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Paying Less for Better Bulls.
A survey recently made in connection with the "Better Sires—Better Stock" campaign carried on by the United States Department of Agriculture shows a general ratio of one bull to every 18.9 cows. Experience, however, in Pennsylvania, the state which leads in the number of bull associations, shows that 93 bulls are sufficient for the 5,604 cows belonging to members of the bull associations, or an average of about one bull for every 60 cows. These figures are taken from the bull association directory recently issued by the Dairy Division, United States Department of Agriculture.

If the members of these associations owned their bulls individually, at the usual ratio of one bull for every 18.9 cows, they would need 296 bulls instead of 93. Yet the 93 bulls give the required service as effectively as 296 would do, and in fact better, because the resulting offspring are better. The association bulls are of better quality than the ordinary run of sires privately owned, and their daughters are apt to be better-producing cows.

Even this does not tell the whole story. After an individually owned sire has been used for about two years it is usually necessary to get a new one. In eight years, therefore, these Pennsylvania farmers, if they owned their bulls separately, would have to provide themselves with four times 296 bulls, or 1,184; whereas in the bull associations at the end of two years they simply move each bull to another block. The original 93 bulls, if they all live and do well, can be used for the whole eight years. There is quite a difference between the cost of 93 bulls and that of 1,184, to say nothing of the difference in their usefulness.

The members of bull associations sometimes pay less and always receive more for their money than cow owners who go it alone.

Clean Threshing Saves Wheat.
Members of the farm bureau of Kittson County, Minn., last year saved \$77,000, or about \$500 to each threshing machine, by using tight-bottom racks, canvas under the feeder, cleaning up when required and after each setting of the machine during the threshing season. A conservative estimate of the saving by clean threshing in this county was 27,500 bushels of wheat, 20,400 bushels of oats, and 10,000 bushels of barley.

War Knits.
He (after he had watched her knitting for an hour) — What are you knitting?
She — I don't know yet.

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