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LIVESTOCK PLAY MAJOR PART IN FARM OPERATION

A careful survey of farm operations the country over shows that livestock play a major part in every well balanced system of farming. If the farmer of today is to build up a business of farming for the future his slogan must be better livestock, says L. A. Richardson, animal husbandry specialist of the Division of extension, University of Tennessee.

The Tennessee farmer must come to the realization of the fact that 40 per cent of the hogs, 50 per cent of the bulls, 60 per cent of the rams, 70 per cent of stallions and jacks of the state are in grade or scrub class. Mr. Richardson states that a conservative estimate of the loss to the state annually thru cattle, hogs, sheep, horses and mules sired by these scrubs and grades is close to \$7,000,000.

A calf from a good purebred bull at weaning time is worth \$10.00 more than one sired by a grade or scrub bull; a pig at weaning time sired by a purebred boar will bring \$2.50 to \$3.00 more than one sired by a scrub boar; a lamb sired by a good purebred ram is worth an average of \$3.00 more than one sired by a scrub and a colt sired by a purebred stallion or jack is worth \$20.00 to \$30.00 more than one by a scrub. With this in mind it is not hard to run the loss to the state and to the farmer and breeder in to the millions of dollars. The above figures are based on a great many sire surveys conducted by county agricultural agents in the various counties in Tennessee.

Not only must the Tennessee farmer be a breeder of purebred livestock but he must learn to feed this better livestock, says Mr. Richardson. During the year of 1919 the average weight of all cattle that came on the market at Jacksonville, Fla., was 550 pounds; New Orleans, 750; St. Louis, 1,050; Chicago and Kansas City, 1,150. Anyone going over these figures will note an exceptional variation between the markets of the Central West and the South. Two things according to Mr. Richardson are directly responsible for this. In the first place cattle on the Northern and Central Western markets carried more quality as a result of breeding. This coupled with an ability to feed the better animals and to grow them out makes the difference in weight.

Another interesting feature to be taken into consideration is the fact that cattle marketed in the North are finished six to eight months earlier than those marketed in the South. Good bulls, plenty of feed in the way of pasture and winter roughage is the answer to this question. The farmer who is contented to use scrub sires must consider that every animal sired by them lost the owner from \$30 to \$40 per head which may well be called a direct tax collected by the scrub sire.

Which way are our livestock going? Are they marching upward with the purebreds or downhill with the scrubs?

One way to make country life more attractive, which is said will help to keep 'em on the farm, is to beautify the farm both indoors and out. It's the outdoors we think most about in summer; flowers and shrubs help.

Latta-Winfrey

A surprise wedding last Sunday in Memphis united in wedlock William C. Latta of this city and Miss Bessie Winfrey of the Oak Grove vicinity of the fourth district.

Both contracting parties to this marriage were born and reared in this county. The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Latta of Somerville and was educated in the local public school. He went overseas during the recent war, having volunteered early in the game, and was with the Marines when they changed the tide of war, being in the very thickest of the fight. Retiring to Somerville at the close of the war he entered the mercantile business, later selling out to engage in the stock trading and buying cotton and cotton seed, which he will continue to follow. He is a promising young business man and The Falcon looks for him to grow into a successful and useful citizen.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Winfrey and was, also, educated in the high school here. She has figured prominently in the canning and pig clubs during her school life, winning many prizes. By her success in these she has demonstrated her ability to win in her undertakings, and with the sweetness of disposition and her winning personality she has the necessary traits that make for a successful and satisfactory life.

The Falcon joins their friends in best wishes for this young couple.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 15c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Rehobeth Church

Disappointments will come, and how much they hurt. May it be that this was God's appointment. With renewed effort, we will endeavor to continue our services next Sabbath. The Sunday School lesson for that day will be "The Kingly Kindness of David." Lesson text: II Samuel 8:15; 9:1-13.

Come and bring some one with you. JAS. W. McNUTT, PASTOR.

A Traveling Man's Experience

You may learn something from the following by W. H. Ireland, a traveling salesman of Louisville, Ky. "In the summer of 1888 I had a severe attack of cholera morbus. I gave the hotel porter fifty cents and told him to buy me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy and to take no substitute. I took a double dose of it according to the directions and went to sleep. At five o'clock the next morning I was called by my order and took a train for my next stopping place a well man." adv.

MR. FARMER, WHICH WAY ARE YOUR LIVESTOCK GOING?



Better Stock campaign has been on in this country for some months now. Practically every farmer and breeder is more or less acquainted with the movement by this time and those who are still doubtful about the campaign should study the above picture closely. It carries a message.

Silo as Important in South as in North

Some few southern farmers have the idea that the silo is distinctively a northern institution, designed to help the northern and dairy farmer carry on his business at a profit during the long cold northern winters. With the price of beef soaring higher and higher and the price of beef just holding its own, the modern farmer is forced to turn to a cheaper food and instinctively he turns to the silo. It is not a northern institution any more than corn is a northern crop, says H. B. Bliss, Rural Engineering Specialist, Division of Extension.

In the spring before pastures are good, it supplies the needed green food. During dry weather in summer and fall it keeps the milk cows up to their standard, and furnishes just the feed that is needed for those cattle that are going into the fattening lot. Then in winter with little or no pasture, bad rainy weather, and soft or frozen ground, the silo furnishes a succulent food that is needed to keep up the flow of the dairy cow and keep the stock growing. They not only eat it, but they like it, keep in good flesh on it, and the milk cows continue to milk longer on it than they possibly could on dry feed, beet pulp, huls, seed or anything else of the same cost.

The south can not begin to supply her own market with butler. The opportunity for dairying in the south was never greater than now. The conditions for dairying are ideal here. It is a better dairy country on the average than most of the dairy sections of the north. There is a splendid market for milk and butter. But the silo is necessary to conduct a successful dairy farm in the south as elsewhere.

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What Will Tennessee and North Carolina Do?

The action of the Legislatures of North Carolina and Tennessee on the Federal Suffrage Amendment will win or lose party votes in crucial states where women vote for President. These states are: Wyoming, Colorado, Idaho, Utah, Washington, California, Arizona, Kansas, Oregon, Montana, Nevada, New York, Oklahoma, Michigan, South Dakota, Illinois, North Dakota, Nebraska, Rhode Island, Indiana, Iowa, Maine, Minnesota, Missouri, Wisconsin, Ohio, Arkansas and Texas.

The change of a few votes in any one election district in one of these states may mean the gain or loss of all the electoral votes from that state, and the gain or loss of the Presidential election for your party.

In President Wilson's Opinion.

"It would be a real service to the party and to the nation if it is possible for you, under the peculiar provisions of your state constitution, having in mind the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the Ohio case, to call a special session of the Legislature of Tennessee to consider the suffrage amendment. Allow me to urge this very earnestly."—Telegram sent to Governor Roberts of Tennessee, by the President.

"I am sure I need not point out to you the critical importance of the action of your great state in the matter of suffrage amendment."—President's telegram to Governor Bickett of North Carolina.

From the Governor of Tennessee. "I will call the session in ample time for the women to vote in the 1920 elections."—Governor Roberts. From the Governor of North Carolina. "I will recommend ratification."—Governor Bickett.

OF VITAL IMPORTANCE TO WOMEN

The Federal Suffrage Amendment is of vital importance to every woman voter in the United States. True, women have full suffrage in fifteen states and are entitled to vote for the next President in fifteen other states, but it is only by final ratification of the Federal Suffrage Amendment that any woman is nationally protected in her voting rights. Let a New York woman cross the North river into Jersey and she loses her full suffrage rights. Let a Tennessee woman move to Alabama and she loses her Presidential and municipal suffrage rights.

In 1916 the Democratic party vote represented a gain of from 20 per cent to 25 per cent over the 1914 election.

In woman suffrage states the percentage of gain was from 70 per cent to 125 per cent.

After Wilson's advocacy of woman suffrage, ten woman suffrage states that had formerly been Republican, went Democratic.

After the Democratic senate of the Sixty-fifth Congress turned down woman suffrage, nine of these suffrage states returned Republicans to Congress.

Falcon Ads Bring Results

Day-Glover

The marriage of Clyde W. Day to Miss Annie Lee Glover was solemnized last Monday evening at the Presbyterian manse in this city, Rev. J. W. McNut, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiating.

Mr. Day is the only son of F. W. Day and was reared here, entered the army early in the recent war, was one of the first American soldiers on French soil and was with the first Americans to see active service at the front. He was severely wounded and spent much time in a hospital, returning at the close of the war and has not sufficiently recovered from effects of his severe wounds yet to assume regular duties.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Glover of South Main street and was reared in the county, moving to town with her parents the past winter. They have The Falcon's good wishes.

A Great Remedy

The merits of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy are well known and appreciated, but there is occasionally a man who has no acquaintance with them and should read the following by F. H. Dear, a hotel man at Dupuyer, Mont. "Four years ago I used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy with such wonderful results that I have since recommended it to my friends."

Club Work Boosted

In appreciation of what club work is doing for the boys of the community, the Sango Community Organization of Montgomery County recently voted an appropriation of \$20 to be given to the winners in the corn and pig clubs this fall. Club members of this community under the leadership of C. L. Richardson are doing things. Twelve of the club boys have planned to go to the club camp in August. This camp will last four days. The Commercial and Rotary Clubs of Clarksville have agreed to furnish tents and cots for the boys free of charge. This will make the expenses of the boys very small and will enable many to attend that might otherwise not be able to. Recreation and instruction will be blended in this meeting, giving the boys an opportunity to have a regular picnic, and at the same time to learn something. The boy scouts of Clarksville will meet with the club boys for a part of their program and a picnic will be held. It is believed that this will create a splendid spirit between the boys of the farm and those of the city. County Agricultural Agent Harmon says that nothing has helped to interest the boys in club work more than these camps and the annual picnic.

In every home where there is a baby there should also be a bottle of McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR. It may be needed at any time to correct sour stomach, wind colic, diarrhea or summer complaint. It is a wholesome remedy, contains no opium, morphine or injurious drug of any kind. Sold by Price Drug Company.

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