

## Farm Bureau's Policy is to Give Farmer Protect'n

Announces Policies to Give Greater Economic Standing to Farmers of the Nation.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (UP)—The American Farm Bureau Federation was pledged today in support of a national farm policy, designed to restore the economic standing of American farmers and "guaranteed" to provide price stability and surplus crop control.

Such a program, the keynote of resolutions adopted at the closing session of the federation's annual convention, will effect a "fair balance between agriculture, industry and labor," President Edward A. O'Neal said.

Of 21 resolutions adopted, the main recommendations included:

1. Restoration of a high degree of soil fertility through soil conservation.
2. Agricultural tariffs to protect the domestic markets from imports that force American markets below parity levels.
3. Reduction of industrial tariffs to equalize the price levels of industrial and agricultural commodities.
4. Development of new outlets for American-grown farm products.
5. State and federal marketing agreements and orders to stabilize the price level of any agricultural commodity.
6. Withholding of crop surpluses from market channels under a system of federal loans based upon warehouse or trust receipts.

The delegates, representing 408,000 farm families in 39 states, re-elected O'Neal, a Chicagoan, as president.

Earl C. Smith, Detroit, Ill., president of the Illinois Agricultural association, was re-elected vice president. Harry H. Nuttle, Denton, Md.; Ransom Aldrich, Michigan City, Miss.; Hassil Schenck, Lebanon, Ind.; and George Ogilvie, Lee, Nev., were elected to the board of directors.

The convention resolutions offered no comment on the pending house farm bill which had been described by President O'Neal and other officers as a "tragedy for agriculture." The delegates only statement on farm legislation was to "endorse the provisions of the A.A.A. of 1937 as presented to the house and senate committees on agriculture."

A resolution blamed federal laws, tariffs, and labor and business monopolies for the "maladjustment among agriculture, industry, and labor."

Additional resolutions referred to: Agricultural appropriations—Favoring adequate appropriation for making effective agricultural legislation.

Transportation—opposition to increased freight rates.

Relief—Recommended returning relief responsibility to the states, declaring there is no further need for gigantic federal relief expenditures.

Labor—Announced opposition to shorter working hours and higher wages for labor until farm prices are restored to a "parity" relationship.

The convention announced that organized agriculture no longer will request support of the federal government, if business and labor will permit restoration of free competition.

### ASK LIBERAL ZONING

LINCOLN, Dec. 18 (UP)—Five owners of real estate in the neighborhood of the state capitol today asked the state planning board to be "liberal" in recommending a zoning ordinance for the state house environs.

They said that to restrict the area to residence and apartment construction would not have the effect of beautifying the neighborhood. Zoning of the capitol environs is a problem of the Lincoln city council.

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### DISLIKE TICKET HANDLING

PASEDNA, Calif., Dec. 18 (UP)—The mounting indignation of Pasadena citizens who have been shut out of their own Rose Bowl game flared today in an official protest condemning the method of distributing tickets to the New Year's day football classic.

The All-Year club of Southern California, one of the most powerful tourist promotion agencies in the country, addressed an open letter to the Pacific coast conference, charging that the present shortage is driving away out-of-state visitors, and asking that the system be revised for future games.

The protest was made shortly after officials of the University of California indicated that the game already had been over-subscribed by the California alumni, and that there would be no public ticket sale for the first time in history.

### STATE WHEAT \$44,200,000

LINCOLN, Dec. 18 (UP)—The cash income from the 47,184,000 bushel wheat crop was estimated today by the department of agriculture at \$44,200,000.

The total income to date from cash crops was placed at \$46,275,000. The state grew 82,992,000 bushels of corn but the cash income from that crop was estimated at only \$1,050,000 because most of it is fed to livestock on the farms. Similarly, cash income from oats, 35,637,000 bushels this year was figured at \$1,025,000.

Agriculture department statisticians estimated the state's potato production at 6,035,000 bushels and valued the cash crop at \$3,000,000.

### TO REORGANIZE CHINESE ARMY

SHANGHAI, Dec. 18 (UP)—Plans for a complete military reorganization of the Chinese government and army for a prolonged war with Japan were reported today by Chinese sources.

It was asserted that the plans entail not only closer operation between the Kuomintang (government political party) and former Chinese leaders, but an attempt to get Soviet aid from Russia.

Particularly it was hoped to get Russian aid in training Chinese soldiers, it was said.

Under the plan General Chiang Kai Chek would remain chief of the cabinet.

### REPORT JAP BOAT SUNK

HONG KONG, China, Dec. 18 (UP)—Unconfirmed reports from Canton said today that Chinese land batteries had struck and sunk a Japanese destroyer after Japanese warships had bombarded Wutang-fukien province on the southeastern coast.

The Chinese forts at Washan repelled and scored five hits upon the destroyer which departed and sank.

### BRITISH SHIP TO CHINA

LONDON, Dec. 18 (UP)—The newspaper Star asserted today that the cabinet had decided that three capital ships should be made ready to proceed to Chinese waters and that the ships, including the gigantic battle cruiser Hood, were now standing by awaiting orders. Foreign office and admiralty spokesmen said they had no information regarding the report.

### ACCEPT COMMITTEE JOBS

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 18 (UP)—Acceptance of 25,000 persons named for membership on the program committee of the republican national committee was announced today, including Dan Hildebrand of Seward, Nebraska and D. P. Hogan of Omaha, former president of the Omaha Federal Land bank.

### LEAVES LARGE ESTATE

ATCHISON, Kas., Dec. 18 (UP)—The late Ed W. Howe, Atchison newspaper publisher left an estate worth \$356,367.30, an inventory filed in probate court showed today.

### LAND, FARM and RANCH BARGAINS

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## SOCIAL

From Thursday's Daily—

**Presbyterian Federation—**  
The Federation of the Presbyterian church held at Christmas party yesterday in the Fellowship room of the church. At the opening of the meeting there was group singing of Christmas carols. A short business meeting was held.

The Speck sisters sang several songs and Mrs. Everett Pickens played two piano numbers. Miss Olive Gass gave the "Tree of Life," a Christmas story.

The federation voted to send a letter of protest to the National Broadcasting company in regard to the use of the Garden of Eden in a radio program on Sunday evening. The organization protested the use of biblical subjects in this manner and also the bad effect on children who might be listening in.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Sterling Ingwerson and Miss Gass. The serving table was decorated in white, with white candles, a white reindeer, silver dishes and crystal candle holders, while the rest of the room was decorated with the colorful Christmas decorations. The committee was selected from all the circles.

### Hold Luncheon and Bazaar—

Yesterday the Ladies' Aid of the Christian church held a luncheon and bazaar at the church. Group singing started the afternoon. Mrs. E. G. Ofe gave a reading and Mrs. Hal Garnett sang a solo. There was a large number present and the ladies made a nice sum of money at their bazaar which was very nice with a candy booth, fish pool and food sale.

From Friday's Daily—

**Hold Christmas Party—**  
The Ladies' Aid of the St. Paul's church had a very pleasant Christmas party at their meeting yesterday. There was singing of Christmas carols by the group. Light refreshments were served. All the ladies of the Aid were hostesses.

### Pinochle Club—

The Pinochle club met last night with Marie Horn and had their Christmas party. Marie Horn won first prize and Mrs. Paul Vandervoort won second.

### Gleaners Circle—

The Gleaners Circle of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Edgar Newton. Devotionals were led by Mrs. Ralph Wiles followed by a short business session.

Mrs. Lawson read the Christmas story. Patricia Ann LaRue sang Luther's Cradle Song and spoke a short Christmas piece. The members exchanged gifts. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. L. Heinrich.

### M. E. Federation Meets—

Yesterday the circles of the Methodist Federation held their meetings. The Dorcas Circle met with Mrs. R. B. Hayes. Mrs. V. T. Arn had

the devotionals, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Albert Kraeger, who read the story of the other wise men. Mrs. E. W. Thimgap and Mrs. Hayes sang the solo parts in connection with the devotionals. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were given. The circle voted to make up a Christmas basket.

The group sang Christmas carols and had a gift exchange. Refreshments were served by Mrs. R. B. Hayes, Mrs. T. B. Farmer, Mrs. Virginia Trively and Mrs. Walter Rhoades. A lighted Christmas tree was the center piece.

The Naomi Circle met with Miss Wilma Pickard, with Mrs. Albert Funk and Miss Thelma Diehm assisting. Mrs. William Baird gave a lovely Christmas lesson. After the regular business meeting, a Christmas party was held, with the exchange of gifts. There was a nice attendance of 22 members and all enjoyed the meeting.

### Delta Deck Club—

The Delta Deck club held their meeting in the form of a Christmas party last night at the home of Miss Amelia Martens. Mrs. Frank Gobelman won first prize. Mrs. Thomas Walling second and Mrs. H. C. McMaken of Omaha won the consolation prize. The members exchanged gifts. A Christmas dinner was served, with Christmas trees for place cards. It was a lovely party very much enjoyed by the members of the club.

From Saturday's Daily—

**Visiting in South—**  
Miss Josephine Rys departed last evening on a vacation trip to the south. She will visit at Houston, New Orleans, Miami and St. Augustine, expecting to return home on January 1st.

### D. D. Club Meets—

The Dizzy Dozen met Thursday evening at the home of Miss Frances Hadraba and had one of its grand old times. All who attended participated in games and enjoyed themselves to their heart's content.

Miss Margaret Valley was awarded a Christmas bag of candy for thinking up the most words that could be made from the word "stocking."

Miss Clara Toman was awarded a chocolate Santa Claus for completing the most "Kooties."

Presents were exchanged and Miss Valley was again awarded the prize for composing the best four-line poem about her gift—a Hawaiian dancer.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Miss Gloria Johnson and Frances Hadraba.

The members of the club, Misses Janet Westover, Mary Gayer, Kathryn and Alyce Jane Grosshans, Gloria and Norma Johnson, Hazel Kelley, Margaret Valley, Pat Clويد, Jane Rebal and Clara Toman, departed for home singing Christmas carols.

### Auxiliary Christmas Party—

The American Legion Auxiliary's Christmas party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elmer Webb, unit president, was attended by 25 of the members. Associate hostesses were the elective officers—Mrs. Robert

## LOCALS

From Friday's Daily—

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Womack of Murray were visiting in Plattsmouth yesterday.

Miss Maggie Wright of Peru is visiting in Plattsmouth as a guest of Miss Olive Jones.

Mrs. Fannie Crosser went to Murray yesterday to attend a Christmas party of the study club there.

Attorney Carl D. Ganz of Alvo, was here today to attend to some matters of business in the county court.

Vernon Greer and sister, Dorothy Margaret Greer, were here from Alvo today to look after some matters of business.

Milton Rodaway and sister, Mrs. Mary Wall, of near Elmwood, were in the city today to look after some matters of business.

Attorney C. E. Tefft of Weeping Water was here this morning to attend a hearing in the county court in which he appeared as attorney.

N. C. Klepser and son, Elmer, of Weeping Water were here today to attend a hearing in the probate of the estate of Mrs. Jennie Klepser, deceased.

From Saturday's Daily—

Stephen Davis, a student at Kem-

out of town for the winter, are being mailed.

At the conclusion of the business session and program, a tea honoring the Gold Star mothers was served.

Out of town members present were Mrs. P. Y. McPetridge, now residing at Hastings, and Mrs. Joe Knecht, and those for Mrs. Kopschka, who is of South Bend.

per Military school in Booneville, Missouri, is at home for the holidays. Miss Thelma Olson returned last night from Mandan, North Dakota where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Kline and grandson, Richard, were in Omaha today where they spent the day visiting with relatives and looking after some matters of business.

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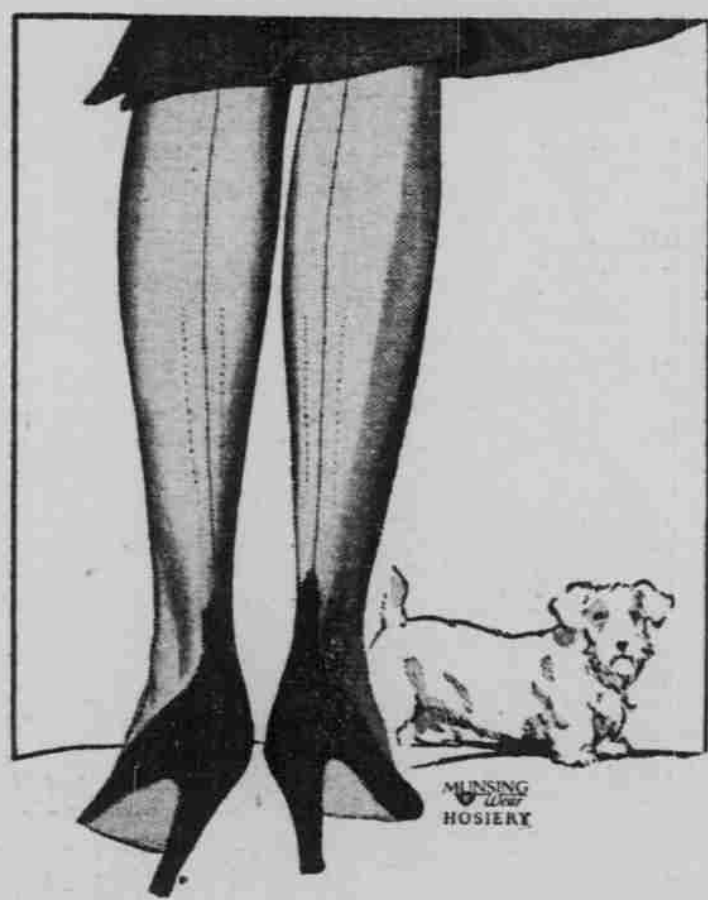
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