

Bankers Discuss More Profits for State's Farmers

Agricultural Committee of Chamber of Commerce Tackles Problem of How to Make Farming Profitable.
How to make agriculture in Nebraska more profitable was the problem tackled by 30 of the leading business men and bankers of Omaha yesterday. F. J. Farrington, manager of the John Deere Flow company, outlined a proposal for a dairy co-op exchange to encourage dairying in the state. David Cole offered the free use of 80 acres near Omaha as a concentration point for dairy stock to be brought from Wisconsin, Illinois and other dairy states to be put on pasture in Nebraska.

John L. Kennedy, president of the United States National bank, presented a committee resolution calling on the government to encourage the use of corn as food in Europe. Congress will be asked to use moving picture demonstrators and other means to convince foreigners that Nebraska corn is good to eat.

G. W. Holdrege proposed the establishment of plants for dehydrating potatoes, a system found practical in Germany.

Hogan Presides at Meeting.
Dennis P. Hogan, president of the Federal Land bank, acted as chairman of the meeting, which was a regular session of the agricultural committee of the Chamber of Commerce. He named Mr. Farrington, C. F. Schwager, G. W. Holdrege, Warden M. Cole and David Cole as sub-committees to investigate the plan to increase dairying.

Mr. Farrington, who operates a dairy farm of his own, declared that it was to the interest of the farmers and to the benefit of general prosperity to increase the milk production of Nebraska. He stated that the farmers of the dairy sections had not felt the pinch like those who depend solely on their grain crops. Speaking as a business man he stated that debts were paid more promptly in dairy districts than anywhere else. He quoted the estimate made by a farm magazine that the farmers who have the best homes and the most conveniences are those who have monthly cream checks coming in.

Starts Dairy Campaign.
He has started a single-handed state-wide campaign to encourage and make possible the purchase of dairy stock. It is his plan now to get the co-operation of every commercial club in Nebraska, the War Finance corporation and the farmers to bring the milk and butter production of Nebraska up to that of Iowa, Minnesota and other states.

Arrangements have been made for the employment of a dairy expert to select the best stock and bring it to Nebraska farmers. An agent would be established at the stock yards to meet the stockmen and assist them in finding suitable cows. The organization would be operated without profit, the benefits coming in through the increased buying power of the farmers.

Nebraska Halts Wheels of Industry To Revere Deeds of Sacrifice in War And Pray for Lasting Peace in World

Nebraska, as a state, paused today to revere the names and the deeds of its men and women who sacrificed in the period of war, and prayed for ultimate finding of a means of settling disputes between nations other than armed conflict.

The governor of the state called on Nebraska's citizens to do honor to those who served and have gone, to those present, and to hope and pray that it may now be proven that they did not struggle in vain. "Let us offer prayer to the Supreme Ruler of the Universe that the nation of the earth may so order their affairs that we shall be spared from war forever; let us cast aside the selfishness of all individuals, classes and groups and dedate our lives to service in the common good from today henceforth," the governor proclaimed.

Silent Prayer.
A holiday by virtue of the last legislature and also made a national holiday by congress in tribute to the burial of America's unknown soldier at Arlington National cemetery, the commonwealth was expected to rid itself of business and mingle in the programs of celebration and memorial.

Ex-service men halted at 11 o'clock in the morning and the streets faced the east and uttered a silent prayer in honor of this unknown warrior.

Service men's organizations called all their active members to advance the spirit of the day in dignified and serious commemoration.

Colleges Observe Day.
Agricultural societies, while deploring the present condition of their industry, in statements of optimism pledged loyalty to the development of the state's resources and endorsed the program of disarmament as one of the stabilizers of the future.

The state's colleges and all its institutions prepared special observances for the day. Business halted and the wheels of the state's machine stopped for a minute of prayer. Fraternal organizations mingled in every celebration. In most parts it was a holiday.

Victory prompted frolic after those hours were over that paid tribute to departed ones. Parades, carnivals, athletic events of all descriptions, boxing and wrestling bouts, sham battles, barbecues, reunions and excursions were planned in virtually every hamlet.

Towns Celebrate.
Various cities and towns in Nebraska observed the day as follows:

Lincoln.The celebration of Armistice day in the capital city of Nebraska rivaled that of the early morning of November 11, 1918, only the serious touch of preparation and anticipation into the future was felt even when the blaring bands led the cheering hundreds in the parade that was the feature of the day. All Lincoln was represented in the parade and many visitors from suburban towns, who began flocking into the city, at daybreak. The band of the Lincoln post of the American Legion, the second best band in the country, and the 70-piece band of the R. O. U. C. at the University of Nebraska, furnished the cadence for the marchers.

The morning's program was composed chiefly of the presentation of engraved service certificates to Lancaster's quota in the late war. Reunions, entertainments and dancing are on the program for the evening.

The University of Nebraska as an institution joined forces with the Lincoln celebration. Prof. Clarence Frankforter, major of the reserves, called the university cadets into formation at noon for participation in the Lincoln parade, a section of which was given over to students, faculty and alumni. A holiday was in effect at the university.

Axtell.Beginning with a parade at 10 and a program continuing until evening, this community observed Armistice day with a varied lot of programs. The Axtell band entertained all day. Service certificates were distributed. A memorial service was held at noon. Indoor and outdoor programs were carried out this afternoon and a suitable program for this evening was scheduled.

Madison.Armistice day celebration and memorial here was of a quiet nature, a general observance being conducted by individuals in the city. The annual Armistice day dance of the American Legion was held last night and today's activities were curtailed in order not to conflict with the carnival and program at Columbus.

Pawnee City.The women of the community were hosts to the ex-service men of Pawnee City today, closing in a banquet to members of the American Legion tonight. A show will be staged after the banquet. Armistice day activities were chiefly in the hands of the wives, mothers and sisters of ex-service men.

Grand Island.A disarmament meeting was held at Grand Island college at which members of the local post of the American Legion took an active part. Students and faculty joined the Legion and other city organizations in a parade in the afternoon and later attended a foot ball game.

Shelton.Churches of Shelton, the American Legion and other organizations united in a celebration and observance of Armistice day. Stores closed at noon and business firms joined in the program. A parade was held.

Franklin.Anno Sanger post, No. 209, of the American Legion was in charge of the Armistice day program here. It was the largest demonstration and memorial service ever held in the city. A parade, led by ex-service men and followed by citizens and floats, started for the fair grounds at noon, where the afternoon was devoted to an athletic carnival.

Wymore.The Community club had under management the Armistice day celebration here today, which called for a band concert and presentation of service certificates at a local theater this morning, a parade and memorial service at noon and a dance for the benefit of the American Legion tonight.

Crete.Governor McKelvie was the principal speaker at the Armistice day memorial held by Doane college.

The day's observance began with the senior recognition exercises, a barbecue at noon and a parade and homecoming foot ball game between Doane and York in the afternoon. Governor McKelvie presented the gold certificates posthumously.

Schuyler.Members of the local post of the American Legion and representatives of civic interests of Schuyler left early today for Columbus, where they were to participate in the Armistice day program in that city. No general community celebration was held here.

Bethany.The students and faculty of Colver college, church and town people assembled at 10 this morning for a community memorial. Terming the interests of the world focalized on the Washington conference of disarmament, memorials were presented at the meeting and forwarded to the national capital.

Nebraska City.The Adam Schellinger post of the American Legion centered its forces today in observance of Armistice day. A parade in which virtually every ex-service man participated was held shortly before noon, which preceded the foot ball game between Nebraska City and Falls City.

David City.Armistice day celebration and memorial here consisted of a parade and drill by ex-service men this morning, a big dinner at noon, an indoor carnival and a foot ball game this afternoon between David City and Seward High schools. A Red Cross pageant, participated in by 200 persons followed by a community dance, was the attraction for the evening. Certificates of service were to be given Butler county veterans later today.

Scottsbluff.A parade at 11 of ex-service men in uniform, a memorial service at noon in honor of the war dead and the burial of the unknown soldier at Washington, a foot ball game in the afternoon and a banquet "limited to Legionnaires, auxiliaries, members, wives, husbands and sweethearts" tonight, are the high lights of the Armistice day program here today. Col. J. G. Maher of Lincoln delivered an address this morning.

Bloomfield.Armistice day was observed here by the Ray Lamb post of the American Legion. A public program was held in the opera house this morning and a foot ball game between the high school and alumni followed. A grand ball will be staged tonight.

Burket.Veterans of past wars, non-inmates of the Nebraska Soldiers' and Sailors' home, assembled in uniform of old to pay respects to those veterans of the younger generation and reminisce. The program consisted of a general patriotic demonstration, a parade and addresses. Addison Wait, commandant of the home and patriotic instructor of the Nebraska department of the G. A. R., was in charge of the ceremony.

Broken Bow.A parade, foot ball game, barbecue and a big dance tonight were the entertainment features of the day's Armistice program, while a memorial service was to be held at noon for departed ex-service men and in respect to the burial of America's unknown warrior.

Leap City's civic organizations, representative ex-service men and prominent citizens today celebrated Armistice day. While no special program had been prepared, the community as a whole paid tribute to the day in individual memorials.

Wayne.Armistice day exercises at the normal school and teachers' college here today began with the chapel period this morning. A program significant of the occasion was given. Arthur Middleton, a noted singer, appears on the entertainment program tonight with a series of numbers commemorative of the day.

Fremont—Unveiling of a \$5,000 monument presented to the city by L. M. Keene, in memory of the Fremont youth who sacrificed in the war, was the chief event of Armistice day memorials here. The names of 33 soldiers who died in the war will be inscribed on a bronze tablet to be placed on the monument.

Peru.Classes at the state normal school and teachers' college here today were suspended to permit instructors and many students to attend the teachers' convention at Omaha. Those who did not attend the meeting participated in the community Armistice day program, which included a parade and a big dance tonight.

Central City.Nebraska Central college observed Armistice day by special chapel exercises and a prayer meeting. Students and faculty united with the Ministerial alliance in a union service for all denominations in the city, working in the spirit of the day in keeping with the spirit of disarmament.

Grand Island.A parade by ex-service men in uniform, a foot ball game between Wesleyan and Grand Island colleges in the afternoon and the dedication ceremonies of a local "Voiture of the Society of 40 Hommes and Eight Chevaux" were the principal features in the Armistice day celebration here.

Falls City.Following a day of celebration sponsored by the local post of the American Legion, post tent tonight will give a play entitled, "Leave It to Me."

Holdrege.The Armistice day program here was commemorative of the boys who served and died in the world war, conducted by the local post of the American Legion.

University Place.Students of Nebraska Wesleyan celebrated Armistice day today by a special program of exercises and addresses conducted during the chapel hour, followed by addresses from the faculty and prominent members of the Nebraska Methodist conference. The program was arranged by a committee of ex-service men attending the college.

Hastings.Hastings college entered the Armistice day observance program of the city, following special services held in the auditorium of the college this morning. Students and faculty appeared on the program, which included songs, addresses and testimonials in keeping with the spirit of the day.

York.Students and faculty of York college supported today their action in commending the Washington conference on disarmament and participated in a memorial and patriotic program given at the chapel hour exercises.

Good Roads Meeting Is Held at Scotia

North Loup, Neb., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—The largest attended and the most enthusiastic good roads meeting ever held in this territory was held in the Community club rooms in Scotia. The meeting was called in the interests of the Central Nebraska and Loup River highway, a cutoff of the Lincoln highway between Columbus and North Platte, and was presided over by the president, E. J. Babcock of North Loup.

The object of the meeting was to recognize a cutoff between Scotia and Walbach, which shortens the highway about 18 miles. Delegates were present from many of the towns from Columbus to Broken Bow. The line is carefully worked much of the way and will shorten the distance between Columbus and North Platte many miles.

The delegates were entertained by the Woman's Community club of Scotia, the only organization of the kind in this territory. The women served a dinner in the basement of the M. E. church.

Beet Harvest at Oshkosh To Be Finished This Week
Oshkosh, Neb., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—This week will end the beet harvest, probably the biggest crop ever harvested in this part of the valley. It is estimated that more than \$100,000 will be paid to beet producers tributary to Oshkosh.

Goehner Farmers Feed
Montana Cattle on Shares
Several of the feed lots in the vicinity of Goehner are being filled up with cattle from Montana to be fed on shares this winter, according to George Bauer, Jr., of Goehner, who was in this week with a shipment of live stock.

Mr. Bauer said it was expected there would be a large number of cattle shipped out of his neighborhood within the next 120 days to the Omaha market, and that the plan of feeding cattle on shares was quite popular. He said the scheme admitted no sharing of loss by the farmer and made him interested in its success, he had a share of the profits, if there should be any.

Stanton County Farmers Will Not Buy Cattle Feed

Only enough cattle to eat the corn on hand will be raised by most of the farmers of Stanton county this season, according to Thomas Mortimer, who was a visitor at the stock yards. Mr. Mortimer said the rule had been for farmers to get a lot of cattle and then have feed shipped in for consumption, but this year the banks have given out the word that only sufficient funds would be furnished for each farmer desiring to go into cattle raising to consume only the amount of feed on hand.

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