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ILLINOIS WOMAN RAISES BEST CORN PRIZE FOR FINEST EAR

Mrs. E. M. Paluska, Morgan Co., Winner in National Show in Chicago on Her Anniversary

Illinois is still the home of the best corn in America. This was demonstrated at the National Seed Corn show at Chicago when the ear of seed corn entered by Mrs. Elsie M. Paluska, of Waverly, in Morgan county, was adjudged the best ear in America and awarded the thousand dollars offered by the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation as an achievement reward. The selection was made by ten nationally-known seed corn authorities out of more than 27,000 ears from 45 states entered in the show, and was pronounced 100 per cent perfect after tests.

On Fifth Anniversary. A story exceeding fiction in many respects was revealed when Mrs. Paluska came to claim her prize. It marked the fifth anniversary of her wedding, and the money came just in time to meet the last installment on their farm, she said. When they were married, there was only \$25 between her husband and herself; now they have a 160-acre farm in the southern part of the state.

The winning ear was discovered by chance, according to Mrs. Paluska. Mr. and Mrs. Paluska were out in the corn cribs one day when the eagle eye of the woman farmer spied the champion ear resting in an open crib. She took it into the house, placed it in the family bookcase and when shortly afterward she heard of the National Seed Corn show, she lost no time in sending it in. Mrs. Paluska's ear tied for honors at the show with three others entered in the name of her husband and her two children, but was finally agreed upon by the judges as the one most perfect in every respect.

Illinois Leads. In addition to carrying off the honor of having the best ear of corn in the show, Illinois also had the largest number of entries of any state, according to E. B. Heaton, of the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, who was general manager of the show. 7,642 entries from 96 counties in the state were in the show, with especially large exhibits from Macoupin, Logan, LaSalle and Grundy counties. Tests of the entries from the state showed that only 72 per cent of the seed corn of Illinois was fit for use. The judging of the Illinois corn was in the capable hands of Prof. J. C. Hackleman of the University of Illinois, and Will Webb, of the Illinois Seed Improvement association.

SENATE ATTITUDE NOT PRAISEWORTHY
 Political Alliance Resulting in Defeat of Nomination of Warren Scored

It is true that the Constitution provides for confirmation of cabinet officers named by the president. A rejection upon the merits of the cause would be of binding force upon the executive.

Clearly enough, however, the action of the Senate Democrats and their allies was only part of a program in which they have been long engaged, to embarrass and if possible discredit the national administration. The solid Democratic strength, with insurgent additions, was massed against the solid Republican strength on the Warren confirmation. Senator Overman, whose vote would have made the confirmation of Mr. Warren possible, changed his vote on the stated ground that his colleagues had made a party matter of the fight and he wished to remain regular.

President Coolidge had the right to feel that the attack on his cabinet nominee was as a matter of fact aimed at him, by men whose purpose in the matter was to injure the administration.

A deplorable feature of the fight waged on President Coolidge's nomination, first of Attorney General Stone to the Supreme Bench, and then of Mr. Warren as Mr. Stone's successor, is that it was engineered by a senator who proclaims a grievance against the Department of Justice in that his client and colleague from Montana, Senator Wheeler, has been indicted on the charge of accepting employment to represent an oil company before the Land Office, says the National Republican. Senator Walsh could have avoided the suspicion of an ulterior motive by remaining in the background while war was made on President Coolidge's appointments.

The execrable strategy which brought about the combination between Senate Democrats and radicals last year resulted in the Democratic nominee for President in 1924 receiving a smaller percentage of the total popular vote that was registered in any national election for the Democratic national ticket since Andrew Jackson's day. It would seem that the lesson of this experience should not have been lost upon the senators who paved the way for disastrous Democratic defeat in 1924. Now, as then, the attack upon a President Coolidge serves to strengthen rather than weaken him.

CAMP ROOSEVELT AT FORT SHERIDAN

Secretary of War Grants Authority for Change of Location This Year

Secretary of War Weeks has just granted authority for holding Camp Roosevelt, the summer encampment of the Chicago public high school, on the north area of the Fort Sheridan military reservation, according to an announcement made by Major F. L. Beals, in command of the high school R. O. T. C. The camp opens on June 29 and closes on August 15.

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