

### Tammany Missionaries in the Corn Belt

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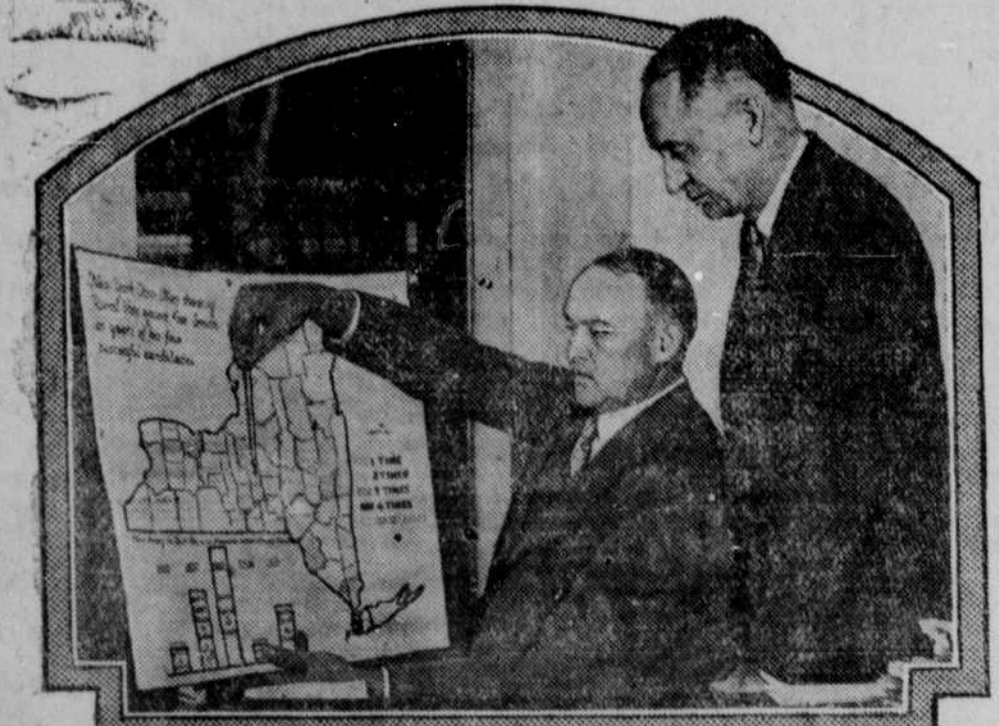
#### THE HIDDEN CLUES IN TREASURE HUNT

Following is the list of clues put out for the treasure hunt given by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lewis, Miss Mariam Golden, Hugh McLeod and Hugh O'Donnell, Sunday, September 30th.

- 1.—On light poles three blocks north, east and west.
- 2.—This thrilling love letter was found in a basket of beans.  
Dearest Sweet Pea: Do you carrot all for me? My heart beats for you with your radish hair and your turnip nose; you are the apple of my eye. Give me a date. If we canteloupe, lettuce marry anyway. I know we would be a happy pear.  
Yours,  
I. G. A. sparagus
3. ---
4. Rhythm hits the Bulls eye.
5. "Gargoyle" the motorists friend Don't use any other blend. Change now.
6. Go west on Hancock street, turn to right. Stop at hobo's highway, face setting sun, count telegraph poles to green light, multiply by two and add one. Go that many blocks north, and same number east. Enter.—Beware of gallant steed, which has no speed.
7. 9-2016-1-25-19-20-15-1-4-22-5-18-20-9-10-5-8-1-18-20-19-3-8-1-6-6-14-5-18-13-1-18-24.
8. In a secluded nook Beside a sparkling brook You'll find tranquility and lacer-tude In the "Arms of Morpheus".

9. From six little houses all in a row; farther east will you tired ones go. But, Beware! Its a trap.
10. Due perhaps, to my "high flown airs I am left, unfurled to the elements.
11. We can live without culture and we can live without art  
We can live without conscience and we can live without a heart  
We can live without friends and we can live without books  
But civilized people can't live without good cooks.
12. This shouldn't be very hard Just play in the yard Its the limit!
13. If you are old twill be a great boon, For you will remember the Critic saloon. There death was dealt to Barney Kearns, success to the first who learns. Take 35 steps and if your not blind There your next clue you will find.
14. Brethern unless you repent, in a measure, and be converted, as it were, you will be, I regret to say, doomed to some extent.
15. Cheer up folks just a little rhyme, if you solve this your right in line  
"A balky mule has four-wheel brakes A billy goat has bumpers The kangaroo a rumble seat And rabbits are puddle jumpers."  
Taken from Smoke House poetry  
Here I am. Take me to the Grand Cafe and claim FIRST PRIZE.  
The winners were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mullen, Miss Bernadette Brennan and Frank McCarthy.

### Heed N. Y. Farmers' Experience With Al Smith, Empire State Agriculturist Warns Middle West



Charles S. Wilson Points Out Rural District Hostility to Governor in His Own State for William H. Hill, New York Hoover Campaign Manager.

"My advice to the farmers of the Middle West is that they find out what we farmers in New York State think about Governor Smith," declares Charles S. Wilson, former State Commissioner of Agriculture.

Mr. Wilson and his brother-in-law operate a 600 acre farm at Hall, Ontario County, New York.

"New York State farmers know, on the basis of Governor Smith's record, that he will not do for agriculture what Herbert Hoover will do," declared former Commissioner Wilson.

"I think the Governor's attitude toward the Council of Farms and Markets is typical. This council was provided for when I was Commissioner. It was put through by the farm interests of the State, who felt that they would be safer with farmers administering the Department of Agriculture than with politicians doing it. They looked upon the council as a sort of board of directors to the department.

"Governor Smith, despite the expressed desires of the farmers, repeatedly recommended that the council be abolished. He was not in favor of direct representation for farmers. "The farmers of this State are encountering as much trouble as the farmers of other States. I believe that conditions cannot be remedied unless we have greater tariff protection on some products and better marketing facilities so that we don't have to sell in a buyers' market.

"Herbert Hoover is the man to give us this kind of relief. My advice to the farmers of the Middle West is that they find out what we farmers in New York think about the Governor before they vote for him for president of the United States."

## PROTECTION FOR FARM PRODUCTS IS VITAL ISSUE

Republican Text Book Points Out How Tariff Has Helped Nation's Agriculture.

#### REVIEWS HOOVER FARM PLAN

First Section of New Campaign Document Deals With Basic Farm Problem.

WASHINGTON — The American farmer under Republican administration has had practically a monopoly of his home market. In this protected market, he disposes of 95 per cent of his products at prices higher than are paid elsewhere in the world for like products. This is pointed out in the Republican campaign textbook.

The complete book is being printed in installments of which the first is devoted entirely to agriculture, and includes pertinent extracts from Herbert Hoover's acceptance address, the agricultural plank of the Kansas City platform and other pertinent data relative to the farm situation.

In addition to this, there is a recital of the Republican party's constructive legislation in behalf of agriculture since 1920, a provision intended to show that the promises now being made to the farmers by Mr. Hoover and Senator Curtis spring from a sympathetic attitude and therefore will be fulfilled in good faith by the Republicans.

The problems of agriculture are treated from an economic rather than a political viewpoint, and emphasis is laid on the freedom from economic fallacies of the agricultural legislation already passed by Republican congresses which includes 24 measures since March, 1921.

"Republican legislation in behalf of agricultural producers has been formulated with a view of its having permanent value and being founded in sound political economy and good sense," says the textbook. "The control of every Republican Congress has been in the hands of those representing agricultural constituencies. So it has been logical and inevitable that the interests of agriculture have been conserved by the Republican party."

#### Loan Banks Aid Farmers

Since 1921 there has been made available to agricultural borrowers under Republican administrations a total of \$2,774,198,040, chiefly through the federal farm loan banks, the joint stock land banks, the intermediate credit banks and the war finance corporation. This recapitulation does not take into account such organizations as the Agricultural Credit Corporation, organized in 1924 to relieve an agricultural crisis in the northwest, nor the development of federal warehousing as an aid to marketing under the amended Federal Warehousing Act.

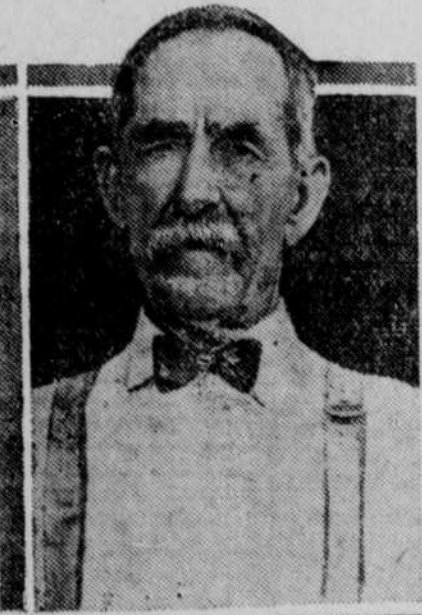
In the same period, under a Republican tariff which protects more agricultural products than any in history, the farm price of wheat has increased 20 per cent; rye, 20 per cent; corn, 70 per cent; oats, 30 per cent; barley, 60 per cent; flaxseed, 27 per cent; beef cattle, 80 per cent; calves, 50 per cent; butter, 15 per cent; hogs, 25 per cent; sheep, 80 per cent; lambs, 72½ per cent; wool, 100 per cent.

The fallacy of arbitrary methods for lessening the spread between the producer and the ultimate consumer, such as are advocated by the 1928 Democratic platform, is pointed. They would necessarily result in price-fixing, and inevitably the \$9,000,000 non-agricultural consumers would be fixing the price they desired to pay the 28,000,000 agricultural producers.

"Such a proposal is abhorrent to the spirit of American institutions," says the textbook. "It is the very essence of state socialism in that it would completely eliminate the element of individual initiative and enterprise with their commensurate individual reward."

Mr. Hoover's suggestions for the improvement of the farm situation are reviewed, particularly the emphasis he has laid upon the need for development of the home market, rather than experimental attempts to increase shipments of our agricultural products to foreign countries.

#### Led Hoover "Gang"



Benjamin Schooley, of Lawrence, Kan., was stunt leader of Hoover's beyhood chums.

#### ANNUAL RANCHERS MEETING OCT. 17 AT EXPERIMENT SUBSTATION

Valentine, Neb., Oct. 10.—The annual fall ranchers and feeders meeting at the experimental substation of the Nebraska College of Agriculture will be held Oct. 17.

The feature of the meeting will be the announcement of test results on six lots of calves, now grown to yearlings, which were used the past year in the range calf wintering experiment.

During the winter lot one received straight prairie hay, lot two prairie hay and one-half pound of cottonseed cake per head per day, lot three prairie hay and one pound of cottonseed cake, lot four prairie hay and one and one-half pounds of cottonseed cake, lot five prairie hay and bone meal, lot six clover mixed hay. In May the calves were turned on the range together.

Dean W. W. Burr and Prof. H. J. Gramlich from the Agricultural college will be at the meeting and assist Supt. E. M. Brouse with the program.

#### CELIA NEWS.

About one hundred head of cattle were delivered to the Atkinson stockyards last week by several neighbors. This stock was contracted some time ago for October delivery, hence the neighbor did not have to stand the loss on account of the recent decline in stock prices. The community truck hauled the W. O. James calves to Stuart Friday. There are still some feeding cattle left in the community, as Scott and Johnson have not disposed of all their marketable stock yet. Pohnson's feeders go to Oakland where the boys will feed them the coming winter.

B. F. Kissingers' sale was well attended and the various things sold well. Cattle of course selling best. The hay in stack brought \$5.80 a ton. The Farmall tractor with the mowers brought close to \$700.00.

Peter Monson, of Wausa, came up Saturday and stayed over night with his brother-in-law, J. V. Johnson. He did not buy any stock this time, however he is feeding sheep this year, and had several hundred coming the same night, purchased in the northwest some where and shipped to Yankton from which place they were to be trucked to Wausa. He reported corn only half a crop at that place.

The ex-east schoolma'am left her Ford Coupe in Atkinson last spring, which Mr. Monson drove home Sunday. By the way the ex-east schoolma'am is engaged in teaching again at \$90 a month, about fourteen miles from Wausa.

Peter Judge and son, Christ, delivered a few head of horses to Stuart Friday.

Willard Greenwood was evidently thinking about the new boy and pur-

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