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—Mrs. E. H. BEAN, 525 Joseph Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

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## Possibilities of Slang.

Slang and its possibilities were vividly expressed in the conversation of two youths in a Back Bay home one night recently, says the Boston Traveler. The boys got into a discussion and when all legitimate arguments had been exhausted, the following repartee was heard:

"Snow again, I didn't catch the drift."

"Keep on spouting, kid, you're a whale."

"The yer shoe, your tongue's hangin' out."

"Hang crepe on yer ear, you mutt, yer brain is dead."

"Aw sand your track, yer slippin'!"

"Sneeze, little one, your bean is rusty."

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## Volunteer Adviser.

"It's a lucky thing I came out here today!" exclaimed the delirious baseball fan. "If it hadn't been for me, we'd have lost that game sure."

"Why, the man who won this game is the chap who just now slid to second."

"Yes. But didn't you hear me yelling at the top of my voice telling him what to do?"

## Restful.

"Who is that chap riding on the horse with the driver?"

"That's smiley, the professional humorist. He's on his vacation."

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Have you a lame back, aching day after day? Do you feel sharp pains after stooping? Are the kidneys sore? Is their action irregular? Do you have headaches, backaches, rheumatic pains—feel tired, nervous, all worn-out? Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the medicine recommended by so many people in this locality. Read the experience that follows:

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# FARM ANIMALS

## HOG CHOLERA RECOMMENDED

Device is Paying Proposition and Will Save Trouble—Animals Soon Learn Its Use.

There seems to be very little said about the hog cholera and yet it is something that has been used on a great many farms for the past year or two. I have had experience with others of different kinds and find that the use of a good oiler, that does not leak or clog up, is quite worth while and is a paying proposition, as it will save a great deal of trouble and neglect, says a writer in an exchange.

A great many farmers neglect keeping their hogs free from lice and mange simply because it is so much trouble and annoyance to get them up in a pen and sprinkle or dip them. The hog oiler not only saves time and trouble, but also saves oil, since much oil is wasted when the sprinkling can is used.

There are two distinct kinds of oilers on the market: The cylinder oiler and the upright or post oiler. The oiler that does not waste oil by leaking or overflowing and one that operates easily is one of the best investments a hog raiser can make; while the oiler that leaks or clogs up with dirt is almost useless.

If the oiler is set up in a place where the hogs congregate every day, such as the feeding place, they will almost invariably use it when they smell the oil.

## FENCING FOR HOG PASTURES

Material Slump in Profits if Animals Are Confined to Pens—Make Barrier "Pig-Tight."

The raising of hogs calls for the fencing in of a field or two for hog pasture, for every hogkeeper well knows that there is a very material slump in the profits in pork-growing if the hogs are kept in pens or small runs, obtaining no food except that given them. Of the three prime essentials in a hog pasture—namely pasturage, water supply and fence—the fence is of more importance than most of us realize until a stiff bit of experience sets us thinking. The hog lot fence, of all fences on the farm, needs to be built substantially and "pig-tight." Any hog pasture fence that is put up hurriedly and somewhat indifferently is a detriment to all concerned—to the rest of the farm, to the farmer and to the hogs, even.

## SHORTHORN BREED IN FAVOR

Country Church in Northwest Missouri Is Center of Community Devoted to Breeding.

(By FRANK D. THOMSON.)  
A country church near Ravenswood, in northwest Missouri, is the center of a community devoted to breeding Shorthorns. In the past three months the 26 members of the organization—and to be eligible to membership in this special effort one is required to

## BEST FATTENING HOG CROPS

Corn and Cowpeas, With Sufficient Area Should Be Provided—Sweet Potatoes Also Favored.

(By W. R. DODSON, Louisiana Experiment Station.)  
The best fattening crop available from the 15th to the 20th of July is corn and cowpeas, and sufficient area should be supplied to keep the hogs from four to six weeks.

It will generally be found advantageous at the end of that time to transfer them to a field of peanuts or soy beans of sufficient area to maintain the animals about four to six weeks. Feed them a little dry corn to balance the ration. Probably the most profitable crop available for hog feed from the latter part of October until the latter part of December is sweet potatoes, and the fattening period can be closed with the harvesting of this crop.

When hogs are allowed to harvest sweet potatoes at will and are fed a moderate quantity of slops containing a rich protein feed, they make remarkably rapid gains.

## KNOWLEDGE HELP TO FARMER

Good Judge of Stock Offered Many Opportunities to Mingle With Experts and Breeders.

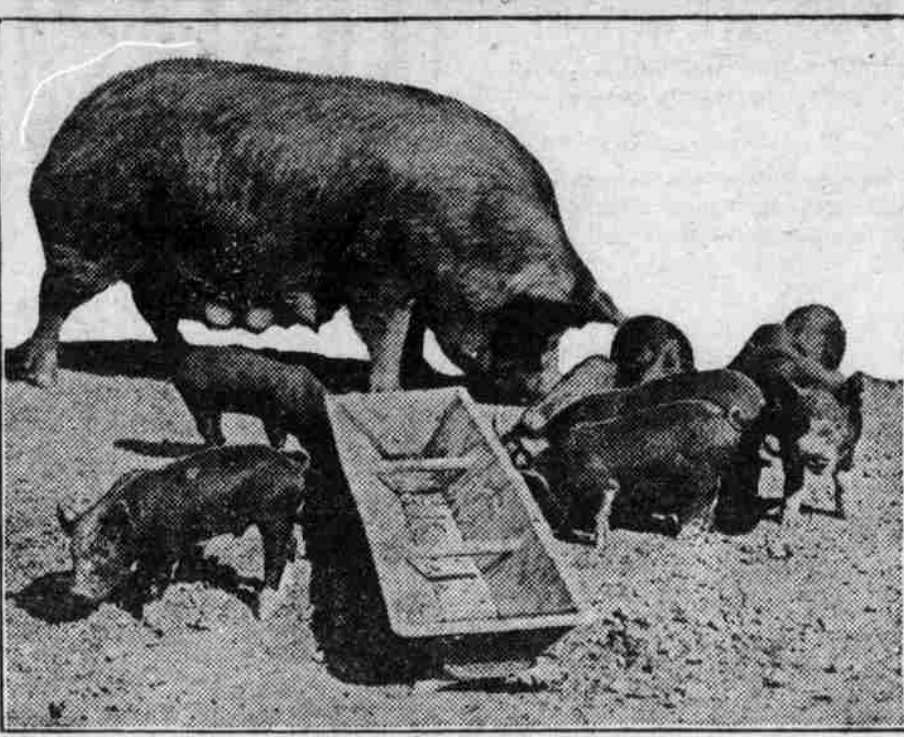
The farmer who has been a good judge of stock through careful, systematic study will have a degree of recognition and influence in his community that may offer many opportunities for him to meet and mingle with the best informed live stock men, expert judges, prominent breeders and officials of shows and other agricultural organizations. He may thus come in touch with the best methods of breeding and handling stock and with men of affairs, and by his increased knowledge broaden his influence and usefulness to his community and the world at large.

## STORAGE OF DAIRY PRODUCTS

No Method Quite So Effective as Setting Vessels Containing Them in Running Water.

No other method of storing dairy products—milk, cream and butter—is quite so effective in keeping them fresh as that of setting the vessels containing them in running water, either in a spring or some artificial device for the purpose. For the convenience of the housewife and the health and sanitation of the entire family, every farmer ought to manage to arrange such a place, which can be done at slight cost on every farm.

# INDIVIDUAL QUALITIES ARE IMPORTANT



Purebred Sow and Healthy Litter.

(By W. L. BLIZZARD, Department of Animal Husbandry, Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater.)

A good breeder must be a good feeder, as this is the basis of the business. You can take good animals that have been developed for a few generations until established in great size and quality combined so that the offspring inherits them. Then place them in the hands of a poor and indifferent breeder and feeder and in a few generations you will have them back into their original position, losing all of the improvement and gain.

Good blood is not everything. Not every animal that can furnish a pedigree is desirable for a breeder, though his breeding be of the very best. His individual qualities are the important part, and should equal the excellence of his pedigree. There may be exceptions. Many men will hang onto a sow because she has a splendid pedigree, when in conformation she is not a good representative of the breed. Usually cases of this kind are a detriment to the herd.

On the other hand, those who think a pedigree is of little value will never get very far in purebred live stock production. A pedigree is of very little value to a buyer of breeding animals unless he knows something of the individuals found among the ancestry named. The hog breeder must know the bloodlines that are popular in the breed he is producing, and those that are doing the most to build up the breed.

Remember, the better the breeding stock the better are the chances for improving the individuals in the herd, and thereby building up a good herd. Hence the greater opportunity for success in the hog business.

Then again, you must feed and care for what you have already, or they become finer in spite of all you can do and will soon go back to the scrub stage. Do not cross breeds. The best cross for any breed is the feedlin.

All feeding must be done with good judgment. Changing feed must be done gradually. Avoid radical changes. If a ration change is made, it is liable to disturb the condition of the animal, and if she is a sow suckling pigs, it is very likely to be a serious danger to the litter. Therefore, make all changes of feed carefully, moderately and gradually, so as not to injure the litter or sow.

## CONTROL OF SORGHUM SMUT

Treating Solution Made by Mixing of Formalin With Water—Sprinkling Seed Is Easy.

Kernel smut of the sorghum crops may be controlled by the same treatment given to kill oats smut. The treating solution is made by mixing a pint of formalin (also called formaldehyde) with 30 to 40 gallons of water. The seed may either be sprinkled or immersed. Sprinkling is easier and if done carefully is just as effective. In the sprinkling method the seed is spread out on a clean floor and the solution is applied with a sprinkling can. The seed is stirred while being sprinkled. When each seed is moistened the seed is piled up and covered tightly with wet sacks, blankets or canvas for several hours. Then it is spread out to dry. Successive lots are handled in the same way.

Treated seed should not come in contact with containers that have held untreated seed, unless those containers have also been treated with the solution. Sorghum smut causes a very large annual loss. It affects all of the sorghums except milo.

Milo is said not to be affected by smut, and milo seed, therefore, does not require treatment.

## RULES FOR DRAGGING ROADS

Illinois Highway Commission Gives Instruction on Care and Maintenance of Highways.

The following rules are given by the Illinois highway commission:  
Use a light drag.

Haul it over the road at an angle so that a small amount of earth is pushed to the center of the road.

Drive the team at a walk.

Ride on the drag; do not walk.

Begin at one side of the road, returning up the opposite side.

Drag the road as soon after every rain as possible, but not when the mud is in such a condition as to stick to the drag.

Do not drag a dry road.

Drag whenever possible at all seasons of the year.

The width of traveling way to be maintained by the drag should be from 18 to 20 feet; first drag a little more than the width of a single wheel track, then gradually increase until desired width is obtained.

Always drag a little earth toward the center of the road until it is raised from 10 to 12 inches above the edges of the traveled way.

If the drag cuts too much shorten the hitch.

The amount of earth that the drag will carry along can be very considerably controlled by the driver, accordingly as he stands near the cutting end or away from it.

When the roads are first dragged after a very muddy spell the wagons should drive, if possible, to one side until the roadway has a chance to freeze or partially to dry out.

The best results from dragging are obtained only by repeated application.

Remember that constant attention is necessary to maintain an earth road in its best condition.

## MARKET ALL SURPLUS MALES

All Young Cockerels Not Intended for Breeding Should Be Either Sold or Caponized.

Surplus cockerels should be marketed as soon as possible is the advice of poultry specialists. All young male chickens that are not intended for breeding purposes should be either sold as broilers or caponized. The things to keep in mind is that the longer a cockerel is held after he has reached the broiler stage the less is his actual value as a market product. Only in special cases should the cockerels of the Leghorn breed be caponized. Breeds of the heavier types, such as Plymouth Rocks or Rhode Island Reds can be caponized with profit. If the cockerels are not marketed at the proper time money will be lost, unless they are so selected as to bring more as breeding stock. On the other hand cockerels of only market value should be disposed of as soon as there is a market for them. Two-pound broilers that bring 17 cents a pound in July, are worth more than the same cockerels would be two months later at 8 cents a pound, at which time they will be classed as stags. Besides the actual loss in money, two months' feed and work is also lost.

## Honor Roll.

"Has your college produced any distinguished men?"  
"Has it? Say, don't you ever read the papers? Didn't you hear of Lefty Jones, the famous southpaw; or Kangaroo Klein, the best shortstop in either league; or Bill Borroughs, the fence buster? And I could name a dozen more who have made good in the game. Have we ever produced any distinguished men? Why, Spalding's Baseball Guide is full of them."

We've seen some women dressed so they couldn't stoop to conquer, or to do anything else.

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## PROOF THAT COURTESY PAYS

Business Man Tells How He Pleated Angry Customer Who Had a Real Grievance.

In the American Magazine a writer says:

"I soon learned that the average woman, with the burden of housekeeping on her shoulders, is the most irritable and unresponsive creature alive. A delivery ten minutes late can bring on your head a mighty wrath, a wilted lettuce can lose you your best customer. I had to stand between these women and overworked delivery boys, careless shipping clerks and sometimes inferior goods. One instance: A woman was to give a dinner party. Her groceries arriving almost at the last minute with the fish order filled incorrectly. 'My dinner is spoiled,' she cried distractedly over the telephone. 'I never will spend another cent with you as long as I live.' Woman is built for fortitude, not responsibility. I shouldered the responsibility and persuaded her to bear with me until I could rectify the mistake. It took much soothing; a hint of irritation on my part would have spoiled everything. As it was, fifteen minutes later a messenger boy was delivering the fish at her door; we had kept our customer and made a lasting friend."

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## Boston's Culture Vindicated.

The much acclaimed culture of Boston won for itself new laurels when no less a person than Dr. W. T. Sedgwick discarded a time-honored expression that has been in use for years unnumbered.

In his lecture to a class of public health students he said to his highly amused hearers:

"Public health work should be in the hands of an especially trained class of men—and should not be left to every Thomas, Richard and Henry!"

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## NOTHING SO EFFECTIVE AS ELIXIR BABEK For Malaria, Chills & Fever.

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A Good Move—Babek Liver Pills. 50 pills 25 cents

## Bringing It to a Climax.

"I know what's passing in your mind," suddenly said the maiden as the habitually silent caller stared at her. "I know, too, why you are calling here night after night, appropriating my time to yourself and keeping other nice young men away. You want to marry me, don't you?"

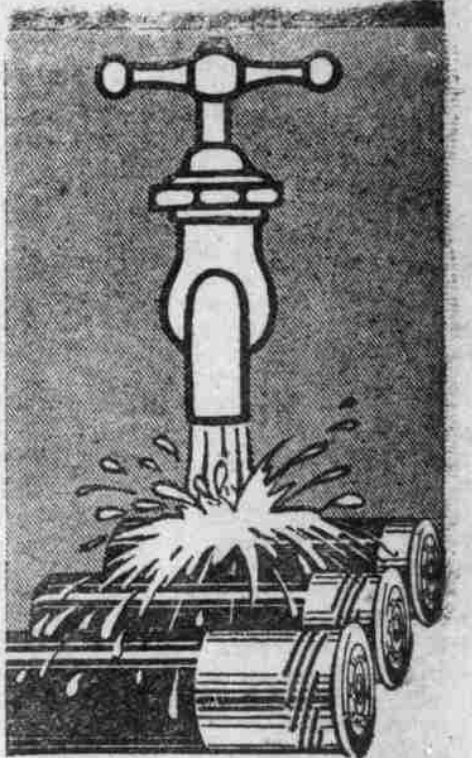
"I—I do!" gasped the young man.

"I thought so. Very well; I will."

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