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GAG RULE MEANT TO END CHANCES OF FRAZIER BILL

Enough Congressmen Signed Petition to Bring Frazier-Lemke Bill to Floor of House for Vote on June 11, after Long Fight

STILL A CHANCE

Special Consideration Might Be Secured if Enough Pressure Brought to Bear; Members Urged to Write to Congressmen

Climaxing a long fight by Farmers Union leaders, the petition, designed to bring the Frazier-Lemke bill out on the floor of the House for a vote, received the required 145 signatures of congressmen on Saturday, June 2. It was announced, at first, that this action would automatically bring the measure up for a vote in the House on June 11.

However, a maze of political and partisan moves, directed, no doubt, by the same powerful forces which delayed the necessary number of signatures so long, enveloped the measure; so that as this is written, it is doubtful that the vote will materialize.

If the "gag rule" succeeds in preventing a vote on this measure (which would provide for the government to refinance farmers at one and one-half per cent interest and an equal percentage to apply on the principal each year, under conditions which favor the farmer instead of the international banker) another demonstration will have been witnessed, showing the iron grip the international bankers have on the people of this country. It will show the merciless attitude of this well organized band of special "privileged" money gangsters, who, too well, our law making bodies.

A letter, dated June 2, comes to this paper from E. E. Kennedy, National Farmers Union secretary, in Washington, D. C.:

"On Saturday, June 2nd, we succeeded in securing the required 145 signatures to the Frazier-Lemke Bill petition. Under ordinary circumstances this would bring the Frazier-Lemke Bill automatically up for a vote in the House on June 11th. A gag rule can be used to kill the effect of our petition.

"It also can be used by administrative orders to consider and pass this bill before June eleventh, and congress can stay in session until they pass it.

"I request that you and your members immediately appeal to your congressmen and senators to secure special consideration and immediate passage of the Frazier-Lemke Refinancing bill in this session of Congress. Be polite, but insist.

"The nationwide drought and the threat of a food shortage in the entire nation makes it imperative that farmers be refinanced at 1 1/2 per cent interest, and foreclosures and evictions stopped. A united, determined effort at once on our part may result in the passage of the Frazier-Lemke Bill H. R. 2955 in this session of Congress. I will do my very best here. I am confident you will too."

The above letter apparently was written soon after Mr. Kennedy had sent out a telegram telling of the completion of the sign-up on the petition. In this telegram, Mr. Kennedy gave the information that Congressman McGugin of Kansas had signed the petition. Mr. McGugin later informed this office by letter that he signed because he did not think the supporters of the bill were getting a fair chance. Congressman Ayres of the Fifth Kansas district, is the only member of the Kansas House delegation, therefore, who would not sign the petition.

Under the heading "Gagged to Death" the Topeka Daily Capital publishes an article bearing on the Frazier-Lemke bill situation. This article was written by the Capital's Washington Bureau, and is printed here because it shows how certain strings can be pulled:

Washington, June 4.—Exit the Frazier-Lemke bill to have the federal government take over the farm mortgage indebtedness of the country, paying off existing mortgages with currency, and carrying mortgaged farms at 1 1/2 per cent interest, with amortization payments of 1 1/2 per cent annually.

On motion of Floor Leader Byrnes of Tennessee, the house recessed instead of adjourning tonight. The effect of that is when the house convenes tomorrow it will meet on the "legislative day" of Monday, June 4, although it actually will be the calendar day of June 5. This means there will be not more than five legislative days, perhaps only four, before next Monday, which is the only day on which a motion to take up the Frazier-Lemke bill would be in order until two weeks from next Monday. It would require six legislative days before next Monday, under the rules, the same recess rule can be used to prevent the bill from coming up.

Such motions can be brought up only on the second and fourth Mondays of the month. And under the so-called "gag rule" adopted last Saturday, the same recess rule can be used two weeks later, to prevent action, if congress still is in session. There will be no legislative day of Monday on which the Frazier-Lemke bill could be brought up and a vote forced, the rest of this session.

In light of Secretary Kennedy's letter, we urge all our members to get into action at once, through their locals or other organizations, and individually, in a great effort to turn the tables on the enemies of organized agriculture. Write letters or cards, or send telegrams, insisting on immediate passage of this bill.

Extension officials believe now that in most counties of the state the checking work will be completed by the time the wheat harvest begins. However, with an early harvest predicted, the supervisors are finding it necessary to extend themselves to finish the work before binders and combines enter the fields.

MEMBERSHIPS OF HALL-BAKER GO TO FARMERS NATIONAL

Hall-Baker Becomes Inactive and Its Operations Carried On in Name of Parent Company, Farmers National Grain Corporation

LAKE IS MANAGER

Kansas City, May 31.—Memberships owned by Hall-Baker Grain Company on the Kansas City Board of Trade were transferred to Farmers National Grain Corporation today, due to the fact that after June 1 Hall-Baker becomes inactive and its operations will be carried on in the name of Farmers National, the parent company. The transfers affected membership in the name of F. W. Lake, R. D. McKenna, Ed C. Hoeber, Roy D. Crawford, C. J. Gundelfinger and Omar J. Stevens. Membership of James J. Rick, as vice-president of Farmers National Warehouse Corporation, a subsidiary of the grain corporation, was not affected.

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COWDEN APPOINTED AS DELEGATE TO THE INTERNATIONAL MEET

Will Represent National Cooperatives Inc., at London Meeting of International Cooperative Alliance Next September

The appointment of Howard A. Cowden, president of the Union Oil Company (Cooperative) as a delegate to the International Cooperative Alliance Congress to be held in London, September 4th to 7th has been announced by the Cooperative League of the U. S. A.

Those who attend the Congress will have the opportunity to come in contact with delegates from cooperatives in 41 countries of the world all of which are members of the International Cooperative Alliance. The Union Oil group is affiliated with the world cooperative movement by reason of its membership in the National Cooperatives, Inc., which in turn is a member of the Cooperative League of the U. S. A. The Cooperative League is a member of the International Cooperative Alliance.

Dr. J. P. Warshaw, President of the League, is expected to attend this conference. There will be several other delegates of U. S. cooperatives present. An extensive tour is also being planned by the Cooperative League which will afford those who participate a chance to see personally the set-ups of the Cooperatives in a number of European countries. The tour is one which has been planned with the purpose of having the maximum amount of educational value so far as possible coming in to first-hand knowledge of the cooperative movement in Europe.

HURRY TO KEEP AHEAD COMBINES MEASURING FARMS

With Early Harvest in Kansas Those in Charge of Measuring Wheat Fields Have to Get Down to Business

MAKING PROGRESS

Supervisors and Engineers Find by Rechecking Few Farms that First Measurements Have Been Accurate

Manhattan, Kan., June 7.—With the Kansas wheat harvest rapidly approaching, farm supervisors are making every attempt to finish the checking of wheat land on farms under contract as soon as possible. Reports received by the Kansas State College extension service on Tuesday, May 29, from 97 counties indicated that 17,544 of the 90,167 contracts listed for those counties had been inspected.

Engineers, sent out by the wheat section, are assisting the farm supervisors by rechecking a small percentage of the contracted farms, using the most accurate of surveying instruments. They report that the supervisors are doing very accurate and satisfactory work with only a small percentage of the farms requiring re-measurement. Supervisors are allowed only a 1 per cent error.

As soon as all farms in a county have been checked and contracting farmers have completed their certificates of compliance, these forms will be sent to Washington, D. C., for final approval. Unless there is some question as to the compliance by the producer, his second payment on the 1933 crop will be made very shortly after his certificate is received by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

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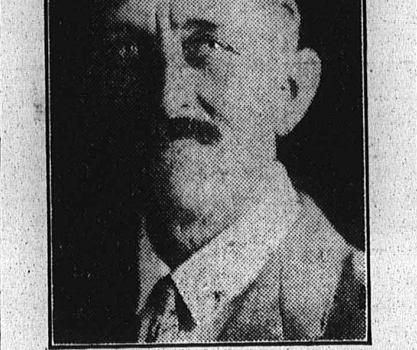
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CHARLEY DAY IS GONE

The Kansas Farmers Union has lost one of its real leaders in the death of Charles Day of Allen. The farmer and the common man have lost a friend.

It will be remembered that Mr. Day wrote a letter to this paper, which was published several weeks ago, in which he told of his approaching operation at the hospital in Rochester, N. Y.



He did not recover from the operation. He died on May 15, and funeral services were held at the M. E. church in Allen, Friday afternoon, May 18.

Mr. Day always took a prominent part in the work of the Kansas Farmers Union and in the National Farmers Union. He was well known by the entire membership and will be sadly missed. The following obituary appeared recently in the Northern Lyon County Journal:

Charles Day, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Day, was born at Irving, Marshall County Kansas September 17, 1875. He passed away at the St. Mary's hospital in Rochester, Minn., May 15, 1934 at the age of 58 years, 7 months and 28 days. He had been a patient in the hospital several weeks and had recently underwent an operation from which he was not able to recover.

He moved with his parents to the Day homestead 3 1/2 miles west of Allen.

He was married on May 9, 1898 to Miss Aida Stroup, who lived north of Allen. To this union seven children were born, all of whom survive their father. After their marriage, Mr. Day and wife moved to their own farm southwest of Allen, where they have since resided.

Mr. Day was prominent in Lyon county as a leader in the Taxpayer's League and as president.

He was also a faithful Democratic worker. He was an active member of the Farmers Union and was always striving for the benefit of the farmers. He has held offices at various times in the Lyon County Sunday School Association and was an untiring worker in the Methodist church at Allen and for many years served as teacher, official and member.

Mr. Day united with the Methodist church at Allen July 25, 1894. The Scripture, "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth," may be fittingly applied to Mr. Day.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Aida Day, father, W. P. Day; sons, Truman, of America; Charles, Jr., Sidney and Roger of the home; three daughters, Mrs. S. E. Anspaugh, of Thermopolis, Wyoming; Mrs. Violet Cowan, of Emporia and Vivian of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Mae Giger and Mrs. Anna Reiff, of Allen, and Mrs. Herbert Harbur, of Kansas City, Kan.; three brothers, Will, Allen, Fred, of Emporia; and Chester, of Council Grove; eight grandchildren and other relatives and a host of friends.

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GENERAL JOHNSON SIGNS DEFINITION OF COOPERATIVES

Howard Cowden of Union Oil Co. Helps Prepare Definition which Clarifies Situation with Reference to Presidential Orders

FAVORS COOPERATORS

Cooperatives May Do Business with Non-Members if Not More than 50 Per Cent; and Earnings May Accumulate to Credit of Non-Member

A definition of farmers' and consumers' cooperatives has been signed by General Hugh S. Johnson, under authority given him by the President's Executive Order of October 23, which protected the payment of patronage dividends by cooperatives to their members, and other general policies.

The definition was prepared by Howard Cowden, president of the Union Oil Co., when in Washington, recently. Mr. Cowden was aided by Edward O'Neill, president, and Chester Gray, Washington representative of the American Farm Bureau Federation. Mr. Johnson made only a few minor changes in the original definition.

The definition sets out that cooperative may do business with non-members provided that not more than 50 per cent of their business is of this class, and points out further that the dividends of non-members may accumulate to carry a share of stock in the company, to make them members. The definition dated May 18 in Washington, follows:

Definition of Farmers' and Consumers' Cooperatives
In any Code of Fair Competition operating under the terms of the National Industrial Act, cooperative organizations, as determined by the Administrator of the Act, to be entitled to the benefits and protection of Executive Order numbered 6555 of October 23, 1933, as supplemented and amplified by Executive Order numbered 6606-A of February 17, 1934, as a bona fide and legitimate cooperative organization, must comply with the following conditions, limitations and restrictions:

1. Be duly organized under the laws of any state, territory or the District of Columbia.
2. Allow to each member owning one fully paid share or membership one vote and only one in the determination of matters affecting the management of the organization, except as otherwise provided by the laws under which such organization is incorporated; provided that a central or regional cooperative association, the membership of which is composed of cooperative associations, may provide for the mutual benefit of its members, and all income, after providing for reasonable and adequate surplus and reserves, as determined by its Board of Directors, and payment of dividends on stock, to be based upon the volume of business done by the members with the central or regional cooperative, or on the number of members in the member association.

3. Operate on a cooperative basis for the mutual benefit of its members, and all income, after providing for reasonable and adequate surplus and reserves, as determined by its Board of Directors, and payment of dividends on stock, to be based upon the volume of business done by the members with the central or regional cooperative, or on the number of members in the member association.

4. Transact business with and for on behalf of, non-members to an amount not greater in value, during any fiscal year, than the business transacted with and for on behalf of members during the same period, for the purpose of determining the salary and compensation paid officers and employees, and that no salaries or commissions are paid except for services actually rendered.

5. Permit all members and stockholders to have access to the records for the purpose of determining the salary and compensation paid officers and employees, and that no salaries or commissions are paid except for services actually rendered.

6. Distribute patronage dividends equally to all members, and/or stockholders, who have complied with membership requirements, in proportion to their purchases, and/or sales; may permit accumulation of patronage dividends on non-member business until it equals the value of a share of stock when same shall be issued; does not distribute such dividends by any agreement or representation to distribute any definite or specified dividend.

7. Refuse to allow or permit any organizer or organizers to take more than 3 per cent of the capital raised as compensation for their organization services.

8. Conduct its affairs in the interests of the members, and no cooperative shall be controlled or managed by any non-cooperative organization or organizations, person or persons to whom any surplus savings or profits or any excessive or unreasonable compensation for services, are paid; and shall not, by contracts, agreements, provisions of bylaws or articles of incorporation or otherwise be required to buy commodities from a specified non-cooperative concern.

9. Operate in accordance with the various Codes of Fair Competition for the industries in which they operate and as provided in the Executive Order above referred to.

10. In case any of the foregoing conditions, limitations or restrictions are in specific conflict with the cooperative law of any state, territory, or of the District of Columbia, such conditions, limitations or restrictions are waived as to cooperatives organized and operating under such law.

HUGH S. JOHNSON, Administrator.

LARGEST LOAN TO WELL MANAGED COOPERATIVE

The Wichita Bank for Cooperatives has just closed its largest month in point of loan applications, President Ralph Snyder reports, and has finished the month's lending record with the largest commitment it so far has made. Applications for loans during May number 40, for a loan total of \$484,000.

The large commitment referred to was just made to one of the outstanding grain marketing cooperatives of the Southwest—the Union Equity Cooperative Exchange, Enid, Okla. Vice President McPheters, who has carried on for the bank much of the negotiation, points out that this big marketing, processing and storing cooperative serves 50 local elevator and grain-producing cooperatives, representing well over 6,000 farmers. For the seven years ending March 31, 1933 the business of the Union Equity Cooperative Exchange totaled \$21,171,514.68. The Exchange, in its latest annual report, estimates the saving to members during that time, because of the cooperative plan and safe, sound business methods, at a total of \$276,944.39.

In a supplemental statement and report prepared for the 10 months ending January 31, 1934, and not covered by the foregoing volume of business figures, the Union Equity Cooperative Exchange shows total sales of \$3,742,683.87, or \$718,181 more than the average for the seven preceding years, in spite of the drought conditions which have prevailed.

The plant and office in Enid and from which this big business is carried on, represents, after depreciation, a value of \$90,408, according to the cooperative's audit. This audit shows the cooperative's "Capital Account" as totaling \$139,263, the two items making this total being: "Capital Stock Outstanding," \$81,446 and "Undivided Profits," \$57,816. A point of interest in this last item is that this cooperative, instead of distributing all savings and profits in patronage dividends to members, has followed the sounder practice of keeping all such savings and profits, for protection in bad times and for taking advantage of business opportunities. At the close of business, March 31, 1933, (continued on page 4)

FARMERS NOW SAVE \$3,000,000 YEARLY INTEREST ON LOANS

That Amount Being Saved by Farmers who Finance Their Farm Mortgages through Federal Land Bank at Wichita

\$25,497,300 IN LOANS

Approximately \$3,000,000 a year interest is being saved by farmers in Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, and Oklahoma, who have financed their farm mortgages through the Federal Land Bank of Wichita.

The bank points out that these farmers, instead of paying from 5 to 9 per cent—an average of 7 per cent on their farm mortgages, and upon short-term loans which have been refinanced through local national farm loan associations affiliated with the land bank of Wichita, Kansas, now pay only 4 1/2 per cent interest on a total of \$102,990,600 in bank loans and only 5 per cent interest on a total of \$20,018,000 in loans made by the bank for the Land Bank Commissioner.

By closing 5,260 farm mortgage loans during May totaling \$12,216,000, the Federal Land Bank of Wichita closed during the month, more loans for more money than in any of its previous whole year's lending experience of 17 years, with the exception of 1922, '23 and '24.

The bank, according to its president, L. E. Call is continuing to close an average of 250 loans daily, amounting to over \$500,000. Business in every community in all four states benefits from this extension of farm credit.

The total number of farm mortgages recorded in Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico and Oklahoma during the six months ending April, 1934, was 17,869 for \$42,385,959, according to a study by the Farm Credit Administration in Washington.

Of these totals, 11,193 loans amounting to \$25,497,300 were made by the Federal Land Bank of Wichita. Thus the Wichita land bank has done during the six months period over 60 per cent of the farm mortgage business in the 4-state district it serves.

Must Operate as Warehouse

According to advices recently sent out by the Farmers National Grain Corporation, country grain elevators that expect to do a storage business, must, under the code for the country grain elevator industry of the United States, become bonded warehouses under either the state or the federal warehouse act. Officials of an elevator may choose between the two acts, but the intent of the code is to give the owner of the grain every protection against loss from storage under the law.

In Kansas, application for a state warehouse license should be made to J. A. McKone, warehouse examiner of the Kansas State Grain Inspection Department, 618 Board of Trade Building, Kansas City, Mo. Application for a federal warehouse license should be made to Robert Walde, 401 Federal Building, Wichita, Kansas.

The national code authority advised every country grain elevator, June 2, that:

"(a) the acceptance of grain for storage after the effective date of May 21, 1934, by any elevator not

RESTRICTIONS ARE REMOVED IN MANY KANSAS COUNTIES

Fifty-Three Counties in Kansas where Drouth is Most Severe May Pasture Acreage Contracted under AAA

CORN-HOG INCLUDED

County Allotment Committee Is to Decide Whether Producer Is Entitled to the Increased Privileges

Wheat reduction contracts signers in 53 Kansas counties will be allowed to pasture contracted acreage and to follow other drouth relief measures through provisions announced recently by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

The counties affected by the drouth provisions are: Cheyenne, Rawlins, Decatur, Norton, Phillips, Smith, Jewell, Republic, Cloud, Mitchell, Osborne, Rooks, Graham, Sheridan, Thomas, Sherman, Wallace, Logan, Gove, Trego, Ellis, Russell, Lincoln, Ottawa, Rush, Ness, Lane, Scott, Wichita, Greeley, Hamilton, Kearny, Finney, Hodgeman, Pawnee, Edwards, Ford, Gray, Haskell, Grant, Stanton, Morton, Stevens, Seward, Meade, Clark, Comanche, Ellsworth, Pratt, Barton, Stafford, Kiowa, and Barber.

In these counties, contract signers may pasture contracted acres or remove volunteer wheat or other crops which may be used for hay. In addition, contracted acreage may be shifted to other land which has not produced a crop during the calendar year of 1934. Thus, contracted wheat acreage which usually contains more moisture may be planted to corn or other late spring crops. Abandoned wheat, barley, or oats ground may then be used for contracted acres, although it is preferred that producers do not shift to land on which wheat was planted.

The shift in contracted acreage is to be made immediately, and no crops for harvest or pasture are to be grown on the new contracted area during 1934. It is also to serve as contracted acreage during 1935.

In all cases where the above provisions are to be placed in operation, the county allotment committee is to judge whether or not the individual producer is entitled to the increased privileges granted.

Similar provisions have been made by the administration for corn-hog contracts. Pasturing of either contracted wheat acreage or rented corn acreage is scheduled to terminate on July 1 unless further time is given by Secretary Wallace.

Corn-hog contract signers in the following counties may also plant fodder and forage crops in excess of the acreage allowed in their contracts, provided the excess crops are used only as roughage and hay. However, this excess acreage cannot be planted on contracted land.

Counties to which corn-hog contract provisions apply are: Clark, Comanche, Edwards, Finney, Ford, Grant, Geary, Hamilton, Haskell, Hodgeman, Kearny, Kiowa, Lane, Meade, Morton, Ness, Scott, Seward, Stanton, Stevens, and Wichita. The changes applying especially to these counties were made because of extreme drouth conditions of long standing in these areas.

In all cases individual producers should see their allotment committee-men or county agents before making changes. Additional drouth area counties may be designated later, and each county agent will be notified of any changes directly from the Kansas State College extension service.

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Want to Start a Factory?

Small factories in the smaller towns and in the open country give important employment opportunities to farm people in many states according to a survey of rural factory industries just reported by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, and published by the U. S. Department of Agriculture as Circular 312-C. These factories not only offer employment, but also enlarge the local market for farm products.

"A number of recent trends in transportation, communication, power transmission, machine design, etc., have removed some of the advantages that formerly urged the locating of many types of factories in the larger cities or their immediate environs," the report states. "These and other changes have also removed many of the former handicaps of living in unincorporated territory."

This survey was begun in December, 1931, by Wayne C. Nason, an economist formerly with the bureau, but also the factories, interviewed many of the workers, and prepared the first draft of the report, which Dr. T. B. Mann completed.

The survey revealed that many factories in rural districts are "doing well" financially and are contributing to

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LET'S GIVE 'EM A HAND

When a community or a county, or a section of the state, really gets in earnest about Farmers Union work, that section or community gets things done. Take, for instance, Washington and Marshall counties. Right now, these two counties are taking a lead over other counties in interest shown and in results being accomplished. These counties have booster clubs made up of men who really believe in the Farmers Union principles, and who go out and preach membership in the Farmers Union as a means to accomplish these principles.

Of course, there are men all over the state and in the many Farmers Union counties, who believe in the principles of the Farmers Union, and who go out and spread the gospel, just as they do in Washington and Marshall counties. In these two counties right now, however, the people are getting behind their county and local leaders and are working with them in a manner which commands the respect of the entire state membership. They are doing, in an outstanding way, what is being done all over the organized Farmers Union part of the state.

In support of this comment, we call attention to the various reports from meetings in those counties. The meetings are well attended, and interest runs high. Many people take part. Subjects which are of interest to all are discussed. Plans are made for more meetings, and preparations made for large attendance.

Above all, the membership is paying dues promptly. Locals are not hanging back, thus to retard the progress of the whole community.

Next month, some other part of the state may be taking the lead in good Farmers Union meetings. Many communities are doing almost as well as these two counties mentioned, and they are to be commended.

So right now, let's give these two counties, and all the others who are going good, a good hand!

PROTECT OUR CLASS AT THE POLLS

The time is rapidly approaching when candidates will be traveling up and down the state, naming their "platforms" and asking the people to support them at the polls.

This is the regular procedure, and is the way the thing is done at every election time. However, some changes have crept in to affect the situation, and some of the old political tricks are losing their effectiveness because of these changes.

One important change has been brought about because of the fact that the farmers are equipped now with their own organization. Farmers now are supplied with up-to-the-minute in-

formation on everything that is going on, and do not swallow everything that is told them—much of the discomfort of a certain brand of partisan politicians.

Farmers have in their possession the power to elect whom they please, if they use this power efficiently and effectively. Farmers, when organized, hold the balance of power; but farmers, when not organized, are subject to the dominance of other groups. These other groups are concerned about their own interests, and care not whether the farmers' interests are safeguarded or not.

It has been through their own organizations, and because of their own organizations, such as the Farmers Union, that the farmers have improved their position with respect to electing friendly men and women to offices—high and low. Candidates have been forced to recognize this, and as a result they have been forced to take definite stands on questions involving justice to agriculture.

As a further result, the nation is gradually witnessing a change from the old-time pussy-footing politician to the more modern candidate who equips himself with a platform which includes worthwhile legislation. These men are getting into office. They are becoming our executives and our lawmakers. If the wrong kind of men are in office, their places are likely to be taken by the right kind of men. The process is gradual, but headway is being made. Men who seek to serve in political offices are "put on the spot" and the result is that finally, the right kind of office holders will dominate.

Let us watch the process this year, in the primary and general elections. Let us weed out, where necessary, and let us endorse, by reelection, those who have made an honest and able effort to serve us. We, of course, will have to recognize the fact that there are two major forces abroad in this land, irrespective of political or partisan organizations. One force is that of the financial pirates and gamblers in products of agriculture and labor; the other is that of justice to the common people, the farmers and all who honestly produce what is needed to sustain life.

We must look to the protection of our own interests. Therefore, we must see that the right kind of men get into office. Dues in our own militant farmers' organization, the Kansas Farmers Union, build up the best assurance of this kind of protection. Dues paid into this organization enable your own class to be safeguarded. Each person must do his part.

If the farmer does not allow his hogs to graze the alfalfa pasture too closely, it should last three or four summers before reseeded becomes necessary.

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

CAL A. WARD

President Kansas Farmers Union

DROUTH BRINGS NEW RESPONSIBILITIES

Mid-summer, and harvest time is here. Mother nature is having a hand in our production and the latest government releases forecast a light crop of about five hundred sixty million bushels of wheat as compared to a normal average of about eight hundred twenty five million bushels. Government figures state that our carry-over of wheat will be something around two hundred sixty or seventy million bushels, so there need be no alarm that there will be a wheat famine in this country for at least another year.

From many sections of the country and in parts of our own state comes the report that wheat is a total failure or the crop is too light to warrant harvesting. The farmers residing in these sections deserve our consideration and support. Because of the national drouth situation the wheat market has been rising steadily for some time. There is a chance that within the next few weeks it may even reach parity price to the farmer which is around \$1.07 or \$1.08 per bushel.

Will Not Break Faith

A lot of farmers and especially those who are harvesting no crop because of drouth conditions are wondering whether the government will pay a cash benefit to these drouth stricken farmers in accordance with their contracts. The writer has every reason to believe that the government will not break faith with the cooperating farmer. It would be unfair, simply because wheat at harvest time has reached near parity level, not to pay the farmer his cash benefit, for the 1934 crop.

Farm leaders and others interested are using their influence in behalf of getting for the farmer that which he is justly entitled to. I have just wired Secretary Wallace that in as much as there is sufficient money available from the processors' tax to pay the farmer ten cents per bushel gross on the last payment for 1933, they ought to do it. In my wire I stated it is generally understood by farmers that they are to receive this ten cents a bushel on the last payment and they will resent it if the payment is lowered to eight cents.

The telegram proceeds and states, "in order to avoid any more discontent hope you will be able to pay farmer amount he was led to believe he would receive. On account of drouth it is more necessary than ever to pay the farmer substantial benefit on 1934 crop. This is much sounder than paying dolo or making loans. One is a business like arrangement that helps preserve citizenship and the other may have tendency to injure farm citizenship." My wire also stated that, "Based upon the price the farmer received for his wheat during April and May we believe the department is justified in paying farmer forty-five cents per bushel benefit, and that early announcement of 1934 benefit payment will have beneficial psychological effect."

Don't Become Panicky

I sincerely hope and believe that our farmers will not become panicky and attempt to obstruct this program during the continuance of this extreme drouth. It is of interest to many of our readers that M. W. Thatcher, formerly one of the farm leaders of the Farmers Union from St. Paul, and now Washington Representative of the Farmers National Grain Corporation, is at present and has been in the past our contact man in Washington on matters of legislation and the development of sound agricultural policies.

Mr. Thatcher is highly respected by members of Congress and especially the members from the middle west agricultural section of our country. Below are paragraphs copied from a telegram which Mr. Thatcher recently sent to the following United States Senators: George W. Norris, Gerald P. Nye, Lynn J. Frazier, Henrik Shipstead, Robert M. LaFollette, Burton K. Wheeler, Elmer Thomas, Arthur Capper, George McMillan, James P. Pope, Homer T. Bone, William J. Bulow, Peter Norbeck, Edward P. Costigan and Thomas D. Schall.

I personally know that when it comes to matters effecting agriculture that the above named men are the group whom agriculture considers its friends.

Mr. Thatcher's telegram follows: "Am called west to work in drouth relief areas until next session of Congress. Wallace, Tugwell, Davis and Frank are as anxious and apprehensive for welfare of agriculture as any of us and need your help to support their work and to minimize politics during this agricultural calamity."

"Farmers are and have long since been regimented by tariff, taxes, transportation charges and extortion credit. Talk of agricultural regimentation now is ridiculous. Our worry should concern itself with the effects of speculation in futures and the meat processors' willingness to

exploit the producer and consumer during this crisis.

"Amendments to Agricultural Adjustment Act were designed with the collaboration of national agricultural conference following the studied consideration of all pertinent questions and our testimony before Committee on Agriculture shows our full support of the amendments. Amendments are designed to enhance farm prices and police distribution in interest of both farmer and consumer. There is no federal institution clothed with adequate police power to promptly and effectively deal with the impending situation. Amendments also provide for correcting the formula for computing parity to include farmers' increased cost for taxes, interest and labor. This means to wheat farmers an increase of twelve cents per bushel in wheat benefit payments.

"Federal Government has contracted to make benefit payments to cooperating farmers and must make good even though speculators and distributors temporarily boost cash prices to approximate parity price. While the Senate discusses regimentation and constitutional plea urge the Senate to also think of the constitution of the farm family which has been bled constantly for the past thirteen years. The hope of our half crazed farm families lies entirely in the hands of Congress. Congress has a great responsibility and we hope the Congressional friends of agriculture may now be able to convince their associates of the necessity of adequately meeting the needs of this emergency."

Our Opportunity

The writer agrees that Mr. Thatcher in his telegram to members of the Senate and wishes to suggest to our membership that you should continue to give your views on these various questions, not only to us, the leaders of your organization, but to your representatives in Washington.

These are times when we must forget partisan politics and everything else that stands in the way of protecting the armies of our distressed people, and work for the general good and benefit of all through our organization.

WASHINGTON SIDELIGHTS

W. P. Lamberson

June 2, 1934

My office still harbors a hunch that it is going to rain at home in June. Our fear is that it may be too much or come too fast. Anyway, we are praying with you for relief.

Before these notes are printed, lightning may have struck Kansas in another way. A few Republican leaders are leaving here for Chicago with the idea that Kansas is the man to head the National Committee. An able and aggressive young leader like John Hamilton from the middle west will take up the reins of leadership and be tolerated now by the Seaboard.

It is rumored in the men's "sewing circle" of the Republican cloakroom, that as Everett Sanders lays down the chairmanship of the G. O. P. leaders are looking for a new party. This involves the name of a well-known and charming widow, whose first name is Grace.

Cong. Wesley E. Disney, 48, able Democrat of Tulsa, was born at Richmond in Shawnee County, was graduated from K. U. and married a sister of Reese Van Sant of Topeka. He is the youngest looking man, for his years, in the House.

A Rural High School bus from Bentley, Kansas, was parked in front of the Capitol yesterday. It was labeled, "Goodbye School Books—Howdy, America!" The sixteen boys and girls had come through Muscle Shoals and were going to the World's Fair by way of Boston and Niagara Falls.

McFadden, of Pa., who frequently tried to impeach President Hoover, is one of the severest critics now of President Roosevelt. While stripped of the chairmanship of the Banking Committee and his patronage two years ago, he now enjoys the fellowship of his party's colleagues, in the House.

We said last week that the Civil War was over but when the leadership of the House kept it in session eight hours on Decoration Day, the statement seemed a bit premature. The filibuster by the minority, somewhat in retaliation, was set up, which lasted two days, ending yesterday by the adoption of a gag rule, the apex of them all.

This filibuster cemented the factious Democrats in preparation for the adoption of the rule. Some are angry enough to intimate that this was a deep bipartisan plot among leaders to defeat all inflation measures on the Speaker's table. The rule rings the death knell to the Frazier, McLeod and Connery bills and this will be sad news to the rank and file.

EMERGENCY FREIGHT

RATES ON FEEDS IN 42 KANSAS COUNTIES

Governor Landon is Told by Drouth Relief Administrator That Emergency Rates Approved.

But Does Not See Organization Counties Affected

Forty-two counties in Kansas are to be benefitted from a reduction of freight rates affecting the movement of stock feeds into the drouth area, according to a telegram received by Governor Alf Landon on June 4 from Dr. E. W. Sheetz, drouth relief administrator for the middle western states.

Governor Landon had asked that the emergency rates be made available for fifty-three counties. Dr. Sheetz did not advise in his telegram what counties make up the list of forty-two.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES

MEETING AT BARNES

The Washington County Farmers Union held its quarterly meeting at Barnes. It was an all day meeting, and a business session was held in the forenoon. The meeting was called to order by our county president, A. C. Hansen. The minutes of the previous meeting held at Brantford, March 3, were read and approved. Mr. Woods and Mr. Wright were appointed to draft a resolution in regard to the county engineer, Mr. Wood read the petition to the members and it was adopted as read.

The next proposition brought before the meeting was in regard to our annual picnic. This plan originated at the quarterly meeting in Brantford. The writer was called upon to explain this affair to the members. There was a good discussion, and most every one expressed his sentiment as being highly in favor of this social affair. This picnic is to be an all day affair, with a basket dinner and a general program consisting of prominent speakers from over the state. Others will take part from the different locals. There will be ball games and other games of skill, in which the east half of Washington county will compete against the west half. We will have amusements of all kinds for every one. Also it was decided to hire a band to entertain the people, and it was voted that the county would pay the expenses of this picnic and to go according to their judgment. It will be held during the last week in August. It was decided, by vote, to hold this first picnic at Strawberry.

This concluded the forenoon session, and we adjourned to the City Park, where a basket dinner was enjoyed by all. After dinner the Barnes City band gave a concert which we all enjoyed. We asked them to play at the annual picnic, but no decision was reached. The county officials then announced free ice cream for all, and the lines were quickly formed and all enjoyed this splendid treat, which, I am told, was given by the Farmers Union Co-op, of Barnes and vicinity. We wish to extend them a vote of thanks.

The president of the County Union, Mr. Hansen, then visited every one of the Barnes high school to finish the quarterly meeting. The first number on the program was a pair of beautiful piano solos by Mr. Crawford, the music instructor in the Barnes high school.

Next the vote was taken resulting in the approval of the petition to the county engineer, Anton Peterson was the next speaker. He gave a wonderful address on cooperation, and looked about as young and spry as ever. He told the different delegates that if their locals were running down, to notify the Washington County Booster Club and they would put any Local back on the map again. Mr. Hansen then introduced our county agent, Mr. Neff, who gave us an address on the corn-hog program, and explained the contracts. He also explained the wheat allotment, measuring reports, and other matters.

The next number was a song by John Tommer's two little girls, and they received a good hand. Mr. J. S. Wood was the next speaker. He is president of Local 644 and is connected with the Federal Land Bank loan setup. He explained the different plans. He is a real Union worker, and I am thankful to him for fetching me to this splendid meeting. Mr. Wood, Mr. Neff and Floyd Casaday, the men measuring and looking after the allotment ground in our part of the county, Mr. Wood's talk regarding loans was interesting and well liked by all.

President Hansen then introduced the next speaker, the Smart of Kansas City, of the Union Oil Co. Mr. Smart gave a splendid report on the Union Oil Co. business, explaining the growth of our own oil business.

The next speaker was Senator John Frost of Blue Rapids. He stressed our organizations. He said we all know how to raise crops but few of us take the right steps to market it. He said we lost many times the \$2.75 Farmers Union dues by selling outside our own organization.

John Tommer was the next speaker. He is president of Marshall County Farmers Union. His idea is for two counties to cooperate in a good way in the future. He believes in interesting the young folks and having them take part in the development of the county and build up the local. He gave a good talk and seems to be a good worker, and a most likeable fellow. This was the first time I had met him.

The next speaker was Henry Wesche of the Banner Local. He talked on cooperation and in a very able talker. We are sorry he could not have had more time, but with so many speakers the time had to be divided. Mr. Hansen stated it was the custom to leave the best speaker to the last. Mr. Wesche was a former county president of Washington county.

The county secretary, Dan Combrow, gave a report on the gain in membership throughout the county and throughout the state. He gave a report on the Managers meeting at Sapona this spring, at which he was the next speaker. He explained his chart, "Fruits of Cooperation." I believe I read about this chart before in the Union paper, and Mr. Cyr had the pleasure of each organization having a letter from each organization relating to their business, which he read. It was enjoyed by all.

The next speaker was George Peak, vice president of the Farmers Union Insurance Co. at Salina. He used a chart to show the development of the insurance business. His talk was interesting and was well listened to. Following Mr. Peak's talk, the meeting adjourned.

—John Reidy, Secy Local 646.

NOTICE—NEOSHO COUNTY

The Neosho County Farmers Union will hold its second quarterly meeting in Erie, Kansas, Tuesday night, June 12, 1934.—F. J. Gouvin, Sec.

ANTONE REPORTS MEETING

Greenleaf, Kans., June 3, 1934
Mr. Floyd H. Lynn,
Salina, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Lynn:
I will endeavor this morning while it is cool to make a report of the Washington County quarterly meeting, held at Barnes, June 1. This was by far the best quarterly meeting Washington county has had for a long time. Fourteen Locals were represented.

The meeting was called to order at 11 a. m. with our splendid chairman, A. C. Hansen, in the chair. An hour was spent discussing our business affairs since our last meeting and getting ready for our next quarterly meeting which will be held at Strawberry in connection with the Washington County Farmers Union annual picnic. I don't just like the idea of holding our next quarterly meeting at Strawberry, as it is not fair to the members in the rest of the county to hold all our meetings in one corner of the county. But it seems it was the best we could do this time.

If the Locals in the Northeast of the county will get up a meeting I am sure the county officers will be glad to meet with them any time.

The county picnic will be one of the high spots of the season. Watch the Union paper for the program about the middle of August.

Now, what did we do at Barnes? Well, to begin with, we listened to the first of our speakers, the county agent, Mr. Neff spoke on the development of the Triple A. John Wood, director of the Concordia branch of the Production Credit Corporation, explained the working of the same.

Next came a song by the Tommer sisters. Then Dale Smart told about the Union Oil Co. We are in debt to the Union Oil Co., through the efforts of our efficient manager of the Barnes branch, Mr. C. E. Ingman, for 15 gallons of ice cream.

Senator John Frist told us how, 100 years ago, the women and children had to work 15 hours a day under the lash (that's where these sturdy pioneers of America came from.) John Tommer, president of the Marshall County Farmers Union, told of the good feeling and friendly rivalry going on between Marshall and Washington counties in their drives for membership.

Next, Representative H. F. Wesche gave one of his inspiring lectures. Dan Combrow reported on the Jobbing Association meeting held in March. He was a delegate to this meeting. He also reported on the Managers Meeting held May 24 in Salina. Art Cyr, the originator of the chart, "Apples of Profit," was introduced. I hope Art will be able to be with us at Ellis this fall.

Last, but not least, George Peak of the Farmers Union Mutual Insurance Co., gave us some very valuable information in closing, thanked every one for being present and for helping to make this, our second quarterly meeting, the best meeting to date. He also thanked the people of the little town of Barnes for their hospitality and for their new and up-to-date auditorium, and for their efficient band; and he said he hoped everybody would buy something in Barnes before going home.

Now, Brother Lynn, this is quite lengthy, but if you can't get a story out of it, just stick it in the waste basket.

Yours for cooperation,
—Anton.

HOPEWELL MEETING

There were around 50 present at our meeting. After the minutes of the last meeting were read, Alfred Rosdahl gave a short talk on good of the order, and our County President John Tommer being with us gave a talk on the local have helped with the County booster meetings which have been held lately. D. O. Dexter made a motion to have a debate on some appropriate subject, and there will be one next meeting night. Everyone was urged to attend the meeting at Liberty Local next Friday night. Delegates to County meeting were appointed. It will be held at Blue Rapids June 5th. Harry Cope read the bi-weekly paper.

The program consisted of readings by Alva Teagarden, David Manges, Arwayne Dexter, songs by the Cowley trio, accompanied on the piano by Mildred Rosdahl, several recitations by one of the Tommer girls, Doris and Fern Feldhausen, and DeLores Anderson, a piano solo by Mrs. J. D. Anderson, and Mr. Hibbard gave a talk on the Frazier bill. Our new oil stove was put into operation and after lunch was served the crowd visited until a late hour.—Frankfort Daily Index.

PETITION TO ROOSEVELT

The following resolution or petition was drawn up and adopted recently by Farmers Union Local No. 883, near Centuria, and was circulated and sent to President Roosevelt:

We the undersigned farmers knowing the Processing Tax on hogs to be a burden to us and believing it to be retarding recovery, hereby request that this tax be abandoned.

We further favor the payments on the corn and hog contracts be made pro rata of total amount of tax already collected.

Further, we do not favor a processing tax on cats, and we are strongly opposed to any compulsory control of agricultural production.

WARD SPEAKER AT BELOIT

The regular quarterly meeting of the Mitchell County Farmers Union will be held in Chautauqua Park, Beloit, Wednesday, June 13. A basket dinner will be a feature at the noon hour, announces Mrs. Chas. Oplinger, County Farmers Union secretary.

Cal Ward, president of the Kansas Farmers Union, will be the principal speaker. Mr. Ward is well known to the membership, and it is expected that a large crowd will be out to hear him.

OSAGE COUNTY PLANNING AN INTERESTING MEETING

The Osage County Farmers Union is holding its quarterly meeting at Vassar, at 8 o'clock in the evening, Thursday, June 14.

A. M. Kinney, vice president of the Kansas Farmers Union, has been asked to deliver the principal address of the evening.

An open discussion is planned, touching on various subjects which are pertinent at this time. The processing tax on hogs, and the production control program, and other subjects, will form the basis for this open discussion. It should be interesting and instructive. Other entertainment features will be furnished.

Come to this meeting whether you are a Farmers Union member or not. We want you with us.

Lloyd Nicolay, Sec.

NOTICE—ELLIS COUNTY

Ellis County Union will have its second quarterly meeting on June 9, 1934 at Hays. Place, court room; Time, 1 o'clock p. m. Delegates should attend, also bring your neighbors.

Frank B. Pfeiffer, Secy.

FRANKLIN CO. MEETING

The Franklin Co. Farmers Union held its monthly meeting at the Minneola Local June 1. The Minneola Local added a short business session after which the county president, A. R. Carpenter, presided.

It was decided to have a Farmers Union picnic about the last of July or the first of August. The exact time and meeting place to be decided by a committee. We then had a short, interesting talk by our lecturer, Elson Thayer. Short talks were given by the following members: I. M. Fisher, Ben C. Nelson, T. G. Ramsey and Harry Morgan. Musicians were furnished throughout the evening by Murray's orchestra.

Although the attendance was small, about 50, we had an interesting meeting and hope for better attendance at next meeting. Sack Lunch was served by I. M. Fisher, Irl Keagy and O. Deaton.

The July meeting will be omitted on account of the picnic.

Mrs. T. G. Ramsey,
Secretary.

ASHLAND LOCAL MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Ashland Farmers Union was held at the Ashland school house, Friday evening, June 1, with Mrs. Edgar Puett in charge of the program. The program consisted of the following:

Violin trio—"Down by the Mill Stream," and "Garland of Old-fashioned Roses," by Alice Stockwell, Maxine Johnson and Charles Parker.

Solo—"Love Thy Neighbor," by Bill Johnson, accompanied by Pearl Mellon.

Group of dances with Bob Grosbeck at the piano.

Buck Dance—by Edyce Wheeler and Vivian Allingham.

"Baby Sister Blues"—by Louise Grosbeck.

Buck Dance—Everett and Charles Van Derfur.

"Pop-Eye the Sailor Man" by Wayne Grosbeck.

The current issue of the "Union Rake" edited by Mrs. Violet Weber and Mrs. Reta Cederberg was read by Mrs. Cederberg. The numbers were all good and greatly enjoyed.



Dear Junior Cooperators:
I wish that many more Juniors could add a star to their names on the Membership Roll, this month. You'll remember that this star is awarded for the addition of each new member to our club who joins because of the invitation of a Junior. I have the names of eighteen Juniors who have gained these stars recently, and I am going to list their names below:

Irene Hajek, Tampa *
Martin Hajek, Tampa *
Lulu Leive, Brookville *
Betty Corfman, Eldorado *
Dorothy Ames, Rydal *
Barbara Hanson, Jamestown *
Eloise Pritchett, Cawker City *
Doris Rothchild, Montrose *
Jeanne Rogers, Ogallah *
Flossie Frohish, Columbus *
Martha Belle Crane, Oak Hill ***
Ruby Samuelson, Randolph *
George New, Leavenworth *
Vera Carlson, Hollis *
Hazel Morrison, Baileyville *
Mary Esther Schmidt, Hays *
Pearl Albin, Gove *
Dorothy Hammerstzheim, Andale *

These names are, of course, in addition to those which have been printed in the paper, when the Membership Roll last appeared.

So I wish that each one of you would resolve to add a member to our Club list, as the boys and girls whose names appear above, have done. And—a word about the lesson, which I can never repeat too often: Send it promptly! And let me know whether you thought it was difficult.

—Aunt Patience

Gove, Kans., April 27, 1934
Dear Aunt Patience:
My sister, Pearl Albin, asked me to join your club. Will she get a star? My birthday is May 8. I am 9 years old. I was in the fourth grade last year and will be in the fifth grade next year. Have I a twin? Please send me my pin right away.
Your friend,
Ralph Albin.
P.S.—I vote for the forget-me-not.

Dear Ralph:
Yes, I'll place a star after Pearl's name on our Membership Roll and I am glad that you are going to be one of us. Your pin will be sent soon and I think I can find your twin soon. Be sure to read last week's lesson—try to get as much out of it as you can.—Aunt Patience.

Wellington, Kans., May 15, 1934
Dear Aunt Patience:
I have been reading the Junior letters. I have decided to be a member of your club. I am eleven years old. I am in the sixth grade. Will you help me to find my twin? I would like to have one of your pins.
Yours truly,
Vernon Gensch.

P.S.—My birthday is on February 24.

Dear Vernon:
I'm glad that you've decided to become a Junior and I'll send your pin this week. Don't overlook our lesson today—even though you haven't studied the first ones, I'm sure that you'll find this one interesting. I'll expect to hear from you soon again.—Aunt Patience.

Conway Springs, Ks., May 16, 1934
Dear Aunt Patience:
I would like to be a member of your club. I belong to the 4-H club and enjoy it very much. I take cooking. Have I a twin?
I have a few pets—a Shetland pony named Flossie and four kittens. We have much fun. Have you ever had the mumps? My sister, brother and hired girl and me had them and they aren't much fun.
I will be 10 years old my birthday, September 15. Well, I must close with a lot of love.
Lella Rebecca Lewis
P.S. Please send me my pin soon.

Dear Lella:
I'll send your pin soon and I'll be glad to help you find your twin. I can remember when I had the mumps, too, and they certainly aren't fun. We

had a few cases in Salina this spring and a girl who lives with me, had a very bad case. I wish I could see your pony and kittens—what did you name the kittens?—Aunt Patience.

Andale, Kans., May 15, 1934
Dear Aunt Patience:
I am 6 years old. My birthday was last Saturday, May 12. I want the forget-me-not as my club flower. Please send me a pin at once. Have I a twin?
For pets, I have a pony named Tilly, two pups, named Telly and Billy, and four kittens which haven't any name. My puppies are all white and one is black and white. I will close as my letter is getting long.
Your niece,
Dolores Hammerstzheim.

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Wallace St. Pierre—Cloud Co Ks—14 yrs 682	4.85
Albert Adam—Cloud Co Ks—16 str, hfs 553	4.75
Chas M Miller—Johnson Co Mo—18 str, hfs 706	4.50
W L Miller—Anderson Co Ks—7 str 1084	4.50
Albert Adam—Cloud Co Ks—17 calves 432	4.50
J W Suddarth—Johnson Co Ks—8 str, hfs 560	4.50
L J Johnson—Riley Co Ks—8 yrs 717	4.35
W S Swart—Henry Co Mo—2 cows 1145	3.75
Chas Holopick—Rush Co Ks—13 str 724	3.60
Chas Holopick—Rush Co Ks—2 cows 1065	3.50
H M Deocher—Mitchell Co Ks—10 str 724	3.35
Ray R Pickrell—Ottawa Co Ks—2 cows 1065	3.00
Chas Holopick—Rush Co Ks—5 cows 1192	2.85
W S Swart—Henry Co Mo—5 cows 840	2.15
Chas Heffington—Johnson Co Ks—26 cows 982	2.15
W S Swart—Henry Co Mo—17 cows 872	1.50

SHEEP

Neil Armstrong—Lafayette Co Mo—7 81	9.75
F Wetzel—Labette Co Ks—6 65	8.75
Dec Johns—Lafayette Co Mo—5 74	9.75
F B Sutton—Douglas Co Ks—22 73	9.75
A E Proctor—Lafayette Co Mo—6 75	9.75
A E Proctor—Lafayette Co Mo—6 75	9.75
R M Brown—Lafayette Co Mo—6 73	9.75
Walter Simmons—Hickory Co Mo—9 64	10.00
Ben Martie—Hickory Co Mo—5 50	6.00
E D Long—Hickory Co Mo—9 60	9.75
E L McCann—Neosho Co Ks—56 72	9.75
E L McCann—Neosho Co Ks—6 75	9.75
N E Fidelity—Henry Co Mo—5 70	9.75
H M Lamborn—Leavenworth Co Ks—6 66	9.75
J D Wilcoxson—Johnson Co Mo—10 67	9.75
W D Smith—Henry Co Mo—8 73	9.75
Clarence Gnad—Wabunsee Co Ks—13 74	10.10
Clarence Gnad—Wabunsee Co Ks—12 67	9.10
Mitchell Co F Bureau—Marshall Co Ks—42 72	10.35
Mitchell Co F Bureau—Marshall Co Ks—379 72	10.10
Mitchell Co F Bureau—Marshall Co Ks—94 67	10.10
Bert Knapp—Polk Co Mo—5 60	9.75
Harry Leonard—Crawford Co Ks—14 76	10.00
J Albert Clausen—Crawford Co Ks—16 70	10.00
J Albert Clausen—Crawford Co Ks—9 127 (ewes)	2.25
S J Quigley—Vernon Co Mo—5 74	10.00
Ronald Elder—Cass Co Mo—6 65	10.00
Tom Grouch—Lafayette Co Mo—16 75	10.00
F W Robbins—Cass Co Mo—12 75	10.00
R Gort—Henry Co Mo—5 66	9.50
C E Hart—Henry Co Mo—5 66	9.50
M J McDaniels—Johnson Co Mo—8 71	10.00
M P Utley—Linn Co Ks—27 75	2.00
M P Utley—Linn Co Ks—27 75	2.00
W H Wemyer—Cass Co Mo—21 71	10.00
J E Potter—Crawford Co Ks—7 68	10.00
F C Atwood—Linn Co Ks—9 75	10.00
Ben Seuser—Rush Co Ks—19 72	10.00
Robert R. Wemyer—Cass Co Mo—5 66	10.00
Lester Clifton—Bates Co Mo—10 72	10.00
N C West—Linn Co Ks—11 77	10.00
Hobart Harrison—Henry Co Mo—5 78	10.00
Marion Syster—Miami Co Ks—5 78	9.50
Alfred Mein—Crawford Co Ks—7 68	9.50
John E. Cook—Dickinson Co Ks—50 72	9.50
C D Hull—Henry Co Mo—9 72	9.50
A M Roney and Son—Osage Co Ks—5 56	6.00
A M Roney and Son—Osage Co Ks—5 56	6.00
E W Lambert—Sullivan Co Mo—17 67	9.50
H H Neff—Linn Co Ks—17 60	8.00
Chas J Gleaser—Douglas Co Ks—6 51	6.00
Chas J Gleaser—Douglas Co Ks—12 60	9.50
T V Schuber—Barton Co Mo—9 80	9.50
T V Vance—Lafayette Co Mo—19 80	9.50
Jimmy Schubert—Barton Co Mo—9 80	9.50
R D Berry—Grundy Co Mo—6 53	9.25
W H Grasty—Linn Co Ks—12 73	1.25
Arch Thompson—Republic Co Ks—14 72	9.50
M S Russell—Coffey Co Mo—7 72	9.50
Willie Mart—Hickory Co Mo—7 74	9.50
R D Durnell—Polk Co Mo—16 65	9.50
R D Durnell—Polk Co Mo—6 115	1.50
Glenn Durnell—Polk Co Mo—6 81	2.50
S L Keen—Cass Co Mo—7 65	9.50
Ben Fletcher—Grundy Co Mo—7 72	9.50
John Hodgson—Linn Co Ks—7 91	0.95
W L Robbins—Johnson Co Mo—11 84	9.50

HOGS

Medium and Heavy Butchers—230 Lbs. Up	
Mrs. G W Cushman—Douglas Co Ks—36 239	3.30
E M Badders—Anderson Co Ks—24 236	3.20
S R Herrington—Franklin Co Ks—12 196	2.75
Geo Shuler—Douglas Co Ks—9 240	3.25
Mrs. Chas Maich—Miami Co Ks—11 234	3.25
Alta Vista S A—Wabunsee Co Ks—23 261	3.25
J S Davis—Franklin S Davis—Franklin Co Ks—9 245	3.25
J S Davis—Franklin Co Ks—9 245	3.25
J B George—Woodson Co Ks—19 214	3.00
Michael Bechar—Cloud Co Ks—13 176	3.00
R W Buck—Douglas Co Ks—10 243	3.80
Fred Lorenz—Lafayette Co Mo—10 234	3.30
Ralph Houtz—Wabunsee Co Ks—7 232	3.25
W H Ishmael—Grundy Co Mo—7 254	3.25
John Snyder—Linn Co Ks—9 265	3.30
F D Cox—Linn Co Ks—2 232	3.25
J S Harlow—Leavenworth Co Ks—14 234	3.25
Wm Hubert—Chase Co Ks—9 255	3.25
A A Falter—Wabunsee Co Ks—15 243	3.25
H W Matthews—Lafayette Co Mo—8 301	3.05
John Neel—Linn Co Ks—8 232	3.25
Tom Moss—Allen Co Ks—7 255	3.25
H E Wovershike—Chase Co Ks—7 255	3.25
H E Wovershike—Chase Co Ks—14 238	3.25
W J Craig—Osborne Co Ks—15 230	3.25
Dick Bickman—Miami Co Ks—7 267	3.25
W W Thompson—Phillips Co Ks—5 282	3.25
Henry Dancaster—Miami Co Ks—7 297	3.20
John Grother—Miami Co Ks—8 250	3.25
Ed Hemme—Jefferson Co Ks—16 309	3.25
Walter Wolford—Nemaha Co Ks—6 263	3.25

Light Butchers 170—225 Lbs Up

Carl A Danner—Linn Co Ks—8 200	0.325
John B. Goner—Chase Co Ks—5 129	3.10
W J Pemberton—Johnson Co Mo—14 184	3.05
F J Ryser—Republic Co Ks—24 222	3.00
W A Sharp—Morris Co Ks—8 175	3.00
Perry Onstutt—Barton Co Mo—11 176	3.00
F D Reith—Lafayette Co Mo—7 185	3.00
J F Shockey—St. Clair Co Mo—15 185	3.00
M D Houtz—Wabunsee Co Ks—13 223	3.20
A M Moss—Allen Co Ks—13 186	3.20
R C Armstrong—Henry Co Mo—9 191	3.05
John Eckart—Miami Co Ks—9 195	3.25
Earl Chezer—Allen Co Ks—9 203	3.25
R B Cterling—Allen Co Ks—30 208	3.20
W K Guthridge—Henry Co Mo—8 183	3.25
Theo Eckhardt—Henry Co Mo—8 183	3.25
Tabor M Edmonds—Jefferson Co Ks—17 205	3.10
Elmer Hite—Allen Co Ks—20 204	3.10
Gordon Erickson—Marshall Co Ks—12 213	3.10

Henry Ruehler—Lafayette Co Mo—24 182	3.00
M L Furrner—Bates Co Mo—9 172	3.00
Geo. Sanders—Henry Co Mo—7 207	3.25
A H Diehl—Dickinson Co Ks—7 185	2.10
W D Carpenter—Franklin Co Ks—5 178	3.00
Glen Art—Anderson Co Ks—25 189	3.25
Aug. Begeman—Lafayette Co Mo—20 177	3.25
H W Matthews—Lafayette Co Mo—20 177	3.25
M H Corley—Osage Co Ks—12 197	3.10
Clinton S. Asm—Henry Co Mo—44 206	3.25
Andrew B Tell—Washington Co Ks—7 187	3.10
E L McCann—Neosho Co Ks—36 191	3.15
C H Prothe—Miami Co Ks—23 218	3.25
Frank Johnson—Barton Co Mo—6 185	3.25
Tom Gilb—Bates Co Mo—15 196	3.25
Homer Smith—Lafayette Co Mo—12 223	3.25
Alva Mainey—Pottawatomie Co Ks—7 191	3.25
S M Millard—Linn Co Ks—6 173	3.20
Elmer Cox—Linn Co Ks—22 186	3.25
R E Richer—Jefferson Co Mo—20 174	3.25
O O Bush—Henry Co Mo—7 227	3.25
O C Bell—Osage Co Ks—7 220	3.25
O B Chapplear—Cedar Co Mo—6 173	3.20
Chas Thompson—Nuckolls Co Mo—19 200	3.25
H A Ward—Franklin Co Ks—15 202	3.25
Wm Logan—Carroll Co Mo—10 182	3.15
Andrew E Yale—Gove Co Ks—20 212	3.20
W O Oogest—Miami Co Ks—18 171	3.20
W W Thompson—Phillips Co Ks—53 175	3.15
Ray Sturdy—Osage Co Ks—10 0205	3.25
W H Wemyer—Cass Co Mo—19 180	3.15
J V Young—Livingston Co Mo—14 176	3.00
Powell Bros—Coffey Co Ks—9 192	3.25
Heid Winder—Miami Co Ks—7 208	3.25
O R Nickel—Davies Co Mo—11 196	3.20
E C Wehrmen—Lafayette Co Mo—21 207	3.25
G J Homrighausen—Miami Co Ks—5 172	3.20
Arthur Nach—Wabunsee Co Ks—14 220	3.30
Alfred Magnuson—Osage Co Ks—6 200	3.25
Mrs Rose Howard—Osage Co Ks—22 192	3.25
John P Cook—Dickinson Co Ks—5 2216	3.00
Jacob Humburg—Lafayette Co Mo—15 207	3.30
Oscar Lefman—Lafayette Co Mo—31 175	3.00
August Nolte—Lafayette Co Mo—26 206	3.25
C E Carston—Geary Co Ks—15 181	3.25
Geo McGinn—Osage Co Ks—30 204	3.25
L J Johnson—Riley Co Ks—54 227	3.30
Farmers Co-op S A—Marshall Co Ks—44 217	3.10
Russell Hosley—Anderson Co Ks—7 171	3.10
R W Hodge—Wabunsee Co Ks—10 222	3.30
Albert Wieters—Washington Co Ks—10 191	3.25
John Hodgson—Linn Co Ks—12 193	3.25
J W Howerton and Son—Johnson Co Mo—20 187	3.25
R H Stokes—Miami Co Ks—28 200	3.30
W L Robbins—Johnson Co Ks—44 204	3.10
Robt. Fell—Washington Co Ks—7 191	3.00
Alta Vista S A—Wabunsee Co Ks—50 208	3.25
N H Hodgson—Linn Co Ks—16 199	3.25
Carl Coulter—Johnson Co Ks—8 172	3.25
H E Acton—Crawford Co Ks—38 224	2.75
Will Wolford—Nemaha Co Ks—6 205	2.50
Ed Herzog—Nemaha Co Ks—6 205	2.50
Max J. Kettler—Miami Co Ks—10 206	3.10

Light Lights—130-169 Lbs

Claus Pope—Miami Co Ks—8 167	3.15
Albert Tyree—Lafayette Co Mo—18 169	3.10
Simpson Eberhart—Morris Co Ks—9 144	2.75
Walter Baker—Miami Co Ks—8 165	2.75
Robert Griffith—Livingston Co Mo—10 133	2.50
H H Chapplear—Cedar Co Mo—7 152	2.75
O B Coffey—St. Clair Co Mo—5 154	3.00
Geo Benson—Wabunsee Co Ks—11 166	3.20
Wm Logan—Carroll Co Mo—5 142	2.50
W W Thompson—Phillips Co Ks—9 136	2.25
Chas Riley—Allen Co Ks—4 145	2.25
H W Dunning—Henry Co Mo—5 146	3.00
Elmer Hite—Allen Co Ks—9 148	2.40
Earl Sanders—Henry Co Mo—9 144	3.00
W W Messick—Cedar Co Mo—6 168	0.10
N E Fridley—Henry Co Mo—18 167	2.75
A C Jackson—Osage Co Ks—12 135	2.90
Ed Hite—Allen Co Ks—8 163	2.90
Gus Arzberger—Miami Co Ks—25 163	2.75
Arthur Dageford—Miami Co Ks—9 167	3.30
Oscar Lefman—Lafayette Co Mo—6 138	2.00
C E Carston—Geary Co Ks—7 141	2.50
F Oscar Patterson—Cloud Co Ks—6 163	2.50
John T. Brownrigg—Anderson Co Ks—10 134	2.00
Ed Greenhaige—Henry Co Mo—17 160	2.50
Frank Huncovsky—Republic Co Ks—7 157	2.75
John Huncovsky—Republic Co Ks—10 134	1.75
John Huncovsky—Republic Co Ks—6 168	2.50
Sail Edwards—Coffey Co Ks—18 165	3.10
John Roter Jr.—Henry Co Mo—11 151	2.60
John Manbeck—Allen Co Ks—13 163	2.90
C D Hull—Henry Co Mo—12 140	2.50
R H Stocker—Miami Co Ks—6 146	2.50
R J Riestner—Lafayette Co Mo—8 137	2.50
Alta Vista S A—Wabunsee Co Ks—11 150	2.25
Leonard Williams—Miami Co Ks—10 132	2.00
Jeann Herndon—Henry Co Mo—9 157	2.40
E S Ricketts—Miami Co Ks—8 160	2.50
Foney Boyd—Johnson Co Mo—10 161	2.75
J C Swint—Davies Co Mo—25 154	2.75
F J Ryser—Rep. Polk Co Ks—12 135	2.75
E M Duting and Son—Wabunsee Co Ks—8 167	3.00
Clyde Martin—Linn Co Ks—10 140	2.25
Bryan Douglas—Lafayette Co Mo—8 247	3.30
W A Vandemark—Barton Co Mo—8 163	3.00
Joe Milton—Hickory Co Mo—6 133	2.00

PIGS

Robert Griffith—Livingston Co Mo—13 14	2.00
John Bliss—Allen Co Ks—6 125	2.00
Fred N. Cox—Linn Co Ks—6 103	2.00
Andrew E. Yale—Gove Co Ks—9 91	2.00
W O Hogsett—Miami Co Ks—10 122	2.00
H W Dunning—Henry Co Mo—7 114	2.00
C C Barnett—Grundy Co Ks—9 132	2.00
Carl J. Lungen—Osage Co Ks—7 107	2.00
Frank Johnson—Barton Co Mo—6 118	2.00
C E Carston—Geary Co Ks—14 109	1.75
Frank Huncovsky—Republic Co Ks—8 128	2.00
John Manbeck—Anderson Co Ks—5 118	1.95
Jean Herndon—Henry Co Mo—15 120	1.75
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J C Swint—Davies Co Mo—16 118	1.75
S V Webster—Grundy Co Mo—17 105	1.60

SOWS

H A Ward—Franklin Co Ks—6 333	2.50
Harold Winder—Miami Co Ks—4 340	2.60
John Kresse—Lafayette Co Mo—5 330	2.50
Mrs. Chase Maich—Miami Co Ks—2 365	2.65
C P Kohlenburg, Miami Co Ks—19 hogs 238	3.40
Robt Kalberloh—Henry Co Mo—7 188	3.35
J G Rufenacht—St. Clair Co Mo—21 188	3.35
Frankfort F U S A—Marshall Co Ks—17 3000	3.35
A C Stiles—Johnson Co Ks—10 205	3.35
Fritz Alpert—Miami Co Ks—14 257	3.35
Floyd Dunlap—Marshall Co Ks—7 272	3.35
R Brocker—Miami Co Ks—7 221	3.35
John Ashmill—Osage Co Ks—9 219	3.35
Chas. Wganer—Cloud Co Ks—11 223	3.35
Walter Kuhn—Linn Co Ks—23 214	3.35
Merle Magaw, Cloud Co Ks—12 234	3.35
C T Dunlap—Marshall Co Ks—15 237	3.35
Lester Haynes—Grundy Co Mo—5 250	3.35
J Albert Clausen—Crawford Co Ks—6 223	3.35
Henry Newland, Jay Co Mo—8 241	3.35
Dean E. James—Clay Co Ks—20 237	3.30
Matt Knedlick—Washington Co Ks—17 184	3.30
Marshall Smith, Lafayette Co Mo—40 184	3.30
George Sommers—Pottawatomie Co Ks—6 266	3.30
Albert Goch—Henry Co Mo—9 170	3.30
Otto Zebell—Jackson Co Ks—20 182	3.30
John P Hoyer—Washington Co Ks—28 222	3.30
Elmer Strickler—Anderson Co Ks—8 216	3.30
J F Reel—Linn Co Ks—14 175	3.30
O D Kuhn—Linn Co Ks—7 185	3.30
Fred Berger—Washington Co Ks—16 233	3.25
Leonard Freesehe—Lafayette Co Mo—34 230	3.25
T A Murphy—Bates Co Mo—22 212	3.25
T A Murphy—Bates Co Mo—7 165	3.25
Lee Patt—Henry Co Mo—15 197	3.25
W W Wren—Anderson Co Ks—1 239	3.25
Carl W Scott—Franklin Co Ks—14 175	3.25
F H Mitchell—Woodson Co Ks—16 180	3.25
F U Elev Rooks Co Ks—42 188	3.25
Herman Spreer—Clay Co Ks—11 196	3.15

S Hull—Franklin Co Ks—23 170	3.
A J Gerstner—Marshall Co Ks—21 203	3.
Wm Parker—Jefferson Co Ks—16 185	3.
C H Mills—Jackson Co Ks—35 149	2.
E M Huston—Osage Co Ks—8 182	2.
John Bowlin—Lafayette Co Mo—8 203	2.
Frankfort F U S A—Marshall Co Ks—10 202	2.
Frankfort F U S A—Marshall Co Ks—21 270	2.
Herb Thornton—Clay Co Ks—15 224	2.
Clarence Thornton—Clay Co Ks—9 183	2.