

LEGISLATIVE GAINS

In Nation-Wide Radio Broadcast on

Regular Farmers Union Hour,

Secretary of National Farm-

ers Union Makes Report

TELLS OF HEARINGS

Mentions Progress of Frazier-Lemke

Bill, Now in Committee, and Tells

Purpose of Gag Rule; Pass

Something of the progress of

Farmers Union legislation is told in

the last radio address of E. E. Ken-

nedy, secretary of the National Farmers Union. This radio talk was given in connection with one, published last week, delivered by E. H. Ever-

son, National Farmers Union presi-

dent. Both were on the monthly period devoted to the Farmers Union,

and were broadcast over a nation-

part, follows:

disappointments.

strength.

a roll call of 318 to 90.

wide hookup. Mr. Kennedy's talk, in

and is worthwhile, in spite of sacri-

fices, grief and constant delays and

Pass Patman Bill in House

and has been for many years to pay the veterans' adjusted service com-

measure and will continue to do so until this bill becomes the law and

this government obligation to the ex-

the bankers a bonus of one dollar for every dollar the ex-service men would

the veterans, to divide and confuse

the Congress and to swing the money

two billion dollars more in interest.

The money changers failed miserably

in the historic battle of yesterday aft-

ernoon. May they continue to lose

each succeeding contest and may the

Mr. President, the American people

are ready to help you drive the money changers out of the temple.

A Silver Expansion Bill

Senator Elmer Thomas asked the

Senate yesterday to adopt his silver

bill would compel the treasury to purchase fifty million ounces of sil-

ver a month, issue silver certificates

against the bullion and force this new

retirement of maturing government

At the present time there is only

American people win them.

those who work for a living, has been porting here in Washington.

The House of Representatives pass- we have been able to secure a hear-

ed yesterday the Thomas-Patman Soling on it before any committee of

diers' Adjusted Compensation Bill by the Lower House of Congress. The

This is the first real step that Con-gress has taken to "drive the money week and it is not known yet what

changers out of the temple" since it action, if any, the committee will convened on January 3rd of this year. take—whether they will report the

service boys has been taken care of gress, the Lower House adopted the

The money changers have put up gag rule which changed the number

a desperate but losing battle to defeat this legislation by causing the quired to get a bill out of committee

receive on their certificates. I have of Congress to sign a petition to dis-

viously intended to divide and defeat on the floor of the House for discus-

expansion bill as a "rider" to the placed on the Speaker's desk. This \$4,880,000,000 work relief bill. This petition was introduced by Congress

currency into circulation through the signers. I am going to read to you

about \$3,150,000,000 of money in actual circulation, which is about one zona, Idaho, Montana, New Mexico, (continued on page 2)

Death of Mrs. Henderson

introduction of a bill that would pay from 145 to 218.

Patman Bill in House

BY FARMERS UNION

ORGANIZATION

May, 1933.

bill, when it becomes the law, will re-

bill, when it becomes the law, will refinance the existing farm mortgage debt at a rate of interest of 1½ per cent and an additional 1½ per cent a year to be paid by the farmer on the principal over a period of 46 or 47 years to retire the debt.

There are still people who ask the greating "Hopy can the government."

question, "How can the government

get money to loan to farmers at 1½ per cent?" While this hits the heart

of the bill, the answer is that the Constitution of the United States provides that Congress shall coin and

regulate the value of money. This

of printing the currency averages

seven-tenths of a cent a bill or about

Under the terms of this bill, the

government would print the money

for the farmers instead of printing it

Hearings Held

This bill has been before the Con-

House Committee on Agriculture con-

The Gag Rule

The purpose of this gag rule was

to require a majority of the members

sion and passage. One of the rea-

sons for the passage of the gag rule

bill from coming to a vote at this ses-

I think every one agrees that if the

Frazier-Lemke Refinancing Bill was

submitted to a vote of the present Congress that it would pass by a

comfortable majority on a roll-call

Petition to Discharge Committee

discharge the committee from fur

ther consideration of the bill was

placed on the Speaker's desk. This

man Binderup of Nebraska. Yester-day there were 126 names of con-

gressmen on this petition. They are

the names of the states that have a

100 per cent sign-up on the Frazier-

Lemke oill petition. They are Ari-

About two weeks ago a petition to

sion of Congress.

nresent session of

30 cents per \$1,000.00.

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MERCHANDISE DEPT. KENNEDY TELLS OF billion dollars less in continental

billion dollars less in continental United States than a year ago and 81 million dollars less than in January of this year.

The principle of this Thomas rider to the work relief bill is in effect to make mandatory this part of the provisions of the Thomas amendment that was passed by the Congress in May, 1933. SELLS NAILS, WIRE Volume of Business in Steel and Wire Products is Growing in Kansas The Frazier-Lemke Bill.

Now I want to tell you about the Frazier-Lemke Refinance Bill. This Cooperatives, Reports L. E.

Church, Field Man USING WAREHOUSE

OF JOBBING ASSN.

Farmers Union Live Stock Commission Co. and Jobbing Association Maintain Display in Front Lobby of Live Stock Office, Kansas City

One of the newest developments in cooperative purchasing, carried on by and through Farmers Union cooperatives throughout Kansas, has to with steel and wire products. The that the Congress has the power to issue government currency. The cost ing the full line of American Steel and Wire Company products, and the volume of business is constantly growing. The cooperatives out in he state have been pushing this line, and the customers are expressing the highest satisfaction.

Our late national president, John A. Simpson, who passed away a year ago last week, used to say that if we could succeed in getting millions to think simultaneously about the problems we must face and the remedies we propose, this organized thinking L. E. Church, field representative for the merchandise department, informed the state office of the Kansas Farmers Union this week that several car loads of nails, wire and fencwe propose, this organized thinking would arouse the people to organized thinking the sterile gold and silver in the treasing are now going out to various Kansas cooperatives. .

would arouse the people to organized action.

I am happy today to tell you about some of the results of this organized action that will make you feel that our hard and long fight for justice for those who work for a living has been continued and silver in the treasury and last but not least by the best security on earth.

This is the kind of legislation that the National Farmers Union is supporting there in Washington The first Kansas cooperative to purchase a full car load of these products was the Cedar Vale Coop-erative Association at Cedar Vale, Kansas. Mr. C. B. Cable is the manager. The Cedar Vale cooperative by the way, is one of the most active gress for 31/2 years. Last week was and progressive concerns of its kind

the first time in these 31/2 years that in its section of the state. Among the car loads of fencing, wire and nails rolling out to Kansas points at this time is one going to LeRoy, and other towns in that part of Kansas. The car going to Leroy also will supply cooperatives at Burlington, Waverly, Gridley, Westphalia, Toronto, Neosho Falls and Piqua. Another car is going to Girard to supply the Crawford county coopera

The bill now goes to the Senate, bill out of committee or whether this where it will meet the next test of its is just a perfunctory hearing with the hope of again putting it to sleep in the inner recess of the committee.

It is the Farmers Union program the inner recess of the committee.

If you wish to secure copies of a to the Farmers Union cooperatives at Osawatomic and Wellsville. A car these hearings you may secure them of hale ties and other products has pensation certificates with full legal by writing to your congressman and tender, non-interest-bearing government currency. We have given our full support to the passage of this the Agricultural Committee. been ordered out for the Farmers Union cooperative at Winfield. Virtually all these points have also

booked orders for additional supplies to take care of the hay season, and will go out along about July. You will remember that on the first

In addition to the car loads, numerous truck loads of steel and wire products are going out from Farmers Union cooperative warehouse located in Kansas City, Kansas, near the unloading chutes of the Kansas City Stock Yards Company. A complete stock of merchandise, handled by Farmers Union cooperatives, is carried in this large warehouse. reference now to the Vinson "Bank- charge a committee that was unwillers' Bonus Bill." This bill was ob- ing to report a bill out to be brought

Using Warehouse More and more, the truck drivers who deliver live stock to the Kansas City market are making use of this cooperative warehouse. It is handy changers in on a "bonus" of about was to prevent the Frazier-Lemke for them to go direct to the warehouse after unloading their live stock. There, they pick up orders to go back to the cooperatives at their various points in Kansas. The fact that a complete stock of the things they want to haul back are kept at this warehouse, eliminates the necessity of going all over Kansas City in or-

der to pick up a truck load.

In developing this business and this service, the Farmers Union Jobbing Association at Kansas City, and the Farmers Union Live Stock Commission Company there, have gotten together and have established a dis-play stock in the offices of the live from 33 states. We will need 92 stock firm, which happens to be on the lower floor of the Live Stock Exchange Building, and handy for all who happen to be on the Kansas City market. This display has been placed in the front lobby of the live stock office, and Charley Neeley is in charge. He is on hand to show shippers and truck drivers the full line, and to help them in the matter of filling their orders of merchandise to

> Any shipper or truck driver is urged to stop at the offices of the Farmers Union Live Stock Commission Company, and to make inquiries concerning picking up orders of merchandise.

haul back to their home communi-

Mrs. Henderson was personally acquainted with Abraham Lincoln and when in 1861 he called for volunteers to defend the Union, she shared her husband's enthusiasm when he or
husband's enthus he or
husban nington, separate from the elevator.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eastwood, and Mr. the outcome of the struggle and loyald Mrs. Charley Eastwood of Iola; ally did her part to help to win the harry and Buford Henderson of Butvictory.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eastwood, and Mr. the outcome of the struggle and loyderful activity that is constantly goderful activity In 1869 she came to Kansas with her husband, three small sons and baby daughter. They first settled near Moran and the following year sands of dollars for Kansas farmers. Cooperative markets at the following the following the following the following year sands of dollars for Kansas farmers. Cooperative markets and cooperative markets and call should have a good library. Of course, such a library would not be complete without copies of "The Militant Voice of Agriculture." Several It is the answer to the question, "How can I, as a farmer and producer, have something to say about the prices I am to receive for my products, as well as something to say about what the prices I are to receive for my products, as well as something to say about what the prices I are to receive for my products, as well as something to say about what the best of the attention of Farm-well as something to say about what the prices when the leaders' classes start in the residual prices. for my marketing service?"

> Too long delay in making necessary repairs will shorten the useful life of farm buildings. A hammer, nails, duarters of a century her fertile and a little time will mean well-kept brain, her versatile pen, and her gift buildings and attractive surroundbuildings and attractive surroundings. The correct use of equipment already on the farm will mean a saving instead of added expense.

THE NATIONAL PAPER

EDUCATION

The National Union Farmer is the official publication of the National Farmers Union, and is published twice a month. Six issues have been published, and the paper is gaining in deserved popularity. According to a letter recently received from E. E. Kennedy, National secretary, any member of the Farmers Union who is not already receiving the National Union Farmer may subscribe for it for 25 cents for 1935, provided his subscription is sent in by a Local, County or State Secretary of the Farmers Union. This is the subscription price for members

Mr. Kennedy writes: "We do not want any effort made to secure subscriptions from farmers who are not members, as this is bound to interfere with any organization campaign state unions are carrying on. We believe that nine out of ten farmers who want to subscribe for a Farmers Union paper and pay for a subscription will join the Union and

pay dues. "Non-farmers who are ineligible to membership in the Farmers Union may subscribe for one dollar a year. If such subscription is sent in by a local, county or state secretary, such secretary may retain 25c in his Union treasury, and send 75c for each subscription to the Kankakee office of the National Farmers Union, together with the names and addresses of those who have subscribed."

ALL SHOULD READ MILITANT VOICE AGRICULTURE'

Mrs. John Simpson and Members of Family Have Compiled Book which Records Virile Writings of Departed National Union President

START A LIBRARY

Locals Urged to Start Building Library, and Mrs. Simpson's Book is Good Place to Start: Much in Demand

Attention of the readers of the Kansas Union Farmer is called to the book "The Militant Voice of Agriculture" which has been compiled and published by Mrs. John A. Simpson, widow of the late president of the National Farmers Union, assisted by other members of the Simpson fam-

This book is well known among all Farmers Union folks, and is finding its way into countless farm libraries as well as in many school and public libraries. It is a compilation of the gems of cooperative thoughts which came from the pen of the departed National Farmers Union leader. It rings true, with the strong and di-rect spirit which guided the hand of the original writer. It should be a part of the educational equipment of every farm home and every Farmers Union Local.

Mrs. Simpson and members of her family compiled and published the book in response to a definite demand which came from Farmers Union members all over the nation, as well as from United States Congressmen and Senators who are interested in seeing the Farmers Union program enacted into law. It is purely a

Farmers Union book.
Since the book has been published, many people have asked permission to have parts of it published in various local papers. "We are always glad for them to do this," writes Mrs. Simpson. "All we ask is that they give credit to 'The Militant Voice of Agriculture' by John A. Simpson. Then we ask them to request the pa-Mr. Church informs the state office that Farmers Union cooperators
in and around the Salina and Bennington territory have ordered out a
car load of KFU and Union Standard
feeds, which will be shipped norther though editions are 75. chandise in another building in Ben-nington, separate from the elevator. cents. Prices are reduced still fur-This bit of cooperative purchasing ther for orders of 20 or more—cloth-bound, 90 cents, paper-bound, 50 bound, 90 cents, paper-bound, 50

I must pay for my necessities, and classes start in the various neighborhoods, could be added from time to

> Likes the Book Here is a copy of a letter, written March 21, to Mrs. Simpson: March 21, 1933.

"Dear Mrs. Simpson: "Inclosed find my check for \$4.75

CREDIT MASTERS TO BLAME FOR CRY AGAINST INFLATION

Recent Speech in House by Rep. Martin of Colorado Points out New Issue of Money would Upset Synthetic Money System

PLEADS FOR SILVER

Says Everything but Money has been Tried to Bring Relief from Money Panic; Is for Patman Bonus Legislation

There is a big difference between the Vinson bill and the Patman bill, although both provide for the immediate payment of the Adjusted Service Certificates, or the "soldier's bonus" as the proposed payment is of raising the money for the payment. The Vinson bill would have the money raised by issuing additional taxexempt, interest bearing bonds. The Patman bill, which has the endorsement of the Farmers Union, and which is being fought by the monied interests. would finance the bonus

I will assume that this is sound interests, would finance the bonus payment by issuing new money intead of new bonds.

A very good exposition of the two bills, and the two schools of thought behind them, is offered in a speech recently delivered on the floor of the House of Representatives by Con-gressman John A. Martin of Colorado. This speech is offered here for the study of the readers of this paper:

There is no real question about the payment of the (soldiers') bonus. 1 think it is overwhelmingly the will of the house that it shall be paid. The real issue is how it shall be paid and that issue in my judgment, presents question which far transcends in mportance the payment of even such stupendous sum as 2 billion dollars. The question is money versus bonds. So far as I am concerned, my vote on this question was predetermined many years before the occasion of the vote ever arose, and that vote, in accordance with my life views on this issue, must be for more money

instead of more bonds. Just two things won the Civil War in this country-men and green-

During the Civil war this country had no gold. It had no credit. It received no foreign loans.

Some gentlema inflation the greenbacks of the that the government wrote an excep- than 2 cents. tion clause on the back of that green-back, repudiating its own money and declaring that "This shall be legal vate, except interest on the public debt and duties on imports."

Civil War Greenback Held Its Own It also took away from the green-banks or treasury, no lawful money an opportunity; it is a challenge. back the bond exchange privilege, and in the realm, with which to sustain yet notwithstanding this repudiation, notwithstanding this discrimination, at the time of the battle of Gettysburg, in that great crisis of the Civil war, the greenback was worth

cents on the dollar in gold. It is claimed for the Vinson bill that it permits of payment in the customary way, the orthodox way. This was the consideration which determined its recommendation by a majority of the committee.

No explanation was required, none was necessary, to define poyment in the customary way, the orthodox way. Everybody understood that it due to the losses of the depression. meant a shorter and uglier term, everybody understood that it meant nance to be at the bottom of the perbonds.

Everybody also understood that these bonds must be serviced, and that serviced means something like 75 million dollars of annual new taxes; so when we reduce a financing transaction in the orthodox way, which must be serviced, to common English, we get tax-exempt interest-bearing bonds, paid by taxes.

The Definition of Inflation. The objection to the Patman bill s that it is inflationary. Inflation is the most fearsome term in the lexicon of finance. A term so formidable, so devastating and so commonly used ought to have an exact definition. A leading proponent of the Vinson

Inflation is defined by the school a law practice under the sound mony as any addition to the of Lansdon and Bever.) volume of money in circulation at its lowest ebb.

Money has the peculiar and disinguishing quality of being the only factor in the entire economic structure which must be fixed and static in quantity. Population may increase, production may vary, supply and de-

ter Local, and I am buying the two cloth-bound books to put one in each of the public libraries at Haxtun and

Holyoke.
"I think every local in the United these States should have one of these books and use it in their regular programs. And if every officer in the local Unions would read it, he would be a better Farmers' Union member.

"Sincerely, E. E. Cronquist

mand may fluctuate, prices may slide up and down like mercury in the glass, wars may come, and the sea-sons may play hob with the plans of men, but the volume of money must be as changeless as the laws of the Medes and Peresians.

This law of sound money is sub-

COOPERATION

ject to only one exception. If there is to be any change in the volume of money, it must be by way of contraction. Contraction, it is true, brings on the liquidation and the fall in prices which spell panic and depression. But this only makes the money all the sounder.

In a panic money is aiways at its soundest. So long as the same disastrous result of panic and poverty is not arrived at by an expansion of its quality, we still have beneath the wreckage of the economic structure the sure and safe foundation of sound money upon which to build again.

I am referring now to what I may term "money which is more or less real." This kind of money is repeatedly estimated to approximate 5 and one-half billion dollars, including all popularly referred to. The difference between the two bills is the method in any way since the Civil war.

at 10peka, will return to their interest to the interest

It is now made up of federal reserve notes backed to 35 to 40 per per cent by irredeemable gold certi-which these teachers or leaders will ficates, by national-bank notes backed by bonds, by greenbacks backed in

money. This is the money to expand which, to add to which constitutes inflation; and inflation, in the recent language of a financial writer, is a "terrible horror" to the sound-money

shall be preserved.

Synthetic or "Bank Check" Money finance which bears the same proportional relation to sound money in the matter of volume that the ten-story holding company structure bears to the operating company foundation upon which it rests, except that this new financial structure does not rest upon any such firm foundation.

I refer to "synthetic money," I refer to bank-check money, I refer to money which is created merely by entries on bank books, representing

When the bubble burst in 1929 there is said to have been about 22 bil-lion of this synthetic money in existence. It was demand deposits in banks. All told there was about 60 billion of demand and time deposits in banks when the bubble burst.

And in the banks there was less than one billion dollars of what we think of as real money, or less than 2 cents on the dollar.

could issue \$10 upon a deout as one of the horrible examples posit of \$1 without having the dollar in 1929. Instead of 10 cents be-Civil war, but he did not tell you hind the synthetic dollar, it had less

This kind of money to the amount of 22 billion was the basis of the synthetic money system and the real tender for all debts, public and pri- circulating medium. So-called "realnoney" did less than 10 per cent of usiness. There was no gold in either the

this vast volume of synthetic money. It was built on confidence, and as confidence flew out the window synthetic money ran out the door, leaving a ruin in its wake nearly as great as that which overtook Germany and vastly worse than the consequences of the gold content of the franc. whereby she paid her domestic debts in 20-cent dollars. The 20-cent dollar is now the technical standard unit of value and money of theoretical re-

demption in that country.

A shrinkage of 8 billion dollars in the volume of this synthetic money, is claimed by many students of fisistence of the depression. The velocolume is gone.

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INSTITUTE IDEA MEETS REAL TEST OVER STATE SOON

Saturday of this Week Marks Close of Workers Institute at Topeka, when Student-Teachers will Return to Home Communities

PRESENTS CHALLENGE

Up to Membership of Kansas Farmers Union to See that Classes are Attended, and that Right Things are Taught in Them

A total of eighty student-teachers, now attending the Workers Institute at Topeka, will return to their homes will begin putting the whole idea to which these teachers or leaders will organize and conduct through the next several weeks will determine the workability and value of the entire

setup. The Institute and subsequent community classes, open to every one, were made possible by a combination of several different factors. First, the KERC had "earmarked" funds to spend for definite educational ef-At all cost and at all hazards, by forts among adults. These funds could the eternal, sound money must and not be used for any other purpose. Second, the application of these funds had to be guided by the good judg-I come now, however, to a field of ment of the officials of the Kansas Emergency Relief Committee, working jointly with the office of the state superintendent of public instruction. Third, the Kansas Farmers Unon, working in conjunction with the National Farmers Union, has a defi-nite educational program, which it seeks to make available not only to the older people on the farms, but to the young folks as well. In fact, special emphasis is placed on the matter of educating young farmers along the lines taught by the Farmers Un-ion. Fourth, the Farmers Union has a definite setup with its Locals in the communities, and its county units in the counties, which offered the community organization, ready made, which the KERC would otherwise have had to construct. Fifth, the Farmers Union and the KERC got together.

The result is that the Farmers Union program forms, in a large measure, the basis of the courses or the discussions that will be taken up at the various meetings or classes which these teachers will conduct.

With all this as a starting point, and with nearly all the teachers or leaders sponsored by the various Farmers Union Locals, the Farmers Union membership has a wonderful opportunity to expand, and to put its teachings into effect. It is pointed out that this constitutes more than

The attention of the readers is called to articles in this issue of the Kansas Union Farmer. One is the report of the Institute written by Mrs. Art Riley, State Junior Leader, who has attended nearly every session since the beginning of the Institute, and the other is the comment by Cal Ward, president of the Kansas Farmers Union, in "The President's Col-

It might be pointed out here that 74 of the Institute student-teachers represent Farmers Union organizations from 42 counties. In addition, 6 student-teachers represent Labor organizations from 4 counties. The interchange of farm and labor organization ideas has been valuable to both ity, they say, is still there, but the classes of people, and has improved olume is gone.

It is a fixed characteristic of the background which will influence the teaching in the community class-

Charles Simon Barrett

By W. C. Lansdon (Editor's Note: The author of the of course, excludes all the blacks. following fine tribute to the former president of the National Farmers Union was for a number of years the editor of the Kansas Union Farmer. enjoyed any of the presumptively While serving in that canacity Mr. While serving in that capacity, Mr. great advantages of residence in a bill before the committee on ways and Landson was also the vice president great university and familiar assomeans said he did not know what of the Kansas Farmers Union. He inflation meant. It is all very simple. Inflation is defined by the school a law practice under the firm name ture of the southern social regime to

ture."

"One of the books goes to the new local organized at Holyoke, one to the Bailey Local and one to High Center Local, and Lam hyping the state of the state of the second and much more intelligent than the average but was only on the fringe of the "white goatee" or "old marster" caste that the south from the place of its ter Local, and Lam hyping the second and much more intelligent than the average but was only on the fringe of the "white goatee" or "old marster" caste that the south from the place of its origin in Particular and in time became a local organizer for the National Farmers under the south from the place of its origin in Particular and I am hyping the second and in time became a local organizer for the National Farmers under the second and in time became a local organizer for the National Farmers under the second and in time became a local organizer for the National Farmers under the second and in time became a local organizer for the National Farmers under the second and in time became a local organizer for the National Farmers under the second and in time became a local organizer for the National Farmers under the second and in time became a local organizer for the National Farmers under the second and the seco gress of the United States for one or try. Everywhere his leader in a section where major public offices are reserved for the select and, of course, about an equal num-Colorado Farmers' Union." few who are born into the ruling haxtun, Colorado. class which includes less than one- (continued on page 2)

fourth of the white population and,

In his youth Barrett received

high places in the governmets of their native states and the republic. Charles Simon Barrett never He left Georgia while still a very served his state or country in any young man and located in Arkansas legislative or administrative capacity, in search of opportunities for the ne was never enrolled in the military use of the very great abilities with service, but he became and, by thous- which he had been endowed by nature ands of his fellow countrymen, will in total disregard of the immutable always be remembered as one of the social conditions of the South. In his great men of his times. He was born new location he operated a small n Georgia, in 1865 .His family was farm, taught a few terms of country inated the social life, business and had all the necessary elements for politics of every southern state. His leadership in such a movement and father was a country lawyer and in at its second annual convention was a small way a planter. He served for some time as a judge of one of the ganization. His work took him into minor courts and was in the con- every state and territory of the countwo terms, but lacked the family connections and the wealth to establish and maintain himself as a political gram of the Union made him multitudes of loval and admiring friends

August 5, 1839, at Jacksonville, Illinois, and died at her home near Kincaid, Kansas, April 8, 1935, having domitable courage which character-lived ninety five years, eight months

ler, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell Davis, Bronson; Mr. and Mrs. Cal Ward, Salina; Mr. and Mrs. Smith L. Jackson, Merle Loughridge and J. A. Har-

per, of Garnett. Mr. Loughridge is county attorney, and Mr. Harper is county clerk of Anderson county.

Maria Strickland Henderson

She grew to womanhood in her native town and was graduated from the Jacksonville Woman's College. At of many social, political, and education age of eighteen years she con-

has freely given untold service to She was united in marriage with ion in her community, it is fitting that due notice be given in the official paper of the organization to which the departed was devoted.

David B. Henderson April 6, 1860. To this marriage six children were born, Edward, Theodore, Herbert, Myrtle, Clifton and Pearl, all of whom grew to manhood and womanhood except the development of the Farmers Un- David B. Henderson April 6, 1860. To Mrs. Henderson, whose obituary appears below, filled a place in Farm-years.

ers Union work in Kansas which has not been equalled by many others. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Linus Gretten, and Mr. Gretten, early Monday morning, Ap-The funeral services were attended by a host of sorrowing friends and relatives. Among those who attended and paid last respects were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eastwood, and Mr.

> moved to a farm on Deer Creek. Later they moved to the place near Kincaid which has been the family

The burdens and sacrifices common Maria Strickland, daughter of Selto pioneer mothers were here. den and Jane A. Strickland, was born Through drouth, financial panics, pri-

When death claims one who has spent a long life time in the unselfish service of others, and when that one she held through life.

to manhood and womanhood except Myrtle who died at the age of six

ganized Company K, 101st Regiment, llinois Volunteer Infantry, of which Company he was made Second Lieutenant. Courageously she awaited

victory.

In 1869 she came to Kansas with nome for more than sixty years.

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farmer cost.

SALINA, KANSAS, THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1935

NEED CONTINUED EFFORT

F. C. Gerstenberger

The farmers of the state of Kan- age. Your live stock which you marsas have demonstrated beyond any ket should go to your own cooperadoubt that they are able to build up tive marketing firm. Make your purtheir own marketing machinery, that chases of farm necessities through they are able and competent business your own cooperative business associmen as well as among the world's ation or store, or elevator. When you best farmers. Through a compara- sell your grain-if you have anytively short period of time, Kansas remember there is a great cooperafarmers have developed cooperative tive builded up for that purpose. live stock, grain and produce marketing companies or associations which remember that it is your own tradehave taken their respective places at your own patronage-which makes or near the top of the list of mar- possible the maintenance of the great Art Riley, has attended the Institute keting firms which handle Kansas cooperative creameries and produce farm products.

While the Kansas farmers have been developing cooperative market- Farmers Union Mutual Insurance ing, they also have been building up great cooperative purchasing facilities and enterprises. They have proved that they are good business men in Insurance Company which is organthis respect, too. The same thing ized to provide farmer insurance at can be said for developments in the field of insurance, and in the matter of auditing.

But right at this point, and in this tive service rendered by the Farmers connection, let us point out the fact Union Auditing Association. If you that these wonderful cooperative in- are interested in oil and gas royalstitutions, these living monuments to ties, remember the Farmers Union the good business judgment of Kan- Royalty Company. sas farmers, will not remain as, the strong institutions they are today, if Kansas farmers proceed to get care- ganization is not the only reason why less, rest on their oars, and allow a farmer should patronize his own things to drift. It is going to require Farmers Union cooperatives. One of City. At this conference definite continued work by the farmers, and the most important reasons is the continued loyalty to their own coop- fact that he must do so in order to wheat growers of the Southwest erative cause, to insure the future of protect himself from his business en-

these great cooperatives. Taking Things for Granted

Too many times, there is a tendency gambler in farm products, has any for any group, or for individuals, to intention of giving the farmer any feel so prosperous and so secure in more than he has to for his products. their strength, that they take them- If he can get them for nothing, he'll selves for granted. That tendency do it. The farmer must protect himhas appeared in various farm organi- self through his own cooperative zations and in several cooperative business setups. business or marketing institutions. Again, it may be pointed out that However, that tendency is not con- patronage of his own cooperative fined to such organizations; it has firms is the direct way to help build been evident throughout history- up the farmer's cooperatives. Howand in its wake may be found the ever, there is something else needed, ruins of group organizations, of poli- and that is membership in his own tical parties and of nations.

Right at this time, there are spec- protects these cooperatives. Mem-Right at this time, there are spec- protects these cooperatives. Hell this time. This attack is being led unlike far too many southerners his discoveries in the Klondike, in South Farmers Union, and for every farm- only way in which that organization by certain groups who have always sympathies were not sectional but er whether a member of a farm or- can be perpetuated. The Farmers ganization or not, to pay particular Union is entirely dependent on farmattention to the upbuilding of farm- ers who are willing to support it by attention to the upbuilding of farmers with dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our Kansas farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active memof our farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active membership dues, and by active memof our farmers are falling for membership dues, and by active membership du farmers' cooperatives subjected to bership work. more severe attacks by private con- The Farmers Union state organicerns and monopolies than at pres- zation is the parent organization, ent. Never before was so much in- into which all the business, marketing sidious propaganda circulated.

Need All Your Business any sort of business. Drouths, dust is responsible for most of the laws storms, scarcity of money, and many that have been passed as beneficial other contributing causes work to agriculture. Without the organiagainst those business activities zation, without this organized influwhich have to do with handling of ence, farmers would be absolutely trade. It stands to reason, then, that powerless. It is through organiza- W. E. Grimes of the Kansas State Col your own cooperatives need every bit tion, in the Farmers Union, that lege agricultural economics staff, in of business you, as a farmer, can give farmers have been able to secure the creases agricultural competition and

Remember, your cooperative oil torium bill. It was the Farmers Un-

ion which forced Triple A officials to pay the wheat adjustment payments according to average production over a base period of years, instead of on actual production during the last year or two. The Farmers Union, assisted ably by the other great farm organiium law through. Many other beneficial pieces of legislation are the results of farmer organization. Without this organization, other classes, ...Editor and Manager which are organized, would have been successful in their fight to kill all farm legislation.

President's Column

--by--CAL A. WARD President Kansas Farmers Union

WORKERS' INSTITUTE DRAWING TO A CLOSE

In a few more days the Workers' the day he will be thirty. "Charge it to the dust and let the rain settle it," might have been hubeen receiving instruction along lines of organization and agricultural has been extremely interesting, educational, and instructive. These stufrom Farmers Union families.

It has been my pleasure to be pres- make-up. ent at many of the sessions, and it is terest taken by these people. They a short and narrow street in the lowwill soon return to their home communities, and it is then that they will and discussion classes. The Federal Government has spent a good many thousands of dollars in this project and it is up to our Farmers Union folks over the state to take the lead in making this endeavor profitable and successful.

Local Groups Must Help These teachers range in age from about 20 to 60, with the average age something less than 30. Many of them have not had much experience in leadership; therefore, it will be up to our local groups to cooperate and assist them in the work when they return home.

President

and gasoline business institution in

your community needs your patron-

Remember, too, that the best audit-

Mere Loyalty Not All

Mere loyalty to his own class or-

passage of the Frazier- Lemke mora-

Our organization has a wonderful opportunity for expansion, because of this program. These meetings should, and will, prove interesting if everyone will do his bit. I am sure that many counties have made quite definite arrangements for meetings, etc.

During the time of these meetings, nuch can be done by Union folks in sponsoring our Junior work. Our State Junior Leader. Mrs. much of the time, and has made many markets. When you buy your insur- contacts which should expedite the ance, remember that you have the work in the various communities.

Don't fail to write the State office about your problems, because we want Companies which are designed to to be of material assistance. It is protect you from property losses, and that you have the Farmers Union Life the purpose of the State office to contact many of our communities during the time of these meetings. We ing service available is the cooperaseason of the year for farmers, I believe you will find it a pleasure and indeed interesting to attend these meetings when these workers return

Wheat Conference At Kansas City

Tomorrow, April 17, I attend a Regional Wheat Conference at Kansas plans will be made to inform the wheat states of the new wheat proemies. It should be plainly apparent gram, which will be offered to our that no speculator, no middleman, no wheat growers.

> As a member of the Federal Wheat Advisory Committee, I have done my best to make the contemplated program and contract of the most benefit to our people. Our wheat farmers should appreciate the fact that there are many interests as between the various sections of the United member, first, our farmers in the drouth, dust-ridden areas.

militant class organization, which feel that the program and the \$40,and purchasing activities dove-tail. 000,000 that comes to Kansas each Its influence is apparent in our state year in benefit payments, is worth Then, too, these are hard times for and national capitals. Its influence anything, we had better let our wishes be known.

> Reports indicate that the number of Kansas farms increased materially between 1930 and 1935. This logical consequence of the depression, says further complicates the problem of changed adjusting agriculture to

The Cloak Room

W. P. Lambertson

April 13, '35

My idea of the forgotten man in politics is the lame duck member of Congress who persists in hanging around the Capitol. Rep. Donald H. McLean, of N. J.,

was a thirteen-year-old page in the Senate of '97, appointed by Vice President Hobart. Not having helped to hatch the Blue Eagle, and since it is now ugly with its feathers largely plucked, I am willing to trade it for a horse, and restore a bridled competition.

Rush D. Holt, Senator-elect from W. Va., looks like twenty-one, has a desk, listens and draws his pay, but must wait till the 19th of June beman draws of June beman draws his pay, but he was often offered great sums of money to represent vested and powerfore he can vote or speak. That is

Farmers Union, will be history. For morous once but it just hurts now. four weeks some eighty students have Two banks in southeast Colorado paid out 100 per cent last week and closed, because there was no business left. '35 will be as well remembered for its of Charles Simon Barrett for nearly economics. Altogether, this school winged sediment as '74 was for its has been extremely interesting, edu- clouds and grasshoppers. One of the paradoxes on Capitol

cational, and instructive. These students were brought together from of the Military Committee of the tions of the National Farmers Union some 45 or 50 counties. With few Senate. He is grand for his simpliexceptions, they are all from the city, is clean, serene and unaffected, rural districts. Most of them come and moves about and speaks as gent-There is no clanging of swords in his

For seventy years, since the Civil War, America's real dictatorship has indeed gratifying to note the keen in- consisted of a group of bankers about er end of Manhattan Island. Their influence is felt here in all proposals of war or peace, distress or proshave the opportunity of appearing before community groups in meetings let the government issue its own money and fix the value of it, nor materially to lower interest rates, and are strong for the tax-exempt, interest-bearing bonds.

Herbert Hoover in '20 wasn't quite sure of his party and Al Smith in '32 was a long time deciding which he would support. They have been frat-ernizing lately and they really agree on fundamentals. However, their respective cohorts on a thousand stumps have borne down on the elementals that separated them. After all, fervor is generated largely from attitude and geography.

CHARLES SIMON BARRETT

(continued from page 1) groups that were enriching themselves out of the labor of farmers.

Wide Acquaintance In the discharge of his duties President Barrett spent a part of every year in Washington where he soon connected with the government. No other man who ever lived in this country knew so many of his fellow citizens by name. No other man ever est of human happiness; fiercely inhad such unrestricted access to the committee rooms of congress and the offices of administrative dignataries. During a period of more than thirty years he could call every congressman, senator and cabinet minister by name and was always a welcome advisor for those who were interested in the welfare of the American farmer.

Friend of Presidents Early in his service at Washington Barrett established an intimate, friendly and helpful relationship with President Theodore Roosevelt, who was proud to accept membership in will assist you in any way that we the Farmers Union. He was on equcan in making the meetings a suc- ally cordial terms with Taft, Wilson, cess. Even though it is the busiest Harding, Coolidge, Hoover and Franklin D. Roosevelt all of whom valued his counsel on agricultural problems and sought his advice on all the diverse proposals that were made in those years to alleviate the hard conditions of agriculure. In his time no. president was ever too busy to give Washington as Presidents" who had no personal am- in the highest quarters. bitions to serve nor any selfish purjustly prided themselves on close and president but Barrett was the only man in all our history who served as a valued unofficial advisor to seven successive occupants of the White House.

Offered Political Office No man can number the fine qualities of mind and heart that made enjoyed his confidence and friendship. States, when it comes to wheat. It He was instinctively and incorrupti- paper. has been my aim at all times to re- bly honest with faultless integrity and flawless devotion to principle that never wavered under temptation or faltered in the face of opposition. He The crop insurance feature of the was sincerely, wholeheartedly and unprogram is being bitterly attacked at this time. This attack is being led been the enemy of our section of the national. He never expected or decountry. They have clothed this at- sired either official or pecuniary recountry. They have clothed this attack in such a way that even some most unbelievable offers of employit. They are flooding Congress with tion. He could have been senator from telegrams and letters, and if our Georgia on at least two occasions. farmers of Kansas and other states but he stood aside first for Tom Watson and later for Walter George, both of whom were his close friends. At least two presidents offered him the least two presidents offered him the secretaryship of agriculture but he never wavered from his life-long de- if its market value was \$1.29 an of this organization. termination to serve his fellow farmers for no reward except the approbation of his own conscience and the somewwhat uncertain gratitude and good will of those for whom he worked for a generation almost without

remuneration.

thing for agriculture and his country. Theodore Roosevelt persuaded him to sit on the Rural Life Commission; under Woodrow Wilson he was a member of the group that fixed the wheat during the World War and in an advisory capacity acted as the representative of American agriculture at the Paris Peace Conference at the close of that great struggle. President Harding named him as one of the American advisors the International Disarmament Conference where he associated on equal, familiar and influential terms with the great men of all nations. Al-ways without pay, he served with scores of other boards and commissions created by executive or congressional authority for the consideration of exigent social and national problems. Though not a partisan, like most southern men, he was a democrat and was several times a delegate to the national conventions of that party and often materially assisted in the construction of platform resmoney to represent vested and powerful financial and industrial interests. in Washington, but steadfastly refused to be agent of any group except his fellow farmers or surrender his freedom of action as an individual. enjoy the friendship and confidence my good fortune to be a delegate tions of the National Farmers Union for twelve successive sessions. In all the tumultuous proceedings of that often turbulent and unruly body I supported the president on every is-sue raised to challenge his leadership but in the years of our long association he did far more for me than I was ever able to do for him. At his request the directors of the organization made me its national lecturer. I was his secretary and helper at the National Disarmament Conference. The only worth while office

Coolidge on his recommendation.

I have never had better opportunities to know any man. I have never known anyone who more nearly measured up to the noblest conceptions of manhood, honor, patriotism courage and unselfish devotion and consecration to duty. I know that when Barrett went to his eternal home. Alec Davis, for so many years his faithful advisor and loyal supporter, lost a friend who can never be replaced. I know that I lost the most lovable, sincere, helpful friend of my life. But much more important than the bereavement of Davis, myself and multitudes of other close personal friends is the irreparable loss sustained by the country and especially by the farmers of the republic to whom all his time, talents and thought were dedicated throughout a life time of earnest, honest and courageous work, unsparingly and unyear in Washington where he soon became well known to everyone grudgingly devoted to their best interests. In life he was faithful to justice, but understandingly tolerant of human weakness and error. In death he is entitled to the veneration of countless millions in whose service he generously spent all the

that I ever held under the federal

government was given me by Calvin

CREDIT MASTERS TO BLAME FOR CRY AGAINST INFLATION

treasures of his mind and heart.

(continued from page 1) sound-money mind that it can look 60 billion of unsecured bank donosits, 30 billion of bonded indebtedness, and 22 billion of synthetic money in the face and never bat an eye; but propose any increase, any expansion, in the volume of what the lay mind considers real money, and the soundmoney mind is seized with panic.

Question of Expansion Per Se. And it matters not what in the way of values there may be behind an time to Barrett and listen with close expansion of the currency. We boast and respectful attention to his always that there is \$1.50 worth of gold and wise and helpful comments and sug- silver in the treasury for every dolgestions. He became generally known lar of currency of all kinds in ex-"the Friend of istence. I have heard this boast made

But a proposal to issue any addiposes to further. Other men have tional currency is nevertheless inflationary. If there were \$2 behind it, it familiar association with a single would be the same. If it were proposed to put this 8 billion and odd of gold now in the treasury out as dollars, the sound-money mind would see the temple of finance crashing in ruins.

To the men of finance, then, it is not merely a question of the kind or the intrinsic value of the proposed Barrett one of the great leaders of expansion; it is the question of exhis day. He had many qualities that pansion per se. They would be just can never be forgotten by any who as much opposed to a billion of new gold money as to a billion of new

They are opposed not merely to new money, but to any money. They

deal in credit. Some of us recall the speculation that sprang up in financial circles re-Africa and in the United States in the late 90's. They feared it would become too plentiful and too cheap, and God

versy over the remonetization of sil- patriotic enterprises. ounce as it is at 50 cents an ounce, and they would be opposed to it if stone her bodily strength began to it was \$2.29 an ounce.

ver is worth or what it would be worth in the things she loved continued unif given its rightful place as primary til a few weeks ago when she grew money in the monetary system of the

trols the monetary and banking world. That world is opposed to silver regardless of its cost or its value. They to mourn her going, her son Herbert would oppose a bill to issue silver certificates redeemable only in silver her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Gretten and bullion at its market value. bullion at its market value.

the masters of credit.

money and regulate the value thereof. Such a power, exercised by the government, would be highly danger-So this great power in the congress has been allowed to atrophy, and the men of finance coin and control credit, that is, they control it subject to the panics and depressions caused by the system.

small change, and replaced wholly It was my priceless privilege to by a monetary system of bank checks based on debts.

The volume of our circulating medium is so small compared with the needs of commerce, as evidenced by the huge volume of synthetic money, that perhaps real money ought to be demonetized.

I have no doubt such a bill would find favor with many anti-inflationists, particularly those anti-inflationists whose business is the issue and control of synthetic money.

Most Momentous Issue in Congress It is generally agreed by the antinflationists that the payment of the oonus by the issue of currency, even though there would be a dollar of noney metal behind every dollar of t in the treasury, would start the American dollar on the pathway of the German mark.

Germany is another horrible examole held up to us—the war-exhausted, debt-crushed, moneyless, bankrup Germany of that period. It may be noted that Germany appears to have revived. So to avoid Germany's experence, payment must be financed in the only safe way, the customary and orthodox way.

This is the issue presented by these two bills. It is the most momentous issue which will come before the seventy-fourth congress.

It is the most fundamental issue in this country, the most far-reaching in its consequences. In this country are | So she, who so long had journeyed thought.

In this house now they have come face to face as never before. When members vote on either of these bills. the payment of the bonus will be only secondary in their thoughts. Their votes will reflect their views on mon-

some proportioned and balanced ratio to credit; more real money and less synthetic money; that we should have by the Morning Star. a wider money base to sustain such a monumental structure of debt and Farewell to Earth's limitations!

We have tried everything but money to bring about recovery and restore prosperity.

It may be replied, I have heard it argued, that if additional new currency were to be issued, it would soon find its way back into the bank vaults and go out of circulation, leaving us just where we were before. Well, if it does, perhaps a small dilution of real money will help to stabilize the synthetic brew and contribute something toward the avoidance of runs on banks which carry on deposit ten do want to tell you that these names, times more money than there is in ex- by states, will appear in the current istence.

Sometimes in a sardonic mood I or your own state paper. feel that we were, on the eve of a great monetary discovery, the dis- the gag rule that was passed on Jancovery that what has heretofore uary 3rd was passed for the obvious throughout the history of the world purpose of enabling the leadership of been regarded and used as money is only a hindrance and a restraint in the affairs of men and that it is about to be replaced by a much more flexible system based on taxes, bonds and bank checks.

That is what we really have now. We are, in fact, on a synthetic money

basis. In many things I am of the new school, but on money I am of the old school. I am for money of the constitution not the money of bonds and bank checks. While the body politic is still sick and languishing, let us put some blood in its veins. That is why I am going to vote first, at any rate, for money instead of bonds to pay the bonus.

DEATH OF MRS. HENDERSON

(continued from page 1) tional policies of the community. She began teaching school at the age of sixteen years and spent ten years as teacher in Illinois and fifteen years in Kansas. She loved held in the West Wing of the Agrichildren and loved the task of instruction. She tried to be an exemplary teacher always presenting the higher and better things in all phases of school work. Her success as a teacher is attested by all who came under her instruction. She loved her Savior and His cre-

ation. She loved Nature, taking de-light in flowers and with frail hands save us from cheap money, even gold.

The same thing applies to silver.
It is not a question of the intrinsic with poetic fancy, she contributed with poetic fancy, she contributed value of silver. I want to drive this many fine lyrics and ballads to the home. If I could get over but a sin- current papers. She loved her Coungle thought on the age-long controver, it would be that the sound-mon- member of the Woman's Relief Corps ey school would be just as much op- of the Grand Army of the Republic

decline but her wonderful memory It is not at all a question what sil- and her keen interest in people and

Her husband and four of her children having passed away, she leaves They are opposed to silver because it would create additional money. They are dealers in credit. They are Kansas; Harry Henderson and his The constitution empowered and wife Mary of Butler, Missouri; two thereby directed congress to coin grand-daughters, Lucile Gretten of the home and Mrs. Evalyn Fife of Indianapolis, Indiana; a great grandgovernment, would be highly danger-ous, but in the hands of the big bank-ers, who know and understand money, phows, and a large circle of friends. ers, who know and understand minery, it is perfectly safe, until it blows up. On Wednesday afternoon, April it is perfectly safe, until it blows up. 10th an impressive funeral service was held at Fairview Chapel east of Midred, conducted by Cal Ward of Salina, assisted by the Reverend Glen Duling, pastor of the Methodist Church of Kincaid and the Reverend the system.

Real money has lost the field to synthetic money, except in the smaller transactions of life. I suggested good neighbor and public-spirited cithalf in jest and half in earnest to the ways and means committee that the present limited and fixed quantity of Mrs. D. Sophia Chapman read an inreal money was merely a choke on teresting sketch of her life and in be-business, and that perhaps it ought half of the community expressed apto be discarded altogether, except for preciation of her as a pioneer mother, a pioneer teacher, a good neighbor and a loyal friend. Miss Mary M. Donica, Patriotic Instructor of the Woman's Relief Corps, Number 145, Grand Army of the Republic, bearing the National Colors, gave a last farewell to the departed sister. Mrs. C. with Miss Ethel Van Buskirk at the piano, sang favorite songs of Mrs. Henderson, "Beautiful Island of Somewhere," "I'm a Pilgrim," and "Rock of Ages." The body was borne by Messrs. Clair, John, Russel and Roscoe Adams, John Pye, and Russell Hesley to the family plot in beautiful Fairview cemetery. There, covered with a profusion of choicest covered with a profusion of choicest flowers, tokens of love and esteem, it was committed to its last repose, to await the call of the Angel of the resurrection, and, as the pastor read from the sacred Book, the evening wind seemed in requiem to re-echo

the words: "We spend our years as a tale that is told." IN MEMORY

of Maria Strickland Henderson Violets, lilies and roses, The bent spray's budding leaf, Life springing out of darkness, Growth out of Winter's grief.

The child would go to gather The Springtime blossoms fair, That deck the slope to the summit, Exhaling their fragrance rare.

two great schools of monetary Through seasons of joy and grief, thought. Would go with the coming leaf.

> Into the sweet fields of Eden, Would go at the dawn's first glow, To gather the flowers Elysian, Fairer than bloom below.

I believe that money should bear Beguiled by the brighter flowers,

Farewell to its brightest day! Eden gives fairer visions. The mists have cleared away. D Sophia Donica Chapman.

KENNEDY TELLS OF LEGISLATIVE GAINS BY EARMERS UNION

(continued from page 1) North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota,

Utah and Wyoming. I shall not read to you the names of the signers on this petition, but I issue of the National Union Farmer

I told you a little while ago, that those in control of the House of Representatives to defeat legislation that the public was demanding be enacted into law. I also told you that the further purpose of the gag rule was

to defeat the Frazier-Lemke bill. I want to tell you that 95 per cent of the farmers of the United States are in favor of the passage of this bill Twenty-nine state legislatures have memorialized Congress to pass it. This is a public bill and strictly a non-partisan measure. I think I can also say, that there is perhaps no bil before Congress that is understood better and the passage of which is demanded by more people than the Frazier-Lemke Bill.

COOPERATIVE CONFERENCE IN MANHATTAN THIS WEEK

The annual Cooperative Conference is scheduled to be held this week. the three sessions coming Thursday afternoon, Thursday evening and Friday morning. The Conference will be cultural Building at the Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan.

The Conference will afford opportunity for cooperators and cooperative leaders to discuss their various problems. Speakers of nation-wide reputation will appear on the program. The evening session on Thurslay will be in the form of a banquet. The Conference will come to a close Friday noon.

BROOD ON CLEAN GROUND

Brooding on clean ground is the best known method for controlling round worms and coccidiosis, which cause heavy losses in chicks and decrease egg production during the pullet year.

The portable brooder house is the best way of getting chicks on clean ground, in the opinion of E. R. Halrook, extension poultry specialist of the Kansas State College. late to build one of these for use this The only temporary and presumably honorary appointments that Barrett ever accepted from any of his White House friends were places in which he believed he could do some
Index in the monetary system of the late and, although tenderly cared late to build one of these for use this for, she longed to go home and said season, but it is not too late to make for, she longed to go home and said season, but it is not too late to make the would go when the leaves came and the fresh Spring flowers and on the morning of April flowers and on the morning of April Sth her brave spirit went Home.

Junior and Juvenile Department

Juniors from 16 to 21

Juvenile's from 16 to 6

Conducted by Mrs. Art Riley

Kansas Junior Leader

THE INSTITUTE'S FIRST WEEK IN TOPEKA



students and teachers met for their final work in Lawrence. Our first lecture of the morning was given by Dr. John Ise, who spoke on economic reforms. He stated that formerly the question was that of reforming an economic system that worked. Now, the question is that of finding a system that will work. He outlined the reasons for the breakdown of capitalism: monopoly, decline of internal On Monday morning, April 8th, our Institute down of capitalism; monopoly, decline of international trade, corporation crookedness, concentration of wealth, philosophy of scarcity in capitalism, technological unemployment, insecurity and most important of all, what he called a "cultural lag."

We have become too materialistic We have become too materialistic.

If capitalism can be revived, he further stated, we need not worry at present about socialism, communism or fascism. But if it cannot be revived, we face these three possibilities in America, with the probability that fascism will be our solution.

The next speaker was Professor Dominico Galgiardo who had chosen the subject, "Labor and

the Neaw Deal," for his final lecture. He discussed

Mr. Wilbur Leatherman, of North

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the final number was given by Mr. J.

WE HEAR THE SUPERINTEND-ENT OF RELIEF

At eight o'clock Friday morning

Mr. Jay Besore introduced Mr. F. H.

three millions of dollars each month, for relief work.

Mr. George Marks, superintendent

of Engineering for KERC had been scheduled to appear Friday afternoon;

but as he was unable to be present

Mr. Jack Brink, who is assistant su-

AND ANOTHER PROGRAM

perintendent, spoke to the group.

bered by his hearers.

tive groups.

ics of Cooperation."

Mrs. Art Riley conditions before the "New Deal," such as wages, unemployment and so on, the New Deal labor aims, which are to decrease unemployment, increase wages and arrive at a partnership of Capital and Labor. He mentioned New Deal methods, including arbitration the multic works."

The Mead Beal, the final fecture. He discussed that his organization was the outgrowth of one formed in 1857, by pioeers of Kansas agriculture. Mentioning the growing importance of farm organizations he stated that the setup of the State Board of agriculture was uniquely non-political and noning arbitration, the public works was uniquely non-political and non-projects, social insurance, relief meaprojects, social insurance, relief measures of various kinds and the sures of various kinds and the Codes—which included abolition of child labor, the minimum wage code, regulated working hours and Article 7A, or the much discussed collective barganing clause.

New Deal attainments he listed as the control of the control of the Grange, County Fair associations, and so on. We were told that 1933 was a record year in dairy products, for Kansas. In this year, over 85 million pounds of butter were produced and Mr. Mohler believes that the control of the country for the co

barganing clause.

New Deal attainments he listed as reduction of child labor, better working hours, reduction of unemployment, increased wages and organizations.

The final lecture of Dean Stockton touched upon management and Unions, with reference to labor difficulties—the Company Union, its organization, purposes and accomplishishments, the probable future of the Wagner bill, and the test of a success
million pounds of butter were produced and Mr. Mohler believes that Kansas is moving ahead fast along dairy lines.

Following Mr. Mohler's speech, Dr. Hoiberg announced that the topic for Thursday morning's discussion would be "Inflation." The topic was explained first by Mr. Davis, following which the Institute members, divided into four groups, met with the respective group leaders. These leaders were: Mrs. Clara M. Souders, Brewster, Mrs. Dorothy Bryson, Lyndon, ful business. He also discussed the general future of labor relations, the scientific agrees of hydrogeneral future of labor relations, the Russell Lawrence Company and Mr.

We Hear Harry Witham and field man for this company, next Following this program, Mr. Harry Witham, manager of Farmers National Grain Corporation, Kansas its Local, regional and national as- day night; and Mrs. Atchison is going City, and secretary-manager of the Farmers Union Jobbing Association, gave for the group a most interesting explanation of cooperatives, illustrated by means of a moving picture

THE INSTITUTE MOVES TO TOPEKA

On Tuesday morning, the Institute was held on the second floor of the of the week have been in Convention Hall, on the third floor of the same

Before the guest speaker was troduced, the roll was called by Dr. Hans Hoiberg, so that it could be determined whether any of the students had become lost, or stolen, enroute. However, as everyone answered the Kansas Farmers Union, intro-duced the speaker of the evening, demanded. None being forthcoming, Mr. Ralph Snyder, former president of the Kansas Farm Bureau and now O. Dunbar, of Columbus, who sected President of the Cooperative Bank, "When Father Played Baseball." President of the Cooperative Bank, Wichita. Mr. Snyder told us about the work of his organization.
On Wednesday morning, Mr. W. T.
McNeal, editor of the Kansas Farmer, and assistant editor of the Topeka
Markham, state superintendent of Capital. Mr. McNeal spoke enter-Schools, spoke on "Education." In the afternoon, Mr. Jonas Graber, Regional Director Federal Housing, appeared state, illustrating his points by varbefore the group, his subject being jous anecdotes which will be remem-"Federal Housing."

OUR DISCUSSION GROUPS

On this day, we began our new plan which was to divide our groups into four parts and discuss a topic which had been announced and explained by a special speaker. The subject Wednesday morning was "Money; Its Use and Abuse." Mr. A. C. Davis spoke interestingly on this topic, stating that inflation does not necessarily mean the printing of fiat money, but the restoration of value, or an expansion of credit. He described deflation as the drawing in of credits and drew our attention to a few things which were not yet deflated; namely, farm machinery, and interest

rates.

He also said that the present Administration had made several definomics of Relief Giving."

He stated ite moves in the direction of infla- that the federal government was tion. The Federal Reserve system he spending in Kansas from two to described as a private banking institution, and not a governmental ag-ency. The group divided into four parts following his speech, each with a discussion leader. These leaders were Mr. A. W. Hoyt of Topeka, special assistant to the Superintendent of Emergency Education, Mr. Robert Chapman of Wilson, Mr. A. C. Davis, and Mr. Richard McGuire, of

A great deal of merriment was caused by the fact that we were next told that "six of our group will favor us now with a quartette number." The

efforts were much enjoyed by their

us now with a quartette number." The numbers proved to be given by six of our Institute members, who sang several songs—including "Sweet Adeline" and "My Wild Irish Rose." Mr. Harold Brown, of Stockton, was the soloist in the latter song. Mr. Bruce Winchester of Stafford, Christian Ikenberrg of Quinter, Ed Aziere of Seneca, Marcellus Boeding of Seneca and Ed Martz of Downs, were the other members of the "quartette."

Last on the program was a reading

We Learn About State Expense Mr. Besore then introduced Mr. Ben Franklin, State Business manager. We were all interested in the facts which Mr. Franklin gave us. He stated that the state of Kansas spends in normal years from 20 to 30 mil-lions of dollars—one half of this on the highways. Of course a great portion of the money expended in this

way comes from federal funds. He mentioned the various state institutions, the tubercular hospital at Norton, which takes care of 250 persons who are financially unable to undertake their own cure; 850 epileptics at Winfield, the Deaf and Dumb and addressing the Chair—"Mr. Chair-Institute at Olathe, and the State Or- man (or Madam Chairman) or Mr. phanage at Atchison are among some of the other organizations which he

old us about. There are 4500 insane persons being maintained at state expense, 1100 others at Winfield in the School for the Feeble Minded, 2000 prisoners at Lansing. The cost of each prisoner's maintainence at Lansing is about \$1 per day—a great part of this expense of the step is a second to the motion. To being that undergone because of the necessity for the employment of so many guards. The State milks 1000 cows daily—if all the milk were bought which is used in state institutions, the annual cost would be the state of the one who offers the motion must be entered in the "minterest of the motion must be entered in the "minterest of the motion must be entered in the "minterest of the motion must be entered in the "minterest of the motion must be entered in the "minterest of the motion must be entered in the "minterest of the motion must be entered in the "minterest of the motion."

are receiving their education at our state schools, are another part of our its source. The name of the seconder its source. The name of the seconder state schools, are another part of our state expense. In Lansing, where we find the only prison coal mine in the The Motion is not open for the second that the only prison coal mine in the Minutes. United States, 1200 tons of coal are mined daily. As one of the outstanding ways to improve our institutional

Baxter Springs, Mr. Marcellus Boeding of Seneca, and Mr. Charles E. Doupnik of Agenda.

Mr. Tom DeWitt of Green City, institute one evening; and Mr. Bert Nichols of Osage City was another Consumers' Cooperative Association, interested visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Atchison of Ovdescribed the cooperative program, in erbrook were at the meeting Thursto attend the remainder of the In-

a most inspiring manner on the "Eth-NEMAHA COUNTY

One of our teachers and two of our students left us one morning during the week, to drive to Nemaha county Before the evening meeting, and to attend a Farmers Union meeting. other program was presented. Follow- Mr. Ward was scheduled to speak at moved to Topeka. Tuesday evening ing group singing, conducted by Mrs. the meeting and he took with him Ed the first meeting of the new series Hans Hoiberg, music for which was Aziere and Marcellus Boeding. both Hans Hoiberg, music for which was Aziere and Marcellus Boeding, both furnished by Mrs. Celina Shively of of Seneca; and Mr. A. C. Davis. They Jayhawk Hotel. The other meetings Osawatomie, and Mrs. Jessie A. Tur- informed us, upon their return, that ner of Iola, a reading was given by "a good time was had by all."

Miss Doretta Katz, of Centralia. The Mr. Ward has attended many of

title of her reading was "Mrs. Smart our sessions, and Mr. Floyd Lynn, Learns to Skate," and as she had state secretary and editor of the Kancharacters in the sketch, to those be-longing to students and teachers of the Institute, the result was very and stolen, enroute. However, as everyone answered amusing. Mrs. Celina Shively and present," Mr. Cal Ward, president of Mrs. Jessie Turner next played a been "missing" the weekly issue of

INDUSTRIAL DISABILITIES A SOCIAL PROBLEM

Mr. Ward then introduced Mr. Tom Saturday morning, Mr. Besore in-troduced Mr. Clay Baker, Chairman of the Commission of Labor and Industry. Mr. Baker gave us a very interesting outline of the evolution of tainingly on the relation of the agricultural press to the schools of the workmen's compensatory laws, as his Commission is active in the administration of compensation laws. Workmans' compensation has accomplished Friday morning's topic for discussion was announced as "Class Organization" and the four discussion leaders were announced: Mr. Harold Brown, of Stockton, Mr. Walter Brennan of Maple Hill, Mrs. Carrie a great deal of good-the law has been in effect in Kansas since 1911. Kansas was one of the first two Zimmerman of Belleplaine, and Mr. L. E. Raymond, of Wichita. These four leaders gave very interesting talks at the conclusion of their class periods, outlining briefly the general conclusions reached by their respec-

Two discussion groups were announced for Saturday morning. The topic for the first was "Teaching Methods" and the four discussion

Parliamentary Usage

A Condensed List of Rules

Parliamentary Law is founded or common sense and the experience of mankind. The first principle of Par-liamentary Law is "One at a time." 1. It emphasizes order; that is

Calling a meeting on time 2. Adopting an order of business and following it.

II. Obedience:

1. The rules of Society and Parliamentary Law.
2. Respect for authority and courtesy to officers and others.

III. It eliminates personalities: 1. Never speak of a member by name—refer rather to "last speaker" or "member on my right." There are two things to consider when organizing a meeting: namely, 1. The House (people assembled).

2. The Chair (one who presides). Given the House and Chair, all bus-ness is introduced by "motions." A Motion is a verbal proposition offered by a member and implies Action. Action means a vote. A motion when stated by the Chair is called a Question. Never speak of a proposition as a "move" or "movement" offer motions-do not "make" motions.

In order to introduce business, you President (Madam President)—giving your name. You have not obtained the floor until the Chair has given you recognition by repeating your name. You may now debate the question which is before the House, or offer a motion by the words: "I move, (for example) that we raise \$50 for a

utes" of the meeting. For instance, "Moved by Miss Smith that we raise \$50 for a Farmers Union library."

The Motion is not open for debate until the Chair has stated it by saying, "It has been moved and seconded that we raise \$50 for a Farmers Un-

3. Reading and approving of the

minutes. 4. Admission of new members. Communications, bills. 6. Payment of dues.

7. Reports of committees.
8. Unfinished business. 9. New business. 10. Treasurer's report.

11. Program, debate. 12. Adjournment. Be careful in selecting your officers. A good officer should have the

following qualifications: 1. A good knowledge of Parliamentary Law. 2. Tact. discretion, and Justice. 3. Dignity and a good voice.

4. Initiative and executive ability. Willingness to serve. Officers are servants of society. Duties of Officers: The President.

1. Guides and directs the organi-2. Enforces the rules. 3. Protects the members in their

4. Carries out the will of the members, as expressed by a majority 5. Presides at all meetings.

about uor Institute reporters," They are Miss Helen Benton and Mrs. Mon-Kansas was one of the first two states in the United States to undertake this plan. There are about 175,000 workmen who are affected by the Act—and there are about 643,000 gainfully employed workmen in the gainfully employed workmen in the ery word which is uttered in the In-

1. Keeps the roll call of officers

for the payment of bills.

II The Vice President.

1. Must be able to take the place of the President in his absence or disability and requires the same qualifications for office. II The Secretary.

and members. 2. Keeps minutes of assemblies, files all important papers, corre-

spondence, etc. 3. Notifies members of special meetings, appointments to office or committee. 4. Keeps a record of all board

meetings.
5. If there is no Corresponding Secretary, he takes care of all cor-

respondence.
(Open Minutes of each meeting by stating the name of the Society, the kind of meeting being held, regular or special, place of meeting, day, month, year, and hour. Mentio. the

person in the Chair, and the Secretary. Take roll call of officers and members. Read the Minutes of the previous meeting and see that they are approved or rejected.) IV. The Treasurer. 1. Keeps an account of the re-

ceipts of meetings, amount received and bills paid, and balance on 2. Transacts business through the bank, issues check in payment of all bills. (Do not pay bills, except as ordered by the President or Ex-

ecutive Board.) Voting The Chair Votes:

1. When there is a tie vote (A tie vote is a lost vote because there is no majority.) 2. On Roll call.

3. By Ballot. Organization and Nominations A nomination does not require

second. Tellers. Appointed by the Chair, distribute and count the ballots with the assistance of the secretary. Count every ballot and report every vote. Withdraw when nominated, if you cannot take office. Do not be afraid of defeat. It is no disgrace. Be honorable in campaign. Be a good loser and a good winner. You are permitted to vote for yourself if you are a can-

didate. full business. He and general future of labor relations, the scientific aspect of business with refscientific aspect of business in finished, and includes the set of minibacy. The follows the debate is finished, and in follows the debate is fin It is not customary to call a mass

he says, "The first business in or-der is the election of secretary." of them. So come on in and give of them. So come on in and give of them.

The Constitution and by-laws are the laws governing a Society. The Constitution is the foundation of the Society and should be a plain, sim-Constitution and By-Laws ple statement of the fundamental rules. Make a Constitution SAY w'at you mean, and then interpret the Constitution to MEAN WHAT YOU

SAID. The Constitution need contain no more than five separate statements: -the name; the object; the membership; the officers; the annual meeting. It may have other provisions

if thought necessary.

The By-laws include duties of officers; dues; Board of Directors; special committees; meetings throughout the year; nominations and elections; quorum; parliamentary authority and the method of amending the by-laws, which should be more simple than amending the Constitution. By-Laws are usually amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, providing previous notice was 6. Signs orders on the Treasurer given at the prior meeting.

OUR "REPORTERS"

We've been neglecting to tell you state. The reason for this discreptancy is, that the Act applies only to those workmen who are employed in hazardous occupations.

Industrial disabilities are a social disabilities are a social di

accidents. The Act exempts workers in agricultural pursuits, notwith-standing the fact that the agricultural industry has become one of the worst in the world, with reference to accidents.

It wonten from the different communities in that part of Kansas were gathered there and engaged in an extensive study of the fundamentals, aims and practices of the cooperative munities in that part of Kansas were gathered there and engaged in an extensive study of the fundamentals, aims and practices of the cooperative movement."

In a principle of they're always on time for the opening of each session, even though there have selves delayed. And we also found them very "easy on the ever" in the world, with reference to accidents. fact, they might almost be called a organizing our Junior League. Just decorative addition to our programs. as we get a complete list of our mem-

WHEN SILENCE IS GOLDEN

Methods" and the four discussion leaders were Mr. Christian Ikenberry, of Quinter, Mr. Bruce Winchester, of Stafford, Mrs. John Orr, Conway Springs, and Mrs. Edith Nichols, Osage City.

The second topic was "Racial Problems," and the four leaders were down town. In a letter which she reduced the following week Kenneth.

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The second topic was "Racial Problems," and I the Brown of the find the fin Baxter Springs.

WE HEAR JAKE MOHLER

Wednesday evening, Mr. Jake Mohler, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, was introduced by Mr. Mr. Mohler explained that he had been with the State Board of Agriculture for forty-three years and state of the second topic was "Racial that "Aunt Patience" had driven her down town. In a letter which she redown town. In a letter which she red with redown the following week, Kenneth of the following week, Kenneth of the following week, Kenneth of the following week. Kenneth of the following week. Kenneth of the following week week. Size 18462. House or Proch Frock. Dear Aunt Patience.

I would like to join your Junior stream town th

dismissed until Monday morning at taking shape in his home county— years old. My birthday is on Novemeright o'clock.

under Miss Letha Bickett's direction—might be discouraged. A mystery

didn't have any rain nor snow for the county—years old. My birthday is on November 2. is always more interesting than a a long time. Can you help me find reality, as everyone knows.

Next week we have a most interesting schedule of meetings outlined, and we are planning a farewell din-ner Friday evening. But you'll hear all about that next week. -Your State Junior Leader.

MORE NEWS FROM THOMAS COUNTY

problem—the public must be informed of their prevalence and care so that a better adjustment of these cases in the work later.

and present each Institute graduate was very similar to the one which with a copy, so that it may be used in the work later. a better adjustment of these cases on the work later.

In 1930, in the state of Kansas, there were 12,307 industrial tuality most enjoyable—for they're munities in that part of Kansas were the work later.

We find their good humor and punctuality most enjoyable—for they're munities in that part of Kansas were the work later.

bership I will remit same to you. We hope to have a fair sized group. We had the Brownville meeting last eveing, April 1st, and I am pleased to

FINAL LIST OF INSTITUTE ATTENDANTS

Allen County: Mrs. Opal H. Larson, LaHarpe; Mrs. Jesse A. Turner,

Iola.

Barton County: Lawrence Jacobs, Beaver.
Chase County: Louis Rufener, Cottonwood Falls.
Clay County: David W. Goodin and Robert A. Clark, Clay Center;
Clair McMurry, Idana.
Coffey County: Mrs. Effie B. Pierce, Westphalia.
Cowley County: Merle Tribbey, Winfield.
Dickinson County: Maurice J. Schmitz, Milton Martin, Herington, Edward Moyer Chapman

ward Moyer, Chapman. Cloud County: Byron Brownell, Concordia; Russel Laman, Concordia, Douglas County: Arthur Holcom, Jr., Lawrence; Mary Frances Coff-

man, Overbrook.

Ellis County: O. M. Lippert, Lacrosse; Leo J. Roth, Hays.
Ellsworth County: Elmer Stroede, Clarence J. Hooper, Ellsworth.
Franklin County: Floyd T. Whitaker, Pomona.
Geary County: Franklin Bieling, Alta Vista.
Gove County: Christian Ikenberry, Quinter.
Logan County: Emil J. Gfeller, Winona.

Linn County: Mona Hoyt, Parker. Marshall County: Joseph V. Holly, Irving; Rose Chase, Beattie; Neva

Marshall County: Joseph V. Holly, Ifving, Rose Chase, Beattle, Retained Teagarden, Frankfort.

Marion County: E. Tajchman, Tampa.

Mitchell County: Madeline Beck, Tipton; Ernest Deschner, Beloit.

McPherson County: James Walker, Carl Larson, McPherson.

Miami County: Celina Shively, Osawatomie.

Morris County: Clayton Reid, Lyle Ottinger, Alta Vista.

Nemaha County: Marcellus Boeding, Edwin Aziere, Seneca; Doretta Katz. Centralia. Norton County: Harry F. Shoemaker, Lenora.

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Osborne County: Ed Martz, Downs.
Osage County: Mrs. Dorothy Bryson, Lyndon; Mrs. Edith Nichols,
Osage City; Mrs. Edward Atchison, Overbrook.
Ottawa County: Lloyd Myers, Minneapolis; Freda Maelzer, Delphos;
Mrs. Wilma Wilson, Delphos.
Pottawatomie County: James A. McGrath, Wheaton.
Riley County: Vincent Larson, Leonardville; Mrs. Leona S. Dobson,

Manhattan.

Rawlins County: Morris Hite, Atwood.
Republic County: Chas. E. Doupnik, Agenda.
Rooks County: E. C. Mendenhall, Zurich; Harold Brown, Stockton. Rush County: Marcus Gottschalk, LaCrosse. Saline County: J. F. Martin, Salina. Sheridan County: Ira L. Shoemaker, Lucerne.

Stafford County: Mrs. James Henry, Bruce Winchester, Stafford; Albert Staub, St. John. Sumner County: Mrs. Neva Orr, Conway Springs; Mrs. Carrie Zim-

merman, Belle Plaine. Thomas County: Artie B. Cogdill, Menlo; Mrs. Clara M. Souders,

Brewster.
Trego County: Henry Peacock, David Deines, Wakeeney.
Washington County: R. R. Frager, Washington; Ruth J. Stettnisch,
Barnes; Ruby G. Benne, Morrowville.
Wabaunsee County: Walter E. Brennan, Maple Hill; George Thoes, Woodson County: Ethel Heath, Toronto; Cornelius Lampe, Vincent J.

Sicka, Piqua. Cherokee County: Joyce Woods, Baxter Srpings; J. J. Dodson, Wier; Richard McGuire, Baxter Springs. Reno County: A. H. Riederer, Hutchinson. Wilson County: Robert Chapman, Altoona. Sedgwick County: L. E. Raymond, Wichita.

He has belonged 30 years. I must lose for it is getting late. Your loving friend Anna Stremel. P. S. Please send me a pin.

"Now, there ain't been very many __Aunt Patience.

plied with good books."

haps they will be, some day.

Dear Junior Cooperators:

your letters to me.

Dear Mathilda:

Aunt Patience.

Dear Aunt Patience:

Dear Aunt Patience:

JUVENILE DEPARTMENT

might as well be the winner as any-

one, you know.

Most of you owe me a letter-

Just to let you know that I want

I'm glad that you do want to join our Club and your pin will be mailed this week. We've not had rain or

snow, either—but there's been plenty of dust! I'll watch for your twin—

and I'll expect to hear from you

again, when you send your lesson .-

Allen, Kans., April 7, 1935.

How are you? I am fine. We are

having some bad weather. It snowed

and rained. Then I got cold. I have

Dear Edward: I am fine too, thank

you. Have you been having very many dust storms? I was glad to get

your lesson and I'm so sorry about

your other letter being lost. Have you

heard anything in your community

about our Juvenile and Junior pro-

gram? Be sure to write soon and I'll try not to lose your letter.-Aunt

Mathilda Urban, Rt. 1.

my twin? Please send me a pin.

-Aunt Patience.

Dear Anna: I'll send your pin at once-we'rs glad you are going to be one of us. We'll look for your twin-be sure to watch for our next Juvenile lesson, which will be in the paper next week.

Bison, Kans., I am sending my lesson with this Someone offers a motion as just destined. After the secretary is elections a lot of things about this fine. There are two of my friends ed, the chairman explains the pur- here old kentry of ours we all should who are going to join your Junior pose of the meeting and you then proceed to elect your permanent offiwe'll do our best to keep yeh sup-I have a little sister. Her name is Ida Marie. Her birthday is Dec. 16. 1935. She is 4 years old. I think I have to close.

Your Loving friend, Martha Stremel, Route 2.

Dear Martha! I enjoyed your letter and was glad to get your lesson. Your two little friends must be children of We received a good many lessons Farmers Union parents, you know, in our Juvenile lesson contest—but in order to be eligiblt for the Club. No there should have been a great many one can do better than "their best" more. The contest winner will be an--and I wish that the prize could be also be another lesson printed next given to everyone who sent in a lesnounced next week— and there will week. So watch for both of them-

our Cradle Roll.-Aunt Patience.

and everyone try next time. You The demand for pure bred dairy don't wait such a long time between cattle is improving steadily, and prices are increasing, according to W. H. Riddell, Kansas State College Bison, Kans, April 1, 1935 dairyman. The breeder with production records always enjoys the best market, and the number of herds ontest should increase substantially to join your Junior Club, I am 11 within the next few years. The dairy department will furnish information years old. My birthday is on November 8th. I am in the 5th grade. We

DAYTIME FROCKS

spatterns

about breed association herd tests.



Farmers Union Live Stock Sales Below is published a representative list of the sales by Farmers Union Live Stock Commission Company, of

Week Ending April 12th, 1935

Wm. Branson—Osage Co Ks—32 strs 102613.50

Craven Grain Co.—Marshall Co Ks—32 strs 953 11.25

Craven Grain Co—Marshall Co Ks—10 strs 1139 10.50 John Ostlind—McPherson Co Ks—7 cows 907 4.00 A. G and W. Johnson—Riley Co Ks—7 cows 8704.00

SHEEP	
A. T. Hoover-Dickinson Co Ks-102 94	9.00
Milton E Rohrer-Dickinson Co Ks-17 90	9.00
Allen Jenkinson—Barber Co Ks—121 71	8.75
W N Johnson—Johnson Co Ks—13 72	8.75
A F Neis—Franklin Co Ks—6 71	7.75
Archie West-Linn Co Ks-17 79	7.40
Elmer Derr—Rush Co Ks—205 77	5.50
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HOGS	
Medium and Heavy Butchers, 230 Lbs Avgs. U	p
Henry Lane-Osage Co Ks-23 253	8.90
Frank Martin-Cloud Co Ks-6 300	8.90
Wm Branson—Osage Co Ks—9 240	
Peter Anderson-Osage Co Ws-24 265	8.90
W. H. Mills—Osage Co Ks—9 257	8.85
M L Beckman—Clay Co Ks—69 237	8.85
J E Sartin-Johnson Co Mo-23 234	8.85
Pat McNally-Nemaha Co Ks-40 306	8.85
Bonkoski Bros-Lafayette Co Mo-11 231	8.85
H W Taylor-Jefferson Co Ks-6 235	8.80
	8.80
Loyd Sanders-Henry Co Mo-7 232	8.80
Potor Anderson Ospero Co Ke 31 904	8 80

	J S Rufenacht—Henry Co Mo—14 247	8.70
	J D Flory-Douglas Co Ks-29 228	8.90
	Ray L Lee-Miama Co Ks-14 208	8,85
	Albert Lefman-Lafayette Co Mo-15 210	8.85
	R L Burry—Henry Co Mo—5 218N.	8.85
	L C Cleveland, Mgr-St. Clair Co Mo-17 216	8.85
	C F Greer—Bates Co Mo—5 216	8.85
	J G Sullins—Linn Co Ks—5 200	8.80
	W H Nielsen-Morris Co Ks-8 225	8.80
	Carl Riekhoff—Lafayette Co Mo—18 203	8 80
	Carl Riekholl—Lalayette Co Mo—15 203	8.80
	C F Neuenschwander—Henry Co Mo—15 208	8 80
	J T Evans—Coffey Co Ks—9 196 H O Johnson—Linn Co Ks—5 210	0.00
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5	J L Snyder—Mercer Co Mo—11 196	0.70
5	Carl E. Wilson-Washington Co Ks-31 221	8.70
5	D T Edwards—Carroll Co Mo—9 195	8.76
5	Louis Ronigar—Chase Co Ks—5 178	8.76
5	Clinton S A-Henry Co Mo-15, 173	8.70
5	Mrs. W O Snyder-Henry Co Mo-5 210	. 8.70
0	John Edgerton-Cass Co Mo-10 175	8.6
0	Chas Huenefeldt-Henry Co Mo-7 170	8.6
5	L C Cleveland, Mgr-St. Clair Co Mo-9 175	. 8.63
5	Howard Martz-Bates Co Mo-9 190	. 8.60
0	A J Senor-Miami Co Ks-5 172	. 8.50
5 HOUSE		04

Light Butchers, 17	0 to 230 Lbs Avgs	
Take Tohns Tohnson Co M	0—12 177 0.	Œ
A T. C. Tofovotto	0 MO-20 195	
A. C. Collins—Johnson Co	Ks-10 173 8.	2
A. C. Comms—Johnson Co		

E P Morrison—Lafayette Co Mo—7 172

Light Lights, 140 to 160 Lbs Avgs,	
Jess F. Cox Linn Co Ks—5 158	8.50
Jess F. Cox Linn Co Rs—5 100	8.25
Joe Meyer—Lafayette Co Mo—6 151	8.25
Zara Rhodes, Franklin Co Ks-5 162	8.25
H O Johnson-Linn Co Ks-14 143	8.00
Edwin Ricknot—Datavette Co Mio	8.00
D W 100g 90	
SOWS	
T D C Plett Co Mo 2 280	8.35

SOWS	8.35
J. E. Cocayne—Platt Co Mo—2 280	8.25
J D Flory—Douglass Co Ks—1 500 Edwin Riekhof—Lafayette Co Mo—2 320	8.25
J T Searcy—Grundy Co Mo—2 400	8.15
J T Searcy—Grundy Co Mo—2 400	00

Neighborhoud Notes

at 8:15 p. m.

at all possible.

The April meeting will be interest-ing. Members please be present if

RESOLUTION OF SYMPATHY

Joseph V. Holly, Sec.-Treas. Local 1288.

Committee: Mrs. Everett Alquist

Fred Hedlund

STONE LOCAL 792

met April 2 at the O. C.

Stone Local 792, in Rooks county,

iness meeting was held in the after-

The meeting was called to order by

the president, after which the mem-

bers joined in singing two songs from

the Farmers Union Hymnal. Several

subjects important to farmers were

discussed in the business session.

The principal subject was with re-

ference to how to keep the soil from

The next closed meeting will be

April 22 at the Zurich school house.

The meeting will consist of a pro-

gram and a pie supper, and will

The next closed meeting will be held April 30 at the C. O. Thomas

home, to begin at 8 o'clock in the

Stone Local 792 sends in the fol-

Agriculture that he declare an em-

commodities, as long as we are asked

MEETING AT LUCAS

WE, TOO, ARE TOUCHED

By Frank A. Chapin, Winfield

Barrett, other memories were brought

to mind, for it seems that however

much such lives mean to the world

on another occasion, a remark was

pected, "Can any good thing come out of Nazareth?"

From early manhood these two

characters seem to have been created

for this specific purpose. Both were

visualize the need of a better system

In reading the beautiful tribute by A. C. Davis to the memory of Charley

to curtail our production.

comes to the meeting.

start at 8 o'clock sharp.

lowing resolutions:

Harvey Beckman.

ANTON PETERSON REPORTS

Greenleaf, Kansas, 4-14-35. Mr. Floyd Lynn,

Salina. Kansas. Dear Sir and Brother: Well the Dane Local last Friday night had another one of those wonderful meetings we have so many of. Pete Peterson of Fairbury, Nebraska, was the main speaker. He made us a wonderful talk. Jimmy Dean of the National Grain Corporation was to have been with us; but he couldn't make connections, so yours truly had to terestingly of the work as it is going mother. And be it further resolved forward in his county.

Dan Combow and Block Hansen sent to the family, one to the have something to offer at all Farm- Farmers Union paper and one spread ers Union meetings, and they didn't upon the minutes of this Local. fail us. Block made arrangements for a meeting Friday night, April 26, to start the Junior work in Dane Local. Come, everybody; let's go! Mrs. Dan Combow was present with a couple of big boxes of sandwiches and a barrel of coffee. Our accommodating storekeeper, Mat Murtz, was on hand with a whole box of cookies. Did we have a good time? You tell 'em. Oh, yes, I almost forgot, we had a couple of gentlemen from Waterville. One is starting a Farmers Union cream sta-

REDMAN LOCAL MEETING

Anton.

blowing.

evening.

tion there. Sincerely,

Musical number...

Redman Local No. 1624 at Cicero Kansas, held its regular bi-monthly meeting Wednesday night, April 10. The following program was present-

...Frances and Leota Robinson Reading, "Don't Step on Me,". Vernon Geusch Duet, "Isle of Capri," Reading, "Work and Smiles".

.... Robert Zimmerman Quartette, "America the Beautiful" Christine Hatfield, Edna Mae Mc-Millon, Maxine Craig, Billy Burrows. Solo, "My Union"

.. Miss Zelma ZmmermanSung by the assembly Frazier-Lemke Refinancing Bill-"America".... In spite of a dust storm which be- M. E. Thomas, Cor. Secy. gan in the morning about eighty loy-al people came out to hear the above program and to hear Mr. John Fen gel deliver a stirring plea for farmers to gain knowledge of the twilight zone that exists between what we re-ceive for our products and what the Thursday evening, April 25, beginconsumer pays for the finished prod- ning at 8 o'clock. The meeting will uct. He stressed the importance of be in Workmen's Hall in Lucas, and joining one of these junior classes to one of the speakers will be the state gain this education so we as farmers secretary of the Kansas Farmers may know what economic rights are Union, Floyd H. Lynn. N. D. McGuire ours and how to attain them.

Our next meeting will be held Ap- members to see that a good crowd ril 26th at which time we should have our classes scheduled. All interested persons are urged to be at that meeting.

IRVING LOCAL NEWS

Topeka, Kans., April 11, 1935. Floyd H. Lynn, Salina, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Lynn: I am writing this bit of Irving Farmers Union Local news from Topeka since I'm attending the Work-older are left to wonder, "Why?"

ers Institute.

We held our regular meeting March 20th and as usual we had a full house. The regular routine of the late two wonder, "Wny?"

These two characters, Mr. Barrett and Mr. Davis, came from southern states, from possible obscure life, to assume these important relationships, while the grander wonder. business took place and then our Lo-cal president, Dwight A. Smerchek, gave a detailed report of the Marshall County Union meeting held in Frankfort, March 4th.

There was a great deal of interest | made, when a comparatively obscure shown regarding the Junior program; character came out of a region where all believe that it is the greatest step nothing of importance could be extoward future leadership in the Farm-

We had as our guests Mr. and Mrs. Pete Protiva from the Antioch Local. We always welcome members from

other locals to our meetings.

We must not fail to thank Mrs. Joe tural fitness of environment and so-We must not fail to thank Mrs. Joe tural fitness of environment and so- have only lent inspiration to our ob- As some would like to make it, Nowak for the preparation of a de- cial relationships enabled them to jective. I want to see ALL of my co- But whether good or whether bad,

ion was conceived, and these two friends of the common people launched into the open door of opportunity, ready to wage a battle which has conheld at the Wilson school April 24th

Not often do we have the privilege Resolved that we, members of the Hayes Local No. 1130 in Clay County, at the meeting this day, do extend our heartfelt sympathy to Brother Chas. Schrum and daughter Brother Chas. Schrum and daughter in the sed loss of their wife and those who have listened to any of these have surely received a like inspiration.

our fighting John Simpson, likewise, voice in defense of the only element paralleling our constitution, and its objectives in this stupendous task. understanding of the underlying prinhome in an all-day meeting. The busciples and objectives of both the con-stitution and the Farmers Union. Our organization aid kindred orders have stressed education as the one

basic element underlying our national structure. The way out doesn't seem so complicated. The education of the mass-es is of prime importance. Little can be accomplished until public seniment is crystallized about one common sentiment, when mass movement can wield is power. A little item appearing in President Everson's address along this same educational line

is not out of place here: The wealth of the world is not silver and gold, Or its diamonds and rubies its cav-

erns may hold, Or the trees in the woods and power in its pools, The wealth of the world is today in We, the members of Stone Local

its schools. 792 do demand of the Secretary of For nothing of value which lies in

bargo on the importation of all farm Without the high thinking of women and men.' Sixty-five years ago the writer

We also urge the passage of the came to Kansas to seek a home, our The Farmers Union Local at Lucas, tion. So today we are still fixed on our original homestead where for 59 products. years we have had the experience of an active lifetime, since we were 25 is the Local secretary, and urges the

> All about us we have seen our comrades fall by the wayside in a long on the March option and parti-vain struggle to hold their own. Why we have been spared is still an un-close of that option. What has desolved question. Possibly by reason of the long-suffering patience of a Divine Creator. Since our boyhood onstrated that the butter market was Divine Creator. Since our boyhood our one desire was to own a farm and | well able to stand on its own bottom thus spend our life surrounded by God's own handiwork, and to work in cooperation with Him. We are not boasting of our accomplishments, but cooperate with the organization of which we are proud to be a member. So with a busy group of a member. boys about us, mother and I are now just watching the "antics" of our children and grandchildren, yes, and the actual commodity was in existence, or would be on hand for actual delivery upon expiration of the option. A bill H. R. 6772, known as the "Commodity of the control of the option." great-grandchildren. Enjoying life? Slightly. During all of these 65 years, we have seen a new empire grow, a new civilization arise; a new education, a new social environment, until we seem to have attained all we had visioned in early life. Yet with present accomplishments, and desiring to see this calamity through to

These almost 90 years of activity workers enjoying as good or better Depends on how we take it." Mrs. John Forst is to serve as an equal chance for existence, spring-surroundings as I enjoy. Thus, like "So let us watch; let us pray, , hairman of the refreshment committing from better educational privile at our next meeting which will be leges. To this end, the Farmers Un-typical quite leisurely down the western."

"So let us watch; let us pray, , Uncle Dorn and others younger, we had labor till the Master comes at our next meeting which will be leges. To this end, the Farmers Un-typical quite leisurely down the western."

BUTTER AND EGG MARKET LETTER By P. L. Betts
Dairy and Poultry Cooperatives

CHICAGO BUTTER MARKET

The butter market for the week ending April 10th continued to skyrocket upward. Creamery Extras op-ened at 33%c, advanced daily until the 9th when a high of 36%c was reached, remaining unchanged at the close today. Standards opened at 33%c, operated right along in the same bracket with Extras each day, also closing at 36½c. The spread is very narrow between the various grades. 89 score opened at 33c, closing at 36c, and 88 score opened at 32½c, advancing to 34½c on the 8th. That grade has not been quoted the last two days and the facts are that almost anything in tubs will sell for 36c. so bare is the market of actual butter and so keen the demand.

Again Producers Are Slaughtered by the Speculators

A study of our charts demonstrates that producers of dairy products were again victimized by the speculative element, who have far too much influence on actual prices received. Storage stocks were consumed early, feeds were scarce and high priced, and relatively only a few were able to escape buying more or less of these high priced feeds. Producers were entitled to receive full benefits of such situation on a supply and de-mand basis. Early in the winter butter prices were way below cost of production. There was a gradual advance during December and January and the first few days of February when New York Extras reached 381/2c on February 2nd and Chicago Standards 36 1/2 c.

Throughout January an increasing olume of foreign butter began arriving, and speculators began selling the March future option short in great volume and spreading alarming propaganda. Stories were bandied about of the millions of pounds headed this way not only from New Not often do we have the privilege to meet such characters, but it was our privilege a few years ago to meet Mr. Barrett in Arkansas City, Kansas at a state convention. Out of this short meeting we got the inspiration of our life, this under the influence of Uncle John Tromble as the deaded this way not only from New Zealand, Australa, and the Argentine, but from Europe as well. Scare heads papers, no doubt inspired and much of it far short of the truth, that housewives and consumers generally had and were grained as a tribe. influence of Uncle John Tromble as president with Charley Barrett as a side issue. To say this was a Red Letter Day for us, as well as for the Letter Day for us, as well as for the let

had plunged to 31 1-4 c and Chicago Standards to 29c. The market then had a short lived advance to 32%c for New York Extras and 301/2c for our fighting John Simpson, likewise, Milo Reno—all outstanding characters, battling for the one thing viz.: the liberation of the farmer and laborer. To this end almost the first word of our organization is "Educational," the one thing that shall finally solve the present entanglement. So, we are constrained to raise our acted to the former low reaching 29c

We need the proper knowledge and by then, time for study of the situnderstanding of the underlying prin- ation was demonstrating that all the home production was being used and fully eight of the ten million pounds of imports had been consumed; that there could be no possible recovery until the full grass season arrived; and that spring was not to be early as so many had predicted as a result of the extremely mild weather throughout the early part of March. Since that time there has been a

continuous and rapid advance until on this date April 10th we have regained all the losses and are back at the old high of 381/2c for New York Extras and 36 1/2c for Standards. This reaction upward to the former high proves that there was no good reason for the terrific plunge other than that oncocted by the speculative element. It has been demonstrated that there was need for all the butter imported. and a price of at least 35c could have been maintained through this period. As a result of these speculators' manipulations the price to producers was kept at least an average of 4c FROST-PROOF CABBAGE, - each ower than was needed to have marketed every pound of the home production, plus the eight million imports. Over a period of about five weeks, during that time at least one Dutch, Postpaid: 200, 65c; 300, 75c; major objective. This came from our hundred million pounds of butter 500, \$1.10; 1,000, \$1.75. Onions Crysdeparted prophet, Horace Greeley, were produced. Thus these speculatal Wax, Yellow Bermuda, Prizetakwhose advise to young men was "Go tive manipulators cost the producers er, Postpaid: 500, 60c; 1,000, \$1.00 west, young man, and grow up with of butter alone four million dollars to 6,000, \$4.00. Tomato large, well rootthe country." So for these 65 years we have been active in this one direction on butterfat prices, with variety name. Livingston Globe,

It is said that an English firm lo- Market, Early Detroit, postpaid; 100, years we have have have have have seen two major wars, and a number of minor "scraps," but have fortunated but failed to escape the "back wash" of these criminal unneedful calamities.

All about us we have have have seen our active lifetime, since we were 25 (cated at London, England, who was very active in importing butter into this country, joined with our American speculators in this great game of robbing American producers. That a lot of the butter brought in was placed in bond and carried back up for a big profit to its holders. That in addition to that they went heavily addition to that they went heavily a safe for a bond and carried back up for a big profit to its holders. That in addition to that they went heavily a safe for a bond and carried back up for a big profit to its holders. That in addition to that they went heavily addition to that they went heavily from a supply and demand basis

without aid from the options. This high handed manipulation of our markets largely through futures "Commodity Exchange Act" is now before Congress. This bill includes both butter and eggs, and it is my opinion if it can be enacted into legis-

slope of life; for we shall soon see the lifeboat anchored at the shore, and we are invited to step in. After all: "This world is not so bad a world.

And labor till the Master comes

lation will go a long way toward giv-ing us more stable commodity mar-kets. If farmers generally would get in back of the cooperative movement we could in a very few years control enough of the total volume being marketed at any given time to exert a marked influence, and it would not be so easy for speculators to operate these manipulations as at present. The solving of this problem is large-ly up to the producers themselves. As ly up to the producers themselves. As long as they continue to feed private manipulators with their products

they can expect to receive that kind of treatment. In other words "sup-port your cooperative outlets." Chicago Egg Market

Eggs, like butter, have continued to advance. Extras Firsts opened at 23c, advancing to 23½c. Fresh Firsts opened at 221/2c and closed at 231/4c Current Receipts opened at 21½c closing at 22c, Dirties 20¼c finishclosing at 22c, Dirties 2014c finishing at 21c, and Checks 191/2c closing the 1935 corn-hog sign-up in Kansas,

The shortage of feed and the reduction of flocks on account of the feed situation last fall is effecting egg production and in our opinion will continue to, at least until the spring crop of pullets late in October will begin laying in volume. Reports are current that the big movement of chicks from hatcheries to the farmers is decidedly disappointing, the feed situation being, of course, the main factor. Many producers realize that where it is necessary to purchase all the feeds as is so generally the case the chances for a profit with the present relationship of poultry and eggs to feed costs will be very meager and therefore we may see a shortage of egg production throughout the entire year of 1935. out the entire year of 1935.

Dairy and Poultry Cooperatives, Inc. P. L. Betts, General Manager.

TRIPLE "A" FACTS

By H. Umberger, Director Kansas State College Extension Division

Q: What should a farmer do to increase his 1935 wheat acreage for harvest without violating his con-

A: He should sign a 1935 Supplementary Wheat Contract. These forms have been approved, but they have not been printed. As soon as they have been printed, they will be

ed under this program?



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A: Yes, if the supplementary contract is signed.

Q: Does the lifting of wheat restrictions mean that farmers get adjustment payments without making re-

A: No. The farmer agrees to make the required reduction for 1935 and 1936, but under this program he may make his reduction for two years in the one year, 1936. The new plan is merely a new element of flexibility in the wheat prigram. It serves to emphasize the fact that this is an adjustment, not strictly a reduction Q: Have any third-payment corn-

hog checks arrived in Kansas?

A: Yes. Our April 4 report shows that 19 counties have received \$547,-103 on third payment. All payments to date total more than \$12,000,000. and how do they compare with those for last year?

A: The final sign-up figure is 69, 092, which compares with a total of approximately 79,000 contracts for 1934. There are not, as yet, any complete figures available for comparing the coverage of corn and hogs repre-

Q: What is the object of the corn-loan program recently announced as part of the 1935 corn-hog control pro-

A: This corn-loan program will be excessive marketings of corn are pre vented, and corn prices are steadied. The loan program must go with a proluction control plan to avoid overplanting and excessive new corn prouction. That is why only signers of 1935 corn-hog contracts will ie elegible for these loans.

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