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A. C. FAIRCHILD, Lecturer, Oakdale.  
B. F. ALLEN, Chairman, Ex. Com., Washburn.

In the beauty of the hills  
Christ was born across the sea,  
with a glory in his bosom  
That transfigures you and me.  
As he strove to make men holy  
Let us strive to make them free,  
Since God is marching on.  
—Julia Ward Howe.

We would be glad to get items from every county in the state on condition of the Alliance work.

### Program.

- SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION.**
1. Our financial system.
  2. Resolved, That cities should own and operate their street railways, water works, telephone and electric light systems.

- SUBJECTS FOR ESSAYS.**
1. "Eternal smiles their emptiness betray. As shallow streams run dimpling all the way."
  2. What constitutes a good book?
  3. Evils of indirect taxation.
  4. Poultry on the farm.

- SUBJECTS FOR SPEECHES.**
1. My ideal statesman.
  2. How I would run a newspaper.
  3. Ignatius Donnelly, the greatest man of the age.
  4. The coming civilization.

### AN EARNEST APPEAL.

**To The Subordinate Alliances of The F. A. & I. U. of Nebraska.**

The executive committee deeply regret the step that State Lecturer S. C. Fairchild has been compelled to take on account of lack of the necessary funds to carry on his work. We trust that his retirement will be of short duration as his services in the field are much needed. We fully realize the importance of the work and that it is detrimental to the interest of the alliance to suspend even for a single day our effort to more fully demonstrate to the people the merits of our cause. Yet without funds the work cannot be carried on.

We appeal to the subordinate alliances to arouse from their fatal lethargy and become once more active and alive. The good already accomplished pays more than a hundred fold of what the organization has cost.

To the alliance organization alone must be credited the stopping of the plunder of the state institutions. In this problem the alliance is the multiplicand and the multiplier is three. The product was the election of a governor and legislature in 1890. It took the combined effort of two corrupt parties to defraud the people of their governor and prevent equitable legislation two years ago. Where but in the subordinate alliances did those 54 brave and true independent men in the last legislature educate themselves to be the superiors of the political hacks of the old parties aided by the schemes of a hired lobby and supplemented by the tyrannical ruling of a conscienceless Lieutenant Governor.

We are proud of the alliance educational institution that produces such graduates as composed the legislature just adjourned.

The courts are just now entering upon a line of decisions never before laid down. They must be reviewed by the great court of public opinion as formed in the school houses and in the alliances. Judges Ricks, Taft and Billings can render their decisions upon cretations of "inter-state commerce law and nullify organized labor compelling intelligent men to unwilling service to corporate employers under penalty of fine and imprisonment.

Judicial decisions should be based upon the broad statute of human right and human justice and no where should property be placed superior or above man in the structure of our laws or their execution.

We now repeat what the executive committee have before stated that with the aid of volunteer lecturers any county or local alliance that will make arrangements for two or four meetings in a county or in adjoining counties and notify the state secretary of the same, a lecturer will be sent, and where any particular lecturer is desired he will be sent if possible. If not we will send the best we can get so that the time and place and speaker may be properly advertised.

We trust and hope that every alliance man and woman will awake to the great needs of the hour. The sun of reform is up, the work must be pushed and completed. Then we will bow to no throne but that of justice and admit no code but that of reason. We will moderate ourselves. Educate ourselves and live for our fellow citizens that they may live for us.  
B. F. ALLEN,  
Chairman Ex. Com.

## A SUGGESTION.

Brother Allen's letter is a most earnest appeal. We believe Brother Allen to be a sincere Alliance worker, as well as a most worthy man. We are very sorry he finds such appeals necessary. We feel like offering him a suggestion that will be worth more to the Alliance organization than a whole basket full of appeals: Let the executive committee get together as soon as possible and

- 1 Reclaim the \$80 the secretary has already spent for clerk hire contrary to the resolution of the state Alliance.
- 2 Pass a resolution forbidding any further use of Alliance funds for clerk hire.
- 3 Pass another resolution cutting the "rake-off" out of the secretary's allowance for rent and fuel. \$10 per month is ample for that purpose, yet during 1891 the secretary was allowed over \$30 per month, and last year \$20.
- 4 Pass another resolution providing that there shall be no discrimination against any officer of the state Alliance this year in the payment of salaries.
- 5 Then publish these resolutions to the Alliances of the state, and give the people to understand that none of Burrows' old claims will be allowed this year.

This suggestion is offered in good faith. If it is accepted and acted on we believe that Alliances will begin sending in dues once more, and there will be money to pay the state lecturer.

### SOMETHING TO CONSIDER.

**A Plan by Which Farmers' May Regulate the Marketing of Their Surplus.**

WHITTIER, Neb., April 22, 1893.  
EDITOR ALLIANCE-INDEPENDENT:—  
We have recently reorganized the alliances at Garfield and Whittier. There is a feeling among our people that we cannot do better than to keep up our work in the alliance. A public meeting was held lately for the purpose of organizing a company, to control our surplus production, keeping the surplus in our own hands instead of putting it upon the market for the speculator.

This company will be non-political, embracing all farmers. It contemplates organization by precincts, counties and states. Secretaries for each precinct would, at a meeting held for the purpose, ascertain from each member the amount of produce of any kind the member would want to put upon the market in the following month. These reports would be consolidated by county secretaries, forwarded to a state secretary, and by him forwarded to a duly elected agent, say at Chicago. It would be the duty of this agent to thoroughly acquaint himself with the home and foreign demands, and to know how much of any given product would meet with ready sale. If the state reports showed an excess of offering above market demands the percentage of excess would be retained by the producer and only the amount shipped that the market demanded. A fee of one dollar per year from each member would pay all salaries etc.

The hog market this season illustrates what it might accomplish for the producer. It was estimated that the hog product was one third short, that is we had but two hogs to put on the market where ordinarily we had three. Supposing the shortness of the hog crop was the cause of the advance in prices, our two hogs brought us more money than if we had had three. If we had had three the speculator would have got the surplus. It works the same way in other products.

If this matter is of interest to your readers, I will write of it at greater length.  
Fraternally,  
R. C. HARDIN.

### ALLIANCE MEETINGS.

**PERKINS COUNTY.** The Perkins County Alliance will meet at Grant at 10 a. m. on Saturday April 29, 1893. A full representation is very essential. Secretaries who have not reported will please do so at once.  
T. A. CLUGSTON, Sec.

**CUMING COUNTY.** The Cuming County Alliance will meet in Beemer at 1 o'clock p. m., April 29, 1893. It is earnestly desired that delegates from each subordinate alliance be sent to this meeting, as matters of importance to the order will be up for consideration.  
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HERMAN LAASE, Pres.,  
C. A. SNYGG, Sec.

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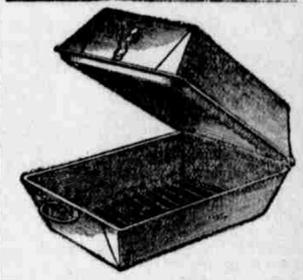
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