

News for Nebraska and Iowa Farmers

Very Little Corn Burned in Iowa, Professor Says

Reports From County Agents Show Only Moldy Grain, Unfit for Feeding, Used as Fuel.

AMES, Ia., Jan. 28.—Iowa farmers are not burning corn this winter, except to a very small extent. For the greater part, such corn as has been burned has been moldy or inferior corn, not suitable for feeding or marketing, and that has always been done more or less. It is the judgment of men who are in close touch with the situation that neither the supply of corn in Iowa nor the market price has been appreciably affected by the very limited corn-burning in the state.

Nebraska Club Members Win Free Scholarships

Lincoln, Jan. 28.—Twenty-two members of corn, potato and wheat club projects in Nebraska, conducted by boys' and girls' clubs in the state, won 275 scholarships in the College of Agriculture, school of agriculture or the winter short course, offered by the Union Pacific system to winners in various counties, the University of Nebraska announced. The company also will reimburse the following students for the expense of transportation from their homes to Lincoln and return.

Dealers Ordered to Refuse Milk of Untested Herds

Lincoln, Jan. 28.—Nebraska dealers in milk or cream for human consumption are notified by the Department of Agriculture in a letter now being sent out that they are to refuse purchase of a product of herds that have not been promptly retested for tuberculosis, or if the cow owners promptly refused to fill out a certificate covering compliance of the law.

Nebraska Popcorn Acreage Drops Half

Lincoln, Jan. 28.—Nebraska's popcorn acreage fell off nearly half last year, although Valley county, with 690 acres, continued to lead the state in point of numbers, it is shown in acreage statistics prepared by the state department of agriculture. The total number of acres in popcorn last year was 2,459, compared with 4,934 in 1920, the figures show.

Rural Life Issues Leading Topic of Iowa Conference

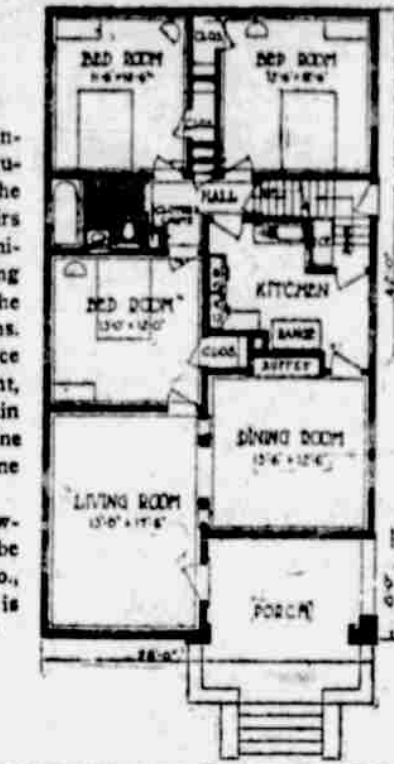
AMES, Ia., Jan. 28.—Questions affecting the present-day status of agricultural and rural life in Iowa will feature the sessions of the second annual community conference of secondary, officers, directors and members of the Iowa commercial organizations to be held in Ames, at the State Agricultural college, on February 23 and 24.

Homes of Comfort



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Here is shown a roomy, substantial home on an economical rectangular foundation. The grouping of the three bed rooms, bath and stairs about the hall makes a very convenient arrangement. A family requiring three bed rooms will appreciate the spacious living and dining rooms. Mother will find every convenience provided in this kitchen, good light, elvoh room, yet everything within easy reach to save steps. A fine home for entertaining and a fine home for every day enjoyment.



20 Years on the Road Plenty, Says Omaha

Charles W. Young

The life of the wanderer is not so bad—for the first 20 years. That's why Charles W. Young has decided to settle down in Omaha and remain for a while. His first 20 years are over.

Inland Poultry Club Carries Off 1921 State Trophy

Lincoln, Jan. 28.—The Inland Poultry club of Inland, state champion in poultry raising, Mrs. J. J. Donahue, leader, won the state trophy for 1921, the prize to remain in the possession of the club until this year's contests are over and the winners announced, according to a statement by the college of agriculture, division of extension. The trophy will remain with the club until surrendered to the next winner, following which the delivering also will receive a ribbon or medal showing that it was the champion that year.

Prize to Remain in Possession of Organization Until Winners for Present Year Are Announced

The following are included among those who won ribbons last year: Bernice Deverneaux, Doniphann; Bruce Bushnell, Hastings; Meryl Vickers, Alvo; Enos Olson, Geneva; Ray F. Linderman, Geneva; Flooch Scarle, Fairmont; Ross Soukup, Mildred Place, Milligan; Leslie Miller, Arline Menke, Exeter; Adrian Jameyson, Wood River; Junie Krause, Aurora; Don Orr, Lincoln; Arthur Gorman, Geneva; Harold Richards, Harold Nelson, Warrick; John McClean, Fremont; Frank Pospishil, Wahoo; Gerald Umml, Mitchell; Armin Bender, Florence Horner, Friend.

Last Year One of Record Changes in Prices, Values

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Pie Banned From Menu of School Lunch Boxes

Columbus, O., Jan. 28.—Pie must go. At least it must not be placed in the school lunch box. This is the edict of nutrition workers at the Ohio State university. "Nutritional investigation" shows that starchy foods, mixed with fats, are among the hardest on the child's digestion," declared Miss Minnie Price, assistant state home demonstration leader.

Callaway Rancher Feeding Over 1,000 Head of Cattle

Callaway, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—Henry Linenbrink, who resides west of here, has purchased over 1,000 head of cattle which he is feeding on his ranch. Most of the stock was shipped in from Omaha.

Plate County Farmers Differ on Farm Agent

Columbus, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—D. O. Lawrence, secretary of the Plate County Farm bureau, filed with the county board of supervisors an estimate of \$3,750 which he requested the board to appropriate out of the general fund for carrying on farm bureau work in Plate county during 1922.

Ohio Claims Record for Improved Road Mileage

Columbus, O., Jan. 28.—State Director of Highways Herrick announces that Ohio has taken for Pennsylvania the nation's record as to mileage of improved roads built during the year. He states that more than 1,000 miles of new highways were constructed by the state highway department in Ohio last year.

Utah Cattle Bought by Stockman From Colorado

Moab, Utah, Jan. 28.—Lee Peterson of Meeker, Colo., has been in Moab negotiating with stockmen for the purchase of steers and cows for feeding delivery. From here he went to Castle valley to try and close a deal for the steers of the Face brothers' ranch.

Dodge Street Has Big Rise in Three Blocks

C. O. George, in discussing the benefits of the St. Marys avenue and Dodge street improvements before the real estate board last week, said there is a difference of 51 feet in the elevation between Sixteenth and Nineteenth on St. Marys and Dodge. "The elevation between Sixteenth and Nineteenth on St. Marys and Howard," he said, "is eight and one-half feet. On Douglas and Dodge, between Sixteenth and Nineteenth, the elevation is 39 feet."

Buck & Co. Sell \$39,450 Property in Three Weeks

D. E. Buck & Co., realtors, report a steadily increasing demand for modern homes. They report they have never had as many buyers for homes at this time of the year as have called on them during the last 30 days. Mr. D. E. Buck believes that more homes will be bought and sold during the spring and summer of 1922 than during any previous year, as buyers have been holding off so long that there is now two buyers for every home offered for sale in the city.

With the County Farm Agents

OTOE COUNTY.
H. H. DeLong, Agent.
Syracuse, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—About 40 farmers and farm women of the district of Otoe, met for their regular Farmers' union meeting. Tom Coppenhaver was president, and Henry Wendling, vice president, and Henry Gremmlin, secretary. Mr. Stewart, extension agent from the college of agriculture, gave a talk on soil erosion problems illustrating work that has been done in various parts of the state by means of throwing pictures on a screen. Several scenes illustrating this project were of local origin, which aroused considerable interest. A number of farmers have signified their intention to cooperate with the county agent in the constructing breast dams as soon as frost leaves the ground. Rural meetings of this kind are held about 95 per cent by bringing the wives.

MADISON COUNTY.
H. A. Stewart, Agent.
Dallie, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—Three hutchering, soap making, and meat cutting demonstrations were given by specialists from the university extension service in Fairview, Emrick and Liberty, Neb. Each place a hog had been slaughtered the day before so that the carcasses were ready to be cooked out. This carcass was cut up completely so that it was ready for making sausage, ham, and lard. After the cutting demonstration, the specialists returned to the farm for the slaughtering and the women took up the soap making, using the boiling cold method. Many people attended.

CASS COUNTY.
L. R. Snipes and Ida Watkins, Agents.
Weeping Water, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—Ray Stone of Weeping Water has a flock of White Rocks which led the state in egg production for the month of October, 1921.

2,000 Acres of Farm Land to Be Reclaimed by Ditch
Red Oak, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—More than 2,000 acres of farm land will be reclaimed by the construction of a drainage ditch along the Seven-Mile and Nodaway creeks in the northern part of the county. It has been authorized by the county board. The cost of the ditch will be approximately \$30,000.

4,000-Acre Rock County Ranch Traded to Iowa Farmer
Newport, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—Art E. Skaw has traded his 4,000-acre cattle ranch near here to S. L. Auxier of Melrose, Ia. It is one of the largest ranches in Rock county and has many acres of fine hay every year.

Plattsmouth Appeals Case of Land Taken From City

Plattsmouth, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—The city council has taken steps to appeal the case of A. J. Tritley against the city of Plattsmouth, in which the plaintiff won the right to have his property at the edge of town set outside the city limits. The case was tried in district court last spring, but decision withheld until a short time ago.

Graham Sells Garage at 1823 Cuming for \$20,000

W. T. Graham has sold his garage building at 1823 Cuming street to Frank and Michael Tuchman for \$20,000. Mr. Tuchman has been a tenant in this building for several years, operating a garage business there.

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Real Estate Transfers

Northwest.
George C. Fack, to A. O. Erman, 8400 North Sixteenth street, \$4,200.
Henry Quade, Jr., to R. P. Brewer, southwest corner Fifty-first and Lake street, \$10,000.
Nathan Sumbarger to A. L. Hobbs, 4225 Parker street, North Side.
E. J. Lynch to G. C. Hoffman, 1813 Shuler street, \$5,500.
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Payne Delivers Heartening Talk to State Realtors

Says No Section Will Be More Prosperous in Next Ten Years Than Corn Belt.

The address delivered by George H. Payne before the Nebraska Realtors' association in Omaha Thursday afternoon has been one of the chief topics of discussion among city and state realtors since the meeting. Mr. Payne's talk expressed confidence in the future, especially of this portion of the country.

Realty Committees Are Named by Sholes

President Sholes Saturday announced the following 1922 standing committees for the real estate board: Legislative—N. F. Dodge, chairman; F. L. Henry, George F. Jones, A. F. Rasp, P. J. Tebbins and J. A. Shopen.

Hamilton County Employs New Agricultural Agent

Aurora, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special)—The Hamilton county farm bureau employed H. H. Camp of Walling hill to fill the vacancy in the office of agricultural agent caused by the resignation of C. T. Quinn. Mr. Quinn was refused reappointment, and his salary was reduced \$500 a year.

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