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Wilson, Charles Morrow

Born in Fayetteville, Arkansas.
Charles Morrow Wilson is an outstanding writer on the rural life of America. Born at Fayetteville, Arkansas, he is equally at home in any state, particularly in its rural sections. His extensive wandering about the country has brought him in contact with all kinds of people and American folk-ways; while his agricultural research, both here and abroad, has given him the background for a keen analysis of the economic relation of the rural areas to the rest of the country. Whether it is wheat or cotton, potatoes or lumber, sheep or cattle, he can lift that section of the country into focus so that the rest of us can see it in all its colors.

Mr. Wilson's articles have appeared in most of the leading periodicals; among them THE SATURDAY EVENING POST, THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN, SCRIBNERS, THE YALE REVIEW, and COUNTRY HOME. Among his published books are Meriwether Lewis, Backwoods America, and Roots of America.

For the past three years Mr. Wilson's post office address has been Newfane, Vermont, where he has a farm, but he has made long trips about the country during that time, talking with potato growers in Aroostook, cotton growers in Louisiana, sheep herders in Montana, or lumbermen in Minnesota, talking and listening—then recording and reporting what he has found on the rural roads of America.

Taken from the jacket of his book

AROOSTOOK, OUR LAST FRONTIER
October 27, 1937

Mr. Charles Morrow Wilson
 c/o Stephen Daye Press
 Brattleboro, Vermont

Dear Mr. Wilson:

Please accept our congratulations upon one of the finest books pertaining to Maine which it has been our pleasure to read, AROOSTOOK, OUR LAST FRONTIER.

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