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For the sweetness of its skies:
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Cecil, with its clay hills set,
Worcester with its ocean wine!

Lovely on the Eastern Shore—thus the students of its lore,
Lovlier ever through the spell of the legends it can tell
Of the old life and the sweet
Where the rose and violet meet:
Cambridge, Denton, Chestertown,
Easton, Snow Hill, with its crown;
Pocomoke, by yon dark rill,
The Corsica and Centreville.

Lovely on the Eastern Shore—ah, in spring what visions soar!
Lovlier ever 'neath its skies is that land where beauty lies;
Roman, memory, sunny glee,
Meadows sweet and orchard tree;
Sofest breezes, feel them blow
Up and down Wicomico!
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THE WINNING MATE

By Grantland Rice

Here is the field and my opponent's Fate,
Who, with drawn sword, may seek to bar the way
Yet if I stand with Courage for a mate,
I move to triumph certain as the day;
Fate picks on quitters, but beyond the gate
Seeks other fields when fighters stand at bay.

Here is the field and my opponent's Fear,
Yet, if I look him squarely in the eye,
I look again to see him disappear,
As shadows vanish when the sun is high;
And, though I felt his haunting presence near,
How far he flies when Courage ambles by.

There are great gifts that one might seek in prayer,
Yet he will need to make no further quest
If he can find raw Courage waiting there,
For with it he can gather all the rest;
And if the gods strike all the rest;
And if the gods strike through the darkened air
He still can smile, unbowed, before the test.

I've watched the field for more than two decades
To find one winner, even in defeat,
Through golden mornings and through twilight shades,
Through winter's snows and summer's burning heat—
His name is Courage—when the last star fades
He only knows a glory that's complete.

WHAT HOG CHOLERA HAS COST

Efforts To Rid Country Of This Disease Still Go On At Enormous Expense

Figuring from the time of the outbreak of foot-and-mouth death in 1914, hog cholera has, to date, cost the farmers of the United States in losses alone over $415,000,000.00. To this can be added another $45,000,000.00, as a low estimate of the amount spent for serum, virus, veterinary fees, control work, etc. This is approximately $750.00 for every $1,000.00 of hogs on farms Jan. 1, 1915. We certainly cannot pat ourselves on the back for the business sagacity we exhibited in dealing with hog cholera.

Now, just why are we enabled to enjoy freedom from foot-and-mouth disease after an outlay of only $9,000,000.00 and must still reckon hog cholera one of our most serious animal diseases after losses and expenditure of more than $465,000,000.00?

A comparison of the two diseases is interesting. In neither one has the germ which causes the disease been isolated and identified. In foot-and-mouth disease it is practitally impossible to stop the spread of the malady from centers of infections, while in hog cholera this is a comparatively easy problem. When foot-and-mouth disease prevails in a country, an area once infected is practically always so, while hog cholera is really self-eradicating. In foot-and-mouth disease it is absolutely necessary to slaughter all infected and exposed animals in order to get rid of the infection, while in hog cholera this is unnecessary. Therefore, it must be admitted that in comparing the possibilities of control and eradication of the two diseases, the advantage is all on the side of hog cholera.

The reason why we get rid of foot-and-mouth disease is because every sanitary measure was employed to eradicate centers of infection. The reason why we have remained free from the disease since 1915, is because every sanitary precaution has been and is being taken to prevent the introduction of the infection into the United States.

The reason why hog cholera has caused such enormous losses and still runs riot is because, in swine management, methods are constantly being practiced which result in the introduction, harboring and spread of the infection.

We have arrived at the parting of the way on the hog cholera question. We have the choice of two roads. One has a guide post bearing the word "Prevention" and leads to eradication. The other is simply a continuation of our unsatisfactory methods and leads to nowhere. To take the first, means the adoption of sanitary methods in swine management that will prevent the introduction, harboring and spread of hog cholera infection and that eventually we will be free from the disease. To persist in employing the present methods means the farmers and stock raisers must continue to pay an annual toll of from $30,000,000.00 to $75,000,000 to a preventable disease.

I. K. ATHERTON,
Inspector in Charge of Hog Cholera Work.
"1923, Hog Cholera Prevention Year."

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The tent caterpillar is doing great damage to apple trees and many requests are being received for methods of control. The tent caterpillar is a leaf eating insect and as such can be controlled by the application of poison on the foliage. If previous sprays have or have not been applied and there is fruit on the trees, spray with the following: 6 quarts Lime-Sulphur and 1 1-2 pounds of Arsenate of Lead (powder) to 50 gallons of water. If the trees have no fruit on them and the caterpillars are bad spray foliage thoroughly with 1 1-2 pounds of arsenate of lead (powder). This will control all eating insects.

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