, and about a dozen spring gilts by the same boars. The offering of boars includes a number of fall yearlings and one of the herd boars, Red Advance by the great show boar Red Wonder and out of a daughter of the great brood sow Proud Advance.

John McCoy & Son's Sale.

Attention is directed to the sale of Pride of Collynie Shortorns advertised elsewhere in this paper by John McCoy & Son, at Sabetha, Kansas, November 12. The offering on this occasion is choice both individually and in breeding. A large part of the cattle that have been cataloged rep-

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Farmers Mail and Breeze Pays Advertisers.

Farmers Mail and Breeze, Topeka, Kan. Enclosed find a check to pay for my ad of last month. I have had good results from my ad in Farmers Mail and Breeze. Sold 10 head last week and got an order for two from Oklahoma this week. ANDREW KOSAR, Breeder of O. I. C. Swine, Glasco, Kan.

Mr. Arthur Capper, Topeka, Kan. We use a great many farm papers in advertising our southeastern Kansas and northeastern Oklahoma farms, and find there is no paper covering that part of the Middle West where the farmers seem to have so much money to invest in farm lands as Farmers Mail and Breeze and Weekly Capital. Yours very truly, THE KANSAS LAND CO., Real Estate Dealers, Coffeyville, Kan., October 2, 1912.

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March and April boars by Nebraska Chief and Pan Wonder. Tops of this season offering. C. C. INGRAM, Bloomington, Nebr.

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Big Type Poland Chinas

With unusual size and show yard quality. The kind you saw us win with at Topeka and Hutchinson. Don't you want some of them? R. B. BAIRD, CENTRAL CITY, NEBR.

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Two extra fall boars and choice spring pigs, sired by Gold Mine and Pan Look.

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40 March and April Boars at PRIVATE SALE. These boars are the big bone, big type, half-ton kind, from big litters and are easy feeders. Sired by BLUE VALLEY, No. 61568, who weighs 850 lbs. at 20 months old, with 11 inch bone, and has as much quality as any type. Some are sired by Mow's Longfellow 58289, a very large, massive boar. Herd headers a specialty. We have them. Write for description, breeding and prices and please state which you wish, March or April farrow. THOMAS F. WALKER & SON, Alexandria, Nebr. (Established 1880.) Box 277, Route No. 2.

Lomax & Starrett's Annual Sale of Big**High Quality Poland Chinas**

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Our offering has been carefully selected and will appeal to breeders, wanting Poland China Breeding Stock, with Size and Quality. Spring Boars and Gilts, Sired by Goliath; Spring Boars and Gilts, by Joseph by Top Notch; Fall Boars and Gilts by Joseph. The Dams of our offering are a choice lot of Byrn's Corrector, Chief Jumbo, Meddler's Dream, Pan Jr. See and Black Chief Sows. Every Animal in the sale will be in just the right condition to make good as breeders, and we feel sure our offerings will appeal to breeders wanting a combination of size and quality.

Bids sent to Fieldman, or Auctioneers, in our care, will receive the most careful attention. Write us at once for catalog. Mention this paper. We have no mailing list.

LOMAX & STARRETT, Station D, St. Joseph, Mo.

Auctioneers—T. E. Deem, Charles Foster.

POLAND CHINAS.

Tabor Valley Polands

15 fall gilts bred for August and September farrow. Also 10 September boars for sale. Big, growthy stock. Priced to sell quick. L. E. KLEIN, - Zeandale, Kansas.

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My herd boars weigh from 800 to 1,000 lbs. Am now ready to ship 200 of the big, easy feeding, quick maturing kind. Tried boars and sows, last fall boars and sows, and spring pigs of both sexes. My terms are: If you are not satisfied return the hog, and I return your money. F. P. ROBINSON, MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

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Defender 54201, the big easy feeder. A few males by him or gilts bred to him. The Expansion herd of Poland Chinas. Write wants to PHIL DAWSON, Prop., ENDICOTT, NEB.

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Poland China hogs, the big-boned type, will weigh when mature, 800 to 1,000 lbs. Bred sows all sold. Will sell a few boars of serviceable age, also choice fall pigs, either sex. All

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Herd headed by Mastodon Price, Columbia Wonder and Gritter's Longfellow 3d. Everything guaranteed and sold worth the money. Address CLARENCE DEAN, WESTON, MISSOURI



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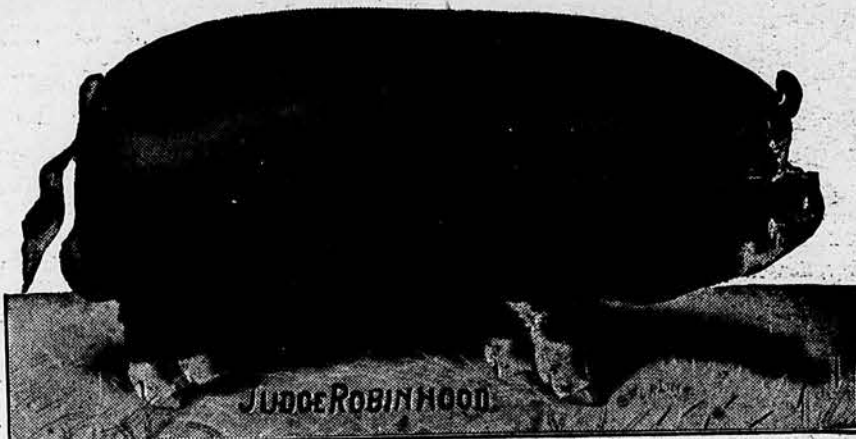
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DUKE'S SILVER TIPS 5TH

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By Berryton Duke Jr.

WAKARUSA BARONESS 9TH

Champion Sower Sow, 1912,

American Royal; by

JUDGE ROBINHOOD

A rare collection of Berkshires, the best offering we have ever made. Three herd boars by Berryton Duke Jr.; 6 show sows by Berryton Duke Jr.; A Great Selection by Judge Robinhood; a splendid litter of 11 pigs by Judge Robinhood and out of the great brood sow Wakarusa Jewell, including 2 boars and 9 gilts, foundation material. The breeding herd which will be sold includes the Blossoms, Jewells, Silver Tips, Duchess and Artful Belles, representatives of the best Berkshire families. Thirty-five tried sows and yearlings. Twelve sows with litters at side. Beau Blossom 3d by Beau Brummel, with a fine litter by Judge Robinhood; Wakarusa Baroness 13th by Judge Robinhood, with great litter by College Duke 2d.

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J. J. BAKER'S Duroc-Jersey Sale Independence, Kan., Tuesday, November 12, 1912

45 Head Tried Sows,
 Fancy Gilts and Choice Boars, 45
 10 Bred Sows

Safe in pig to the Famous Show Boar and Great Sire

McNiel's Model

10 FALL YEARLING BOARS and 10 FALL YEARLING GILTS

10 CHOICE BOARS and 10 FANCY GILTS of Spring Farrow

Representing the Celebrated Sire Buddy K. 4th, Wonder's
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This sale will be held at Verdigris Valley Stock Farm, ad-
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For catalogue address.

J. J. BAKER, Independence, Kan.

J. F. Staadt's Sale 50 Duroc-Jerseys 50 Ottawa, Kansas Thursday, Nov. 14, 1912

Including 20 Boars and 30
 Sows, Most All Sired by

Paul Surprise

The Boar that has proved most satisfactory mating with
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Crimson O. K. and Nelson's Model

"The O. K. Type"

The big massive, early maturing kind; splendid, deep
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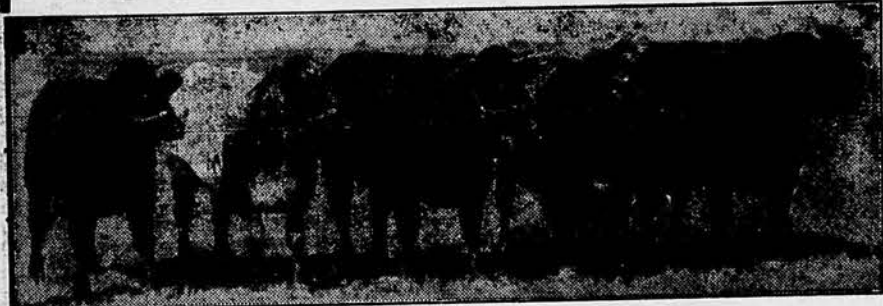
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J. F. Stodder's Tenth Annual Sale From the Silver Creek Herd of **SHORTHORNS**



A SHOW HERD—Get of Captain Archer, Headed by Choice Archer.

70 Head—9 Bulls, 42 Females, 19 Calves—70

All my best cows and heifers, together with the show herd and herd bulls, **CHOICE ARCHER**, a Scotch Marsh Violet, and **SILVERINE**, a Scotch Emma, a pure white bull of extraordinary scale.

26 head, representing the best Scotch Families.
20 head, 2 bulls and 18 females, by the celebrated **Captain Archer**, showing the type set by their illustrious sire.

**At BURDEN, Cowley County, KANSAS
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1912**

Burden is on Southern Kansas line of Santa Fe, 16 miles east of Winfield, a direct line from Kansas City to Texas and New Mexico. Write for Illustrated Catalog.

J. F. Stodder, Burden, Cowley County Kan.

Auctioneers—R. L. Harriman, J. D. Snyder, J. R. Miller.

Nevius-Holmes-Berkey Joint Sale Shorthorns

**Sale Pavilion
Ottawa, Kan., November 13, 1912**

40 HEAD

11 BULLS—29 FEMALES

Good Scotch Breeding Cattle, bulls or females, same blood lines as the Searchlight winners this fall when they won more money than any other herd at our state fairs. Bulls good enough to head good herds. Bulls to raise good beef steers at a reasonable price. Females for good herds. Females for those wanting to start at a reasonable cost. We will sell 14 head, six bulls by Searchlight.

Ira Berkey sells four by Prince Violet 3rd, one by Gallant Knight's Heir.

Mr. Holmes sells 11 head of females bred to New Echo, the excellent New Goods bull.

Mr. Berkey sells his females bred to Red Light, he by Searchlight, out of Princess Violet 2d.

Our females are bred to Searchlight, Searchlight, Jr., or Prince Valentine 4th.

Remember the time and remember the place. Write for Catalog. Address

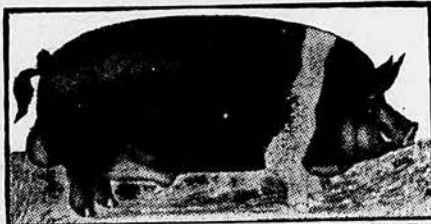
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R. L. Harriman, Auctioneer.

A. B. Hunter, Fieldman.

J. F. STAADT Sells Durocs on the 14th at Same Place.

GREAT SALE Hampshire Hogs!!



Major 1969, owned by H. D. DeKalb, Dekalb, Ia.

Council Bluffs, Iowa

Thursday,

November 14th

BUY A HAMPSHIRE

60 head belted beauties—40 yearling boars—5 spring boars—10 spring gilts—5 matured sows. To the man who is now raising Hampshires this sale offering needs no introduction. They are commended to the breeder and the farmer who wants a prolific, vigorous, profitable hog. In the 60 head we are consigning, the 40 yearling boars have size, bone and constitution which they will impart to their offspring. They are sired by Pirate 4517 by Meadow Lark; Commodore 2865 by Teddy; Major 1969 by Stone's Duke; DeKalb King by Major. The dams are richly bred large smooth sows. Come to my sale. It's the place to buy Hampshires. Let me send you a catalog. Address

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Auctioneers—H. S. Duncan, N. G. Kraschel.
Fieldman—Grant Gaines.

Lobough's Annual Sale Poland China

**BOARS and GILTS at The Sale Pavilion
Washington, Ks., Sat. Nov. 9, '12**

The offering numbers 46 head and 21 are early spring boars (last of February) that have been grown out with lots of range and not loaded, but in the best possible condition to go to work. One yearling, 15 spring gilts same age as boars and six fall yearling gilts. Fall gilts will be sold bred or with breeding privilege and some of the spring gilts will be bred or sold with a breeding privilege. Everything immune, having been immuned by State serum.

Everything strictly big type, the sire of the offering being better than a 700-pound hog. The dams are big, mature sows, sired by such boars as Kansas Ex., Gold Metal, L.'s Hadley, Choice Goods and Captain Hutch. Catalogs ready now. Write to

**A. C. LOBOUGH,
Washington, Kansas.**

Auctioneers—James T. McCulloch, J. B. Lewis.
Fieldman—J. W. Johnson.

E. C. Logan's Draft of 55 Poland Chinas!

**At the Fair Grounds,
Beloit, Kan., Saturday, Nov. 16**

Everything in Mr. Logan's herd was immunized with State serum early in the summer and is considered free from all danger of disease. The offering is a very select one and drawn as it is from one of the oldest and largest herds in Central Kansas it should be readily understood to be one of real merit.

The Line-up—Eight fall yearling gilts, 12 spring yearlings that have raised litters, 20 spring gilts, 10 spring boars, three fall yearling boars. Progress, a great 3-year-old herd boar. Everything sired by Gates's Wonder, by old A Wonder, and Glasco Chief, Jr., by old Glasco Chief, that was the sire of a family of show hogs. A few choice spring yearlings will be bred to Gates's Wonder by sale day.

Sale in pavilion. Catalogs ready. Ask

E. C. LOGAN, Beloit, Kan.

Free hotel accommodations at Commercial Hotel.

Send bids to J. W. Johnson, in care of E. C. Logan, Beloit.

Auctioneers—John Brennen, Will Myers, Harry Vanamburg.

H. B. MINER'S Sale of Duroc-Jerseys

**A Sale of Tops From One of the
Strong Herds in Southern Nebraska.**

Guide Rock, Neb., Friday, Nov. 8

15 miles west of Superior on the B. & M. and driving distance from Burr Oak on the Mo. Pac. and Esbon on the Rock Island, both Kansas towns just south of Guide Rock.

The only opportunity in that section of the country this fall to buy choice boars and gilts of the best of breeding and individual merit at auction.

The sale is a draft from Mr. Miner's popular herd, 22 spring boars, 20 spring gilts, three Sept. boars and five Sept. gilts make the offering. The spring stuff was sired by Model H. and Crimson Wonder Orion, by Crimson Wonder Again. The fall pigs by Model H. Both boars deserve strong endorsement. Crimson Wonder Orion was bought by Mr. Miner in an eastern sale at a good figure and Model H. is likely the only living son of old Higgins Model and considered by many as great a sire.

The dams of the offering are choice matured sows among which is Rose Banker, Model Girl (by Pearl's Golden Rule), and Model Girl, by Model Chief Again. Sale in Guide Rock. Free hotel accommodations at the Watt Hotel. Catalogs ready Oct. 20. Come or send bids. In either instance you will get the best of treatment.

H. B. MINER, Guide Rock, Neb.

Auctioneers: John Brennen, G. G. Denney.
J. W. Johnson, Fieldman Farmers Mail and Breeze.

C. H. Pilcher Sells 40 Poland Chinas at Auction Glasco, Kan., Friday, Nov. 15, 1912

Sale at Farm Near Town

28 Fall Gilts by Conqueror and Winning Granitler

Four spring boars and three fall boars by the same boars and one by Bulck 21. Four tried sows, extra good, and they and a few of the fall gilts bred to Bulck 21. Conqueror is Mr. Pilcher's well known show boar and Winning Granitler is a famous breeding boar in his herd. Bulck 21 is by E. C. Logan's great boar, Conformation. The four tried sows are 2 years old and choice individuals.

The sale will be held the day before E. C. Logan's sale at Beloit and the two sales can be attended with practically the same expense. Free hotel accommodations at Glasco Hotel. Catalogs ready. Address

C. H. PILCHER, Glasco, Kansas

Auctioneer—G. B. Vanlandingham.
Send bids to J. W. Johnson in care of C. H. Pilcher.

PUBLIC SALE OF PRIDE OF COLLYNIE SHORTHORNS!

AT OUR FARM

Sabetha, Kans., Tues. Nov. 12

40 HEAD 11 BULLS 40 HEAD
29 FEMALES

The offering includes 20 head, the get of PRIDE OF COLLYNIE, a bull of Massive Beef Type and Rugged Constitution with few equals, if any, and no superior; a Typical Scotch-Cruickshank bull; sired by Imported Collynie and from Imported Mistletoe 15th. The offering includes

22 COWS, DAUGHTER OF PRIDE OF COLLYNIE

Or others bred to him, a number of them with splendid calves at foot. Several heifers will be bred to our young bull sired by the famous Ruberta's Goods.

11 STRONG, RUGGED BULLS.

Herd headers sired by Pride of Collynie and from our best cows; 1 year to 2 years old; blocky, good feeders and fine color.

The Catalogue will be sent on application. Address

JOHN MCCOY & SON, Sabetha, Kans.

Purebred Percherons and Mammoth Jacks



At Auction, Rose Hill, Kan, Tuesday, Nov. 12

Four Percheron Stallions (two Imported, two home-bred). Four Percheron Mares. Three Mammoth Jacks. One Standard Bred Stallion (Chimes Christo 46295). One Shetland Pony Stallion 3-year-old.



All of the Percherons are eligible to registry in Percheron Society of America and all are of breeding age except one yearling stallion.

These Percheron stallions are large, black drafty fellows and the jacks are also large. Every individual offered, except the yearling stallion is of proven merit as a breeder and has

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made good for its present owner. Chimes Christo is a 6-year-old standard bred grandson of Council Chimes, time 2:07. The Percherons are strong in the blood of Brilliant. The Jacks are the kind that will get plenty of service in any locality. Write today for catalogs and full particulars. Address

H. C. STALEY, Rose Hill, Kan.

SOUTHERN KANSAS AND OKLAHOMA DUROC SALE CIRCUIT**Duroc-Jersey Sale at Hennessey, Oklahoma**

SALE AT ELM GROVE FARM, 1½ MILES WEST OF TOWN.

Friday, Nov. 15, 1912 — 50 Head, all bred right

Consisting of 12 tried sows and 11 fall yearlings all safe in pig, mostly to F. P.'s Col. 12053 by B. & C.'s Col., others are bred to Buddy K.'s Best a splendid breeding son of Old Buddy K IV now dead. There will also be sold 10 Spring and Summer gilts and 15 Winter, Spring and Summer boars.

Two Tried Boars, Herd headers including the Son of The Champions will be sold.

All are either Sons or Grandsons or daughters or granddaughters of

Auctioneers: Reppert, Drybread, Groff Williams and Murphy.
Fieldman, A. B. Hunter.

Champion prize winners of note. They carry the blood of such sires as B. & C.'s Col. Buddy K IV, Ohio Chief, Piolet Boy, Red Wonder, High Notcher, Red Advance, Mo. Wonder, Top Commodore, Gold Finch and others of equal reputation. One-fourth of this offering should go to the best breeders, the other three-fourths to the progressive farmer that he may produce hogs that will make more and quicker money for the corn he feeds.

Free lunch on grounds, visitors from a distance stop at Rhodes Hotel, Hennessey, Okla. Conveyance furnished to farm near town.

For catalog write,

F. P. SYLVESTER, Hennessey, Okla.

A fine pair of registered pigs given free day of sale. Everybody present will have equal chance to get them.

**The Ohio Kant Be Beat
and Ladore Wonder Sale of
Duroc-Jerseys!**

Dennis, Kan., Nov. 12, 1912.

40 Head — 40 Head

By These Two Great Sires.

Also a few by Colonial Col. and Buddy's Pride.

A few fall yearling sows—dams by Higgin's Model and Inventor. Will be bred to Colonial Col. One young brood sow by Buddy K. IV, dam Wonder's Model Girl.

20 Spring Gilts and 15 Extra Good Boars

Dams by Ohio Chief, Model Chief, Billie K., Inventor, Buddy K. IV, Red Advance and Colonial Col.

Breeders entertained at Kimball House, Parsons, and Florence Hotel, Cherryvale. Morning trains and interurban cars to Dennis.

LANT BROS., Dennis, Kans.

George W. Berry, Fieldman. Frank J. Zaun, Auctioneer.

**Samuel Drybread's Sale
Duroc-Jerseys**

AT THE STAR BREEDING FARM

Elk City, Kan., Wed., Nov. 13

50 Head ^{40 Sows and} 10 Boars 50 Head

B. & C.'s COL.,

Conceded to be one of the very great Boars of the breed, is the sire of the greater part of the offering.

**8 Choice Boars by B. & C.'s Col.
5 Extra Sows bred to B. & C.'s Col.
5 Sows with Litters by B. & C.'s Col.
Choice Spring Gilts and Boars by B. & C.'s Col.
2 Sows by Belle's Chief.
3 Sows by Buddy K. 4th.
2 Extra Fall Boars by McNeil's Model.**

All in fine condition. For catalogue address

Samuel Drybread, Elk City, Kan.

FRED REPERT, Auct. G. W. BERRY, Fieldman.

**The Good E. Nuff Again King Sale
of Duroc-Jerseys**

Winfield, Kan., Thursday, Nov. 14th

Forty head of gilt-edge boars and gilts of February and March farrow. Four boars by B. & C.'s Col., one boar and three gilts by Indian Chief, he by Beauty's Model Top. The most of the balance, sired by our great herd boar Good E. Nuff Again King. A great opportunity for both breeders and farmers to get the best at their own price. "All roads lead to Winfield." Nine steam, and one electric road. Sale held in Peden's barn, South Main St., Winfield, Kans. Send for Catalog. "Meet us there."

W. W. OTEY & SONS, Winfield, Kan.

Auctioneers: Fred Reppert, Geo. Drybread, Len Hoover.

Fieldman, A. B. Hunter.

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WRITE J. M. McCown, Emporia, Kansas, special bargain list, farms and ranches.

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Pumping the Underflow

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care is used in locating the field laterals some changes can be made in the distributing system after the first season that will enable a farmer to irrigate his field more evenly and quickly with a great saving of water. If a permanent crop has been planted these changes are hard to make.

The field lateral ditches should also be carefully laid out and constructed. For this work an engineer should be employed, or in some cases the land owner may purchase a reliable make of farm level and lay out his own ditches. All laterals should be as direct as the lay of the land will permit. They should be constructed with good clean earth and established when possible with grades sufficiently steep to cause a rapid flow of the water, yet still limiting the flow to prevent soil erosion. Pumped water is clean and it will percolate more rapidly than dirty or sediment laden water. A rapid flooding of the land with such water is preferable where high duties are desired.

Know How Much Water You Use.

It is quite likely that those who are irrigating at present are using more water than is necessary to produce a crop. Experiments in western states indicate that most of the grain crops could be more profitably produced if less water were used per acre. Every owner of a pumping plant or user of water should have a measuring weir in his main canal in order that he may be able to tell the quantity of flow at any time.

What Breeders Are Doing.

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resent the splendid bull Pride of Collynie a sire with scarcely an equal and no superior in the West. Every admirer of good Shorthorns will feel well repaid for a trip to the McCoy farm on seeing the superb bull Pride of Collynie and his get consisting of a line of thick, smooth, fine styled cows and heifers whose equals sired by one bull are seldom met on any farm; and the bulls, strong, rugged, vigorous fellows and good feeders, the sort that prove out on the farms and in the feed lots. Pride of Collynie, now in his prime, is one of the most massive, heavy fleshed, robust bulls of his age to be found in any breeder's herd. He is a typical Cruickshank-Scotch bull in every way and transmits the type to his get with remarkable uniformity. The Shorthorns to be sold on November 12 are in good, useful condition. They have been carefully selected, and a good part of the best cattle in the herd will be offered. Only the very best sires have been used in the McCoy herd since its foundation over 30 years back, such bulls as Lord Ashland by Imp. Scottish Lord, Royal Thistle by Imp. Thistle Top, Imperial Knight by Imp. Ducal Crown, and lastly, Pride of Collynie by Imp. Collynie, and Orange Lad by Imp. Royal Pride. The catalog contains much valuable information in regard to the offering and Shorthorns in general, and will be mailed on application to John McCoy & Son, Sabetha, Kan.

J. F. Stodder's Shorthorn Sale.

The announcement of the sale of Shorthorns by J. F. Stodder of Burden, Kansas, which appears the first time in this paper, will doubtless interest breeders far and wide. During the last 20 years J. F. Stodder has been well and favorably known in improved livestock circles, and the Shorthorns from his Silver Creek herd have universally attracted attention at the state fairs and stock shows. His presence and influence have been felt on nearly every occasion of importance to the Shorthorn breed during the past decade, and he has ever been a consistent and aggressive champion in the cause of progressive farming and improved stock. As a breeder of a superb type of beef cattle, thick fleshed, blocky and pleasing symmetry and uniformity, he has achieved genuine and well deserved success. His success in the show yard is a notable example of the importance of starting the breeding business on the right foundation. Early in his career he was awarded high honors on Shorthorns of his own breeding. The coveted prizes on exhibitor's herds and get of sire often went to J. F. Stodder. The Silver Creek herd could hardly be thought of without mention of Captain Archer, the bull that for several years stood at the head of this herd, and whose get has added considerable fame to Kansas Shorthorns. A glance at the pedigree reveals his inherent power to transmit the wonderful breed character to his offspring with remarkable uniformity. Sired by Imported Collynie that has been pronounced the most deeply bred Cruickshank-Scotch bull ever brought to America, and having for his dam the Imported Mistletoe 15th of which it is said by Mr. S. C. Hanna, her importer, that she was the heaviest milking Scotch cow he ever saw, Captain Archer combines the real good Shorthorn qualities, and his get are especially noted for their thick flesh and heavy milking qualities, the points of superiority for which Shorthorns are justly noted. The sale of offering is richly bred and especially strong in the blood of the best Scotch families. Prominent among the pure Scotch tribes represented in the sale are the Marr Emmas, Marsh Violets, Lady of Shalotts, Clippers, Foxgloves, Imp. Sorrel or Secrets, Imp. Village Blossoms, Rothnick Rose, Cruickshank Rosemarys, Blooms, Butterflies, Victorias, and Marigolds. Features that have been catalogued consist of the young show herd. These include heifers that possess the quality and are in the proper condition to go on and be able to win in the best company. The herd bulls, Choice Archer, a

vermine a Marr Emma pure white bull go in the sale. The offering will be mentioned in detail in a future paper. The catalog will be sent on application to J. F. Stodder, Burden, Kansas.

Sutton Farm Berkshire Sale.

A hog sale of national importance is announced in this issue of Farmers Mail and Breeze, to be held at Lawrence, Kan., by Charles E. Sutton. The sales held during the last decade at Sutton Farm have attracted breeders from every section of the country and Sutton Berkshires have been annually distributed in a majority of the states of the Union. The Berkshires offered on these occasions at Sutton Farm have been pronounced superior in type and breeding and their quality has been tested and approved by discriminating buyers and a summary of the sales will show that the averages received at public auction for Sutton Berkshires exceed the average made by any other herd of any breed west of the Mississippi river during the last six years. The offering which will be made on November 15 is unusual, and it is safe to say the most useful and valuable that has yet been made by Mr. Sutton. The catalog contains the pedigrees of the 1912 show herd as well as the entire breeding herd at Lawrence, including a great collection of herd boars and brood sows, equalled by very few, if any, herds in America. The offering is strongly representative of the celebrated sire Berrington Duke Jr., a boar that has a national reputation on his merits as a sire of strictly high class Berkshires. During the last decade no other boar of the breed lays claim to as great uniformity in quality and size and evenness of his litters as has been shown from Berrington Duke Jr. His greatest breeding son, Judge Robinhood, goes in this sale, also, his sons, College Duke 2d and Royal Star's Duke, the latter being the Kansas champion Junior boar. Six choice daughters of Berrington Duke Jr., including the members of the young show herd will be among the attractions. Judge Robinhood, the successor to his illustrious sire, will be followed into the auction ring by a string of his get that will make attractions and prove profitable investments on the farms where they are purchased. The herd boars cataloged include Artful Masterpiece 3d a son of the great Masterpiece and out of a sow by Premier Longfellow. Perhaps the greatest attraction in boars will be found in the Junior yearling Peaceful Charmer that bears the distinction of being the winner of the grand championship honors at the last American Royal. This boar's pedigree reveals the fact that he traces three times to Berrington Duke 72946 and five times to Black Robinhood. Duke's Bacon 8th the grand champion boar of two state fairs, 1912, has been picked by a number of good judges as the greatest boar that will be sold during the year. The offering will be mentioned in detail in a future paper. Read the announcement elsewhere in this paper.

Iowa

GRANT GAINES.

A Model Hog.

The grand champion Poland China boar of Iowa this year has the recorded name of A Model. This is suggestive and appropriate. A Model is about the best model Poland China this writer has seen. He is big type breeding, but is the type that pays one dollar per bushel for the corn he eats. A Model was bred and fitted by S. A. Roberts, Knoxville, Ia. He won championship hands down with a very competent judge. Mr. Roberts will have a bred sow sale in January when he will sell a select lot of high class sows bred to the Iowa champion, and other good boars. In due time we will have more to say about this splendid sale offering.

Buy a Hampshire.

If you are interested in the white-belted hogs, the Hampshires, the rustlers, the combination lard and pork hogs attend the big sale at Council Bluffs, Iowa, Thursday, November 14. In this sale H. B. DeKalb of Dekalb, Iowa, will sell 60 head including 40 yearling boars, five spring boars, 10 spring gilts and five matured sows. There is no breed of hogs that is coming into popularity so rapidly as the Hampshires. There have been more new herds started, of this new breed, in Kansas during the past two or three years than of any other breed. They are great rustlers and very prolific. They go on the market at an early age and make market toppers. You still have time to write for a catalog of this sale. If you cannot attend and want to buy something in the sale your bids may be entrusted to Grant Gaines who will represent Farmers Mail and Breeze at this sale. Mr. Gaines knows a good hog when he sees it and will treat your bids fairly.

Crops and Livestock

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corn but not much selling. Wheat 77 to 80 cents, potatoes 75.—W. H. Plumly, Oct. 26.

Wichita County—Weather dry and windy. Farmers have nearly all their feed up and some have begun to husk corn. Horse disease about over with. No sale for horses but cattle sell high. Some threshing to be done yet. Corn 65 cents, barley 50, cream 26, eggs 21.—J. H. Dunlap, Oct. 26.

Stafford County—Wheat seeding finished. Good stands reported and ground is in excellent condition. Fair crop of corn and husking will begin in a few days. Plenty of roughness. Few horses lost by plague in this county. Hog cholera making clean sweep in some places. Other stock doing well.—S. H. Newell, Oct. 23.

Hodgeman County—Threshing nearly finished but on account of car shortage no wheat being sold. Some early sown wheat damaged by grasshoppers but frost of Oct. 21 practically put hoppers out of business. Most cane and Kafir will be headed and threshed this year. Horse disease is a thing of the past.—E. N. Myler, Oct. 22.

Morris County—Some corn being cribbed. Early frosts caused premature harvest of much feed and this was damaged by heavy rains later. Numerous sales and everything sells well. Milk cows bring from \$50 to \$75. Horse disease gone. Only a few deaths reported. Quite a number of cattle on feed. Feeders started new corn at 55 cents. Ap-

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plow plentiful at 25 to 50 cents.—J. R. Henry, Oct. 26.

Wilson County—Wheat looking well and about an average acreage sown. Stock cattle still on pasture but weather dry for tame grass. Stock of all kinds doing well. Feed plentiful but some hay being shipped in at \$8.50 on track. Candidates on anxious seat. Corn 50 cents, potatoes 75, frosted Kafir 50, apples 75.—S. Canty, Oct. 25.

OKLAHOMA.

Rogers County—No killing frost yet. Stock cattle cheap. Only milk cows are selling high and are scarce. Hogs also scarce. New corn 40 cents.—A. Cochran, Oct. 25.

Garvin County—Had a frost Oct. 24. Fine weather for corn husking. Corn not weighing as much as expected. Cotton making 1/2 bale per acre. Stock healthy except calves dying of blackleg. Corn 40 to 45 cents, cotton \$11 per 100 pounds in lint.—H. H. Roller, Oct. 26.

Beckham County—Weather fine for all kinds of fall work. Kafir and milo nearly all cut. Frost damaged a good deal of late planted stuff. Many sales and cattle and hogs sell high. Horses cheaper than a year ago. Cotton \$10.50, eggs 18 cents, butter fat 26.—M. F. Spurlock, Oct. 22.

Custer County—Weather dry and rain needed to start wheat. No general frost yet. Gathering Kafir, milo, cotton and sowing wheat constitutes the day's work on the farm now. Sales are numerous and nearly everything sells well. Kafir threshing will begin next week.—E. E. Baker, Oct. 26.

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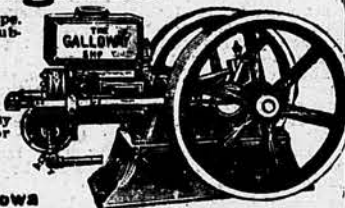
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(Written by Wm. Galloway, the Farmers' Manufacturer)



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mean a "fall-in-price," doesn't
mean a "come-down" from
a former charge, doesn't mean
something "cheap."

On one hand, in purchas-
ing, you obtain an article that
costs little, one that gives you all
of your money's worth.

On the other hand, some one
is bled and overcharged to begin
with; then when the article
becomes unsalable, a drug-
on-the-market, or depreciates
in value, the price is lowered
as a bait to catch the gull-
ible that wouldn't bite before.

Real bargains are at a premium.

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everywhere.

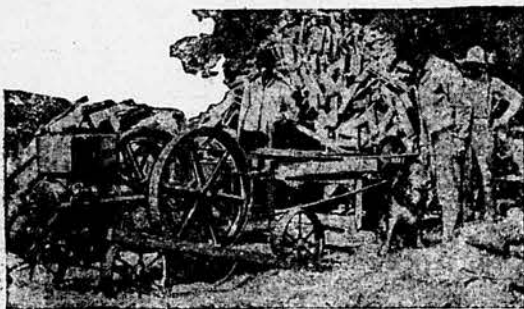
No one can be too careful these days for there are a
lot of articles masquerading as "bargains"—articles,
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