

**OMAHA HONORED AGAIN**

In honoring W. B. Tagg by an unanimous re-election to the presidency, the National Live Stock Exchange honored him, but Omaha and Nebraska as well.

At the final session of the annual convention in New York City, on the 18th instant, Mr. Tagg was re-elected president by unanimous vote.

**Equipped for Battle**

A southern Missouri man was being tried on a charge of assault. The state brought into court as the weapons used a rail, an ax, a pair of tongs, a saw and a rifle. The defendant's counsel exhibited as the other man's weapons a scythe blade, a pitchfork, a pistol and a hoe.

The jury's verdict is said to have been: "Resolved, that we, the jury, would have given one dollar each to have seen the fight."

**THE ANNUAL ADDRESS OF PRESIDENT W. B. TAGG**

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utive committee we have established a monthly bulletin, which is published in Chicago and edited by the secretary of your organization. In it you will find many matters of importance to live stock exchanges, and to the live stock industry in general. We feel that it fills a long felt need and ask your recommendation for the future.

As suggested at our last annual meeting by ex-President McClure, I have made every effort to get in closer touch with other national organizations in the live stock industry. On October 8th I addressed the annual meeting of the National Swine Growers' association at South Omaha on the subject of the "Market End of Swine Industry." On Tuesday, October 16th, I made a talk at the Twelfth annual meeting of the American Meat Packers' association at Chicago, on the subject of "The Mutual Interest of the Packer and the Commission Man." In January of this year I attended but took no part in the annual meeting of the American National Live Stock association, and also the annual meeting of the National Wool Growers' association, both of which were held in Salt Lake City.

I think every effort should be made to enlarge our sphere of usefulness by getting in closer touch with the various interests in the live stock trade, and with this end in view I addressed the annual meeting of Group Eleven South Dakota Bankers' association, on June 18th, and the Laramie County Cattle and Horse Men's association at their annual meeting held last June 21st at Wheatland, Wyoming.

At the suggestion of Mr. J. H. Mercer, president of the National Live Stock Shipper's Protective league, and with the approval of the majority of our executive committee, I appointed a special committee consisting of E. C. Brown, of Chicago, L. A. Lennon, of Kansas City, A. H. Baker, of St. Joseph, H. G. Pierce, of Sioux City, and C. A. McCormack, of St. Louis, to meet with a special committee from the league with a view to agreeing on a plan of unifying our work, this plan to be submitted to this convention for final adoption. The meeting was held in Omaha on Saturday, May 20th. I was unfortunately detained in the west and did not get home in time to attend. A report of the results of that conference will be made later in the session, and I sincerely hope that this convention can arrive at some solution of this problem that will be satisfactory to us all.

**Recommendations**

From my observations of your affairs during the past year I would like to make the following recommendations:

That your executive committee be given authority to name a temporary chairman or a senior vice president, who would have authority to act and to sign vouchers during the absence or inability of the president. During the past year I have been called away several times and I think there ought to be someone designated who could act in case of the absence of the president.

That this exchange go on record as being in favor of a liberal appropriation by congress and the various states to be used in stamping out tuberculosis in cattle, hogs and sheep.

That this body go on record as being heartily in favor of a more uniform system of quarantine laws and shipping rules for the transportation of live stock from one state to another.

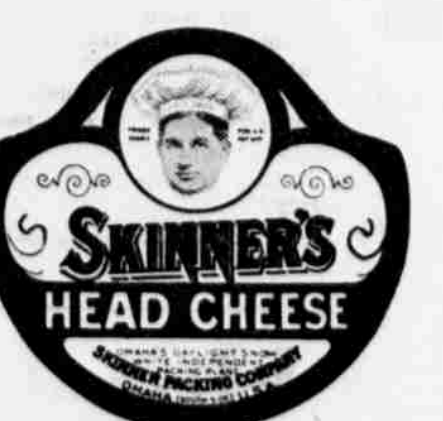
That the legislative committee be instructed to do all in its power to get laws enacted providing for a more uniform chattel mortgage law throughout the different states.

That a strong effort be made to unify the traffic work done by the National Shippers' Protective league and the National Live Stock Exchange in order that the producers' interests may be better represented and duplication of work avoided.

That the bureau of markets be requested to take over the wiring of market information and receipts from one market to another, which recommendation was made by the United States Live Stock Industry committee at their conference in Washington last September. This work is now being done by the different live stock exchanges.

In closing, I wish to say that whatever success has been achieved by your organization during the past year, a great measure of credit is due to your worthy secretary, C. B. Heinemann, for his very efficient services, to the chairman and members of the special committees, and to the members of your executive committee who have given your affairs many hours of valuable time and labor.

I also wish to thank the members of the various exchanges for their support and their courteous treatment during the last year.



The splendid interest shown by Conservative Farmers Purchases of Large Blocks

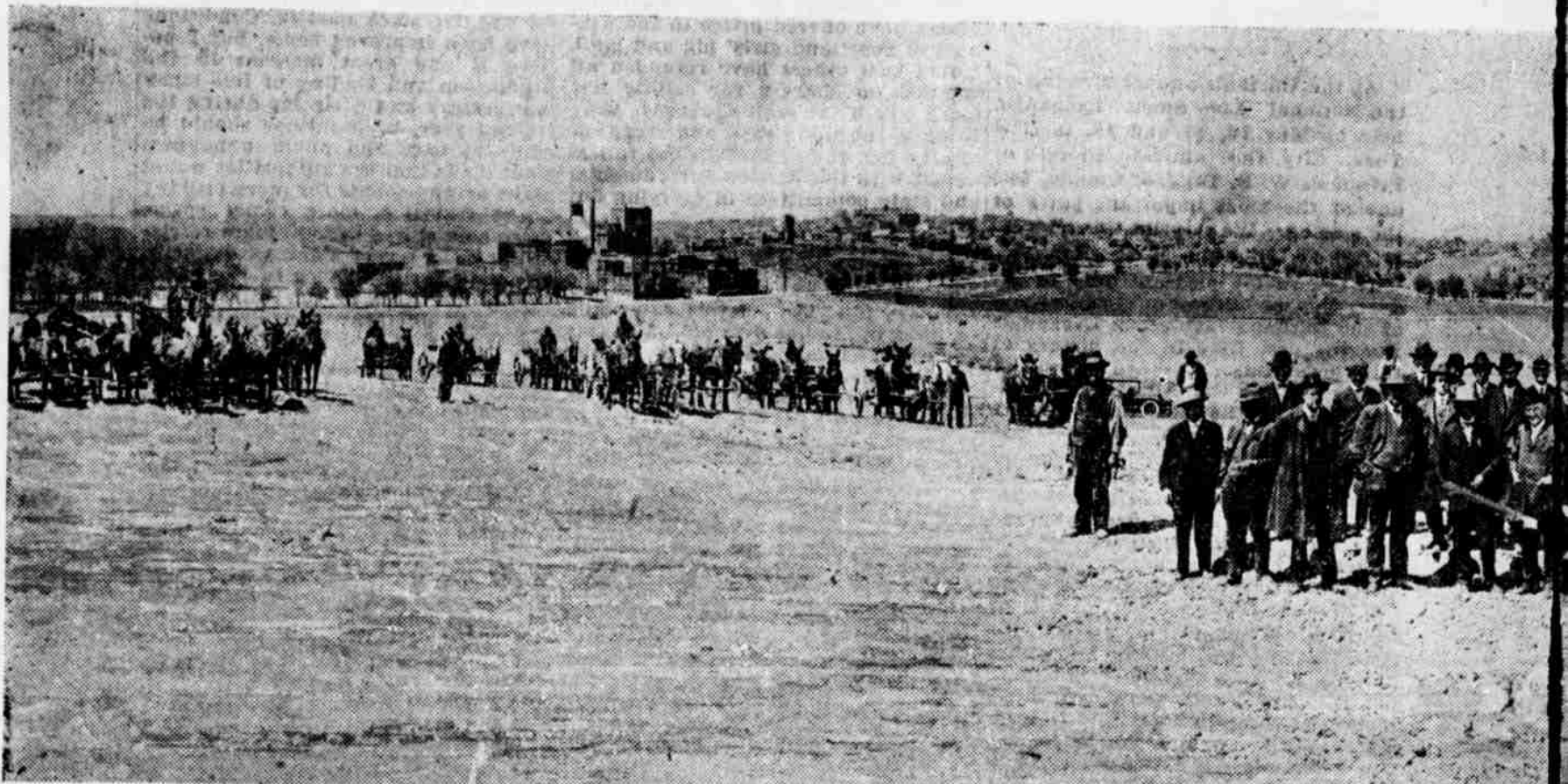
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The 8 per cent Guaranteed Preferred Participating Stock now offered fully PARTICIPATES IN THE ENTIRE PROFIT

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Second: The actual operating end of this business will be in charge of an official who will be vice president

LLOYD M. SKINNER, President and Treasurer

Reference: PAUL F. SKINNER, Chairman of the Board, Skinner Packing Company. Any Bank of Business

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OMAHA'S DAYLIGHT SNOW WHITE

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Omaha is the world's second largest live stock market; \$192,000,000 of meat products were packed here last year, which represents but 60 per cent of the live stock shipped to this market.

There is a great opening for a packing plant at Omaha operated under the right management and conducted along business lines. The operation by the SKINNER PACKING COMPANY of Omaha's Daylight Snow White Independent Packing Plant, will retard the transshipment of live stock at this point, which will mean a great economic saving and a market for shippers and producers.

THE SKINNER PACKING COMPANY will market its Specialty Food Products through the present nationally organized sales force of the Skinner Manufacturing Company. **SEND FOR FURTHER INFORMATION**