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BIOGRAPHY

Perry Fox (P.F.) Trowbridge was born on April 25, 1866 in Three Rivers, Michigan. In 1891, he earned his B.A. from the University of Michigan. His first teaching position was as an instructor of Mathematics and Science at Kalamazoo College in Michigan. He married Grace Hall on September 4, 1894. In 1905, he earned his master's degree from the University of Michigan and his Ph.D. in 1906 from the University of Illinois. From 1907-1918, Trowbridge worked as a professor of Agricultural Chemistry at the University of Missouri. He then became the director of the North Dakota Agricultural Experiment Station and served in this position from 1918-1934. Trowbridge died on May 15, 1937 in Fargo, North Dakota.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The papers of P.F. Trowbridge consist mainly of records associated with his work as the Director of the North Dakota Agricultural Experiment Station from 1918-1934. The records date from 1925 to 1934.

The collection contains a great deal of correspondence between the North Dakota Experiment Station and other state stations. In this correspondence, employees discuss different agricultural trials they are working on as well as requests for assistance with their work.

There is also extensive documentation about cattle. There are documents concerning meat investigations in North Dakota and other areas. The findings from many of these investigations are included. There are also papers on meat cooking separated by the type of meat. This includes information about the temperature the meat should be cooked at and different ways to prepare it. There is information regarding cattle and how they are slaughtered. A few papers written by Experiment Station faculty that deal with beef are also included.

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Correspondence and Papers

- 1 North Dakota Agricultural Experiment Station Reports
- 2 Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station, 1927
- 3 Arkansas Agricultural Experiment Station, 1927-1928
- 4 California Agricultural Experiment Station, 1927
- 5 Colorado Agricultural Experiment Station, 1928-1931
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- 24 Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station, 1927-1930
- 25 West Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station, 1927-1930

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- 26 Wyoming Agricultural Experiment Station, 1927-1928
- 27 Reports to Cooperative Meat Investigations Conferences
- 28 Cooperative Meat Investigations, Progress Report, R.B. Hinman
- 29 National Cooperative Project on Quality and Palatability of Meat, 1926
- 30 Special Committees on National Cooperative Problems, 1926
- 31 Cooperative Meat Investigations, 1930-1931
- 32 Conference of Representatives of Institutions Engaged in Cooperative Meat Investigations, 1931
- 33 Conference on Cooperative Meat Investigations, 1934
- 34 Soft Pork Investigations
- 35 Conference of U.S. Department of Agriculture and State Experiment Stations, Soft Pork Investigations, 1929
- 36 Quality of Meat
- 37 Meat Cooking
- 38 Meat Cooking, 1927
- 39 Meat Cooking, 1928-1929
- 40 Meat Cooking, Bacon
- 41 Meat Cooking, Hams
- 42 Meat Cooking, Lamb
- 43 Meat Cooking, Pork
- 44 Meat Cooking, Veal
- 45 Cattle Slaughter
- 46 Pork Cutting Yields
- 47 Lard Studies
- 48 Production of Wiltshire Sides, Albert Severson and D.J. Geiken
- 49 Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest, 1926
- 50 National Livestock and Meat Board, Grading and Stamping Beef, 1927-1928
- 51 Mandan Grazing Experiment
- 52 Flax Statistics
- 53 The Western Freight Rate Advance Case, Summary of General Railway Testimony, 1925