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PATRIOTIC LEAGUE OF NEBRASKA

TO SUPPORT PRESIDENT WILSON IN ALL WAR MEASURES

Omaha, May —Following up the action taken at the meeting held in Omaha last Thursday, attended by 60 representative citizens from all parts of Nebraska, steps are being taken to complete the organization of the Patriotic League of Nebraska.

To promote the spirit of true patriotism in our state, to support the declared policies of our president in the present war with the imperial government of Germany...

A board of thirty directors was chosen at this meeting, to serve for the first year. They are as follows: First District—F. M. Fling, Lincoln; Paul Jessen, Nebraska City; Chester A. Aldrich, Lincoln; W. C. Wilson, Lincoln.

Second District—Dr. E. C. Henry, Gould Dietz, S. F. Nebel, C. J. Ernst, T. C. Byrne, C. C. George, John T. Yates, R. L. Metcalfe and W. G. Ure, Omaha.

Third District—L. D. Richards, Fremont; H. M. Hopewell, Tekamah; George A. Eberly, Stanton; C. E. Burnham, Norfolk.

found among his enthusiastic supporters at this time; and democrats who have followed him from the beginning, expressed renewed confidence in his wise leadership.

Declaration of Principles. The meeting adopted this declaration of principles, and wired it to the president and to the members of congress.

"We express to President Wilson our profound faith in the mastery statesmanship embodied in his great message to congress, in which he voiced the purposes of this people, and its attitude towards the issues of the world war.

"We believe in the new alignment, that during the war there shall be, neither in congress nor out, any republicans nor any democrats, but only two new parties.—American patriots on the one hand, supporting the government, and on the other hand, all those who from any motive see fit to oppose it."

"We hold that this war should be carried on by the national government, and all functions controlled by federal agencies, to the end that there shall be efficient co-ordination of the resources of the country, and no divided counsels, to distract or weaken."

"We declare in favor of the administration army bill, and we approve the principle of selective draft, based on universal liability to service, not alone because it is urged by the president and his advisers, but also because it is right."

DEER CREEK NUGGETS.

Farmers commenced to plow their corn this week. Paul Kryski hauled his hogs to the Ashton market, Monday. J. J. Dilla of Ashton, has been on the Creek the first of the week.

Henry Peters of Schaupps, visited at the John Weiss home Sunday. Tony Stobbe bought a load of corn from F. J. Maciejewski last Friday. John Demenski, our local agent, has been in this vicinity the past week.

J. W. Peters hauled two loads of high priced porkers to the Ashton market, Tuesday. The Standard Oil man of Ashton, was on the Creek last Tuesday filling tanks for farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lubash and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bydalek, Sunday. The Deer Creek school board has hired a school teacher from Boelus to teach next year.

Martin Bydalek purchased a new John Deere cultivator from Jamrog & Son last Saturday. There will be a meeting in the Deer Creek school in Dist. No. 12, next Monday. Don't fail to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Witczewski and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lubash last Saturday. Miss Bob Maciejewski of Ashton visited with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Dymak, the past week.

Joe Bresnycki, who has been working for Tony Stobbe the past few months, resigned last Saturday. Bydalek Bros., went out fishing near Rockville on the Loup river. They came home biteless. Poor luck boys.

Bone and Isaacson of Rockville have been making a new hydraulic well for Thos Lubash the past week. Pete Jezewski, Alonzo Maschka and Hans Werner, of Ashton, visited with the Maschka Bros., Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Kalkowski and family of near Ashton, visited with the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Stobbe, Sunday. Alex Maciejewski went to Ashton Sunday to play ball with the Ashton team against Farwell, acting as a crack backstopper.

Photos taken—Any one wishing any photos taken inquire of this writer. Paul L. Maciejewski Ashton, R1. Post cards, 75 cents per dozen. Joe Lubash and Paul Kryski autographed to Boelus last Thursday afternoon to take in the sights and visit the electric plant. They also went fishing and caught about twenty fine catfish.

Steve Slobuczynski, while autographing to Loup City two weeks ago had the misfortune to make a turn turtle between Austin and Loup City. No one was hurt and little damage done to the car.

LIVE STOCK PRICES AT SOUTH OMAHA

Fat Cattle in Active Demand; Steady to 10 Higher

HOGS MOSTLY 5-10c LOWER

Supplies of Sheep and Lambs Fairly Liberal for This Time of the Year—Demand Not at All Urgent and Trend of Values Lower for Practically Everything in This Line.

Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, June 5, 1917.—Cattle receipts were very moderate for the opening of the week, only about 5,000 head, and both packers and shippers had good orders to fill.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beefs, \$12.50@13.35; fair to good beefs, \$11.75@12.25; common to fair beefs, \$10.25@11.50; good to choice yearlings, \$11.85@12.85; fair to good yearlings, \$11.00@11.75; common to fair yearlings, \$10.00@10.75; good to choice heifers, \$10.25@11.25; good to choice cows, \$9.75@10.75; fair to good cows, \$8.75@10.00; canners and cutters, \$6.50@8.50; veal calves, \$10.00@14.25; beef bulls, \$8.00@10.75; prime feeding steers, \$10.00@11.00; good to choice feeders, \$9.25@10.00; fair to good feeders, \$8.50@9.25; good to choice stockers, \$9.50@10.50; fair to good stockers, \$8.75@9.50; common to fair grades, \$7.00@8.50; stock heifers, \$8.25@10.50; stock cows, \$7.00@10.00; stock calves, \$8.50@11.00.

Hog Values Show Decline. A rather liberal run of hogs showed up for a Monday, about 7,000 head, and prices ranged from nearly steady to 5¢@10c lower than Saturday. Early trade was active, but the market closed very weak with a few unsold. Tons brought \$15.60 and the bulk of the trading was around \$15.20@15.50, or about 15¢@20c lower than a week ago.

Very Uneven Market in Sheep. Receipts of sheep and lambs were around 5,500 head and considering the fact that they had very wet fleeces they sold at very close to steady figures. Demand was not very urgent, however, and the trend of values lower for nearly everything in this line.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, shorn, \$14.25@15.00; spring lambs, \$16.00@18.00; spring lambs, culs, \$10.00@15.00; lambs, feeders, \$12.00@14.75; yearlings, shorn, \$12.00@13.75; wethers, shorn, \$11.50@12.25; ewes, shorn, \$10.50@11.75; ewes, culs, \$8.00@10.00.

Essentials to Achievement. There are five essentials to achievement in every line: Vision, initiative, sound judgment, confidence, and courage. And each of these qualities is inspired and fostered by knowledge.—The Business Philosopher.

PARK OPENING TODAY Washington, May 30.—Recent legislation which authorizes enlistments in the U. S. marine corps for the period of the war only, coupled with the fact that the marines will form a part of the first and succeeding overseas contingents, has done more in the recent stimulation of recruiting for these "Soldiers of the Sea" than any other factor, say marine corps officials here.

High prices that are certain to continue cannot fail to make poultry production profitable, says the head of the poultry department at the University Farm, who is urging as a war measure that poultry production be increased. "Last year, poultry and eggs were so high that many cold storage plants chose to wait for a slump, but the slump did not come," says he. "The result was a shortage of nearly 25 per cent of storage eggs held for the 1916-17 season. This year looks still more promising. Both patriotism and profit should stimulate production. True, grain is high priced. But eggs have increased in price accordingly, and there is every prospect that it will continue to be highly profitable to produce them."

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk of Loup City, Nebraska, on or before noon of the 26th day of June, 1917, for work on an 8 inch casing well 250 feet deep and all work required to install a pump complete. All material to be furnished by the City of Loup City, Nebraska. Specifications now on file at the office of the City Clerk.

THINK.

There's plenty of room in the head of each human To suit a good, workable outfit of brains, But yet the world suffers from thousands of duffers Who don't know enough to come in when it rains.

So, when they talk plainly or grumble profanely And say that Success is a treacherous minx, Just step up behind them and gently remind them There's room at the top for the fellow who thinks.

There is an insistent and growing demand all over the country for government regulation of the price of all foodstuffs. That demand calls for a law that will in every way protect the farmer or producer, and a maximum price at which products may be retailed.

A few United States senators and congressmen announce their intention to enlist in the navy or the marine corps. This is interesting and commendable. It would, however, be more interesting and more commendable if they were to enlist in the army and go to the trenches, where shells will be thicker and death more frequent.

WATCH THE LICE On chicks. These parasites sap the very life blood of our them. Dust the hen at night with B. A. Thomas' Louse Killer and your troubles are ended. It also kills bugs on cucumber, tomato, and squash vines. We sell it to you and if it does not make good, we will.—J. J. Slominski, Loup City, Neb.

We can see right now that if this restrictive diet business goes much farther there will be a number of failures among the manufacturers of anti-fat.

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