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NEBRASKA STATE FAIR IS AN EDUCATOR Object Lessons Which Explain and Educate at a Glance.

When the State Fair, which occurs the first week in September each year, is mentioned, we often hear questions like this: "Does the state of Nebraska have anything to do with this fair?" "Who pays for the land, improvements and premiums?" and many other such kindred questions. The state of Nebraska holds title to 123 acres of land adjoining Lincoln on the north on which the State Fair is located.

In 1901 the Nebraska legislature passed a bill for the appropriation of \$35,000 with which to purchase a site for a permanent State Fair ground. Of this amount, \$18,000 was fixed as the limit by the state board of public lands and buildings for the purchase of the present 123 acres. The cost of the tract, exclusive of the ten acres owned by the Lancaster Agricultural society, was \$22,300. After the state

board of agriculture and the citizens of Lincoln had raised the balance of the money necessary for the transfer, and secured the deed for the ten acres from the Lancaster Agricultural society, this land was deeded to the state of Nebraska. During the year 1901 the balance of the original state appropriation, to-wit: \$17,000 and an additional sum of \$4,371.85 furnished by the state board of agriculture, was expended on improvements necessary for the holding of a fair. The appropriations made by the various legislatures to date are as follows:

1901 (purchase of grounds).....	\$35,000
1903 (ladies comfort building).....	3,000
1905 (live stock building).....	10,000
1907 (cattle barn).....	20,000
1909 (half live stock judging coliseum).....	50,000
1911 (repairs on grandstand).....	15,000

Total appropriation by state, \$133,000

In addition to keeping up repairs, premiums and expenses of the State Fair, the following amounts have been placed in permanent improvements upon the fair grounds by the management:

1901, on purchase of grounds (Lincoln citizens).....	\$ 4,300.00
1901, perm't improvements.....	4,371.85
1902, " " " ".....	4,713.00
1903, " " " ".....	4,238.00
1904, " " " ".....	666.76
1905, " " " ".....	11,814.84
1906, " " " ".....	4,248.26
1907, " " " ".....	33,000.00
1908, " " " ".....	21,011.48
1909, " " " ".....	5,840.00
1910, " " " ".....	10,960.00
Earthwork.....	2,500.00
Grandstand and sewer.....	10,000.00
Cement work.....	\$22.00
Turnstiles.....	997.00
Entrances.....	217.00

Total.....\$122,701.19

Nebraska is practically the third agricultural state of the Union and its third in greatest number of farm animals. Omaha is also the third market in the country for the number of animals handled, hence the importance of agricultural education is of great value to the citizens of Nebraska. The great incentives for this education is through the press of whose loyalty Nebraska is extremely favored, the agricultural school, farmers' institutes and at the places where the object lessons inspires our people to greater or more concentrated effort, such an inspiration as is secured to the actual farmer by his attendance at the State Fair, where he can study the excellent qualifications of animals, fowls, crop production, scientific machinery and such other object lessons which explain and educate at a glance.

While securing this education he is so entertained by the best contests of speed, four aeroplane flights each day (two aeroplanes manipulated by two aviators), the Liberal Military band and Grand Opera Concert company of sixty-one people, seven free vaudeville numbers, relay, roman chariot and hippodrome races, the Patterson Carnival company, electric theaters, fireworks and in fact all entertainments which go toward the making of a great fair. Remember the dates, Sept. 4 to 8, 1911.



LIVE STOCK JUDGING COLISEUM.

THE FIGHT FOR PURE FOOD

Millionaire Corporations Determined to Sell Doped Foods Without Molestation

DR. WILEY'S NOBLE FIGHT

Whenever a public official has the integrity and bravery to call to account men and corporations who are rolling up wealth by schemes and practices that do the public an injustice, that official may depend upon it that the special privileged fellows whose wishes he dares to oppose will get his scalp if they can—and they usually can under an administration that depends upon them for campaign funds and support. Dr. Wiley, chief chemist of the Agricultural Department, is one of a few department officials at Washington who have in recent years dared to stand for the rights of the common people, instead of submitting to the dictates of the powerful trusts. And now they are hot on his track. The following, from one of The Herald's Washington correspondents, gives some light on the subject. In the last paragraph of the following, we would change the statement, "This whole affair shows how subservient the republican party is to corrupt men and measures" to saying that it shows how subservient the standpat element of the republican party is to corrupt men and measures—but then in Washington the standpat element is looked upon as being the party.

Attack on Dr. Wiley

In the past few days President Taft has acquiesced in, if not actually approved the effort to remove Dr. Wiley from the position of chief chemist of the Agricultural Department. This affair has developed the greatest political sensation that Washington has experienced in more than a year. The great food canners throughout the country were, before the pure food law was enacted, extensive users of poisonous preservatives in their canned goods. Dr. Wiley, as chief chemist of the Agricultural Department and therefore executive of the pure food law, has been relentless in his fight for pure food and he has struck sledge hammer blows at food adulterators and users of poisonous preservatives wherever he found them.

Cause of the Attack

These food manufacturers, which include meat canners of Chicago and

elsewhere and vegetable and fruit canners all over the country, are anxious to have Dr. Wiley removed as they have power enough with the republican party to name "their own man" as his successor. They would then have no difficulty whatever with our pure food laws as they would own the judge, so to speak. The Standard Oil Company and other great companies do not care very much what kind of laws we pass, because they are the ones who through our presidents, always name the judge who nullifies the laws and lets the corporations escape fines. The charge against Dr. Wiley is that he permitted a chemical expert assistant to draw a little larger salary than was authorized by law.

Even this is far fetched. The law authorizes Dr. Wiley to pay \$1,600 a year for an expert assistant, but the fact is, expert chemists cannot be had for such a price as that. So Dr. Wiley appointed Dr. Rusby of New York as his assistant at \$1,600 per year, with the understanding that Dr. Rusby would receive \$20 per day for the work that he did in the laboratory; and under this arrangement he would not be working more than a part of the time, but would draw \$20 per day out of the \$1,600 per annum when he did work. Dr. Wiley's department was investigated by Attorney General Wickersham, and he recommended that Dr. Wiley be permitted to resign. The fact of the matter is, the whole affair was trumped up to scare Dr. Wiley into resigning. But those who thought he would resign have another guess coming to them. Dr. Wiley has rendered the greatest service to this country of any man alive today, and the effort which was made to oust him resulted in letters pouring into the White House by the thousands.

This whole affair shows how subservient the republican party is to corrupt men and measures. The food canners of course will be heavy contributors to the republican campaign fund next year if Wiley is fired, and Taft is willing, if public opinion can be hushed up. But it cannot be.

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