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"SWINE IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST."

Under this heading the Country Gentleman has an article that should be of interest to the Central Oregon farmers who are raising hogs. Of course, hog raising cannot be done by the editors, but by the farmers, yet we believe that the editors can assist, in some small measure perhaps, by giving space to matters relating to this important industry.

Throughout the states of the Pacific Northwest farmers are being urged by speakers and newspapers to go into the hog business. But the man who decides to jump at once from wheat to swine, and for this purpose gathers together a nondescript lot of sows, is altogether likely to fail. The farmer who undertakes to undertake in the production of hogs should do so somewhat cautiously and in a rather limited way, instead of undertaking it on a large scale and leaving off the things he has done and knows how to do.

"Enormous crops of wheat are raised in the Pacific Northwest, and the farmers quite generally prefer this extensive cultivation to a more intensive plan of farming. They are used to raising one crop on farms comprising hundreds, even thousands of acres, and to change to a diversified system of cropping is distasteful to them. Nevertheless it is quite generally admitted among them that the real future of these states lies in a division of the big farms into the smaller units. The movement in this direction is decisive, and a prominent feature is the introduction of the swine industry.

"The region is, beyond question, ideal for the production of swine. Mild winters, with only moderate snowfall, are the rule, offering the advantage of a short feeding season. In summer the days are not excessively hot and invariably the nights are cool. Freedom from disease is quite general; in fact there has never been a widespread outbreak of hog cholera in Washington, Oregon or Idaho.

"The altitude ranges from sea level to 2500 or 3000 feet above—excluding the high mountain ranges, of course—and it follows that there are wide differences in soil, climatic environment and crop production, necessitating different methods in the production of swine. In regions of moderate rainfall, say up to 16 in., winter wheat sown early in September can be pastured in October and November. Where the precipitation goes to 20 or 25 inches, clover and alfalfa are available as summer pasturage from April to November and even later. In the same sections kale and rape, planted in April or May, can be used from June to December or later. Sometimes wheat is sown between the corn rows at the last cultivation and is used for hog pasture in September and November.

"Among winter feeds to use in connection with grain, alfalfa is good. Carrots, turnips and beets are excellent. The alfalfa may be fed either cut or uncut; in the former case it is found advantageous to soak it for twelve hours and mix with whatever crushed grain is used. Wheat can be either threshed or in the bundles. Late in the fall, after the alfalfa and clover cease to furnish succulent feed, artichokes may

be used to good advantage until the ground freezes up. As soon as the ground becomes soft in the spring they are again available, the hogs doing their own harvesting.

"The stubble field offers much feed for swine. Heads of wheat are missed by the harvesting machines at turns or along fences; in fact, to one unused to such farming the waste on a big wheat plantation is appalling. The stack bottom, the straw pile and the orchard all offer the hog a chance to fatten on feeds which otherwise would be allowed to go to waste, and in availing himself of these many opportunities the hog is indeed one of the most efficient animals on the farm.

"A prevalent method of swine production in the cereal belts of the Pacific Northwest is 'hogging off' the crops. Winter wheat planted in September or October will be ready for the swine by the July following, and from then till September will furnish not only feed but exercise. Another plan is to sow beardless barley in the early spring. From the middle of July till the beginning of winter it furnishes good feed. If another crop is desired, field peas can be used, planting early in the spring and turning the hogs into them in July. Spring wheat would be ready somewhat later in July. Corn planted in May should be ready for the hogs by September. Blue barley sown early in the spring is allowed to stand till the fall rains have softened it, and furnishes feed for the late fall and for the winter, too, unless the snow gets deep, which

does not generally happen. "The use of some succulent feed in connection with the grain ration of the swine invariably reduces the cost per pound of grains in weight. One farmer of Eastern Washington, who is a very successful producer of swine, found it took five pounds of barley to produce a pound of grain. Combining barley with all the white French sugar beets the hogs would clean up, he found that two and a third pounds of barley gave a pound of grain. In the experience of farmers and in the investigations made by the Washington Agricultural Experiment Station it is invariably found that the feeding of roots, or any succulent material that the pigs eat readily not only reduces the amount of grain necessary, but seems to increase its efficiency."

Day by day, step by step, business conditions are improving. The apathy has been mostly due to sentiment—more of a state of mind than matter. Such an eminent authority as Dun's Trade Review says: "There are further evidences of reviving business activity, with the expansion in industrial operations constituting one of the best features of the situation. Somewhat less complaint is now heard regarding labor conditions as the number of unemployed, while apparently still large, has been considerably reduced of late. This obviously enhances the purchasing power of the people and confidence

in the future is gradually strengthening."

In the light of recent happenings, this from the Portland Oregonian ought to be apropos in Bend: "Give us good Sunday laws," says a writer in the Homiletic Review, "and our churches will be full of worshippers." That is to say, people will go to church if the law compels them, which is probably true. But much better would it be to make the sermon so wise, up to date and interesting that it would attract listeners without the aid of the law. The plety that can be legislated into a person is neither very genuine nor very lasting."

Getting out of its groove for once, the Redmond Spokesman has something to say about Bend that isn't a knock. This is so refreshing that we reprint it: "The Bend Common Council has had its ordinances and the city charter printed in book form. That is a move in the right direction, and something that every incorporated city should do." Also, as a delightful change, the Spokesman urges that Redmond follow Bend's example and have its charter and ordinances printed and issued in book form.

Down in Oklahoma there are two ex-convicts who are candidates for Governor. In Oregon there were, at last reports, some eight or ten men seeking the gubernatorial nomination and so far as known none is an ex-convict.

"Bend has an unusual opportunity to figure prominently in the Irrigation Congress to be held in Portland next week."—The Bend Bulletin of February 4. Bend took it.

SAYINGS OF SAGES. When from some noisy haunt of man I step into the quiet night And, coolly contemplating, scan The lamps of heaven all alight, Remorse is mine that e'er I trod In way where man's ungodly tum-tum jars. Then loud my spirit cries to God, Grant me the calmness of thy stars. —Gilbert Thomas.

The law of the harvest is to reap more than you sow. Sow an act and you reap a habit; sow a habit and you reap a character; sow a character and you reap a destiny.—G. D. Boardman.

Life is made up not of great sacrifices or duties, but of little things in which smiles and kindness and small obligations, given habitually, are what win and preserve the heart and secure comfort.—Sir H. Davy.

Thank God every morning when you get up that you have something to do that day which must be done, whether you like it or not. Being forced to work and forced to do your best will breed in you a hundred virtues which the idle never know.—Charles Kingsley.

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