

ON THE ROAD WITH THE HERALD TRAVELER

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A. S. Gerdes came here in 1885 from Illinois and now owns nineteen hundred and twenty acres. He has twenty-four acres of wheat, twenty-six of oats, sixty of corn, one hundred thirty cattle, thirty-eight horses, eight acres of spuds and seventy-five head of hogs. He says that mixed farming is, in his opinion, the best thing, but milking cows is one sure way of making a living, and would suggest to anyone commencing on a small scale to milk at least ten or a dozen cows. He says that this country offers better opportunities now than it did thirty years ago.

Frank Dillon was born here and owns eleven hundred and twenty acres of good land. He has one hundred acres of wheat, one hundred acres of corn, one hundred acres of barley, twenty head of cattle and one hundred fifty pure bred Duroc-Jersey hogs. Frank says that corn and hogs are the things that suit him the best, as they are sure winners. He thinks this is the easiest place for a man to get a start in, in the world.

J. B. Hadley was born here and owns one hundred and sixty acres of land, but is operating two hundred and sixty acres. He has one hundred acres of oats, sixty of corn, thirty of spuds, and twenty-five of alfalfa. John says that hogs and corn are the easiest and best money of anything he has tried yet.

Walter Bingham is operating 2,000 acres. He has twenty-six acres of wheat, two hundred and eighty of corn, one hundred and eighty of rye, and forty of spuds. Walter says that in his opinion corn, hogs and spuds are the most profitable farm products.

Ernest Hann came here from Sioux county five years ago. He owns six hundred and forty acres of land and is operating twelve hundred and eighty acres. He has 500 acres of wheat, fifty of oats, four hundred acres of corn, forty of alfalfa, one hundred and twenty head of hogs, ninety-five cattle, and twenty-two horses. Ernest thinks wheat and corn are the best crops and he always feeds the corn to the hogs.

Fred Nason came here from Custer county thirty-four years ago and owns four hundred and eighty acres of land. He has one hundred and eighty acres of corn, sixty-five of alfalfa, two hundred head of hogs and twenty-five cattle. Fred says for anyone out as far from town as he is, hogs and corn are the best things to raise. Mr. Nason is just completing a fine new house, finished in stucco, with seven rooms, bath and full basement and when completed it will be modern throughout. That he knows, considering what it will cost, Fred says this land is the cheapest produce.

Herb Nason came here thirty-four years ago from Custer county. He owns eight hundred acres and operates seventeen hundred and sixty acres. He has sixty head of cattle, twenty horses, one hundred and sixty hogs, and twenty sheep. Herb says that the calf and pig crops are the best that one can raise here with plenty of corn, and he feeds the corn on the place.

Ambrose Hadley came here from Boston, Mass., thirty-four years ago and owns one hundred and sixty acres that he has leased out. Ambrose was an old soldier and spends about seven months in the year at Hot Springs, S. D.

William Lawrence came here from Nemaha county thirty years ago and owns eleven hundred twenty acres of land. He has twenty-five acres of oats, twenty acres of corn, two hundred of alfalfa, one hundred sixty cattle, and fifteen hogs. William says that with hogs, corn, spuds and plenty of milk cows, one can make plenty of money. He came out here for his health thirty years ago and could not at that time do a hard day's work to save his life, but in three months was able to do as much work as anyone.

Clyde Curry was born here and is operating twenty-two hundred acres of land. He has forty-five acres of corn, forty-five acres of spuds, one hundred twenty-five head of cattle, and twenty horses and cuts six hundred acres of hay each year. He says he doesn't know very much about other places, but this is good enough for him.

Frank Bauer was born on the place on which he now lives. He is operating twelve hundred acres that belongs to his father. He has twenty acres of oats, seventy-five of corn, two hundred of alfalfa, seventy-five cattle and seventy-five hogs. Frank says that in his opinion hogs and corn are the best money, along with alfalfa and cattle. He is a young man to do all this work, but he goes at it like a veteran.

Herman Trenkle was raised here and owns fifteen hundred eighty acres and operates twenty-two hundred eighty. He has sixty acres of oats, one hundred seventy-five acres of corn, twenty of alfalfa, one hundred fifty-five cattle, two hundred hogs and thirty-five horses. Herman says that hogs and corn are the best and easiest money. He has two hundred forty acres fenced hog-tight and turns the pigs in the corn and they soon make hogs of themselves.

E. B. Garrett came here from Nance county thirty-five years ago and owns three hundred twenty acres of land. He has fifteen acres of wheat, ten of oats, sixty-five of corn, twelve of alfalfa and eighteen hogs, and eighteen acres of spuds. E. B. thinks one should do mixed farming but that spuds is the best paying single crop. He says this is the finest place to live he ever came across.

Walter Becker came here from Nance county five years ago and is operating four hundred acres of land. He has fifteen acres of wheat, ten of oats, sixty-five of corn, thirty-five of spuds, one hundred thirty of alfalfa, and sixty-five hogs. Walter says that

this is a better country for a poor man than Nance county, as one can raise as much here with less rent and cheaper land.

Otto Becker came here from Nance county five years ago and owns eleven hundred twenty acres of good land with good improvements. He has one hundred acres of wheat, twenty of oats, forty of corn, thirty-five of spuds, twenty-five of alfalfa. Otto says he could make more money here with the same investment than he could in Nance county, and that they all have better health and that the farming is easier.

Herman Reeder came here from Lincoln twenty-one years ago and owns nine hundred sixty acres of land. He has eighty acres of wheat, twenty of oats, fifty of rye and twenty of corn, twenty-five of spuds, and twenty-five of alfalfa, fifty hogs and forty cattle. Herman says that spuds is the best and surest crop, but thinks that one should do mixed farming, and that this is a better place to make money than the eastern part of the state.

Southwell & Brittain came here from Kansas five years ago and are operating eight hundred acres. They have twenty acres of oats, fifty-five of corn, sixty of spuds, eighty of alfalfa, ten cattle and six horses. They think that spuds is the surest and quickest money, but that hogs and corn is the best, as it is the least work with the best pay. They like this country much better than Kansas.

E. J. Beach came here thirty-four years ago from Iowa and homesteaded the place where he now lives. He owns eight hundred acres five miles east and two miles north of town and eleven hundred twenty acres of land in Sheridan county. He has the eight hundred acres leased out but has cattle and horses on the ranch. He has one hundred head of cattle, twenty horses and one hundred hogs. E. J. does no farming himself, just looks after the hogs and cattle. As he has no wife to look after, he has plenty of time to look after the stock.

Herman Frederick came here from Wisconsin thirty-one years ago and owns one thousand acres and is operating thirteen hundred twenty acres. He has five acres of wheat, twenty of oats, thirty of rye, thirty of alfalfa, twenty-five of corn and five of spuds. Herman says that he would not go back to Wisconsin to live, as he likes the climate so much better here and their health is also much better here.

Brown Griffith came here from Michigan thirty-four years ago and owns six hundred forty acres of land. He has ten acres of wheat, twenty of corn, twenty-five of barley, twenty of spuds, twenty-five of alfalfa and fifty-five hogs. Brown says to raise all the corn, hogs and spuds possible, as they are the best crop and the surest.

Thomas Lawler came here from Illinois thirty years ago and owns six hundred thirty acres of land. He has fifty acres of wheat, thirty of oats, thirty of rye, thirty of spuds, sixty of alfalfa, thirty-five cattle, fifty hogs and sixteen horses. Tom says that corn and alfalfa are the best crops to raise, but feed the corn to the hogs and let them do the work.

James Chilson was born here and operates three hundred twenty acres of land. He has twelve acres of wheat, eighty of corn, forty-seven of spuds, one hundred of alfalfa, eighty hogs and fifteen horses. James says that anyone that comes here and farms as they should farm can make good money, and says that corn and spuds are the best crops. He says to feed the corn by letting the hogs feed themselves.

Nels Petersen came here from Greeley county two years ago and with his brother owns three hundred twenty acres of as good land as there is in Box Butte county. He has seventy acres of wheat, eight of oats, twenty of spuds, forty-five of alfalfa, seventy of corn, fourteen of spuds, sixty of hogs, eight cattle and eleven horses. Nels says that he is well satisfied with his change of location.

N. M. Hays came here thirty-two years ago from Iowa and owns eight hundred acres of land. He has thirty acres of wheat, twenty-five of oats, thirty-five of corn, fifteen of spuds, forty-five of alfalfa, ten of millet, sixty cattle, forty-six hogs and five horses. Nels says that spuds is the surest crop but there is lots of money in corn and hogs.

HOWLING

Quite a rain visited this vicinity Sunday evening.

Joe Kennedy's two small children have the measles.

Brus's started binding their grain Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eaton and baby were callers at Hall's Sunday evening.

Lennie and Ernest Wilkins attended the barn dance at Klemke's Saturday night.

Jake and Dick Henderson and mother, Mrs. Henderson, were shopping in Alliance Thursday.

Mrs. Robert Mitchell left last week for an extended visit with her mother in Lincoln.

N. E. Hurlburt and wife and mother, Mrs. Langford, motored to Alliance Monday. They stopped at Elsea's on the way home and enjoyed a sunner.

Al Hall and family visited his parents Sunday afternoon.

Emil Winton has returned home after an extended stay in Wyoming.

Bud and Charles Kennedy attended the Klemke dance Saturday night.

Jake Elsea and mother-in-law, Mrs. Brus were Alliance callers Friday.

Mr. Nichols is helping Nels Petersen in the hay field.

Mrs. Charles Hall expects to leave very soon for an extended visit with his sister and two brothers in Ohio.

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The Farmers' Union meeting was not very well attended Saturday night, as there were only five men present. A speaker from Hemingford was out and gave a good talk.

Joe Shindler and wife from the river spent Sunday night at the Charles Hall home. They report the crops as looking fine down there.

Mrs. Nichols is staying at Wm. Hashman's this week, helping care for Mrs. Hashman and the new baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Hood and three children, were Alliance callers Tuesday. They stopped at Eaton's to see Glen Harris on their way home.

Emil Winton was a caller at the Brus home Sunday afternoon.

Kilpatrick's rider was up in this territory looking for stray cattle Wednesday morning.

James Eaton butchered a big hog at Hurlburt's Saturday evening.

The mail days have changed from Monday and Thursdays to Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Jay Hall and family called at the Nichols' home Sunday afternoon and also at the Elsea home.

Mrs. N. E. Hurlburt stayed at James Kennedy home Saturday night while Mr. Hurlburt attended the Farmers' Union meeting.

All of us farmers are glad of the increase in the price of butter and eggs.

Miss Iva Wilkins is staying with Mrs. Essex this week.

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DIPLOMATIC WILLY.

"Didn't you know it is against the law to beg for money?" said the lady to the tramp at the back door.
"I wasn't going to beg for no money, ma'am."
"It's just as bad to beg for bread."
"I wasn't going to beg fer no bread, ma'am."
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