

U. S. Farmers and Germans in Hardest Plight

Secretary Hoover Says, Aside From These, World's Commercial Condition Has Improved in Last Year.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The world's commercial strength has improved during the last year, except in central Europe, Secretary Hoover said today at a meeting of the foreign commerce department of the United States, two dark spots only were pictured—the American agricultural situation and conditions in Germany.

Secretary Hoover referred, in speaking of American farming conditions, to the disparity of prices of many agricultural products with those of other industries, more particularly in that the difficulties of the wheat farmers in certain portions of the west were acute. In Germany, he said, the situation affects the rest of the world, contributing to the depression in American agriculture.

This was true, he said, particularly in relationship to animal products. Discussing the situation in the United States, Mr. Hoover spoke of the high rate of production, absence of serious unemployment, absence of speculation, and of large stocks of goods, all contributing to general stability. Increasing strength in other parts of the world, he said, reflected itself in increasing proportion of American exports to European countries outside of central Europe. Eighty per cent of American exported manufactures, he said, now go to other parts of the world, and the manufacturing industry does not feel the repercussion in central Europe to the degree felt by agriculture.

Hayden Buyers Go East.

Thomas Flynn, president of Hayden Brothers' store, left Saturday evening with 18 department buyers for Chicago and New York. Holiday goods and additional stock for departments that have been depleted on account of large sales, will be purchased.

Elevator Man Dies.

Plainview, Neb., Oct. 20.—George P. Wright, a well known citizen of this locality, died at his home here at the age of 66, after an illness of several months. For a number of years he has been manager of the elevators in Plainview and Breslau.

This Week's Radio Programs

Following are the radio programs to be broadcast from Station WOAW, the Woodmen of the World Life Insurance association, during the week beginning Sunday, October 21:

Sunday Morning, October 21.
Radio chapel service by Rev. R. R. Brown, pastor of the Omaha Gospel Tabernacle and Missionary Alliance, 2096 Douglas street, and congregation, assisted by the double quartet and orchestra. Miss Marie Danielson, soloist. Mrs. Albert McIntosh, pianist.
"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" (Oliver Holden), double quartet.
Selected. Melitosh orchestra.
Announcement, "Whisper Peace."
Reading of the Scriptures.
"For You I Am Praying," brass quartet.
Prayer.
"When I See My Saviour," (Robert Hargrove), double quartet.
"Jesus is Dearer Than All," (George Bernard), Melitosh orchestra.
Solo, selected.
"For You I Am Praying," (M. L. Stocks), brass quartet.
Benediction.
Personal of double quartet: Soprano, Mrs. L. W. James, Miss Hilma Peterson; mezzo, Simon, Mrs. Ruth McBride; alto, Miss Neva Nelson, Miss Alice Peterson; basses, J. T. Nelson, Thomas Chase.
Sunday Evening, October 21.
Musical chapel service by courtesy of Kounze Memorial Lutheran church, Dr. O. D. Hally, pastor. Auspices Woodmen of the world.
"Hushed and Still the Evening Hour" (H. G. Nacell), Mrs. Ruth McBride, soprano and choir.
"Hush Hush, Holy Lord God Almighty" (H. R. Sholey), Mrs. Ruth McBride, soprano and choir.
The Veratic.
Duet, "How Excellent is Thy Name" (Anna P. Risher), Mr. J. H. McCrory and Mrs. G. P. Swanson.
Scripture reading and prayer.
Gloria Patri.
"I Will Praise Thee, O My Saviour" (Arthur Miller), Mrs. Alice Chandler Derby, Mr. J. H. McCrory and choir.
Duet, "Lord, Speak to Me," (J. E. Roberts), Mrs. Alice Chandler Derby.
Sermon, "Remember the Dead—Prayer Questions and Their Correct Answers."
Dr. D. B. Hally.
"The Light of Evening" (H. B. Gaul), Mrs. Alice Chandler Derby and choir.
"Praise Ye," trio from "Aida" (G. Verdi), Mrs. Ruth McBride, Mrs. J. H. McCrory and Mr. G. P. Swanson.
"Festival Te Deum" (J. Bach), Mrs. Alice Chandler Derby, Mr. J. H. McCrory, Mrs. G. P. Swanson and choir.
Benediction.
Amen.
Albert Sand, organist.
John S. Heigren, choir director.
Monday, October 22.
Program by courtesy of Biblephile department of the Omaha Daily News, arranged by Mrs. Margaret B. Shotwell, book editor. Celebration of Nebraska Authors' week, proclaimed by Governor Bryan for the week of October 21 to 28, inclusive. Auspices Hannan-O'Leary-Brown company, Ford dealers.
Original selections by Nebraska authors, including Mrs. Myra Learned, Mrs. Avery Abbott, Miss Edith Tobitt, Eugene Kosky and Jack Leach.
Children's stories by Grace Sorenson, publisher and editor of Every Child's magazine.
Vocal solos by Harriette Meta, Virginia Halpin, Katherine Parker, Marjorie Fisher and Harriette C. Heigren, pupils of Miss Mary Manchester.
Tuesday, October 23.
Program presented by talent from Missouri Valley, Ia., arranged by Mrs. Guy H. Smith. Auspices Corn Exchange National bank, Omaha.
Overture, "American" (Veeiker); Community orchestra.
Vocal solo, selected, Mrs. H. I. Roberts; Mrs. Fred Brinker, accompanist.
"Over the Dreaming Hills" (Wilson); Community chorus, Mrs. Myra Miller, accompanist.
"Hummer Nights" (Roberts); Community orchestra.
Two old favorites: (a) "Love's Old Sweet Song" (by Juanita); mixed quartet, (sung by request). Personnel: Mrs. Fred Neitsch, soprano; John, baritone; also: George Palmer, bass; Henry Brown, tenor.
"Invitation of the Bells," from the "Chimes of Normandy" (Piaquette); Community chorus. (a) "Asleep in the Deep" (Petrie); (b) "A Dream" (Bartlett); William Boudien; Mrs. Smith, accompanist.
Piano solos: (a) "Sonata" Op. 3 (Beethoven); (b) "Autumn" (Chaminade); Miss Meta; (c) "Sonata" Op. 3 ("Forget-Me-Not") (Giese); Community chorus.
Overture, "Feast of the Lanterns" (Bennet); Community orchestra.
Talk on Missouri Valley from Egan.
"Nightfall in Granada" (Buono); mixed quartet. Personnel: Mrs. Charles Guy, soprano; Mabel Hall, alto; Henry Brown, tenor; George Palmer, bass.
"Anvil Chorus," from "Il Trovatore" (Verdi); Community chorus, accompanied by orchestra.
Baritone solos: (a) "Invictus" (Hunn); "Beauty's Eyes" (Gladys Bell); Missouri Valley, composter; M. G. Katt; Mrs. Fred Brinker, accompanist.
Overture "Lastspiel," Op. 13 (Keiser-Bela); orchestra.
Vocal solos: (a) "Dreaming Alone in the Twilight" (Moore) (b) "Only One Mother" (Widemann); (this number is sung in honor of Mrs. Myra Learned, who is listening in); Mrs. Axel Nelson.
Violin obligato by Mrs. Nell Carpenter.
Vocal duet: (a) "Just a Little Blue" (Van Alstyne); (b) "Call Me Back, Pal of Mine" (Dixon); Mrs. H. L. Roberts and M. G. Katt; Mrs. Fred Brinker, accompanist.
Reading: (a) "The Boy"; (b) "Bobby and the New Baby"; pianologue; Mrs. Bernard Aitkenberry.

Philosopher-Poet to Speak in Omaha



Edmund Vance Cooke.

Edmund Vance Cooke, American poet, wit, impersonator and philosopher, will speak at the Advertising-Selling league dinner Monday night in Hotel Fontaine. Mr. Cooke is hailed by many critics as the logical successor to James Whitcomb Riley, because, like Riley, his philosophy of cheerful kindness is founded on shrewd knowledge of human nature. An attendance of between 500 and 600 persons is making the weekly meetings of the league successful this winter.

Grand Island Woman Who Shot Self Over Row Is Dead

Grand Island, Neb., Oct. 20.—Mrs. Florence Payne, who shot herself with suicidal intent as a result of domestic unpleasantness, died today from the effects of the wound. The bullet had entered on the right side of the chest, had emerged and then again entered the abdominal region, where it remained embedded, the physical condition being such that no effort could be undertaken to remove it.

Councillor Named.

A. F. Bloom of J. F. Bloom company has been named a national councillor to represent the Omaha Manufacturers' association in the United States Chamber of Commerce. The national council of the chamber consists of one representative each from more than 1,400 commercial and industrial organizations.

One Dead, Three Hurt in Smashup

Blue Hill Man Instantly Killed as Cars Collide on Crossroads.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Blue Hill, Neb., Oct. 20.—John Young, 40, electrical engineer of Blue Hill, was instantly killed, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Buckert of Carthage, Ill., received broken collar bones and limbs and Miss Edith Gerlock, daughter of a farmer near here, received several bruises when their automobiles collided at a crossroad four miles north of here. Miss Gerlock was alone, driving

Aurora Business Man Found Shot

Find Body of Creamery Owner in Alley With Fatal Wound in Chest.

Aurora, Neb., Oct. 16.—With a shot gun across his chest and a wound just above the heart, inflicted by a charge from the gun, the body of Abraham M. Lewis, an Aurora resident for several years and proprietor of a cream station and produce establishment, was found in the alley at the rear of his place of business. A coroner's jury was unable to decide whether the wound had been purposely inflicted or whether it was the result of an accident. There were

no eye-witnesses to the shooting and no one heard the shot. No motive is known, it was reported, that might have prompted him to take his life. Chicken thieves have been reported seen in the vicinity of his establishment recently, and the theory is advanced that possibly he was in pursuit of them and accidentally fell discharging the gun.

Fifth District Doctors Hold Meeting at Blair

Blair, Neb., Oct. 20.—The fifth councillor district of the Nebraska State Medical association, composed of Washington, Burt, Dodge, Platte, Colfax, Boone, Nance and Merrick counties, held its 17th annual session in this city. Forty-five members of the medical profession were in attendance, many accompanied by their wives.

Dr. Cook Was Author of Alleged Alluring Letters, Witness Says

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 20.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, on trial with 13 others before Judge John M. Killits, in federal courts here charged with misusing the mails in connection with oil operations, composed most of the circulars and letters sent out by the Petroleum Producers association to prospective stock subscribers, according to testimony offered by the prosecution today.

William H. Poetting, a steel worker of St. Louis, testified that he and his wife, Josephine Poetting, received literature in duplicate from Cook and allied interests. He said he first received a card saying that within a few days he was to receive a letter from a long silent friend. The card was signed by F. A. Cook.

Can't Assess Stock of Insolvent Banks

Lincoln, Oct. 20.—The supreme court today upheld the decision of the district court in an appeal lodged by Fred E. Bodie, receiver of the Bank of Cass County, to force T. H. Pollock, stockholder, to pay an assessment on his stock as provided by the constitution in its provisions relating to insolvent banks.

Bodie attempted to assess Pollock before he had exhausted the assets of the bank and before there had been a judicial determination of the amount for which each stockholder was liable. The supreme court finds that the constitution clearly states that stockholders cannot be assessed before the assets are exhausted.

Later, he testified, the promised letter came.

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