

Madison
Dec 8.

Dear Paul -

I sent you a carbon the other day, indicating that out of a blue sky I suddenly have funds for a year's study of the present "high" in livestock. Naturally it is late to begin, but better than no work. They may not die this winter.

I need your advice on how to proceed. I need either someone already trained, or else I must put the man directly under Schmidt who knows the ropes. I take it for granted your own bunch is all fully occupied and served up to your new plan. If this is not true, let me know.

Do you know anyone in Kings crowd, or in any other state, whom you think would do? I can pay \$100 per mo. and travel.

My plan was to lay out a series of census areas in each of 3 or 4 counties - representing types of range - let us say Adams, Jefferson, Blodge. These, plus going work in Blaine, Vernore, and your work in Sank ought to give a good picture of what happens and when.

If you are pinched, I might be able to help you with Gasthaus especially if I use a youngster on low pay, which would leave a margin. If I will be at Cow Valley with Schmidt Friday Dec 11 through Saturday & Sunday, arranging for checker banding. Should you have any such occasion to see me, we could meet there. Schmidt has to be back for classes Monday.

Best regards to Mrs E.

Yours
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