

FB's Charles Marshall Calls for 'United Farm Front'

"The need for farm solidarity will become more critical in the years ahead as the number of farms decline and urban forces become more and more powerful," Charles Marshall of Avoca, president, Nebraska Farm Bureau Federation told a Monday evening audience at that organization's state convention.

Men and women representing 87 of Nebraska's 91 counties are participating in the statewide meeting being held at the Hotel Lincoln in Lincoln. The Monday evening meeting was family night, and Marshall's address was the feature of the event.

"Never before in our history has it been so essential that farmers and ranchers present a common front," he continued. "Faced with the power of big government, big business and big labor, farmers and ranchers are small peanuts indeed; except when they speak with a united voice. Those who refuse to join a farm organization are, in effect, enjoying a free ride at the expense of their neighbors. Whether you think so or not, farm organizations have been a power for good and deserve the financial and moral support of all farmers and ranchers."

In reviewing the 1963 year of the Farm Bureau organization, Marshall said membership was up in the midwest this year; and it appears now that membership for the nation will reach an all-time high. He added that services of the organization show great progress in Nebraska and in the nation. The Farm and Ranch Supply Company of Nebraska, affiliated with the Nebraska Farm Bureau, to supply members with animal health products, showed an increase in sales each month of 1963 over the same month in 1962.

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ELMWOOD NEWS

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Calendar: Rebekah Lodge, Nov. 26; Town Kensington, Nov. 28; Christian Women's Fellowship, Nov. 29; Lion's Club, Nov. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stege entertained the boys of the Senior Class in a steak supper on Sunday evening honoring Jed's 18th birthday. The boys ate heartily and spent the remainder of the evening informally.

The Elmwood Garden Club met with Lala Buel Nov. 12 for their regular meeting. There were 10 present. Susie had the lesson, the title of which was "Trees." The president, Bess Robb was on a trip.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eldenmiller returned on Nov. 10 from a 10-day trip to Lubbock, Texas to visit their daughter and family, the Grant Gard Jr.'s. This weekend Robbie and Randy Clark, grandsons of Lincoln were visitors.

It is reported that Earl Horton had minor surgery while in

the hospital and he is now recovering at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Cook left Nov. 15 to visit relatives in North Carolina and Delaware. They expect to return in 2 weeks.

Mrs. Gayle Bennett and 4 children of Idaho are visiting her mother, Mrs. Dortha Jicka, and other relatives. Mrs. Bennett was Mary Jicka.

Gayle Miller, son of Joy Miller, expects to join the Air Force soon. He went to Omaha Sunday night, Nov. 17 and will leave from there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bernemeier and son, Roger of Murdock were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Alfa Quellhorst and spent the afternoon visiting. Ma, and Mrs. T. L. Eyres and son Tom, Miss Hattie Coe and Mrs. John Grootbues, all of Lincoln and the Richard Pratt family were Sunday dinner guests at the Harry Arnold home. The Eyres family will soon be leaving for a three year stay in Spain. She is a niece of Mrs. Arnold.

The quilters are busy again, having done several already and currently they are working on one for Mrs. Blanche Kuehn, which she expects to give her grandson for a wedding gift.

Honoring the birthdays of Ethel Atchison, Nov. 5; Mary Churchill, Jessie Creamer, Nov. 12; Wm. Atchison, Nov. 27, were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Atchison, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Creamer, Mrs. Mary Churchill and Steve and Mrs. Rhea Nusas. They had dinner in Lincoln as has been their custom in recent years.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Engelking drove to Bennett Sunday as they were dinner guests at the Eldon Stege home. His mother, Mary Stege was also there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Chambers of McClelland, Iowa, were Sunday guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. Guy Clements and Mr. Clements. They took Mrs. Lorens home with them. She will spend the winter there as she usually does.

Mr. and Mrs. Tooker and their four children all visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. Susie Cook.

Miss Lena Rieke had a few friends in Sunday afternoon for coffee.



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The organization was as active as any other year in Congress, representing the opinions of its membership who participated in policy development on: wheat and feed grain bills; cotton and dairy legislation; the conservation reserve; federal aid to education; quality stabilization; foreign aid; the income tax cut; and many others.

"Everybody wants the tax cut," the Nebraska Farm Bureau president said, "but such action needs a good, close look, especially on the part of farmers and ranchers. If the tax cut is at the expense of a national deficit increase, the cost comes out of the pockets of farmers and ranchers in the cheaper dollars which result from inflationary trends."

He pointed out that the Administration offered an administrative budget of \$96.8 billion last year; and made budget requests for obligation authority of \$108 billion, which is \$10 billion more than was budgeted for. On the one hand, the administrators in Washington ask for a tax cut, Marshall said, and on the other, want to increase spending.

Speaking of farm programs, the farm leader observed, "There is a lot of talk about voluntary programs with direct payments, but I would remind you of some things which do not change regardless of whether the program is voluntary or compulsory, if it uses compensatory payments. First, such programs increase production. Second, they require controls to limit costs. Third, they level farm and ranch income. Fourth, they increase the difficulties for new farmers and ranchers. Fifth, the income of agriculture in part is dependent upon the whims of Congress. And, sixth, these programs artificially depress market prices."

Referring to the May 1963 wheat referendum, the farm leader said that less than one-third of the eligible farms in Nebraska participated in the wheat program in 1963. In Nebraska, 23 thousand farms out of almost 78 thousand eligible, according to published figures. Out of a state allotment of 3,157,800 acres, the program intended to divert almost 401,000 acres.

Marshall made two points in opposition to the sale of wheat to Russia. First, he said, the method of sale by-passed Congress; and this was probably as important from a standpoint of philosophy as the sale itself because it changed the U. S. relationship with communistic countries. Second, he recalled, during World War II the slogan was "Food will win the war; and write the peace," and now our leaders tell us that food is not a weapon in the Cold War, so it "can't hurt us to sell to the Communists."

Surveying quickly, the legislative record of the organization in Nebraska, Marshall pointed to 30 successes on bills favored or

Willing Workers

The Willing Workers 4-H Club met at the home of Diane Wendt, Nov. 14.

Members decided to have a Christmas party at the next meeting and to draw names. Girls on the games committee are Debbie McHugh, Peggy Rase and Joanne Luetchens.

Girls taking Cakes and Pies had a lesson on sponge cake. They are to bring a sample of sponge cake to the next meeting.

Next meeting will be at the home of Mary and Debbie McHugh Dec. 14 at 1:30. — Janet Meyer, reporter.

PLEDGES SIGMA RHO

Alan Hansen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hansen, Plattsmouth, has pledged Sigma Rho-Fraternity at Midland College, Fremont. Fifty students pledged four fraternities for the 1963-64 school year.

A Classified Ad in The Journal cost as little as 50 cents.

Experts Say Sulfa Shouldn't Be Fed As Rhinitis Cure

LINCOLN — Staff members of the University of Nebraska Department of Animal Science and Veterinary Science have taken issue with the claims of some drug and feed companies that sulfa drug will cure all rhinitis in swine.

The companies' cure claims are based on a faulty interpretation of information on rhinitis presented by Dr. W. P. Switzer, of Iowa State University, according to Dr. E. Crosby Howe, Nebraska Extension veterinarian. Dr. Switzer indicated one type of rhinitis is caused by a bacterium which is susceptible to control sulfa drugs, Dr. Howe said, and the companies interpreted this to mean that sulfonamides are effective against all types of the disease, including infectious atrophic rhinitis.

Non, the University staff members noted that the sulfonamides will not cure rhinitis of swine, although they might possibly bring about temporary reduction of specific bacterial infection.

There are dangers, however, in feeding sulfa drugs. They are not recommended for pregnant sows and may be harmful to young swine if fed over long periods, the scientists reported.

"Because of these limitations," they said, "it is recommended that Nebraska producers do not feed sulfa drugs until more evidence of their value in rhinitis control is presented."

The scientists further recommended, Howe said, that if a swine raiser still considers using sulfa drugs, he first call in his veterinarian. The veterinarian can make all the tests necessary to determine if the swine have the type of rhinitis which may respond to sulfa drugs. If such a determination is made, Howe added, the veteri-

arian then can establish the proper dose and the length of time the sulfa can be fed without damage to the swine.

SATISFIED AT LAST

Aurora, Colo. — Although it cost her a night in jail, Mrs. Evelyn Gordon, 26, finally fulfilled an urge to throw a brick through a plate glass window.

The mother of 3 tossed the brick through the plate glass window of the police station, just missing the police dispatcher.

HOUSEWARMING
WEEPING WATER (Special) — Mrs. Herbert Petersen and Mrs. W. F. Horn were hostesses to a housewarming party held at the Frank Cook home Thursday afternoon. Guests were friends and neighbors of the Frank Cooks, Mrs. Leo Christensen, Mrs. S. H. Harmon, Mrs. Henry Knaup, Mrs. Fred Neumaster, Mrs. August Klemme and Miss Margaret Ranney. Mrs. Ben Olive was unable to attend. The afternoon was spent visiting.

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