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War Cemeteries Best of Care in Europe

American war cemeteries in Europe are beautifully located, well maintained and are deeply respected by the people of the communities in which they are located.

This was the report made by Mrs. Norton H. Pearl, of Detroit, Mich., last year's National President of the American Legion Auxiliary, on her return from a six-weeks tour of the cemeteries and battle fields in the European area. Mrs. Pearl with Mrs. Lee W. Hutton, of Excelsior, Minn., National President, and Mrs. Gwendolyn Wiggin McDowell, of Story City, Iowa.

National Secretary, formed the official Auxiliary delegation on The American Legion's European tour. They visited cemeteries in England, France, Belgium and Italy.

"Before we left for Europe," said Mrs. Pearl, "we received many letters from mothers asking us to see the spots where their boys are buried and report back to them the condition of these cemeteries. A special purpose of our tour was to carry out these requests."

"When ever we visited a cemetery, people living in the community came to meet us, the women carrying flowers in their arms for us to place on the graves. They told us that they considered it a real privilege to go to the cemeteries on American holidays to honor the American dead."

"In the permanent cemeteries



"Best Artists' Model of 1948" is the title American art dealers gave Frances Garman in New York City. Here, the dealers' choice poses with a modernistic cat sculpture that will be included in a multiple exhibit of living American art to be shown in the nation's art galleries from March 22 to April 3.

the crosses are all white and gleaming because they are being washed constantly. Twice a year these marble crosses are polished.

"Each of the permanent cemeteries has a chapel where visitors may go for meditation and prayer. An atmosphere of beauty and dignity prevails. Any parent visiting the resting place of a son who died in battle would feel assured that the best of care was being given his grave."

Kircher invented the Aeolian harp about the middle of the 17th century. Tones are produced by strings arranged so that air causes vibration among them when it passes through.

LEGAL NOTICES CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA NOTICE OF PASSAGE OF ORDINANCE NO. 830

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, held at 7:30 P. M. February 24, 1948, the Mayor and City Council of said city passed, approved, and ordered published Ordinance No. 830 creating and establishing a Street Improvement District No. 91 in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Ordinance No. 830 will be in full force and take effect 20 days after the first publication of this Notice, providing a majority of the resident owners of the property directly abutting on the street to be improved do not file with the City Clerk of said City within 20 days after the first date of publication of this Notice, written objections to the creation and establishment of Street Improvement District No. 91. In case written objections signed by a majority of the resident owners above described are filed with the said City Clerk within 20 days after the first publication of this Notice, then said Ordinance No. 830 will be repealed by the Mayor and City Council of said City.

CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA.
By Clement T. Woster Mayor
(SEAL) Albert Olson City Clerk
Attest: No. 706—March 4, 11, 1948.

CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA NOTICE OF PASSAGE OF ORDINANCE NO. 828

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska held at the regular meeting place at 7:30 P. M. February 24, 1948, the Mayor and City Council of said city passed, approved, and ordered published Ordinance No. 828 creating and establishing a Street Improvement District No. 89 in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Ordinance No. 828 will be in full force and take effect 20 days after the first publication

of this Notice, providing a majority of the resident owners of the property directly abutting on the street to be improved do not file with the City Clerk of said City within 20 days after the first date of publication of this Notice, written objections to the creation and establishment of Street Improvement District No. 89. In case written objections signed by a majority of the resident owners above described are filed with the said City Clerk within 20 days after the first publication of this Notice, then said Ordinance No. 828 will be repealed by the Mayor and City Council of said City.

CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA

By Clement T. Woster Mayor
(SEAL) Albert Olson City Clerk
Attest: No. 704—March 4, 11, 1948.

CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA NOTICE OF PASSAGE OF ORDINANCE NO. 822

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, held at 7:30 P. M. February 24, 1948, the Mayor and City Council

of said city passed, approved, and ordered published Ordinance No. 822 creating and establishing a Street Improvement District No. 83 in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Ordinance No. 822 will be in full force and take effect 20 days after the first publication of this Notice, providing a majority of the resident owners of the property directly abutting on the street to be improved do not file with the City Clerk of said city within 20 days after the first date of publication of this Notice, written objections to the creation and establishment of Street Improvement District No. 83. In case written objections signed by a majority of the resident owners above described are filed with the said City Clerk within 20 days after the first publication of this Notice, then said Ordinance No. 822 will be repealed by the Mayor and City Council of said City.

CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA

By Clement T. Woster Mayor
(SEAL) Albert Olson City Clerk
Attest: No. 698—March 4, 11, 1948.

CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA NOTICE OF PASSAGE OF ORDINANCE NO. 831

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, held at 7:30 P. M. February 24, 1948, the Mayor and City Council of said city passed, approved, and ordered published Ordinance No. 831 creating and establishing a Street Improvement District No. 92 in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

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The way is wide open for you to improve your grass. Strong and willing allies stand ready to help you. For advice and active help in planning your own grass-management program, there's your County Agent. For technical, practical help in putting your program into operation, call on the Soil Conservation Service technician who lives in your district. And for information on newest experimental developments, call on your State Agricultural College or experiment station.

The program of good management for your grassland which you work out together will probably consist of some—or perhaps all—of the following practices. If you're in the range country: (1) Livestock numbers balanced to the amount of grass you can produce. (2) A rotation schedule of seasonal grazing. (3) Water located conveniently. (4) Elimination of excessive brush. (5) Wider distribution of salt to prevent overgrazing near salt source. (6) Re-seeding of over-used or abandoned range. (7) Introduction of improved native grasses and adapted new grasses. (8) Irrigation. (9) Protection against wind and water erosion. If yours is farm pasture land: (1) Liming. (2) Fertilization. (3) Seeding with pasture mixtures which stretch the grazing season at both ends. (4) Weed control by mowing or chemicals. (5) Rotation grazing. (6) Avoidance of over-grazing. (7) Irrigation.

We of Swift & Company have the same deep, basic interest that you have in range and pasture improvement. More and better grass is to our interest as it is to yours—and to the nation's. That's why we urge you to act, if you have not already done so, to increase the productiveness of your grasslands.

OUR CITY COUSIN



Cries Our City Cousin to the hired man,
"Please turn off that big electric fan!"

Martha Logan's Recipe for SPRINGTIME PORK AND VEAL

(Yield: 5 to 6 servings)
½ pound pork shoulder 2 tablespoons flour
½ pound veal shoulder 1 tablespoon sugar
½ cup diced rhubarb ¼ cup water
1 ½ teaspoons salt

Cut pork and veal into 1-inch cubes. Brown in heavy skillet. Add rhubarb. Cover and simmer 1 hour. Remove cover. Combine salt, flour, sugar, and water. Stir lightly into meat. Simmer 5 minutes to blend. Serve hot with or without toast.

Soda Bill says:
... that flattery is soft soap—
and soft soap is a "bye-bye."



Profit Comes from SAVING!

The story at the head of this page is about farmers and ranchers making the most of their grasslands. By good planning, managing well, and operating efficiently, they can grow more grass, produce more food for the world, and make more money. While writing that story, I was struck by a similarity in the Swift business. For it is careful planning and efficient operation that keep us in business, too. Like you with your grassland, we've got to make the most of what we have. We've got to practice efficiency. We, also, must cut costs, operate with economy. Not only the important economy of finding uses and markets for every possible by-product, but economy and efficiency all along the line.

Maybe you saw Swift's recent financial report for 1947. It showed that we earned \$22,334,977 after provision of \$12,000,000 for high cost additions to fixed assets. This earning represented one cent out of our average dollar of sales. That one cent was earned in large part by the savings we made. The operating figures of our business prove that statement. They show where the savings came from. New methods of doing things which save time and cost. Modern equipment replacing old, worn equipment. Better ways discovered by Swift research to produce, use and handle Swift products. A small saving here... another there... little economies pyramiding into big economies. Until, added together, the savings which we made last year in the actual day-by-day operation of the Swift business amounted to a considerable part of our earnings.

Careful planning, good management and efficient operation are "musts" in our business as in yours. "Little things" can often add up to the difference between a profit and a loss.

F. M. Simpson
Agricultural Research Department

Save More Spring Pigs

by C. M. Vestal, Purdue University

Surveys indicate that one out of every three pigs farrowed dies before weaning age. These death losses are one of the biggest leaks in the hog business. They can be reduced during the cold spring months by the use of electric brooders in individual farrowing houses or pens of a central house. A three-year study and observation of 105 litters showed that an average of one and one-half more pigs was saved per litter when electric brooders were used in individual farrowing houses. The death loss from chilling was 10 per cent in the unheated houses against 2.2 per cent in those equipped with heated brooders. These losses in the houses without heat increased when the weather became colder. Outdoor temperature, however, had little if any effect on death losses when the electric brooders were used.

The electrically heated pig brooder, either home-made or a factory-made type, proved to be the most practical method of supplying heat. The brooder provides a small area in the pen or house which can be heated economically. The simplest type of brooder is a 150-watt reflector flood lamp suspended over a protected area for the pigs in a corner of the pen or house. Installation and use of electric pig brooders require the necessary careful handling of electricity. Details for the construction of a pig brooder usually may be obtained from county agents or Agricultural Experiment Stations.

"Weigh 'em to Swift!"

The pen gate opens and cattle crowd into the alley, headed for the scales. A cry rings out. "Weigh 'em to Swift!"

Another lot of livestock has been sold to Swift & Company. That deal is a miniature of the business relationship between livestock producers and meat packers.

When this lot of steers was "finished," the producer sent them to the stockyards, consigned to a commission firm. In the "yards" livestock buyers came to look and make their competitive bids. Competition is always keen because 26,000 meat packers and other commercial slaughterers in the United States are active in livestock buying. Each buyer knows that unless he bids "the going price" for the animals he wants, some competitor will get them. Also, he knows that if he bids too high his company will take a loss.

Thus competition and the law of supply and demand set the prices all along the line. This load of steers went to Swift & Company because the Swift buyer offered more than other buyers. And the price he paid was based on his estimate of what the meat, hides, glands and other by-products would be worth to Swift & Company.

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