

The Herald's Weekly Page of Kentucky Farm News

'Place In The Sun' For The Farmer

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It is often said that this country is controlled by organized minorities, and it is true. Unorganized people can never control anything, regardless of their numbers.

The farmers of America have received great relief because President Roosevelt has been determined to help them, but they will in time lose all they have gained (even the public realization that they are entitled to help) unless they effect a close organization and have a few men of

outstanding ability who exclusively represent them, and who put into their jobs all the fervor and determination of William Green or John L. Lewis, the labor chiefs.

If anyone wished to deal with the farmers as a unit, to whom would he go? What one man can say, "I represent the farmers of America" (or even the farmers of a state) as William Green can say, "I represent the A. F. L." or Lewis can say, "I represent the miners."

It is generally considered impossible to keep the farmers thoroughly organized. But organization is the price they will have to pay to permanently retain the place on the American stage to which they are entitled as the producers of that without which human life cannot be sustained.

If the farmers had been as highly organized as the A. F. L. from the fall of 1920 to the fall of 1929, they would not have steadily slipped behind during those years when everybody else in the country was making money.

MANITOBA BUTTER WINS MANY PRIZES

Manitoba, long known the world over as the home of the famous No. 1, Northern wheat, is adding to her fame in a new field. During 1935, provincial butter makers led all other Canadian provinces in the number of prizes won at the various creamery-butter competitions.

During the year, Manitoba butter makers won 46 per cent of all the prizes awarded at the 10 leading exhibitions in Canada. Fifty-nine per cent of all first prizes at these fairs went to Manitoba butter. At the Ottawa fair Manitoba made her best showing, winning 52 out of 78 prizes awarded, or 66 per cent. Altogether Manitobans achieved 203 first prizes at the various competitions, 411 second prizes, 130 third prizes, as well as others.

The next closest competitor was another prairie province—Alberta, which won 91 first prizes, 385 second and 94 third, a total of 35 per cent of all prizes awarded.

SALES BY WOOL GROWERS CO-OP

The following are some of the averages of wool graded by the Kentucky Wool Growers Co-operative Association last week in Lexington: Homer Rice, Garrard county \$22.89; A. M. Harney, Bourbon county, \$22.83; Everett Roberts, Franklin county, \$22.89; Phelps Cobb, Fayette county, \$22.78; Milton M. Davis, Woodford county, \$22.94; Frank Lebus, Harrison county, \$22.64; John B. Jones, Lincoln county, \$22.49; Dan Prewitt, Montgomery county, \$22.64; Hal Price Headley, Fayette county, \$22.89.

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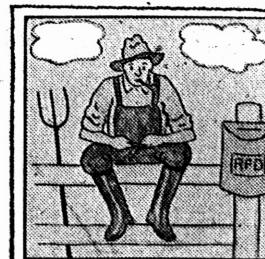
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JEST A-WHITTLIN' AN'A-THINKIN'

BY PETE GETTYS

him—said they looked like monkey faces, and turnin' to his father, he says: "I bet these little old fellers know it's Sunday, don't they pappy?"

Who knows? The flowers grow and bloom and raise their babies their way. Maybe they ain't got the seventh day of the week all marked off on the calendar and set down as Sunday, like us. But who's in tune with their universe? An' couldn't they have flower thoughts and posie souls, observin' and keepin' jest as faithfully and religiously their creeds as us?

Anyhow, it's good to think of their havin' little flower souls, and what a purty place Flower Heaven'd be. The butterflies and bees would be there, maybe the birds too, and if St. Peter wouldn't mind, I'd like to have a little corner in Flower Heaven. Please, St. Peter.

WORLD'S LARGEST STEERS

Ed D. Bickett, a native of Raywick but now a resident of Union County where he is serving his second term as jailer, claims to own the largest steers in the world and his statement to this effect has not yet been challenged. He owns a 7-year-old White Hereford which weighs 2,870 pounds and a Shorthorn of similar age weighing 2,820.

The cattle were exhibited to large crowds daily at the 1935 State Fair and will be taken to the Texas Exposition for the National Fat Cattle Show. F. A. Land, traveling representative of the Louisville Chemical Company, told the Enterprise that he had seen the animals and that he was convinced that there were none larger anywhere. —Lebanon Enterprise.

GEORGE GWYNN JUDGE AT SOUTHERN HORSE SHOW

George Gwynn, who operates a stable of fine horses at the Harrodsburg fair grounds, spent part of this week in Greenville, Miss., where he acted as a judge at the horse show at Murphy Stadium. Acting with Mr. Gwynn in the show as judge was J. Y. Young, Lebanon, Tenn.; George Morris, assistant publisher of the Memphis Commercial Appeal, as announcer, and Col. Gordon H. McCoy, as ringmaster.

AMERICAN TOBACCO PAID \$212,199 LAST YEAR

The American Tobacco Company paid George W. Hill, president, the sum of \$212,199 or approximately \$700 for every working day during 1935, the company's annual report to the Securities and Exchange Commission showed. This was an increase of \$75,156 over his 1934 remuneration.

Thomas R. Taylor, vice president of the tobacco company, received \$105,699 and Charles F. Neiley, vice president, \$105,369.

The Schenley Distillers Corporation paid \$107,526 to Louis E. Golan, division sales manager of a subsidiary company. Grover A. Whalen, director and chairman of the board, received \$75,240.

Columbia Gas & Electric Corporation paid Philip G. Gossler, president, \$90,200.

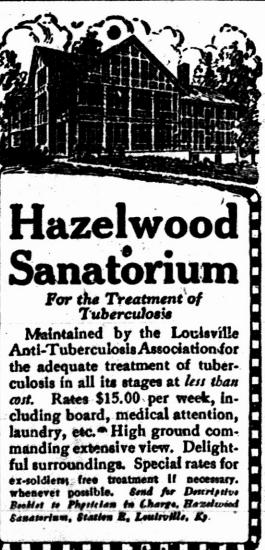
Elephants Carry Lumber

Elephants are regularly employed in the great lumber yards of Burma. One of the most thrilling sights there is to see a jungle patriarch kneel down to a heavy log, twist his trunk round it, place it on top of a pile, and then calculate its position, and push and pull until it is square in its place.

Ancient Maps

In 1606, when the Virginia Co. was chartered in England, no one realized how vast and solid a mass of land America really was. Some of the old maps show America as quite a narrow strip, with the Pacific almost touching the Atlantic.

Largest Conical Type Mound
Grave Creek mound, a prehistoric earthwork near Moundsville, W. Va., is the largest of the conical type of mounds in the United States, having a basal diameter of 320 feet and a height of 10 feet.



928 CLUB CALVES ON FEED IN STATE

Nine hundred and twenty-eight 4-H club calves are being fed in Kentucky for the 15th annual fat stock show to be held at the Bourbon Stock Yards in Louisville in November. M. S. Garside, state agent in charge of the project, said he expected to have at least 50 carloads of finished cattle at the show.

This is the largest number of 4-8 club calves ever fed in the state, exceeding any previous record by several hundred head. Calves are being finished in 36 counties, 10 counties entering the project for the first time this year.

At least 150 calves were home-produced, that is born on the farm, where they are being fed. Club members are encouraged to raise the calves they feed instead of buying them. They also are encouraged to use as much home-grown feed as possible.

Tests of the atmosphere lead to the belief that bacteria ride dust particles through the air reaching an altitude of two miles and covering great distances. This is offered in explanation of the mysterious spread of many diseases.

ARTIFICIAL BROODING FOR TURKEYS

Artificial brooding of turkeys is suggested by the Kentucky College of Agriculture. The ordinary 10-by 12 brooder house, such as used for chicks, will provide for 100 to 150 poults. The coal-burning colony brooder stove or the home-made brick brooder may be used to provide heat.

Where turkey hens are used for brooding, a brood coop is recommended. The coop should be moved about and kept on clean ground.

Good chick rations will do for poult. Dry mash should be available in self-feeders when the poult are removed to the brooder. Allow 5 feet of mash-hopper space and two 1-gallon fountains per 100 poult. After the first week, poult are ready for self-fed grain, which may consist of equal parts of wheat and cracked corn.

Lice and mites may require attention, especially where hatching and brooding are done by hens. The hens should be dusted with sodium fluoride in the morning, and a little melted lard put on the heads of the poult if lice are troublesome.

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JOE

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Pursuant to an order of court, the undersigned trustee will receive sealed bids, until the above day and hour, for the following:

Hardware stock	Appraised Value \$2,862.50
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Miscellaneous, & Second Hand Stock	Appraised Value 461.15

TERMS: CASH

The sale will be subject to confirmation by the court with the right reserved to reject any and all bids within 2 days from said date. Bidders must be represented at sale.

Stock may be inspected at store in Harrodsburg; copies of inventory at store in Harrodsburg and office of undersigned.

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