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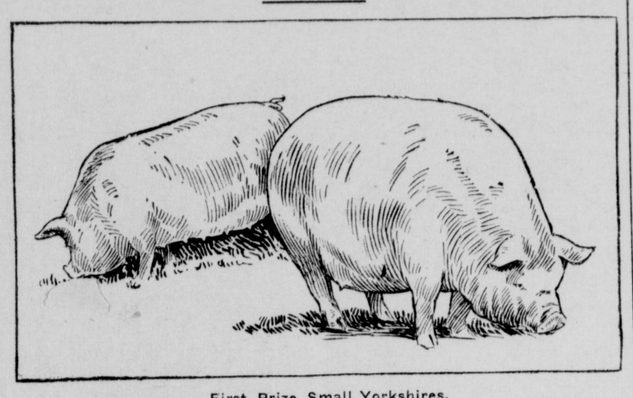
# INVESTIGATION SHOWS MONEY OBTAINED BY PRODUCING PORK

### West Virginia Expert Gives Result of Experiment With Two Brood Sows With Twelve Pigs—Animals Conservatively Valued at $65 When They Were Eight Weeks Old.



First Prize Small Yorkshires.

(By A. J. LEGG, West Virginia.)

A few years ago I was talking to a farmer and business man who said that he always thought that it cost nearly 20 cents per pound to produce pork.

At that time he had not had much experience with hogs and I could not give him any definite figures on the subject, but it put me to investigating.

I put a 31-pound grade pig in a pen, fed him and mixed ground feed such as the farm produced mixed with water.

When the pig was five months old he was slaughtered and weighed 103 pounds.

The pig had eaten 384 pounds of feed at $1.00 per hundred pounds. If the pig is valued at $2.00 at the time the feeding began it would make the pork cost $0.056 per pound.

Last spring I weighed and kept an account of the feed required for two brood sows with twelve pigs.

The feeding began about a week before the pigs were farrowed and continued until the pigs were eight weeks old.

At the end of the period I found that the pigs averaged thirty pounds each and that I had fed them the following ration with the retail value that prevailed here at the time:

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| 535 lbs. wheat middlings, $1.70 per 100 | 10 |
| One and a quarter bushels corn, $1.00 bushel | .25 |
| 102 lbs. mixed feed, $2.00 per 100 | 2.04 |
| 50 lbs. corn meal, $2.00 per 100 | 1.00 |
| 2½ bu. potatoes, 40c per bu. | 1.00 |
| Total | $14.00 |

If we divide $14.39 by twelve, the number of pigs, we find that the feed bill cost practically $1.20 each for the pigs.

A fair estimate of the labor caring for the sows and pigs and feed for the sows during the gestation period would likely add $1.00 per head to the cost of the pigs which would put the cost up to $2.20 each.

They would have sold readily at from three to four dollars each right from the farm. I sold nine of them for breeding stock for $52.50 and have on hand one of the best ones for a brood sow and two of the smaller ones for killing. In all the pigs are conservatively valued at $65 at eight weeks old.


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# SENATOR RAYNER DIES AT CAPITAL

### Demise of Maryland Democrat May Result in Tie in Upper House of The New Congress.

### REPUBLICAN TO BE NAMED.

Senator Isidor Rayner, of Maryland, one of the leading Democratic members of the United States Senate and a man whose name was offered to the Baltimore convention by William J. Bryan as a suitable compromise candidate for the Presidential nomination, died in Washington early on Monday morning of neuritis.

Senator Rayner has been in a serious condition for about six weeks and had been in a comatose condition for the most part since last Wednesday.

The control of the United States Senate after March 4 may hinge on the death of Senator Rayner. The Republican whom it is expected Governor Goldsborough, of Maryland, will appoint in his place will hold office at least until the Maryland Legislature meets in January, 1914, when a Democrat probably will be elected.

**Mr. Rayner's death removes one of the Democrats on whom the control of the Senate depended in the new Congress. With his vote the Democratic leaders counted on mustering forty nine, or one more than a majority of the total membership of ninety-six. In any event forty-eight votes, with the vote of the Vice-President in case of a tie, was looked upon as sufficient strength to insure control. While the Democrats still have an apparent strength of forty-eight, the death of the Maryland Senator reduces the supposed majority to a point very near the vanishing point.**

**Senator Rayner's illness from neuritis covered a period of nearly five years. He attempted to enter actively into the recent Presidential Democratic campaign and met Bourke Cockran in joint debate at Baltimore late in September. The effort exhausted him and he became seriously ill immediately afterward.**

For several weeks it has been considered that death was a question of time only and members of the family were with the Senator almost constantly. Saturday night there was a relapse and Sunday morning the Senator was considerably weaker. He rallied, and was able to recognize some of his relatives. Shortly after 7 o'clock Sunday night he again lapsed into a stupor. From that time on his strength waned and he was unable to take even the slightest nourishment. Members of the family had been summoned to the Rayner residence before midnight Sunday and they remained in the sick room until the end. They were **Mrs. Rayner, his son, William B. Rayner; Albert Rayner, a brother from Baltimore, and Robert W. Wells and wife, the latter a niece of the Senator.**

**The death of Senator Isidor Rayner, of Maryland, removes from the Senate one of the leading members of the upper House of Congress. Mr. Rayner, who served several terms in the House of Representatives and held a number of State offices, was elected to the Senate for the term beginning March 4, 1905, and was re-elected for the term beginning March 4, 1911, and expiring in 1917.**

**Throughout his service in the Senate Mr. Rayner was prominent in the debates on all important measures and topics and was considered one of the best constitutional lawyers on the Democratic side. He always was bitterly opposed to Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, and both during the Roosevelt administration and afterward he made a number of speeches in the Senate scathingly arraigning the Colonel, his acts and his policies.**

Mr. Rayner took a leading part in the long debate over the general arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France, urged by President Taft, and strongly advocated those measures. He also [illegible] from time to time [illegible] Mexican [illegible] and, with Senator Root, was considered one of the most convincing orators of the upper House.

Isidor Rayner was born in Baltimore, April 11, 1850 and completed his education in the University of Maryland and then continued his studies from 1866 to 1870, pursuing the academic course for three years and the law course the last year. While at college Mr. Rayner was a member of the Jefferson Society, and at the age of eighteen was its anniversary orator.

On leaving college Mr. Rayner became a law student in the office of Messrs Brown & Brune, of Baltimore, and was admitted to bar in 1870. A laborious student of his profession, thoroughly versed in the Maryland authorities and practice, he had wieled great power and influence before courts and juries in his State.

In 1878 Mr. Rayner was elected to the Maryland Legislature and was acting chairman of the Judiciary Committee during the session. Then Mr. Rayner devoted himself entirely to his law practice until 1885, when he received the nomination for State Senator, and was elected.

He resigned the following year to accept the Democratic nomination for Congress. He was elected to the Fiftieth Congress, and took an active part in its work, among other things introducing an anti-trust bill at a time when the question was just beginning to agitate the people. He was defeated for re-election to the next Congress, but was returned to the Fifty-second and Fifty-third Congresses.

In Congress he conducted the famous contest for the repeal of the Sherman Silver bill, opening the debate upon the repeal with a speech that attracted attention throughout the country. In the fall of 1899 Mr Rayner was elected Attorney-General of Maryland after one of the most hotly contested campaign waged in the State, and served four years.

Mr. Rayner for years was recognized as one of the leading speakers upon the hustings for the Democratic party, notably so in two campaigns in which Mr. Cleveland was a candidate for President, Mr. Raynor conducting the canvass with Vice-President Stevenson in the Eastern States.

In all his public career Mr. Rayner kept up an active legal practice. One of the most notable cases in which he was prominent was the Schley-Sampson investigation following the Spanish-American War. His brilliant peroration to his argument for admiral Schley in 1901 was recognized as a genuine example of modern eloquence. Because of the death of Jere T. Wilson, who was Schley's personal friend and leading legal adviser, the brunt of the defence fell upon Mr. Rayner, and his conduct of the case won him an international reputation.

Senator Rayner was married in Baltimore in 1871 to Frances Jane Bevan. He has one son, William B. Rayner, a lawyer of Baltimore, and several grandchildren.


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