

Union Department

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Come In and Talk with Us

THE BANK OF UNION

W. B. Banning, Cashier—Union, Nebr.

Robert Eaton was shelling and delivering corn to the F. H. McCarthy elevator on Monday of this week.

Otis Keene was assisting in the shelling of corn at the home of Leslie Everett on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Jennie Frans has been quite poorly at her home for some time and is reported as feeling slightly better during the early portion of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Linville were over in the neighborhood of Rock Bluffs on last Monday and found the thawing of the snow had made the roads quite slippery.

Billie Vest was assisting in the scooping at the shelling of the corn of Leslie Everett which was shelled on last Tuesday and delivered at the elevators in Union.

Henry H. Becker shelled last Saturday for Clifford McQuinn, and on E. B. Chapman on Friday, there being many who are shelling and delivering their corn at this time.

Santa True was shelling and delivering corn on last Monday at the McCarthy and Scurra elevators, and was pleased to get the grain off while the weather was fine and the roads good.

James Tigner and father John Tigner of near Louisville were visiting in Union for a short time during the present week and were guests at the home of Fred Tigner and family.

R. D. Stine was a visitor in Plattsmouth on last Monday going to pay his taxes and also to get the license for his auto. While Mr. Stine was away George Stine was looking after the business of the store.

Frank and Anna Bauer were enjoying the day last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nichols near Greenwood, they driving over from Union in their auto, and returning in the evening.

Vance Harris was rebuilding his Universal car this week, has gotten license for 1928, but as the new Ford's will be so long in getting around, he concluded that it would be better to fix the old one up.

Miss Fern Smith who has for the past two months been visiting at

the home of her sister, Mrs. Verner Earls of Culbertson and who has enjoyed the visit there very much arrived home during the latter portion of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Lester of the west arrived in Union last Friday and have been visiting with their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Stine and husband for the week. They expect to return to their home during the latter portion of this week.

Henry Ehemann who was in the west for some time and spent a week in Denver returned some time since and says that while the building interests are very active in the Mountain City, the business in the business houses are very slow.

D. Ray Frans, wife and their little one were visiting the headquarters of Santa Claus on last Saturday, they departing from Union just a short time before noon, and arriving in Plattsmouth in time to eat dinner, and then on to Omaha where they found Santa and his wonderful Christmas goods on display, and they do say they were truly wonderful.

Charles McNamee who is farming and a stock grower in the western portion of the state, was a visitor in South Omaha bringing a couple of cars of cattle to the market, and after having marketed his cattle visited at the home of his mother, Mrs. Nancy McNamee, and also with his brother Amos, for over Sunday and departed for his home in the west on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Black Gaint cockerels, Heavy breed, \$3 each. S. Gruber, Union, Nebr. Box 92. 48-31sw

School Carnival a Success.

The school carnival which was given in conjunction with the pupils and the teachers and held in the Propst building was a pronounced success.

The amusements were such as were clean and wholesome. There were entertainment for all. There was the fish and duck pond, these affording many a laugh. The minstrel show sure brought down the house with peals of laughter, while the beauty pageant was a very attractive booth. Taking the entertainment in all in all it was very worthwhile, and as a money maker sure rang the bell many times.

Barber Shop Getting On.

The work on the new barber shop of Ira Clarke is being pushed forward with much speed, and the lathing is now done, for the plastering the room on and a heater has been installed by Joseph Banning, and all are working in union to complete the shop at the earliest moment.

Clinnie May Underwood.

Clinnie May Underwood was born at Fair Play, Mo., Nov. 6, 1895, and came to Nebraska with family when a child. Was united in marriage to Hossa Jones, Dec. 25, 1925. To this union one child was born, Nov. 9, 1927. Died Dec. 6, 1927, aged 22 years, 1 month. Funeral was held at M. E. church at Wabash, Nebraska, Dec. 8, conducted by W. A. Taylor. Interment was made in Wabash cemetery.

Hunter Pays the Price.

A hunter from Omaha and in fact there were a number of them, and they have been causing much trouble by entering upon the farmers' lands, in this neighborhood, and hunting, frightening animals, and which is objectionable to the farmers, have been refused the privilege of hunting. Sunday a crowd came and entered upon one of the farmer's property and hunted, notwithstanding

ing the farmer told them not to enter the place. However Deputy Game Warden S. E. Ling of Howard, dropped in on the situation and arrested Sam Sutcia, and arraigned him before Justice C. L. Graves who assessed this gentleman fifteen dollars and trimmings, and remanded him to the charge of the officer who arranged for him to go to Omaha and secure the needed money.

Democrats Catch G. O. P. Off Guard

Rush Through Amendment Cutting Rate on Net Corporation Incomes.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Catching republicans off guard, democrats succeeded today in amending the revenue bill materially to reduce the tax rate on net corporation incomes of 15 thousand dollars or less.

The proposal was sponsored by Representative Garner, (Tex.), senior minority member of the ways and means committee, which drafted the measure. It was opposed by Chairman Green, and the vote, 136 to 132, largely was along party lines.

Except for this thrust, the democrats made no concerted effort to penetrate the cordon of republican votes that Mr. Green, after his unexpected defeat, kept on the floor to defend provisions of the measure.

Approves Amendments.

Although the democrats scored one victory, Mr. Green indicated he will seek to nullify it, before a final vote on the measure, by demanding a record vote on the corporation income amendment. A republicans have a comfortable majority in the house it was predicted that it would be eliminated before the bill goes to the senate.

The house approved without debate a section proposing a reduction of the tax on corporation incomes from 13 1/2 to 11 1/2 per cent to apply to payments due next March 15, and an increase from two thousand dollars to ten thousand.

Garner's Proposal.

The Garner amendment, which Representative Chindblom (Ill.), a republican on the committee, estimated would add 24 million dollars to the \$232,735,600 reduction already proposed by the bill, would grant a further benefit to corporations with a net taxable income of not more than 15 thousand dollars or under; 7 per cent on incomes between seven thousand and 12 thousand dollars; and 9 per cent if the incomes are more than 12 thousand dollars and not more than 15 thousand dollars.

Continuance of the present normal and tax rates on individual incomes was approved. The present schedule of personal exemptions also was adopted, but not until after the house had turned down an amendment by Representative Hudspeth (Tex.) to increase from the \$3,500 to five thousand dollars the exemption allowed heads of families and from \$1,500 to two thousand dollars that for single persons.—World-Herald.

MARKETING MEANS SERVICE

Marketing consists of all those services necessary in getting goods from the producer to the consumer, such as assembling, grading, packing, transporting, financing, storing, insuring, risk bearing and retail distribution. Co-operative marketing has received much attention as a means of improving agricultural marketing by reducing the number of people engaged in performing the marketing services. When producers or consumers link themselves together to perform these services themselves, they will find the efficient in performing these services as the best of the middlemen. In other words, co-operative marketing organizations are in competition with men and women who have made it their business to make money by performing some service in connection with getting a raw product to its consumer in the shape in which the consumer wants it. Co-operatives cannot and should not be expected to become monopoly agencies, nor do they get for their members the much-demanded "cost of production plus a reasonable profit." It can get well, co-operatives can cut down the number of steps and the number of hands roods pass through before reaching the consumer.

RECOGNIZE INSURGENTS

Washington, Dec. 12.—Simultaneous with house approval today on republican committee assignments, Representative Tilson, the majority leader, announced that the "so-called insurgents, or those who left the party in 1924, were treated the same as other republicans, "being in all cases ranked above new men assigned to the same committees."

Senate republican committee assignments dealing out important chairmanships to several of the western members were approved by a republican conference.

New committee chairmanship assignments go to Senators Norbeck (S. D.), banking and currency; Nyé (N. D.), public lands; McNary (Ore.), agriculture; Howell (Neb.), claims; Shertridge (Cal.), privileges and elections; and Reed (Penn.), military affairs. Norris (Neb.), remains head of the judiciary committee.

Sec'y of State Teachers' Assn. Gives Report

Delegate Assembly to Organization Met in Lincoln Friday—Has Most Successful Year.

The present year has been the most successful of record, Secretary E. M. Hosman said in his annual report to the delegate assembly of the Nebraska State Teachers' association, which held a one-day session in Lincoln on last Friday.

Not only has the association broken all previous enrollment records, the secretary stated, but there has also been a marked professional development. Evidence of this is seen in the growth of membership to a point where the state now stands in about seventh place in the nation for percentage of teachers enrolled in the state organization. A further evidence is seen in the tremendous increase in attendance of teachers at summer schools, wider interest in the reading of professional magazines and the attendance at meetings for highly specialized groups.

So marked has this become, Mr. Hosman declares, that the time has come when "competition for the opportunity to be in the teaching profession is cutting out those who are unwilling to make the sacrifice of time, money and effort to keep abreast of times in the educational world."

Tables Included

A table accompanying the report shows membership growth since 1915. Another table gives the enrollment by counties for 1927, and also for each district. Several counties show every teacher belonging to the association. According to the table covering the last twelve years, there has been a steady growth in the number of persons in the teaching profession and also continued increase in association enrollment. In 1916 there were 12,643 teachers and a 28 per cent enrollment. In 1927, the number had increased to 14,348, of which 92.9 per cent are in the organization.

The district chart shows 2,936 employed in the schools of the first district. There is a membership in the association, however, of 3,312, for a percentage of 112.8. This is accounted for through the great number of teachers of other districts who attend the convention at Lincoln and register for the meetings here.

As teachers "we ought not to care how the standard is set." Mr. Hosman's report continues. "In fact it is our opportunity to encourage the public to insist on more efficient and truly professional teaching service in schools from the kindergarten to the state university."

As the membership and professional development has progressed in recent years, there also has been a large number of Nebraska teachers enrolling in the national association. From 883 on January 1, 1921, the figures have grown to 2,602 on January 1, 1927. Much of the credit for this is given to Superintendent M. C. Lefler of Lincoln.

Surplus in Treasury

A financial statement accompanying the report showed the business transactions of the year in detail. On January 1, 1927, there was a surplus of \$18,014. Since that time this has been increased by \$2,603.

The affairs of the Nebraska Educational Journal, the association magazine, also are detailed, along with a statement of the publicity sent to the daily and weekly papers of the state.

Committee service has been an important feature of the association work and the financial condition of the association will permit an extension of the service in the future, the report says. A feature of this was the work done by a special body that was named to find ways and means of bringing about a more effective teaching of the federal constitution.

Development of the profession and are now facing poverty and want. The state has made no provision to care for these martyrs to education after they have given their best."

Districts by Counties

The counties in the districts follow:

First—Pawnee, Johnson, Seward, Lancaster, Jefferson, Saline, Gage, Thayer, Fillmore, Nuckolls, Clay and Hamilton.

Second—Burt, Sully, Douglas, Washington, Saunders, Dodge, Butler, Colfax, Polk, Platte, Nance, Cass, Otoe, Nemaha and Richardson.

Third—Cuming, Stanton, Madison, Boone, Thurston, Wayne, Pierce, Antelope, Knox, Cedar, Dixon, Dakota, Brown, Rock, Holt and Keya Paha.

Fourth—Hall, Buffalo, Dawson, Lincoln, Perkins, Keith, Arthur, McPherson, Adams, Logan, Custer, Sherman, Valley, Howard, Greeley, Merrick, Wheeler, Garfield, Loup and Blaine.

Fifth—Phelps, Harlan, Gosper, Furnas, Frontier, Red Willow, Webster, Hayes, Hitchcock, Franklin, Chase, Dundy and Kearney.

Sixth—Deuel, Cheyenne, Kimball, Garden, Morrill, Banner, Scottsbluff, Sioux, Box Butte, Sheridan, Dawes, Cherry, Grant, Hooker and Thomas.

The officers of the association are Robert I. Elliott, Chadron, president; Everett M. Mosman, Lincoln, secretary;

U. L. Webb, David City, treasurer.

They, with the following members make up the personnel of the executive committee: W. E. Sealock, dean of the University of Nebraska teachers' college; J. H. Beveridge, superintendent of schools, Omaha; H. B. Simon, superintendent of schools, Norfolk; C. Ray Gates, superintendent of schools, Grand Island; J. C. Mitchell, superintendent of schools, Holdrege; and G. F. Liebendorfer, superintendent of schools, Sidney. They are elected one from each district in the order named.—Lincoln Star.

Congress Gets Down to Business This Week

Organization Is Nearly Completed; Farm and Flood Relief Will Be Considered Soon.

Washington, Dec. 12.—With its first week behind it, the 70th congress will finish up its organization this week and its committees will begin work on the great raft of legislation senators and representatives have dumped upon them in several thousand bills.

Both houses worked with dispatch during the first six days of the session, the senate temporarily disposing of the Smith and Vore cases and the house passing the first deficiency bill and beginning work on the tax revision measure.

Two inquiries of importance are to get under way during the week before senate committees, one dealing with charges in the Hearst newspapers that a fund of \$1,200,000 was created by Mexico for four United States senators and the other dealing with the Smith and Vore primary and general elections.

Fight on Barry.

On the house side committees will continue flood relief hearings and begin conferences on farm relief legislation, Muscle Shoals and the Boulder Canyon dam proposal. In addition, an elections committee probably will take up the case of James M. Beck of Pennsylvania, whose right to a house seat has been challenged on the ground that he was not a legal resident of the state when elected last November.

Republican leaders hope to reorganize the senate early in the week with the election of a president pro tempore, a secretary and a sergeant-at-arms and the approval of the committee assignments made by the republican and democratic committees on committees. Little difficulty in organization is anticipated by the leaders, but they are prepared to see a fight made against the reelection of David S. Barry of Rhode Island as sergeant-at-arms.

Deficiency Bill.

House committee slates have been completed and the majority leaders in that body hope to obtain formal approval for them early in the week as that all may get to work sorting out the hundreds of bills which have been presented to them, and begin consideration of the more important.

The first deficiency bill, covering most of the items which were in the measure that failed in the filibuster at the end of last session, now is being considered by the senate appropriations committee and Chairman Warren expects to have it ready for action within a few days.

Lindbergh Medal.

One measure ready for a senate vote is that reaffirming the authority of the special campaign funds committee. This resolution was offered Friday by Senator Reed, (D), Missouri, chairman of the committee, but its consideration then was objected to by Senator Reed, (R), Pennsylvania.

Reed of Missouri, will call the measure up Monday and his committee will make no move in the Smith and Vore cases until the senate has adopted the resolution as the committee members hold that they should not start work until all possibility of doubt as to its authority has been removed.

Another resolution awaiting senate action is that adopted by the house Saturday awarding a congressional medal of honor to Col Charles A. Lindbergh for his New York-to-Paris flight. Unanimous approval of this measure is forecast.—Omaha Bee-News.

FLOOD BILLS PRESENTED

Washington, Dec. 9.—Proposals for Mississippi river flood control along quiet different lines from those laid down in the administration plan now before the congress are contained in separate bills introduced today by Senators Robinson of Arkansas, the democratic leader, and Hawes, democrat, Missouri.

Both measures would create a permanent federal policy, Robinson proposing to have the congress say that "the United States hereby recognizes and assumes its obligations to prevent destructive floods in the Mississippi valley," while the Hawes measure would lay down the policy that the federal government assume and maintain exclusive control of flood prevention.

The Hawes plan calls for a total expenditure of one billion dollars, the funds to be raised by bond issue if necessary, with \$100,000,000 to be spent annually. The Robinson plan calls for \$100,000,000 a year until the work is completed.

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NEW KENTUCKY GOVERNOR

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 13.—In drizzling rain today Kentucky inaugurated Flen D. Sampson of Harboursville, a republican, her thirty-ninth governor. In his inaugural address Governor Sampson reviewed his campaign pledges: free text books for the school children of the state; better roads and a non-partisan business administration of the affairs of the commonwealth. With him into office went a democratic lieutenant governor, James Breathitt, Jr., and the full democratic ticket which outpolled the republican nominees in Nov. 8 election.

During his last morning in office, William J. Fields, retiring democratic governor, issued fifteen pardons and three restorations of citizenship. Nearly 10,000 people crowded about the reviewing stand to witness the oath of office, and the happiest member of the throng was Judge Sampsons 93-year-old mother.

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THE PAST YEAR

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Joe Banning

Union, Nebraska