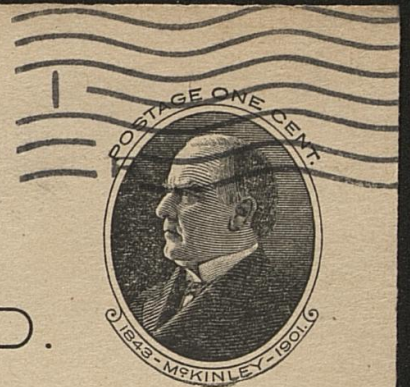


Marshall Tex 10-7-05
Dear Brit. Nell;

We arrived "OK" Thursday - 2³⁰
P.M. Left St Louis - 8²⁰ Wed - Eve. Had
a fine time in St. L. and a delightful
trip home. Found everything "OK". Good
services yesterday. People all glad to
have us back. Guess it was the best
thing after all to do as we did. We are all
well. Edna started to school today. Her
music scholars want her to begin at once,
she will teach

Rec'd 10/14/05



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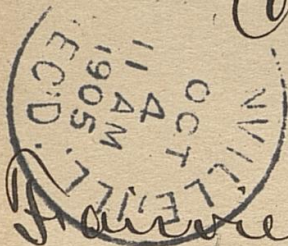
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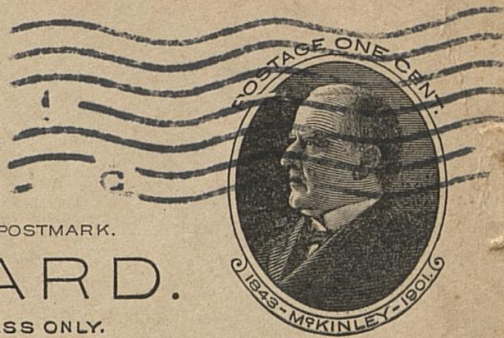
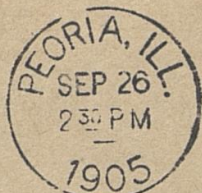
C. H. C. Anderson

Carlinville

Ills.



Harvey Farm



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J. 69.

Mr. C. H. Anderson,

Carlinville, Ill.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 26, 1905.

An informal meeting of the I. F. C. has been called for Wednesday evening, October 4th, at the Leland Hotel, Springfield.

There will be no formal business nor papers--just a meeting to get together all who are at the State Fair and shake hands.

A. W. Jamison,
Sec.-Treas.

Recd. 9/27/05

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Sept. 16, 1905.

Mr. C.H.C. Anderson,

Carlinville, Ill.

Our dear Friend:-

We are very glad to learn that you were successful in making a satisfactory sale of a young Berkshire boar to Mr. W.T. White, Cutler, Ill.

Mr. White wrote us on August 17, 1905, advising us that he was in the market for a young Berkshire boar and you will remember we wrote you regarding this matter at that time.

Trusting that your Berkshires are doing nicely and with best wishes, we beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

The Farm Home Co.

The Willowdale Berkshire Farm.

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and The Champions of the World.

G. G. COUNCIL.

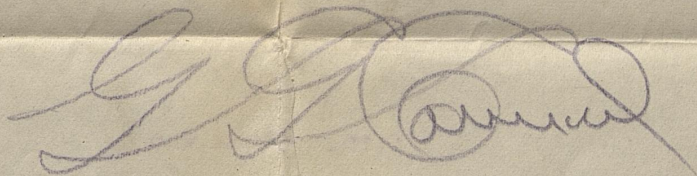
Vandalia, Ill., Sept., 9th 1905.

C. H. C. Anderson,

Carlinville, Ill.

Dear sir: Yours of 7th at hand and contents noted. I could use the money to good advantage on your note due Sept 15th but if it will be of much favor to you to wait until the 15th of November, I presume I can, however, should I need it sooner, will notify you. I will try to attend your sale on the 15th. I am

Yours respectfully,



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August 31, 1905.

Dictated by W.H.M. - CMD.

Mr. C.H.C. Anderson,
Carlinville, Ill.

Dear Friend:-

Your attention is invited to the directory of live stock advertisers, published on page two of the August issue of The Farm Home, which announcement has been received with much favor by many of our advertisers, who report very satisfactory results from such publicity.

All the breeds of live stock and varieties of poultry named by our advertisers in their advertisements in The Farm Home are published in said directory free of charge.

There is hardly a day that we do not receive several inquiries from our readers, who wish stock and poultry you are breeding that is not named in your advertisement.

You are invited to return this letter with the names of all the breeds of live stock and varieties of poultry you are breeding noted below, with authority to add same to your regular advertisement.

On receipt of such advice, the breeds and varieties you advertise will be published, much to your advantage, in said directory free of charge, during the continuance of your advertisement. Proof of your advertisement, with the additions you desire, will be sent for your approval.

Sincerely your friends,

THE FARM HOME.

By

W. H. Mills

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August 31, 1905.

Messrs C.H.C.Anderson & Co.,
Carlinville, Ill.

My dear Friends:-

Since our letter of August 22nd. we have received a number of inquiries for stock, which are as follows:

H O R S E S

Mr. James W. Jefferson, Springfield, Illinois desires to purchase twenty grade draft (Clydes or Percherons preferred) mares out of roadster bred mares. The mares to be over three and under eight years of age. To have good color, style and conformation, and weight not less than 1300 pounds each.

Mr. J. F. Gillis, Grove Hill, Alabama is in the market for two recorded Morgan mares, in foal. Full particulars, price and pedigree in first letter.

C A T T L E

The Winters Farm, Smithboro, N.Y. want twenty registered Jersey cows, milking from 25 to 40 pounds of milk daily.

Mr. W. G. Fassett, Enosburg, Vt., desires to purchase three choicely bred Jersey heifer calves or yearlings. Send full particulars.

A N G O R A G O A T S

Mr. William Vane, Newport, Washington, desires to purchase two hundred (200) Angora Goats, and will buy five hundred if the price is low. Full particulars in first letter.

S W I N E

Mr. L. H. Norton, Melrose, Iowa writes "I want a Berkshire boar good in every way particular. Must be first class in size and formation, short legs, good in ham and as a feeder. Send me full particulars, prices, etc., if you have something that you think will fill my requirements."

Mr. J. F. Gillis, Grove Hill, Alabama, desires to buy a first class show sow. A young animal, and one that is safely bred to a first class boar.

Mr. Will A. Brown, Brock, Nebraska is in the market for a first class young Berkshire boar ready for service.

P O U L T R Y

Mr. W. G. Fassett, Enosburg, Vt., is in the market for some R. I. Red cockerels.

Mr. J. F. Gillis, Grove Hill, Alabama wants to purchase some first class Buff Cochins.

Mr. G. W. Fassett, Enosburg, Vt., wishes to purchase some Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels.

Trusting that the above information may result in your making some good sales and future customers, we beg to remain,

Sincerely your friends,

THE FARM HOME,

By W. H. Mills, Adv. Mgr.

Fernwood. A. Aug. 29. 05
Mr. G. H. G. Anderson,
Carlinville. Ill.

Dear Sir.

Yours of the 26 at
hand. Will answer as follows
I cant make any bid on
your Hog's. It is so late
it will be to near there
ferrowing time to ship so
far and it is an uncertainty
as to when they were bred
I wanted a sow and pigs to
show at the Fair. the last
week in Sept. My sow has
not come in heat yet.
I would like to have No 7
of your Catalogue as she is a
sister to my sow.

Yours Resp

G. G. Rinke.

From *M. G. Ranker.*
Fernwood, O.

AUG 29
FERNWOOD
OHIO

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C. H. C. Anderson & Co.,

Carlinville, Illinois.

Fairview Farm.

Recd. 8/31/1905
Ans. 9/12/1905
Will send sample
if report does
not breed by 4 mo.

CARLINVILLE ILL.
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Mr. C.H.C. Anderson,

R.D.#4, Carlinville, Ill.

My dear Friend:-

Please accept my thanks for your kind invitation to have Mrs. Mills and the writer attend your fifth annual sale, Thursday, August 31, 1905.

I regret very much that circumstances are such that we will be unable to be with you.

I sincerely hope that your sale may be a great success.

With kindest personal regards to yourself and Mrs. Anderson, believe me,

Sincerely your friend,

W. H. Mills
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Messrs. C.H.C. Anderson & Co.,
Carlinville, Ill.

August 23, 1905.

Dear Friends:-

The experience of successful men is often very helpful even to men that have obtained satisfactory results.

The successful breeder of any kind of live stock, generally finds it greatly to his advantage to frequently meet and exchange experience with "up-to-date" men, engaged in raising the same kind of animals. A public sale of a successful breeder and exhibitor is a good place to meet for conference and the promotion of future business.

Every progressive breeder finds pleasure and profit in critically examining animals of unusual excellence, with remarkable prize records and widely known as sires and dams of great merit.

The highest priced Berkshire boar on record, with a reputation as a sire, second to none is owned by Mr. G.G. Council, Vandalia, Illinois.

The grand champion Berkshire sow of the Universal Exposition of 1904 is owned by Mr. Council. The champion Berkshire sow of 1903 and the champion Berkshire sow of 1902, as determined by the awards at the leading State Fairs and Expositions for said years are owned by Mr. Council.

The get of the great boar Lord Premier, and the produce of the grand Sweepstakes sows, Queen Perfection III 69951 and Combination Duchess II 63368, with the get and produce of other noted boars and sows will be sold at auction at Vandalia, Illinois, Wednesday, August 30, 1905, by Mr. E.C. Council.

You will be especially interested in the boars and sows catalogued for Mr. Council's sale. Better breeding or better individuals have never been assembled for a Berkshire Sale than you will see at Mr. Council's sale. If you want animals for hot competition at the leading Fairs or if you want animals for breeding purposes, the kind that get and produce prize winners, you can secure them at your own price by attending Mr. Council's sale.

The undersigned has been invited by a number of leading breeders of Berkshires to make purchases for them at Mr. Council's Sale and he will be pleased to meet you at Vandalia, August 30, 1905.

In case you cannot attend Mr. Council's Sale in person, I will, if you so desire, be pleased to aid you in making purchases. It is suggested that you state the price you are willing to pay for a boar or sow of certain ages and then leave the selection, to the undersigned, or the party that handles your bid of the animal which you can describe in a general way.

It is frequently the case that there are several animals well up to the standard fixed by the absent bidder, that can be bought for less than that paid for some exceptionally strong show animals that is none the better for breeding purposes than one with like breeding that sells for half the amount paid for the "world beater".

Very truly yours,

Wm. H. Mills

CIRCULAR NO. 5.

SPECIAL PREMIUMS

OFFERED BY THE

American Berkshire Association

FAIRS OF 1905.

The American Berkshire Association, Springfield, Ill., will offer the following special cash premiums at the Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition, Portland, Oregon, Sept. 19-29, 1905:

Sec.	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.
1. Boar, two years old or over.....	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$7.50	\$5.00	\$3.00
2. Boar, 18 and under 24 months.....	9.00	7.50	5.00	2.50	2.50
3. Boar, 12 and under 18 months.....	9.00	7.50	5.00	2.50	2.50
4. Boar, 6 and under 12 months.....	7.00	4.50	3.50	2.00	2.00
5. Boar, under 6 months.....	7.00	4.50	3.50	2.00	2.00
6. Sow, 2 years old or over.....	12.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	3.00
7. Sow, 18 and under 24 months.....	9.00	7.50	5.00	2.50	2.50
8. Sow, 12 and under 18 months.....	9.00	7.50	5.00	2.50	2.50
9. Sow, 6 and under 12 months.....	7.00	4.50	3.50	2.00	2.00
10. Sow, under 6 months.....	7.00	4.50	3.50	2.00	2.00
11. Best Boar, any age.....					\$16.25
12. Best Sow, any age.....					16.25

Conditions.

1. All the animals to be eligible to compete for the special premiums offered by the American Berkshire Association must be recorded in the American Berkshire Record at the time of entry for the Exposition.

2. The special premiums offered above will be paid by the American Berkshire Association upon the certificate of the Superintendent of the Live Stock Department, giving the name and address of the Exhibitor, the prizes won and the name and record number of the animals upon which the awards were made.

3. Entries for the above premiums should be made with the Superintendent of Live Stock, Lewis & Clark Exposition, Portland, Oregon, but it is requested that notice of intention to compete for these premiums be sent to the Secretary of the American Berkshire Association, Springfield, Illinois, at as early a date as possible.

FRANK S. SPRINGER,

Secretary American Berkshire Association.

At the International Live Stock Exposition, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 2-9, 1905, the American Berkshire Association will offer the following special premiums:

1. Pure-bred barrow, over 12 and under 18 months old.....	\$12.00	\$9.00	\$5.00
2. Pure-bred barrow, over 6 and under 12 months old.....	12.00	9.00	5.00
3. Pure-bred barrow, under 6 months old.....	12.00	9.00	5.00
4. Pen of 3 pure-bred barrows over 12 and under 18 months.....	20.00	10.00	6.00
5. Pen of 3 pure-bred barrows over 6 and under 12 months.....	20.00	10.00	6.00
6. Pen of 3 pure-bred barrows under 6 months old.....	20.00	10.00	6.00

Conditions.—Animals competing for the above premiums must be recorded in the American Berkshire Record at time of entry. For this purpose no entry fee will be charged and a special certificate of registry will be issued to exhibitors, without expense, by the American Berkshire Association.

For further information address

FRANK S. SPRINGER,

Secretary American Berkshire Association.

Blank Pedigrees, with Stub, 100 Forms, tabulated	1 00
Blank Entry, with Stubs, 200 Forms.....	1 00
Blank Transfer, with Stub, 200 Forms.....	1 00

Remittances to be made by Express Order, Bank Draft, Postoffice Order or Registered Letter.

HERD BOOKS

Free to members, commencing with the last printed volume on date of membership. To non-members, \$1.00. (This price subject to change without notice.)

SUPPLIES.

Entry and transfer blanks for the registry of pedigrees and transfers in the Record are sent free on application. Pedigrees, as soon as approved, have numbers assigned them in advance of publication in the Record.

For blanks or further information, address the Secretary,

FRANK S. SPRINGER,
Springfield, Ill.

Suggestions As to Filling Out Entry Blanks

1. A short, convenient name should be written in the entry blank before it is sent for record. Duplicate names should be avoided. Well established family names should not be infringed upon.

2. The exact date of farrow, the number of pigs in litter, number of boars and the number of sows should be given.

3. By distinguishing natural marks is meant color markings.

4. Artificial marks are ear labels, ear tags or notches used by the breeder or owner for the identification of the animal.

5. The breeder is the owner of the dam at time of service, and should sign all pedigrees except in case of animals sold in dam.

6. The owner is the owner of the dam at time of farrow, and should sign blanks for animals sold in dam.

7. When the sire is owned by other than the owner of the sow, a certificate of service, signed by the owner of the boar, is required. This certificate should be filed in the office with or before the first pedigree is sent for record. One certificate answers for the entire litter. Always give both the name and record number of the sire and dam.

8. In case a recorded boar is leased, the person leasing the animal should secure from the owner a certificate covering the time of the lease, with dates. This certificate should be filed with the Secretary, and when on file in the office, no certificate of service will be required.

9. Always send the original pedigree to the office. If the breeder does not furnish the proper entry and transfer blanks and it is thus necessary to send the pedigree, be sure to send the original pedigree, retaining a copy, if need be, for your own use.

10. Do not make any changes in the entry and transfer blanks signed by another person, except that it is proper to supply the name, if no name has been given.

11. Only one pedigree should be put on a blank. The description of an animal in a letter is not a pedigree that can be accepted for record.

To take effect January 1, 1905.



RULES OF ENTRY

IN THE

AMERICAN BERKSHIRE ASSOCIATION

N. B.—Commencing with Volume 23, Roman Numerals as name numbers will be abolished, and Arabic numbers will be used, as 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, etc.

1. Applications must be made upon blanks furnished by the Secretary, and should be signed by the breeder of the animal, except when the animal is "sold in dam," when the entry blank should be signed by the owner.

2. In case the animal offered for entry is owned by other than the owner of the dam at the time of birth, a transfer is required to the present owner from the previous owner; and if the animal has passed through one or more intermediate hands, transfers must be given in their regular order. The owner of an animal is the owner of the dam at time of farrow.

3. A certificate of service, signed by the owner of the service boar, must accompany the application for entry for the first pig of the litter, except where said boar is shown on the Record to have been owned at the time of service by the breeder of the animal to be recorded.

4. Animals not the immediate descendants of recorded sires and dams shall not be admitted to registry, except their ancestors trace to recorded stock, and said ancestors shall also be recorded in the American Berkshire Record.

5. Unsound or unworthy individual animals should not be presented for registry. Such will not be admitted under any circumstances, where facts proving their inferiority are made known to the Executive Committee.

6. The use of duplicate names should be avoided.

7. Well established family names shall not be infringed upon.

8. The breeder of an animal is the party owning the dam at time of service and dictating the cross.

9. Each animal known to be dead should be marked by an X preceding the name on the application for entry or transfer blank.

10. In case of a change in ownership of an animal, the buyer must obtain from the seller a certificate of transfer, for which a blank form will be furnished by the Secretary, which will be recorded when returned.

11. In case of the neglect or refusal of the seller to give a certificate of transfer, the record of the transfer can be made by the Secretary upon written approval of a majority of the

Executive Committee on evidence of sale and delivery. Parties purchasing recorded boars and sows should obtain from the seller an abstract of ownership, issued by the Secretary, showing that the sale has been noted on the books of the American Berkshire Association.

12. In all certificates of transfer the full names and postoffice addresses of both the buyer and seller of the animal and the date of sale must be given. If the animal is a female, it must be stated whether or not she has been served. If served, the date of service must be given, with the name and record number of the boar, certified to by the then recorded owner of the boar or his authorized representative.

13. No application shall be considered until the fees are paid, nor shall any number be assigned by the Secretary until every requirement has been complied with.

14. Pedigrees already recorded will not be re-recorded except to correct a material error, when the fee shall be \$1.00, without regard to age, except when the error is made in the Secretary's office, when the pedigree shall be re-recorded at the expense of the Association. Provided, that by the payment of a fee of \$5.00, a pedigree can be re-recorded to change the name of an animal.

15. When entries or transfers are made, the certificate given by the Secretary shall constitute the receipt for the fees, but such certificate shall not be binding upon the Association in case of error.

Fees for registration and transfers are as follows:

ENTRY FEES.

Entry fee, boar or sow under two years of age at date of filing application, to non-members\$1 00
 Entry fee, boar or sow under two years of age at date of filing application, to members\$ 75
 Entry fee, boar or sow over two years of age at date of filing application\$2 00

IMPORTED ANIMALS.

Entry fee, boar or sow bred in Great Britain, if application is filed within six months after date of importation..... 1 00
 Entry fee, boar or sow bred in Great Britain, if application is filed more than six months after date of importation.... 2 00

TRANSFERS.

No charge made for transfers filed with the original application for entry.

The fee for transfers filed after registry of the boar or sow, each.....\$ 25

In case of a dissolution of a firm or partnership, transfers shall be made from and to either or each partner at the rate of one dollar per lot, without regard to the number so transferred.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRY.

Certificate of registry containing the extended pedigree of a recorded boar or sow\$ 50

BLANK BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Breeding Record, with Stub, 200 pages....\$1 00

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AMERICAN BERKSHIRE ASSOCIATION.



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510 EAST MONROE ST.

SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS, U. S. A.

August 16, 1905

Messrs C. H. C. Anderson & Co.,
Carlinville, Ill.

Gentlemen:

Your favor of the 15th inst. received with stated enclosures and fees have been charged to your account as follows:

Amount due this Association,		\$16.75
Entry and Trans. 85150 Fairview Duchess 4th		2.00
" " 85151 Governor Lee of Long Meadow		.75
" " 77131 Bell Elwood 17th		.25
" " 78019 Gipsy's Combination		.25
" " 80524 Carlinville Bell's Combina- tion 4th		.25
" " 80524 Carlinville Bell's Combina- tion 4th		.25
Total amount due,		<u>\$20.50</u>

Enclosed please find certificates of registry and abstracts of ownership as stated above.

Answering yours of the 12th I will be with you August 31st, if nothing happens to prevent.

Mrs. Springer asks me to thank you and Mrs. Anderson for your kind invitation to attend the sale. She says that she does not know that her presence will materially advance the price of hogs, but as she has always wanted to attend a public sale, she is going to accept this opportunity. You can expect both of us then, unless you hear to the contrary later.

Yours very truly,

F. S. Springer
Sec'y

American Berkshire Association.

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Dear Sir,

As I have been thinking of writing you for some time about my Pig I got of you but put it of day by day on account of the busy Harvest season.

The Boar is an extra fine Hog, and the Lump had not bothered him yet he has never served but one Sow yet. He is hearty and thrifty and a powerful Bome. As for the Sow I can't say any thing but what you know. But I will say this I believe she is as fine a Sow for her age as is living

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in this State to day. and
this is saying a great deal.
She has never showed any
signs of breeding yet she has
never been in season She is
running on good pasture and
dont get any grain at all.
She is the closest maid sow
behind I ever saw. I wanted
her to have Pigs in time
to take her to the Fair the
26. 27. & 28 of Sept. then she
would of been over a year
old. as she has gone this long
I am afraid she wont breed.
Could you tell me any thing
I could do for her as it is
getting a little late to breed
for fall. I see your sale Ad.
in Otwell Farmer Boy. Please
send me a Catalogue.

Have you any Sows you
want to dispose of that has
had Pigs. and would ferrow
again about the ^{first} of Sept. that
would do to show at the
Fair. would like her to be one
of Royal Combinations get.

Now if you have one to
spare and place the price in
my reach I will buy as mine
has foaled me. I would of
had them registered before
this but I dont want to
put ~~any~~ more money in
them until they prove to
be of some profit.

I would like to attend your
sale but circumstances want
permit.

Yours Resp.
G. G. Rinker.