

STATE FAIR STARTS FULL SWING MONDAY

Preparations Made to Care for One of Largest Crowds in History of the Exposition.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—Nebraska's state fair will begin its five big days of entertainment at Lincoln next Monday.

War Work to Front. Many special attractions have been arranged this year by the board of managers outside of the regular amusements, races and exhibits.

Bands from Nebraska cities will furnish music. The Nebraska State band, William T. Quick, director, will give a concert Sunday, opening the week's program, and music during the week will be by musical organizations from David City, Peru, Osceola and Orchard.

Judges of Exhibits. Judges of the exhibits will be: Class A Horses—H. J. Gramlich, Lincoln.

Class B Cattle—R. H. Smith, Chicago, Ill.; George J. Anstey, Massachusetts; Prof. G. E. Norton, Fort Collins, Colo.; D. H. Propps, Lincoln, Neb.; W. S. Moscrip, Lake Elmo, Minn.; Elliott Davis, Lincoln, Neb.

Class C Swine—J. P. Bennett, Lees Summit, Mo.; Clayton Messenger, Keswick, Ia.; E. A. Burnett, Lincoln, Neb.; W. K. Williams, Marlow, Okla.; Class D Sheep—G. W. Hervey, Omaha, Neb.; J. G. Hammer, Ames, Ia.

Class E Poultry—T. E. Quisenberry, Leavenworth, Kan.; Thomas M. Campbell, Darlington, Ind.

Class F Agriculture Products—W. W. Burr, Lincoln, Neb.; H. A. McComb, Nebraska City, Neb.; F. D. Keim, Lincoln, Neb.; R. H. Hogue, Cete, Neb.; J. F. Hendricks, Lincoln, Neb.; Charles Gray, Bennington, Neb.; R. H. Holland, Kimball, Neb.

Class G Dairy Products—J. H. Frandsen, Lincoln, Neb.

Class H Domestic Products—Mrs. Henry Gray, Washington, Neb.

Class I Bees and Honey—F. G. Odell, Omaha, Neb.

Class J Textiles—Mrs. Emma Hopper, Superior, Neb.

Class K Fine Arts—Mrs. Frank Eagle, Fremont, Neb.

Class O Better Babies—Dr. C. L. Mullins, head physician, Broken Bow, Neb.

Class S Speed—A. E. Agee, Omaha, Neb.; F. W. Hayes, Broken Bow, Neb.; Clint R. Shickley, Geneva, Neb.

The Race Program. At the race track a real circus will give open air performance twice daily.

Monday, September 3: 2-year-old trot, 1:11 to 1:20, \$100; 2:17 pace, 1:40 to 1:50, \$100; Running race, 6 furlongs, 1:50 to 2:00, \$100.

Tuesday, September 4: 2-year-old trot (eligible to 2:15 class), \$100; 2:18 trot, 1:45 to 1:55, \$100; Team pacing race, free for all, \$100; Running race, 1/4 mile, 1:10 to 1:20, \$100.

Wednesday, September 5: 2:20 trot, 1:45 to 1:55, \$100; 2:17 trot, 1:40 to 1:50, \$100; 1-year-old pace (eligible to 2:15 class), \$100; Team trotting race, free for all, \$100; Running race, 1/4 mile, 1:10 to 1:20, \$100.

Thursday, September 6: 2:12 trot, 1:40 to 1:50, \$100; 2:15 pace, 1:40 to 1:50, \$100; Running race, 6 furlongs, 1:50 to 2:00, \$100.

Friday, September 7: 2:15 trot, 1:40 to 1:50, \$100; Free for all, \$100; Running race, 1 mile, 1:40 to 1:50, \$100; Running race, 1/4 mile, 1:10 to 1:20, \$100.

Winter Wheat Situation. At 11 o'clock each morning a discussion of the winter wheat situation will be held at the Auditorium on the fair grounds, the speakers to be men who are authorities on wheat.

The Federal Farm Loan Bank will hold a public discussion Wednesday, September 5, at the Auditorium on the fair grounds.

The State Swine Breeders Association will meet Tuesday, September 4, at 7:30 p. m., in the Coliseum.

Wednesday, September 5, 12:30 to 1:30, at the Auditorium on the fair grounds, O. M. Thomson, national lecturer of the non-partisan league, will speak on the subject, "Object and Aims of the League and Its Work in North Dakota."

Officers of the Nebraska Board of Agriculture in charge of the fair are: J. A. Ollis, president, Ord; R. M. Wolcott, first vice president, Central City; John F. McArdle, second vice president, Omaha; Jacob Sass, treasurer, Chalco; E. R. Danielson, secretary, Lincoln.

Board of managers: President, vice-presidents and George Jackson, Nelson; Charles Graff, Bancroft; W. C. Caley, Creighton; E. R. Purcell, Broken Bow.

PERSONAL MENTION. Mrs. William Anderson has returned to his city after a four month stay in California. While in Los Angeles Mrs. Anderson visited Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Miller and found Mr. Miller much improved in health.

Persistent Advertising Is the Road to Success.

Obituary Notice. W. H. EVANS, one of Red Oak's earliest residents and a man who for many years held positions of high rank in the Iowa National Guard, was buried at Red Oak yesterday. Mr. Evans died Tuesday afternoon at his home here. He was 69 years old.

Babies, Babies, and Then More Babies -Ad Infinitum-Will Clamor for Blue Ribbon Honors at State Fair Next Week

Babies—scores and hundreds of 'em—blue-eyed, brown-eyed, fair-haired and dark—all in various stages of goosing and gaing, some walking, others merely kicking or crawling—will greet the visitors at the Nebraska State Fair at Lincoln, beginning September 3.

The husky youngsters from broad Nebraska plains and prairies will compete with their urban cousins of the more flower-like variety, in an effort to pick the best all-round Nebraska baby from the numbers clamoring for that title.

Babies are to be displayed and their remarkable points remarked upon, in company with other Nebraska Blue Ribbon products, as corn, wheat and pumpkins, not to mention the cunning little pigs and calves who will lay claim to first honors in their particular classes.

Following is the list of entrants, every one of whose proud and doting relatives feels confident that his particular protege will carry off

Table listing names of babies and their parents, categorized by age groups: RURAL BOYS 18 MONTHS AND UNDER 27, CITY BOYS 27 MONTHS AND UNDER 36, RURAL GIRLS 18 MONTHS AND UNDER 27, CITY GIRLS 18 MONTHS AND UNDER 36.

Grocers and Butchers to Ask for Sunday Closing

Another effort to get a Sunday closing ordinance for the grocers and butchers of Omaha is being made now by the Retail Grocers' association of Omaha. Petitions will be circulated again, getting signers among the grocers and butchers willing to have such an ordinance.

Two years ago the association made a fight for a Sunday closing ordinance. It obtained the signatures of three-fourths of the grocers and butchers of the city and 6,000 customers. Nevertheless the city council refused to pass the ordinance.

Secretary J. J. Cameron of the association then divided the city into districts and grouped together the grocers who wanted to close Sundays. Thus there was a Sunday closing rule in effect in districts. This did not work out as well as it was hoped, however, so that now the passage of an ordinance will again be attempted.

Council Bluffs Widow is Eager to Serve in France

Mrs. White of Council Bluffs, said to be a widow of means, is eager to see actual service in France. Mrs. White has applied to both the Red Cross society and the National League for Woman Service to be sent to France.

Maurice Defends Britain From Charge of Shirking

London, Aug. 31.—In his weekly review of war activities before The Associated Press, Major General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office, spoke in part, as follows: "In the last month I have received a remarkable number of letters from the United States showing how widespread is the belief that the British have let the allied and colonial troops do the most of their fighting. This is part of the German propaganda in the United States. I have prepared for you a few statistics to show how far this is untrue.

German Intrigue to Sow Discord Among Allies Reported at Berne

Paris, Aug. 31.—A number of prominent Germans and Austrians, whose arrival in Switzerland has been recently reported, are busying themselves, according to the Berne correspondent of the Journal Des Bats with a peace project, the object of which is to create difficulties and friction between the entente powers, thereby involving minimum concessions by the central powers.

"Chivalrous," Lovesick Men With "Bank Rolls" Forget the Stamps

Rev. Charles Savidge is in deep trouble, all because of fifty, beautiful blue-eyed women from Kentucky. This is how it happened: A month ago Rev. Mr. Savidge married a blue-eyed girl from Kentucky and a handsome young doctor from Minnesota who did their courtship in a correspondence school. The matter got some newspaper publicity and at once fifty husbandless women of Kentucky wrote, wired and long-distanced him to get them husbands.

And Along Came Hardings

and once more the perplexity of finding an economical and tempting dessert was ended. For this Sunday it is Peach Marmalade Vanilla Ice Cream with Choicest California Yellow Cling Peaches There's a Hardings Dealer In Almost Every Block

Swiss Workmen Strike as Protest Against "H. C. L."

Paris, Aug. 31.—Workmen in the Swiss cities of Berne, Zurich and Basle went on a half day strike yesterday as a protest against the high cost of living, says a Havas dispatch from Basle. The manifestation was organized by socialists who, the dispatch adds, declare that if it does not produce results, a prolonged strike, involving municipal services such as gas and electricity, will be ordered.

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Some enterprising Omaha newspaper man put the link in the chain by writing a story for a St. Louis paper about the quest of the Kentucky maidens. In a few days the astonished Rev. Mr. Savidge, who did not even know of the St. Louis story, was overwhelmed with an avalanche of mail from chivalrous northern gentlemen, offering to rescue the beautiful Kentucky maidens from their "manless existence."

Enclose stamps. Bank references they gave aplenty—they spoke in a careless way of farms and business blocks and automobiles to their credit.

But no stamps—no self-addressed envelopes (and ministers get no rebate on stationery). Nothing to pay the secretary, though to properly unite all the fifty women and look around for 100 more for the remaining disappointed gentlemen, unless the Kentucky maids move to Utah, would take three months of a secretary's time.

One sole solitary gentleman from Minot, N. D., enclosed a \$2 bill. Rev. Mr. Savidge has it framed and hanging above his desk to restore his confidence in humanity. The gentlemen are willing to trust him to select their life-partners—Oh, yes! But not with the most infinitesimal fraction of the goodly bank rolls which they proclaim they possess.

Rev. Mr. Savidge is willing to help the Kentucky girls to the best of his ability. But he feels, until he has at least as much proof of the gentlemen's prosperity as a 2-cent stamp would indicate, the Kentucky women must remain husbandless.

U.S. War Map

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