

Important Notice To Farmers And Buyers Regarding Thin Hogs

It will doubtless surprise you when we state that fully 50 p. c. of the hogs being marketed are altogether too thin, underfed and positively unfit for packing purposes and if this is continued the Pork business of P. E. I., will be seriously injured.

We fear the practice of selling and buying thin hogs has grown upon us unconsciously, because of the demand for meats cut from hogs 120 to 180 lbs, and in the desire to get hogs within those weights, we have overlooked what is of equal importance, namely the fact that hogs at any weight must be well fed, properly finished, thick and plump, otherwise there is no sale for the product.

We have done our best to make this generally known, yet the tendency to kill thin hogs seems to be greater at present than at anytime in the past, until today it is the exception to get hogs that are properly finished.

Finally for the protection of the industry, as well as in our own interest, we must positively refuse to receive from our buyers or of the market any hogs, no matter what weight, that are not put in good condition (fat and thick) and this is in the farmer's interest as the last two or three weeks feeding must be the most profitable.

Yours truly,

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A PSALM OF DELIVERANCE.

Ps. 85.

GOLDEN TEXT.

"The Lord hath done great things for us; whereof we are glad."—Ps. 126: 3.

POINTED SUGGESTIONS.

By Rev. D. W. Snider. Great national events produce their poetic record and receive their song-like expression. These voices from the heart tell a truer story than statistics or state chronicles. This is just for the reason that they come from the heart and reveal the prayers and hopes and thanksgivings and loves of the people. As heart answers to heart in every age, the psalms provide the best possible devotional outlet for the soul in its various moods. The lesson-psalm starts suggestively at the recital of blessings. That is always a good way to begin. It is right and becoming when one would talk with God. What a list of mercies the delivered exiles had to recount!

A grateful people can always find as much to say of the goodness of God and will have as many reasons for saying it as the Jews. Let the class make its attempt to reverently tell what Canadians owe unto the Lord. What about His favor unto this land?

But in taking thought of national mercies do not slip from the consideration of those which are personal. Ingratitude is the sin of sins. Possibly that is why the plea of verses four to seven had to enter into the psalm of deliverance. When the psalmist saw what God had done he was amazed that his own heart and the hearts of the people responded so feebly. It had not always been so in their history. Something had gone from them that it was necessary to have restored.

What was needed was quickening, appreciation, appropriation, satisfaction and the song of it: in short, revival. The church which is without the joy for which revival stands needs the revival. It is essential to a full religious life; it is the essence of the Christian life that men rejoice in God. Whether revival is needed or not, that is needed. If revival is what brings the spirit of rejoicing, then revival is needed.

But note clearly what the prayer of the psalmist is: "Wilt Thou not revive us?" Some think evangelists do it. The Lord is ready to grant His blessing when His people are ready to meet the conditions. The chief of these is that first things are put first. To do otherwise is to return to folly. Many prohibited things of which Methodists have heard are folly in their following, but the putting of a second thing in the place of a first thing is folly. It can defeat revival and kill spiritual rejoicing.

What glories leap into the light to ravish the eyes and fill the heart of the quickened believer! The twin-sisters from heaven, mercy and truth, and a harmonious, inseparable, earthly pair, righteousness and peace. Some one calls this quartette as they relate themselves, "the bridal of the earth and sky."

Do not miss the study of these qualities or their birthplace and relations. There is psychology in it. There is the spiritual equation in it. These qualities recognize proprietary rights and demand the observance of them. Their dance together is not a chance dance. Their kiss is not adulterous.

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