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## Big Money in Raising Hogs.

In this day of low prices for rice and high prices for everything that the rice planters has to buy it is well enough to look around and see what other industrial avenues are open to the rice planter. In this respect the Daily States calls attention to the excellent money that is being made raising hogs in other sections of the country, and suggests that the same could be done to advantage by Louisiana planters.

It is well to call the attention of our Louisiana farmers to the fact that in the Chicago market hogs are worth \$9 per hundred pounds gross, and that the high price is due to the lack of the supply to meet the demand, hence it may be reasonably assumed that the conditions are such that the prevailing prices will continue to remain high during the present year, and perhaps for an indefinite period. In this climate a 300-pound porker of the proper breed can be grown in six months and upon very much less feed than in the farthest of the north, thus netting the farmer about \$27.

Therefore it is quite easy to figure the profits to the farmer in marketing two or three hundred heads of hogs a year, and this can be done if he will give his attention to the industry and abandon the old plan of growing only the number of hogs required for home consumption. To-day the market for pork is quite as staple as that for cotton, hence there is no reason why our farmers should not make more money by raising more hogs than they do now.

The growth of the industry will result in the establishment of packing plants at convenient points within the State to which hogs may be shipped and sold, and these plants will tend to give permanency to the industry in every section of the state. There is not the least doubt that the farmers of Louisiana would enjoy a much larger measure of prosperity if they would devote themselves to raising less cotton and more beef and pork for which they will find a good market at home.

The Houston Post recently called attention to the fact that a few men in Texas are engaged in raising hogs on a large scale and are making it such a great success that the industry is attracting the attention of persons outside of the State with every probability that there will be a great increase in the number of Texas "hog ranches" in the course of the next few years.

## Interest in the Methodist Meetings Increasing.

The meetings that have been in progress at the Methodist church for the three weeks continue with increasing power and interest. Rev. Basket, who is conducting the meetings is giving the best that there is in him to the work with the result that the audience is deeply effected, and conversions occur at practically every meeting. This is the most effective series of meetings that have been held in Welsh for several years, and the end is not yet as the meetings will continue until Sunday night at any rate. A cordial invitation to attend the remainder of these meetings is extended to everyone.

Frequently when making a telephone call, the line is reported "busy". Do not understand this as a refusal to give connection, but the line called is really in use. It is much easier for the operator to give you connection, which requires only a simple motion of the hand and arm, than it is for her to answer "Line busy." This happens more frequently on party lines and it is to every one's advantage in many respects to get direct line service. The manager will explain more fully.  
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## Meetings in Session to the Baptist Church

Rev. William T. Tardy, of Rustin, arrived here Tuesday and took charge of the meetings that are being held at the Baptist Church, that evening. Rev. Tardy is a man of exceptional ability as a thinker and speaker, and is delivering a splendid series of sermons. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these meetings.

## A "Booster's" Pledge.

Hallettsville, Texas, has organized a "boosters' club" and the members are required to take and observe the following pledge:

"On my word and honor, I hereby now declare that as long as I am a resident of Hallettsville, it will be my constant aim to boost at all times and every time.

"I will do what I can for any public work that has the good of the community as its object.

"I will submit and abide by majority rule, and will not knock and howl my head off if things are not done my way.

"I will take no radical or extreme position on any question before the people, and will have due respect for the opinion of my friends and neighbors, when their opinions are opposite to mine.

"I will always say something good about Hallettsville and my people, or I'll keep my buzz shut and 'cut it out' like a man.

"I realize that if this community is good enough to live in and make my money in, it is the proper place to spend my money in.

"Suppose you constitute yourself a member of Welsh's "boosters'" organization, and make an effort to follow the tenets of the pledge, which are good enough for the best citizen.

## WHY WOMEN ARE WORKING.

There are said to be 2,000,000 of women working as domestics or as farm laborers, the latter for the most part in the south, and 4,000,000 are working in other occupations of the country. Among the 6,000,000 workmen are nearly 1,000,000 widows and nearly 800,000 married women whose husbands have failed to provide for them. Nearly 100,000 divorced women are also among the wage-earners. The "natural protector" of the woman seems to be absent in nearly every one of these cases, and the man has put the woman to work in many cases.

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## Roanoke News

What school in Louisiana, Has pupils good and true, Whose faces are brightest, And hearts are good and true? Where students are intelligent And seldom known to mope Why can it be you do not know? 'Tis in the school at Roanoke.

What school is it whose teachers Are not afraid to smile, And make you think that cheerfulness Is something worth the while? Where kindness is always shown And harsh words seldom spoke, 'Tis a lovely public school The public school in Roanoke.

School is now in season of hard work this being the week of mid-term examination.

Miss Lula Lewis was given a surprise party by her friends last Thursday night it being her sixteenth birthday. Those present report a lovely time.

The Ladies Aid will hold a business meeting in the U. B. church Friday Jan. 21.

The Sunday School of the U. B. church had a large attendance last Sunday of 87.

The Y. P. C. E. was successfully led by Miss Cora Clayton last Sunday evening.

Mr. W. F. Lovett was a Iowa station visitor last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Teitje, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith and Messrs. Frank Lovett and David Williams were the guests of Mr. W. F. Lovett last Sunday.

Mr. Floyd Warens has returned home from a visit to Kinder.

Miss S. D. Ewins was the guest at the home of T. B. Compton last Sunday.

There will be a Y. P. C. E. convention held in the U. B. church Jan. 26-27.

Mrs. W. F. Lovett has been on the sick list for a few days with a sore eye.

## COUNTRY LASSES.

## Iowa Items.

Miss Ada Findley spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Read of Welsh, were guests of friends, Sunday.

Everyone suffering from severe colds.

Mrs. T. Cook has an acute attack of rheumatism.

Rev. R. O. McClure and family returned Saturday from Evansville, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Longenbach reached home Sunday after an extended visit in Illinois.

Mrs. F. C. Baker and son Neely were in Lake Charles Monday, consulting a physician.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stuttsman started Tuesday for Goshen, Indiana, where they will make their future home.

L. L. Funk met with quite a loss Tuesday afternoon, on his farm, caused by fire. Little Barklay Funk had some matches and while playing with them, set fire to a shed filled with baled straw. All was burned, including some belts for large pulleys. The loss is about three hundred dollars.

## Broom Corn Bulletin

We have a few copies of Farmer's Bulletin No. 174 dealing with the subject of Broom Corn, that may be had by interested parties for the asking.—Journal Office.

## Lake Charles to Have a New Paper.

The Daily States is authority for the statement that Editor Davis of the Jennings Herald will begin the publication of the Lake Charles Ledger in the near future. Editor Davis has been publishing a bright newsy sheet at Jennings for sometime past, and we trust that he may meet with a fair degree of success in his new venture.

## A. R. McBurney Receives More Fine Stock.

Two of the finest Polled Angus bulls that have yet been brought to this country, were unloaded here Sunday afternoon from number five. These two animals are last June calves, although as large as the average native three year old. They are registered stock and are said to be among the best produced in the state of Tennessee. These animals will be added to Mr. McBurney's splendid herd. They are an addition to any herd, either here or elsewhere, not only having splendid breeding but also being exceptionally fine individuals. Mr. McBurney is to be congratulated on securing these valuable animals, and is also worthy of commendation for the splendid work he is doing in raising the standard of the cattle of this section of the state.

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## BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENT

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PHONE 13-W

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