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To the Voters

I am making this statement to the voters of Roosevelt county to correct the erroneous statements that are being made pro and con regarding me. I was born at Weatherford, Texas, January 1st, 1891, and moved with my folks to Montague county, Texas, in 1893. I came to Roosevelt county 1912 and have lived here every since; near to Delphos. I was inducted into the United States service Oct. 2nd, 1917, and got my military training at Camp Kearney California. I was sent over seas June 1st, 1918, and assigned to the 47th Infantry, 4th, division A. E. F. I was at the front eight and one-half months. I received a gun shot wound at Chateau Thierry on August 10th, 1918, which partially crippled my right hand, which makes it impossible to continue the hard work which I have done all my life. I am not attempting to appeal to the sympathy of the voters but honestly believe that I can fill the office of sheriff to the satisfaction of the good folks of Roosevelt county. If you feel that I am worthy and qualified to fill this office I will appreciate your support in the primaries and make an honest effort to fill the office honest and faithful without fear or favor.

Very respectfully yours,
J. R. (Bob) POINDEXTER.

To the Voters

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county treasurer of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

I was born in Cook county, Texas, near Gainesville, but moved when but a small boy to Ardmore, Oklahoma, in the Indian territory where I lived until 1907 when I came to New Mexico. I have lived in Roosevelt county since that time. After coming to New Mexico I attended school and prepared myself to teach. I took up the profession of teaching in 1909 and have taught in many different sections of Roosevelt county, also in the towns of Portales and Elida, and in connection with my teaching I have, for the past four years been engaged in the grocery business at Floyd, New Mexico.

I am a Democrat and believe in Democracy, that is, the rule of the people.

If elected, I promise to attend the duties of the office in the interest of the people with fairness to all.

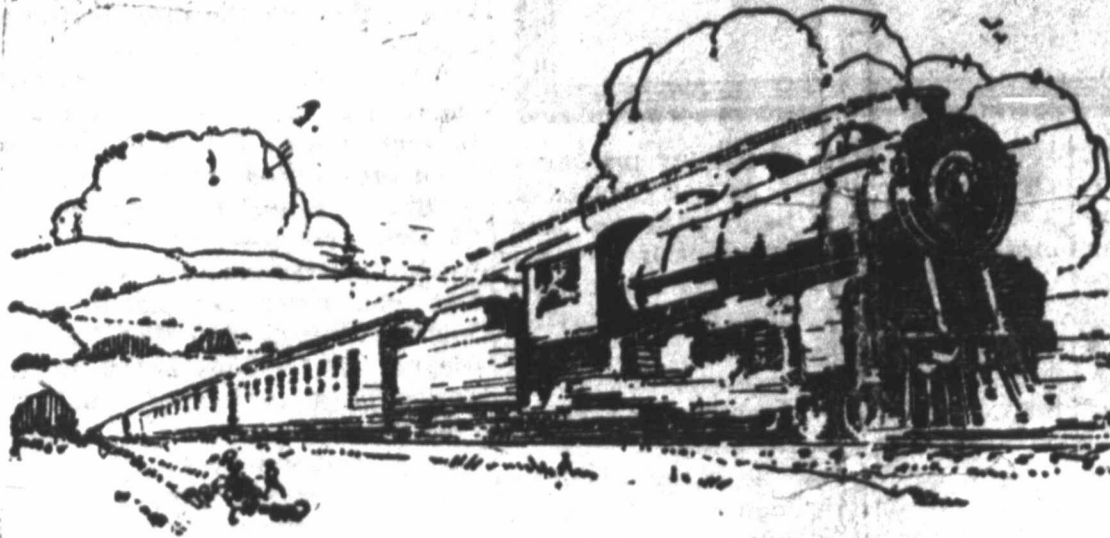
I expect to see every voter in the county before the primary and I want each voter to investigate my ability to handle the duties of this office.

So soliciting your support, I remain,

Very truly yours
J. R. SHOCK.

Have you an old policy in any standard insurance company? If so bring it to me, its worth money, no matter how old. Any unsundered life insurance policy has a value. It costs you nothing to find out what its worth. Don't put this matter off, attend to it to-day.

E. F. DEZONIA.
Life Insurance that Insures.



Out of accumulated capital have arisen all the successes of industry and applied science, all the comforts and ameliorations of the common lot. Upon it the world must depend for the process of reconstruction in which all have to share.
—JAMES J. HILL.

The Successful Farmer Raises Bigger Crops

and cuts down costs by investment in labor-saving machinery.

Good prices for the farmers' crops encourage new investment, more production and greater prosperity.

But the success of agriculture depends on the growth of railroads—the modern beasts of burden that haul the crops to the world's markets.

The railroads—like the farms—increase their output and cut down unit costs by the constant investment of new capital.

With fair prices for the work they do, the railroads are able to attract new capital for expanding their facilities.

Rates high enough to yield a fair return will insure railroad growth, and prevent costly traffic congestion, which invariably results in poorer service at higher cost.

National wealth can increase only as our railroads grow.

Poor railroad service is dear at any price. No growing country can long pay the price of inadequate transportation facilities.

This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives

Those desiring information concerning the railroad situation may obtain literature by writing to The Association of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York.

Council Proceedings

Portales, New Mexico, January 6th, 1920.

The town council met in regular session and upon roll call the following members was present, Mayor, E. B. Hawkins, trustees, S. A. Morrison, C. J. Whitcomb, and Geo. M. Williamson, absent J. T. Wilcox.

Minutes of previous meetings was read and approved. The following claims was presented and after having been examined and audited was ordered paid, as follows to wit.

Temple Molinari, assistant auditor on city books. \$ 89 50
Portales Publishing Co., printing 15 90
W. H. Braley's Service

Station supplies 11 45
Garland Company, paint.. 96 00
Goodloe Paint Co., work and paint on water tower 19 51
Texas Company Oil..... 55 44
J. L. Fernandes, blacksmithing and supplies... 3 50
W. J. Taylor, drayage... 2 00
Mountain States Telephone Company 7 00
J. L. Gilliam, drayage... 1 50
Tom Baker, hauling dogs Continental Oil Co..... 6 40
Pittsburg Meter Co..... 6 23
J. A. Fairley, excess premium on Liability Insurance 53 36
J. A. Fairley, premium on town marshal bond... 4 00
W. E. Lindsey, balance premium on McCor-

mack bond 1 30
G. I. Kugler, salary 175 00
R. M. Haven, salary 100 00
Paul Holliday, salary.... 75 00
S. A. Morrison, salary... 25 00
W. H. Braley, salary.... 25 00
Geo. G. Williams, labor.. 15 00
Western Union Telegraph Co., telegrams..... 2 31
J. W. Cunningham, demurrage on car..... 6 18
Chas. Goodloe oil..... 4 00
E. M. Billings, labor.... 3 00
J. W. Cunningham, freight on car oil..... 224 30

Motion was made by Morrison and seconded by Williamson that the above claims be allowed and ordered paid. Those voting "aye" Morrison, Williamson and Whitcomb, absent and not voting Wilcox.

Motion was made by Whitcomb and seconded by Morrison that resignation of G. I. Kugler as manager of the town plant be accepted, those voting "aye" Morrison, Whitcomb and Williamson, absent and not voting Wilcox.

Motion was made by Williamson and seconded by Whitcomb that resignation of W. H. Braley as town clerk be accepted to take effect January first, those voting "aye" Morrison, Whitcomb and Williamson, absent and not voting Wilcox.

Motion was made by Morrison and seconded by Whitcomb that Sam Hancock be appointed town clerk at a salary of \$50.00 per month, those voting "aye" Morrison, Whitcomb and Williamson absent and not voting Wilcox.

Motion was made by Morrison and seconded by Whitcomb that the town sell Mr. Moore some scrap iron at the plant for four cents per pound, those voting "aye" Morrison, Whitcomb and Williamson, absent and not voting Wilcox.

Motion was made by Morrison and seconded by Whitcomb that the town refund to C. H. Bostic, the amount of money he had paid on blocks 82 and 83 schools section addition and pay the cost of the suit in the case of Reagan vs the town of Portales, and pay Bostic six per cent interest on the money he was out for the time it run.

Motion was made by Morrison and seconded by Whitcomb that the town clerk notify every one holding contracts on lots and blocks in the school section who are delinquent with their interest same to be notified by registered mail, said notice to be made in duplicate and copies of all notices filed together with register receipt and return card of said register when received back from the holders of contracts and to advise all such contract holders that unless all interest up to date was paid on said lots and blocks, under such contracts on or before February 15th, 1920 said delinquent contract would be cancelled, those voting "aye" Morrison, Whitcomb and Williamson, absent and not voting Wilcox.

There being no further business council adjourned.

E. B. HAWKINS, Mayor.
Attest: W. H. BRALEY, Clerk.

FOR SALE—40 acre tract near Mesa Oil and Gas company well, would also take ten or twenty acre lease near the Roosevelt Oil company well in trade. C. W. Johnson, Clovis, N. M.

To the Voters

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of sheriff of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

I am a native of the state of Texas. I was born in Denton county, in 1876, and lived in Texas until I was grown and from there went to Altus, Oklahoma, at which place I lived until I came to New Mexico in 1910. I have lived in and near Portales since that time. Since I have been in Roosevelt county, I have engaged farming principally and feel as though I know every side of the efforts and hardships encountered by the early settlers. I am a Democrat by birth and have always been an ardent admirer and supporter of its principles, that is, "the people must rule."

For the past two years I have been a deputy sheriff under the administration of Mr. Gregg, which position I now hold. I will appreciate a full investigation of my honesty trustworthiness and ability to conduct the office of sheriff if elected.

If elected, I promise an economical and fair administration and will conduct affairs of the office in strict compliance with law.

Very truly yours,
SAM B. BOONE.

For Sheriff

To the voters of Roosevelt county. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

I have been a resident of Roosevelt county for the past fourteen years and have been acquainted with the conditions of the country from the early settlement of the county.

I expect to make as thorough a canvass of the county as I can and will try to meet each voter personally. If elected to the office to which I aspire will conduct it in a business like manner with the least possible expense to the county and with justice and fairness to all.

I will appreciate your vote and influence.

BEN B. NASH.

FOR SALE—Country Club Overland, perfect condition, five wire wheels, five good casings, one never used, can be seen Tuesdays and Fridays at this office. Will be sold worth the money.

FOR SALE—Twenty acres of land half mile from school house, on public highway; terms. See A. S. Bramlett.

WANTED--At this office, clean white rags.

Notice for Publication.

032920-038436
Department of the interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, New Mexico.
Notice is hereby given that Luther M. Bilberry, of Lingo, N. M., who on Sept. 12th, 1915, made original homestead, 032920 for S 1-2 Section 17, and who on January 11th, 1919, made additional homestead entry, No. 038436, for N 1-2, section 17, township 7-S, range 33-E, N. M. P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, United States commissioner, at Portales, N. M. on the 13th, day of February 1920.
Claimant names as witnesses: Richard C. Rogers, Robert L. Allen, these of Lingo, N. M., John Kidd, of Garrison Jim Keller, of Emzy, N. M.
EMMETT FATTON, Register.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
State Corporation Commission
of New Mexico: (Seal)

CERTIFICATE OF COMPARISON.

United States of America)
) ss.
State of New Mexico)

It is Hereby Certified that the annexed is a full, true and complete transcript of the Certificate of Incorporation of

THE OIL EXCHANGE
(No Stockholders' Liability)
No. 10276

with the endorsements thereon, as same appears on file and of record in the office of the State Corporation Commission.

In Testimony Whereof, the State Corporation Commission of the State of New Mexico has caused this certificate to be signed by its Chairman and the seal of said Commission, to be affixed at the City of Santa Fe on this 30th day of December, A. D. 1919. (Seal.)

Hugh H. Williams,
Chairman.

Attest:
A. L. Morrison,
Clerk.

Articles of Incorporation.

The undersigned citizens of the United States, residents of the State of New Mexico, each being of lawful age, do hereby associate themselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under Chapter XXIII of the New Mexico Code of 1915, and the Acts amendatory thereof, and in pursuance of such object do now declare:

I. The name of this corporation shall be The Oil Exchange (No Stockholders' Liability.)

II. The location of the principal office of said corporation shall be in the town of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and the name of the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process against said corporation may be served, is Charles J. Hagerling.

III. The objects for which this corporation is formed are:

(a) To buy, sell, and generally deal in oil stocks, leases, and royalties; to run, operate and maintain an exchange office for the sale and disposition of oil stocks, leases and royalties on a commission basis, or otherwise; to make, issue, sell and otherwise dispose of certificates of membership entitling the holder thereof to participate in the privileges and benefits of said exchange in such manner and in to such extent as may be provided in such certificates of membership, and as may be provided in the by-laws of the corporation.

(b) To locate, lease, purchase and acquire lands with the exclusive right to prospect, drill, mine, bore and sink wells and shafts; to operate and develop oil and gas properties; to produce, convey and transport oil, petroleum and gas; to carry the business of storing and prospecting for, mining, producing and refining, manufacturing, storing, piping, transporting, buying and selling petroleum and other oil products or by-products; to buy, sell, furnish and supply the same, to operate, build, construct and maintain oil and gas wells, to build, construct, purchase, maintain and operate warehouses, pumping plants, pipelines, refineries, factories, mills, workshops, laboratories and dwelling houses, for workmen and others; to manufacture, buy, sell and generally deal in all appliances and conveniences for use in connection with mining and drilling for oil and gas, and the development of properties.

(c) To acquire, buy hold sell, hire, lease, pledge and otherwise deal in all kinds of property, chattels and chattels real; to make and obtain loans upon real estate, improved or unimproved, or any interest therein, and to supervise, manage and protect such property and loans, and all interests and claims affecting the same; to investigate the credit, financial solvency and sufficiency of borrowers, mortgagors and sureties, and of the values of all things pertaining to the values of properties, leases, and stocks sold and handled by such corporation; to improve, operate, manage, sell, mortgage, lease or otherwise dispose of any property, real or personal, and take mortgages and assignments of mortgages upon the same.

(d) To hold, purchase or otherwise acquire, to sell, assign, transfer, mortgage, pledge, or otherwise dispose of shares of the capital stock, bonds, debentures or other evidences of indebtedness issued and created by other associations and corporations, and, while the holder thereof, to exercise all the rights and privileges of ownership, including the right to vote thereon.

(e) To borrow money, to make and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange, bonds, debentures and obligations and evidences of indebtedness of all kinds, whether secured by mortgage, pledge or otherwise, without limit as to amount, and to secure the same by mortgage, pledge, or otherwise.

(f) To carry on any other business which may, in the discretion of the directors, seem capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the above calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of the company's properties and rights, so

long as the same does not contravene or exceed the grant of rights, powers and privileges granted by the law under which this corporation is organized.

(g) To have one or more offices, either within or without the State of New Mexico, and keep such books and records in any such branch office as may be deemed necessary, provided always that the books and records required by law to be kept at the principal office within the State shall not be removed therefrom; to carry on all or any part of its operations and business, and unlimitedly and without restriction to hold, purchase, mortgage, lease and convey real and personal property and to conduct its business in any state or territory of the United States, and in any foreign country or place, but subject always to the laws thereof.

(h) To do any or all of the things in this certificate expressed or implied as objects, purposes powers or otherwise, to the same extent and as fully as natural persons might or could do, and in any part of the world, as principals, agents, brokers, contractors, trustees or otherwise.

IV. The amount of the total authorized capital stock of this corporation shall be twenty-five thousand dollars, divided into two hundred and fifty shares of the par value of one hundred dollars per share, and the amount of the capital stock with which this corporation shall begin business is two thousand dollars.

V. The names and post office addresses of the incorporators and the number of shares of the capital stock of this corporation subscribed for by each are:

W. J. Gerard, Blue Rapids, Kansas, five shares.

Charles J. Hagerling, Portales, N. M., five shares.

G. M. Williamson, Portales, New Mexico, five shares.

R. G. Bryant, Portales, New Mexico, five shares.

VI.

The board of directors of this corporation shall not be less than three nor more than five, to be determined from time to time by the stockholders, and they may adopt such by-laws for the government of the affairs of the corporation as they may deem proper.

VII. The board of directors for the first three months after the filing of this certificate shall be composed of W. J. Gerard, Charles J. Hagerling, and G. M. Williamson.

VIII. The period of duration of this corporation shall be fifty years.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seals at Portales, New Mexico, this 19th day of December, 1919.

W. J. Gerard (SEAL)
Charles J. Hagerling (SEAL)
G. M. Williamson (SEAL)
R. G. Bryant (SEAL)
State of New Mexico,)
) ss.

County of Roosevelt,)
On this the 19th day of December, 1919, before me personally appeared W. J. Gerard of Blue Rapids, Kansas, and Charles J. Hagerling, G. M. Williamson, and R. G. Bryant, all of Portales, New Mexico, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL) James A. Hall,
Notary Public, Roosevelt County,
State of New Mexico.
My commission expires July 17th, 1923.

ENDORSED
No. 10276
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Articles of Incorporation
of
THE OIL EXCHANGE
(No Stockholders' Liability)

Filed in Office of State Corporation Commission of New Mexico Dec. 30, 1919, 11:00 A. M.
A. L. Morrison, Clerk.
Compared JJO to EMA.

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Hugh H. Williams,
Chairman.

Attest:
A. L. Morrison,
Clerk.

A Bank of Service

Our Bank is distinctly "A Bank of Service." By a bank of service we mean a bank that can and does fill the wants of the community, and it can fill your wants, also. Come in, let's talk it over.

SECURITY STATE BANK

UNDER STATE SUPERVISION

Certificate of Non-Liability.

We, the undersigned incorporators of The Oil Exchange (No Stockholders' Liability), do hereby certify and declare that there shall be no stockholders' liability on account of any stock issued by said corporation.

And we do further certify and declare that the principal office of the corporation in this state shall be and is located at Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and that the name of the agent therein and in charge thereof, and upon whom process against said corporation may be served, shall be and is Charles J. Hagerling.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seals this the 19th day of December, 1919

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Am prepared to handle some good land loans. - W. B. Oldham

WAS ALMOST DISCOURAGED

Constant Headache and Much Soreness and Pain Nearly Got the Best of This Harrisburg Lady, But Cardui Made Her Well and Strong.

Harrisburg, Ark.—Mrs. J. M. Needham, living near here, states: "When . . . began working on me I . . . suffered a great deal. I had so much soreness and pain in the lower part of my body I could hardly get up when I was down. I would have severe pains, all across my back, and my sides hurt me all the time. I would have headaches constantly, especially the back of my head and neck. I was almost discouraged with my condition when I thought of Cardui, and decided to see what it would do.

I saw an improvement at once after the first bottle. I kept it up and the result was wonderful. I took altogether four bottles. I grew stronger, better appetite, less pain until I was well. I think Cardui is a God-send to suffering women, and I certainly can praise it, and do so."

For more than 40 years Cardui has been in general use and in that time thousands have written to tell us how it helped them back to health and strength.

At druggists.—Adv.

Fabrics for Paper.

For a long time we have derived many of our most interesting fabrics from Japan, and it would be hard to find a woman's wardrobe that did not contain some fabric that was of Japanese design or that was actually made in that land of chrysanthemums and geisha girls. But it is only in the immediate present that the proposition of getting clothes already made from Japan has presented itself. No, they would not be kimonos or obis or anything of that sort; they would be made according to the latest occidental standards and would be especially designed and executed for the American taste. But why not? Wouldn't you be interested to see a blouse made of georgette in Japanese design, as dainty and well finished as your American taste would demand, but distinctive with that distinction that comes alone in oriental workmanship?

Putting Him Right.

"Among the possessions of every poor man in this region can be found at least one worthless dog," severely said the spectacled tourist. "There ain't no such thing as a worthless dog, podner!" returned Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "And no man that owns a 'ood dog is plumb poor."—Kansas City Star.

It's a shame the way some young widows break into the game again and don't give the maids a chance.

Put your feet down in the right place, and then stand firm.—Lincoln.

ASPIRIN FOR HEADACHE

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trademark of Bayer Manufacture of Monaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Turtles lay from 150 to 200 eggs at a time.

WHEN KIDNEYS ACT TOO OFTEN

If bothered with that form of kidney trouble which causes too frequent or excessive passage of urine, don't expect relief from medicines that are intended for common kidney complaint. These remedies generally are intended to increase kidney action.

Liquid Shu Make should always be used where the kidneys are over active during the day or at night. It is not a cure for all forms of kidney trouble, but is intended for over-activity of the kidneys of both children and adults alike, especially for children bothered with kidney action at night.

Ask any druggist for Liquid Shu Make or enclose sixty cents to the Shumake Remedy Company, Fort Worth, Texas, for a bottle by return mail.—Adv.

When Cork is Driven in Bottle.

When a cork slides down inside a bottle it is very difficult to get it out—unless one has the necessary tools, and they are not always available, writes Victor H. Todd, in Popular Science Monthly.

A good way to extract it is to grease the neck of the bottle with vaseline, then hold the bottle under cold water.

When the bottle is as cold as possible spear the cork with a hat pin, or even shake it until it blocks the neck of the bottle and sets straight with the neck. Then gradually heat the bottle or pour hot water over it and the expanding air will generally force the cork out with a slight pop.

On the Contrary.

Marion had been out several evenings in succession and looked tired, so mother suggested she retire early instead of going out again that evening. When little Dick came downstairs from her room mother said: "Well, is sister making up her mind to stay in?" He replied: "I should say not, she's making up her face to go out."

Chin-Verse.

"You used to write verses to my dainty chin," sighed Mrs. Addy-Pose. "Well, now I must write couplets," he said.

Lots of men remain bachelors simply because they can afford to.

FARM POULTRY

BOYS AND GIRLS JOIN CLUBS

First Step in Organization Usually is to Get Support of Business Men of Community.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Poultry-breeding associations are usually the outgrowth of pioneer work in organizing boys and girls into poultry clubs or of repeated efforts to interest producers in better poultry methods. In some instances, however, leaders in communities have expressed their desire to make an effort to establish for themselves a business or side line that will add to their incomes as individuals and likewise increase the property of the community.

In such promising localities, the first step in organization usually is to get the support of local business men. In small towns many business men own farms and consequently are interested in agriculture, which in turn benefits the various lines of business. At the same time their assistance is helpful in financing the association. In fact this is frequently accomplished by inducing the business men's association to contribute a suitable fund for standard-bred stock which is to be distributed among the farmers who join the association. Cooperation of that kind is usually obtained easily if the business men are shown the advantages of the organization and how the increased prosperity eventually will benefit them.

Another plan that has proved to be satisfactory in Overton county, Tenn., is direct financial assistance from the banks. In this case the banks advanced \$1,000 to be invested in breeding pens through the co-operation of the poultry club agent and the county agricultural agent. Each pen consisted of ten hens or pullets and a male bird which cost on an average \$2.50 a bird. The pens were placed with club members in the various communities. Each person who received a pen guaranteed to return, after the first year, 20 fowls in payment for the original ten hens or pullets furnished him. Those 20 standard-bred fowls, together with two selected male birds, were divided into two pens and the next year



Club Members Dusting a Hen With Insect Powder.

were given under the same conditions to two additional club members. One of the requirements of the plan was the continuance of this "endless-chain" system for five years, or until every member possessed at least one pen of standard-bred fowls. Thus the original pens have been multiplied by many hundreds, and the entire county has become well stocked with one breed of fowls.

CONDITION OF LAYING FOWL

Body of Hen Is Deeper in Rear Than at Front of Keel—Pelvic Bones Well Spread.

A hen that is laying has an enlarged abdomen, due to the enlarged intestines, ovary and oviduct. The body is deeper in the rear than at the front of the keel. The condition is reversed when a hen stops laying. The pelvic bones are well spread in the laying hen. As production decreases the ear lobes contract.

FAVOR STANDARD-BRED FOWL

Once Taken Up by Farmer He Will Never Go Back to Mongrel or Crossbred Poultry.

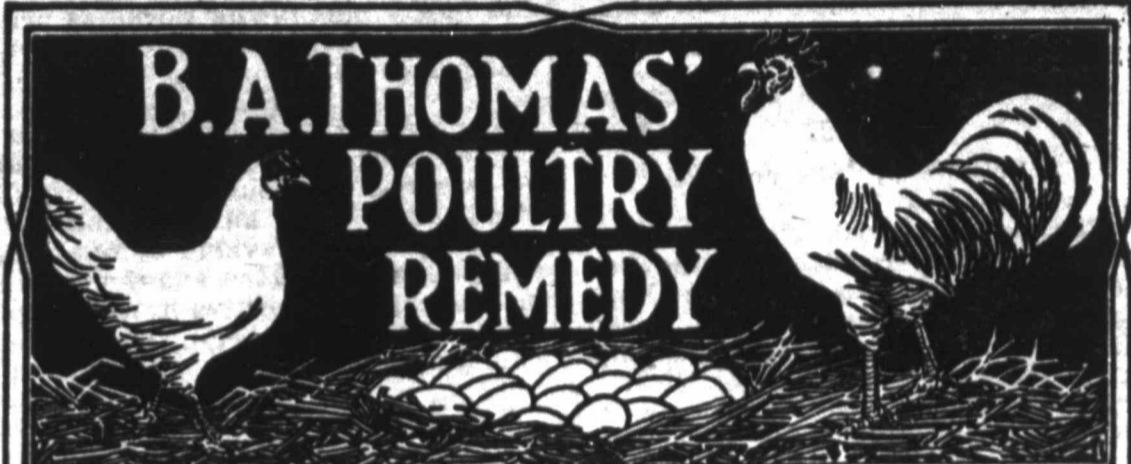
When a farmer discards his mongrel or crossbred poultry and takes up standard-bred fowls he never goes back to the poorer stock, because he finds standard-bred birds more satisfactory and more profitable.

RHEUMATISM

"I suffered terribly from rheumatism. The pain was so severe I could hardly stand it. Someone recommended Hunt's Lightning Oil and I used it. A few applications drove the pain entirely away, and my, what a relief it was! Hunt's Lightning Oil is certainly a wonderful pain reliever," says one of its many enthusiastic users. Whether it be from rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, sprains, cuts, burns or bruises. Remember the name, Hunt's Lightning Oil, and get a 25c or 70c bottle from your drug store. You will never regret it. A. B. Richards Medicine Company, Inc. Sherman, Texas



MUNT'S LIGHTNING OIL



Healthy Chicks, More Eggs Assists Moulting—Good for Bowel Trouble and Other Diseases in Young Fowls RESULTS GREAT COST SMALL

I purchased a box of B. A. THOMAS' POULTRY REMEDY and began feeding according to directions. At that time my flock of 42 hens were only laying five to ten eggs per day. Today, one week from date of purchase, I am getting eighteen eggs per day. MRS. FANNY MOORE, Alma, Neb.

B. A. THOMAS' STOCK REMEDY. Makes healthy, thrifty stock. Keeps them free of worms. A medicine, not a food. Very economical.

B. A. Thomas' Hog Powder "Saves the Bacon"

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Lucky.
"He's a lucky man."
"That so?"
"Yep. Once in an airplane accident."
"I don't see anything lucky about that."
"Mighty few men been in airplane accidents and lived to tell about them."



HARD TIMES.
Fish—Times must be getting terrible on earth. They're even using baitless hooks now!

The Change.
He flashed a bank roll
Large and fat
And said, "The barkeeps
Once got that."

A Rise All Around.
"What is the matter with the tenant on the floor above?"
"He's raising Cain."
"What about?"
"The landlord's raising the rent."

In Life, In Death.
It was a deathbed scene, but the director was not satisfied with the hero's acting.
"Come on!" he cried. "Put more life in your dying!"—Film Fun.

Fate's Rewards.
"There's a guy I used to do his arithmetic for when we were at school together."
"Well?"
"Now I'm his bookkeeper."

Effort Misapplied.
"Success depends on hard work."
"Yes," rejoined Farmer Cornstossel. "I know a man whose land got covered up with weeds and mortgages while he was workin' terribly hard to be the best checker player in the neighborhood."

Fixed Up to Match.
Madame X—Do up my hair, while I am down at breakfast.
Maid—What color, Madame?
Madame X—The black, please. I am going to a funeral.

Peppery.
"When I was in Mexico I saw a man crying for food."
"Was it before or after lunch? Those chile preparations are enough to bring tears to anybody's eyes."

Help Yourself.
"Ah, the weather man! How about a little shower today?"
"Don't ask me. If you need one, take it."

Mutual Friends.
Maid—Mrs. Dingdong is not at home.
Visitor—Oh, I'm so glad. Please tell her that when I saw her peeping over the curtains I was terribly afraid she might be in!

A Consoling Thought.
Mr.—All I do is eat and sleep and work.
Mrs.—Cheer up; think how many more privileges you have than Rip Van Winkle; for twenty years all he did was sleep.

Nothing in a Name.
"Are you still a member of the 'Don't Worry Club' that was organized years ago?"
"Yes. And there's something more to worry about. I must be terribly in arrears in my dues."

Honeymoon's End.
"Mother, when would you say the honeymoon is over?"
"When you find that it's hard work and no longer any fun to get up in the morning and get your husband's breakfast."

Conditional.
"But we simply must have a cook!" wailed Mrs. Newlywed tearfully. "I've never lived in a house without one."
"Well, if it's as bad as that, mum, I'll come," replied the hesitating candidate. "I don't mind staying so long as I don't have to do any of the cooking."

Tight Rope Bridge.
A bridge over the Strinagar river, India, is made of only three ropes. One is the footpath, while the other two are rails.

Number, Please.
Bess—Were they married in haste?
June—Goodness, no; why, they were married by telephone.

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