

**Today**  
*Farm Aristocracy.  
 Do You Understand  
 Money?  
 Mussolini's Ambition.  
 Hard to Steal Circulation.*  
 By ARTHUR BRISBANE

The American Agriculturist tells of a French family of farmers, the Poulbans, who have worked the same farm since 1023.

For 899 years that family, living in the same house, have cultivated the same acres. They were plowing there when Joan of Arc was burned alive; when Calvin, the good Protestant, was burning Catholics in Switzerland. They had been working that farm more than 400 years when Columbus found America. The present farmer, Lacassie Poulban, is the 24th generation on his farm of 200 acres. The French people are not dying out. But it's too bad they don't have more children. The desire not to divide the farms keeps the families down.

Probably the Poulbans, as regards genuine ancestry, are older than any royal or noble family in Europe.

Voltaire said the oldest noble family in his day descended from thieves that had fled from the mainland and settled on the marshlands of Venice to escape capture.

Who can understand finance? That mysterious thing, money, is like electricity. We all use it; none of us understand it.

The French are in the Ruhr. German money drops below Austrian and Polish currency. You would say, "financiers know that France will get whatever Germany has." But at the same time the French franc drops.

Then from Athens comes news of a panic among Greek financiers, banks, etc. That panic is caused by a sudden increase in the value of Greek money.

When the currency of a nation goes down there is despair. And when it goes up there is panic. Explain that, please.

Mr. Mussolini, ambitious Italian, evidently a born ruler—for awhile—claims the Mediterranean for Italy, saying, "it shall be our sea."

For a long time the Mediterranean belonged to Carthage, the great semitic trading city, once strong enough to tell Rome just where its ships might go.

Then Rome killed Carthage and Rome ruled. At present it's a mixed situation. The eastern shore of the Adriatic, civilized and built by Rome, belongs to various temporary nationalities.

As for the Mediterranean, England has one key, Gibraltar. The Turks just now have another key, the Dardanelles, and will hold on probably until Russia takes it away from them. Ruling the Mediterranean, race cradle of most of us, is not easy.

Frank Munsey bought the Globe and paid for it, \$2,000,000 cash. That is the official figure. He discontinued the Globe to combine it with his New York Evening Sun.

Numerous little evening newspaper failures in New York began scrambling for the circulation, like crows around a dead horse. A long career of failure had not taught them that you can't steal circulation, you must create it.

Munsey probably will end by buying some more of them and knocking them on the head also. An appropriate revenge.

In honor of the international advertising convention at Atlantic City, many clergymen mention advertising in their sermons. The most magnificent advertising may be seen in the sky. The black clouds of warning are the big black type. The lightning flash is the red type. The rainbow, promising no more floods, is the advertisement in colors.

Let those that criticize big type, red ink or advertising in beautiful colors observe how the sky is "edited." To produce results, you must create a sensation. Read the Book of Job—about Arcturus Behemoth, Leviathan—wonderful "copy."

The Rev. Mr. Knox, chaplain of Columbia university, tells the young gentlemen that fear is man's worst enemy. That's a fact. A thousand million human beings say to themselves, "I can't do it," and so they never do what they might do.

Mr. Knox says, "whoever sneers fears." Darwin says that when we sneer we imitate the wolf as it raises its lips to uncover its biggest, sharpest tooth, getting ready to bite. Sneer now, and observe how your sharp, long tooth on the right side is uncovered—if you still have it.

Fear, curiously enough, according to scientists, has a good deal to do with the ductless glands. One gland lacking makes a man timid. Weakness in another gland makes him an idiot. We are very curiously constructed.

When you speed your car recklessly you are risking the lives of others 30 per cent, and your own life 70 per cent. A woman, her daughter and three others put on speed to escape a storm last Sunday. A rear tire blew out and because of high speed the car left the road and struck a tree. Mother and daughter are dead. The other three, with fractured skulls, concussion of the brain, etc., are expected to die.

When you drive 50 miles an hour you bet your life against the possibility of a tire blowing out or a wheel coming off. Bear that in mind.

**31,849 Hogs Sent by Auto Truck to Stockyards in May**

**Big Increase Shown Over 1922—22,475 Cattle Also Transported in Five Months in Trucks.**

During May 31,849 hogs were brought to the local stockyards by auto truck, an increase of 11,600 brought in by truck for the same month in 1922 and during the past five months 141,139 hogs have been brought to South Omaha by auto trucks, an increase of 37,000 over the number brought in for the same period of 1922.

Besides the large number of hogs brought in by auto trucks there have also been brought in by auto trucks 22,475 head of cattle and 181,280 head of sheep the first five months of this year as against 16,644 head of cattle and 84,123 head of sheep for the same period last year.

John Sobota of Schuyler was a visitor at the local stockyards yesterday, bringing in a load of choice, high grade Hereford steers that averaged 1,357 pounds and sold for \$10.65 a hundred.

Mr. Sobota said there were not many fat cattle left in his section and that the marketable hogs had also been pretty well cleaned up. He said late spring pigs were getting along nicely but farmers realized losses on winter farrowing.

"Corn is 'all in' in my neighborhood," said Mr. Sobota, "and the corn is looking fine, although the season has been backward. Heavy rains had washed it out in many places which will lessen the corn yield."

A load of fine steers averaging 1,125 pounds was brought to market by Lloyd Smith of David City and they were sold for \$10.50 a hundred.

According to Mr. Smith the shipment he brought in was brought on the local market as feeders when they averaged 650 pounds and cost \$6.50 a hundred. He was pleased at both the big gain in weight and price received.

A shipment of 80 head of high grade Hereford steers was brought to the stockyards by Frank Howe of Carpio, an inland town of Keya Paha county. The shipment averaged 1,135 pounds and sold for \$10.50 a hundred.

Mr. Howe formerly was a trader in the local yards. Five years ago he went to Keya Paha county and settled on some land with the view of raising Hereford cattle and Durac hogs and he said he had done well. The cattle brought in yesterday were put into the feed lots about Christmas on a full feed of shelled corn and prairie hay and made good gains.

**350 Shriners in Parade Are Overcome by Heat**

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 and Imperial Potentate James S. McCandless and his divan.

This parade, one of the four planned for the 49th annual organization of the Shriners, which got underway today, was designed as the big spectacle of the gathering of the Nobles, and it proved all of that. The long line of marchers presented a riot of color that for vividness and contrast scarcely could have been surpassed. Only a little less picturesque was the setting, with a canopy of red, yellow and green streamers—the Shrine colors—overhead and the national colors blended with these in the decorations of buildings along the route.

Each Has Drill Team.  
 Each of the scores of temples in the line had its drill team and with the broad expanse of the avenue, cleared of all traffic, there was ample room for the execution of even the most complicated formations. But with as many bands as there were temples, the march essentially was one of music. Each band apparently sought to out-do its immediate neighbors with a result that the rolling of drums, blaring of basso horns and shrilling of piccolos drowned out most of the applause of the thousands who overflowed the 150,000 "circus" seats.

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**Grand Lodge of Masons Meets**

Tribute Paid Edward Wellman at Memorial Services for Late Grand Master.

Sixty-sixth communication of the grand lodge of Nebraska, A. F. & A. M., met at the Masonic temple yesterday.

Reception for all former grand masters was held, followed by memorial services for Edward M. Wellman, who died shortly after being elected to the post. Music was furnished by the Y. M. C. A. quartet.

Charles M. Shepherd, grand chaplain, delivered an eulogy. He referred to Mr. Wellman's faith in man and in the ultimate triumph of justice and right.

"The faith was keen sighted and generous enough to look beyond temporary shadows thrown on the pages of life's history, by awkward blundering, and to see inestimable riches centered in strong endeavor," was his comment.

Dinner was served at 12:30 at the temple for Nebraska Veterans and Free Masons' association.

A committee was appointed to decorate the grave of Mr. Wellman. Charles A. Chappell is deputy and acting grand master.

**State Normal School Opens With 700 Students**

Peru, Neb., June 5.—The Nebraska State Normal school here opened for the summer session Monday, nearly 700 students, 55 of whom were men, coming on the opening day to start work. About 200 more are expected before the weekend, and most of them will take training for teachers.

**Cadets Name Camp in Honor of Major Duncan**

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Valley, Neb., June 5.—Four hundred and fifteen cadets of Omaha High school pitched their tents on a site here today which they have named Camp Duncan, in honor of Maj. Gen. George B. Duncan, commander of the Seventh Corps area. The R. O. T. C. cadets arrived safely and organization of the camp was immediately under way.

The guard started tonight with Maj. Walter Albach, officer of the day, and Lieut. Worthington Williams in command. The results of the lines were Company E, under Capt. George Holdrege, first; Company F, second; and Company D, third.

The cadets will remain at the camp for 10 days.

**Scottsbluff Lions Elect to Hold Community Meets**

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Scottsbluff, Neb., June 5.—Lynn Thompson was elected president of the Lions club today. Other officers are George Read, R. D. Owens, E. H. Clay, Beach Coleman, Herman Carman, Mason Spangler, A. F. Midgault and T. C. Halley.

A monthly business men's luncheon will be held at the suggestion of the Chamber of Commerce. The Rotary and Lions clubs will join, giving over one of their weekly luncheon dates for the community meeting.

**Six Persons Injured in Movie Carriote Race**

Los Angeles, June 5.—Six persons were injured at Gundelup, incident to a chariot race which features a spectacular picture being partly filmed there. The scene being "shot" contained 250 chariots, 500 men and 500 horses.

Corp. Charles Gill, Eleventh United States cavalry, was seriously hurt. Twenty-three chariots were smashed to kindling wood when the mass came together in battle charge.

**The Program**

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**New Reparatons Note Is Completed**

(Turn to Page Two, Column One.) suggested an international loan as the basis of reparations payments, but as the allies seem to regard such a loan as impracticable, Germany is now willing to assure payment of reparations in fixed annuities, if desired, to be established by an international commission of experts.

Offer Gold Mortgages. Insofar as guarantees are concerned, Germany offers first that its railroads be encumbered with a gold mortgage amounting to 10,000,000,000 gold marks, bearing 5 per cent interest and yielding 500,000,000 gold marks annually. The administration of the railroads during the term of the mortgage will be separated from the administration of the national finances.

Second, revenue from luxury taxes and customs as well as an alcohol monopoly, estimated as worth 800,000,000 gold marks before the war, and of a present value of 400,000,000, capable of increase.

Encumber Private Property. Third, immovable property of German private enterprises also to be encumbered with a gold mortgage of 10,000,000,000 gold marks at 5 per cent, yielding also 500,000,000 gold marks annually.

This mortgage on German private property will be fixed by legislative act, so that if the sum of 500,000,000 gold marks yearly for reparations by special taxes be not met, it may be supplemented by confiscation of the private property.

The memorandum closes with the statement that the German government considers the discussion of these difficult questions by the medium of an exchange of notes as impracticable, and it therefore suggests the calling of a conference between the allies and Germany.

**Professors Quit Oklahoma A. & M.**

10 Members Declare They Can't Teach Under Former N. P. Leauger.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 5.—Resignations of 10 of the leading faculty members of Oklahoma A. & M. college were filed with the state board of agriculture. All announced they were leaving the college because they could not serve under George Wilson, Farmer-Labor league leader, who was installed yesterday as president of the institution.

Others resigning were Earl C. Albright, secretary to the president, and R. J. Pederson, stenographer to the president.

The board permanently relieved M. J. Otey as financial secretary of the college. Otey has been under suspension for more than six months, while an audit of his books has been in progress.

The feeling of the retiring faculty members was expressed by Dr. Tolman, who asserted that "he could not work under Wilson because his ideals of education, of government, of character and American principles" were thoroughly out of harmony with those of Wilson.

Admitted to Bar. Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Lincoln, Neb., June 5.—Following are Omaha youths admitted to law practice in supreme court today: Samuel Arion Lewis, Jr.; Cecil Clarence Strimple and Ray Floyd Striker.

Library Head Chosen. Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Lincoln, Neb., June 5.—Mrs. C. H. Dietrich of Hastings was elected president of the Nebraska Library commission here today.

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Third Floor

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Striped Silk Ratine, excellent for sports wear. In caramel, tan, copen, navy, black and white with stripes in contrasting colors. 40-inch, \$1.59.

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 Main Floor

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