

BOARD ADOPTS TAYLOR'S PLAN

Budget Type Proposed by Heads of Normal Schools Turned Down

LINCOLN—(UP)—A form of budget suggested by state superintendents Charles Taylor was adopted by the State Normal board late Monday instead of the type of budget requested by the four presidents of the state normal schools.

Taylor's budget provides for detailed expenditures listed under six heads: Administration and general control, instructional, service plant operation and maintenance, library, auxiliary agencies and capital outlay.

The form proposed by the presidents of the school listed the expenditures under: Salaries and wages, supplies, expense, materials and repairs, equipment, lands and buildings.

Expenditures of the four colleges now total \$1,569,890 for two years, not including cash funds and revolving funds. The presidents contended that the Taylor budget would necessitate two sets of books and additional accountants as they must file budget reports with the state budget commissioner.

DECISION SOON IN UPDIKE TAX CASE

OMAHA—(UP)—The Updike Grain company income tax case, which has been in federal court since 1917 will be finally disposed of by United States supreme court, District Attorney Kinsler is informed.

The government is suing Nels B. Updike, millionaire grain man, and his associates for \$373,000 claimed to be due in income taxes for 1917.

Federal District Judge T. C. Munger of Lincoln, who first heard the case in 1927 decided that statutes of limitation had expired and dismissed the government's claim. The circuit court recently upheld Judge Munger.

The department of justice at Washington was not satisfied, however, and asked the highest court to review the case. The request was granted Monday. The solicitor general will personally appear for the government, Kinsler said.

SHERIFF ASKS TO HAVE DAMAGE SUIT DISMISSED

LINCOLN—(UP)—The motion of Carl Ryder, sheriff of Otoe county, to have dismissed the \$50,000 damage suit brought against him by Dwight Bassinger, of Minersville, has been taken under advisement by Federal Judge T. C. Munger.

Attorneys for Ryder argued to dismiss the action on the ground that a similar case is pending in the Otoe county district court.

Bassinger brought suit against Sheriff Ryder and his deputy, Howard McCallum, after he was shot in the head while riding in an automobile last February 23. The plaintiff claims he was ordered to stop and before he could do so, five shots were fired at him.

The officers claimed they thought the car had been stolen.

ARMY FINANCE OFFICER HEART TROUBLE VICTIM

OMAHA—(UP)—Maj. H. G. Salmon, 54 years old, chief finance officer of the Seventh corps area, died Monday of heart trouble. He entered the army in 1901. During the World war he held temporary ranks of captain and major in the adjutant general's department.

THEF'S LOOT INCLUDED MALE CANARY BIRD

LINCOLN—(UP)—A male canary bird was one of the things a thief took from the home of F. S. Westroy Monday night, along with \$170, a \$45 traveling bag, two watches and a \$25 shaving kit. There were three canaries in the home but the thief took only one.

FARMERS WANT COLDER WEATHER FOR CORN

BLOOMFIELD—(Special)—Corn picking has commenced but most farmers are waiting for freezing weather as most of the corn is hardly dry enough to be cribbed. Growers of popcorn are busy in their fields, most of them using picking machines.

SAFETY COUNCIL FOR NEBRASKA ORGANIZED

LINCOLN—(UP)—Seeking to promote safety in the state, the "Nebraska Safety Council" is to be affiliated with the National Safety Council, was organized here Monday by a group of men and women representing various organizations in the state.

Sam K. Smith, of Omaha, presided as chairman of the organization meeting. Gov. Arthur Weaver spoke at the meeting, declaring too much emphasis can not be placed on the importance of human life.

During the 22 week period ending October 8, there were 387 deaths in the state due to various accidents, 2,833 were injured, 226 totally disabled, bringing the total casualty list to 3,451, according to figures compiled by the Nebraska Press association, which has been gathering the figures to show the importance of a safety council.

WAUSA'S NEW POWER PLANT NEARS COMPLETION

WAUSA—The new power plant here is nearing completion. Due to the vote of the people, the Western Public Utilities company, Central City, Neb., has secured a franchise previously held by the Northwestern Public Service company.

This is an automatic plant, capable of running 30 days without man's aid. The building is of brick and has two stories. Power will be supplied by two 750 Kw. DeVernoy engines. The plant is expected to be in operation by December 1.

FARM LANDS SOLD AT HANDSOME PRICES

FALLS CITY—(UP)—The greatest activity in the sale of Richardson county land since the slump following the World war was climaxed with four farms, involving \$68,000 in cash, changing hands in a single day.

The top price in the four cash deals was brought by an 80-acre farm of Owen Evans, southwest of Verdon, which brought \$225 per acre or a total of \$18,000. Evans then acquired the quarter section of Graham Jones, southwest of Verdon, for \$32,000. A 120-acre farm of Edwin Friedly, south of Verdon, was sold to Graham Jones for \$24,000 or \$200 per acre. The 80-acre tract of H. L. Lawrence, northeast of Falls City, was purchased by August Meinzer, for \$14,000.

HOW TO HANDLE PUBLIC FUNDS

Attorney General Sorenson Gives Advice to County Treasurers

LINCOLN, NEB.—(UP)—How county treasurers should deposit money in banks was interpreted Tuesday by Attorney General C. A. Sorenson as the result of the supreme court's decision in the case of the treasurer of Buffalo county, J. J. Shambaugh, against the City Bank of Elm Creek.

The court held liable the depository bank for a \$5,000 check which the county treasurer had deposited with the bank. The check had been sent out by the bank in the usual way for collection, but when it had completed its travel, the bank of Kearney, on which it had been drawn had failed.

To facilitate the handling of collecting by both county treasurers and depository banks, Sorenson suggests that separate slips be used as to such items, evidencing simply the bank's receipt of such items, the bank to deposit the items to the county's credit when collected. He says the treasurer's deposit book should show only items actually credited to his account as a "depositor." The details of crediting and collecting it when paid on the treasurer's deposit books are left to be worked out by the treasurers and the depository banks.

COAL HAULER TO BE PAID COMPENSATION

LINCOLN—The supreme court has affirmed the action of the district court of Dixon county in awarding to Len Devore payments for the rest of his life from the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator company. Devore was a teamster employed, at a specified sum per load, to haul coal from the cars for the elevator company, and lost the sight of the one good eye by the fact of its being injured by coal dust.

The defense was that the man was not an employe of the company in the sense of the workmen's compensation law, and that his legal status was that of an independent contractor for hire, since payment was by the wagonload and not by the hour or other stated period.

The court refuses to sustain this view of the case, holding that he was a regular employe and as such entitled to the protection of the law compensating workers for injuries received during the course of their employment or growing out of their contract of employment.

TO BUY CARLOAD OF PIANOS FOR NORMALS

LINCOLN—(UP)—One carload of pianos to be used in the four normal schools of the state, will be bought by State Superintendent Charles W. Taylor under power delegated to him by the state normal board Monday.

The Kearney Normal school will receive eight of the pianos while the four other normals will be distributed among the other three institutions.

WIDOW GETS COMPENSATION FROM CITY OF NORTH BEND

LINCOLN—(UP)—The supreme court today affirmed the action of the district court of Dodge county in awarding Mrs. Martha N. Lehmer compensation of \$15 a week for 350 weeks from the city of North Bend for the death of her husband, who held several positions under the city government, including city marshal and water commissioner.

Lehmer died of carbon monoxide poisoning, being found dead in his garage. Several tools lay at hand showing he had been overcome while doing some repair work. The city said he was not working for it the time and that death did not arise out of his employment. It had not asked him to use his car in city work, and no contract for its use had been made.

The court said the evidence showed that he had been using the car for the benefit of the city, and that he had gone to the garage to get the car to perform a city errand.

ARMY DESERTER GIVES UP TO AUTHORITIES

YORK—(UP)—Voluntarily surrendering and claiming he is an army deserter, George C. Brown is being held here today pending word from Fort Riley, Kan., officials.

Brown appeared at the office of Deputy Sheriff Valerline and claimed he had left Fort Riley, June 15, 1929 without leave. He is being held in county jail until army officers decide on what course of action to follow.

BROKEN RAIL CAUSE OF NEAR BAD WRECK

WISNER—Chicago and North Western passenger train No. 4 narrowly escaped a serious wreck when a broken rail caused the rear coach to leave the track about one and a half miles west of Beemer.

The coach remained upright, the wheels plowing the ground on the north side of the track for a distance of 200 yards when a drawbar broke, releasing the coach from the rest of the train about 20 yards from a bridge. No one was injured.

HAS WILD GOOSE MORE THAN 25 YEARS OLD

TEKAMAH—(Special)—A wild goose more than 25 years old, which was shot in the wing 25 years ago by William Titse, recently appeared at the Jay Lydick home, after being absent several months. Titse kept the goose for eight years using it as a decoy to entice flocks from the air. Later he gave it to Lydick to keep on the farm, where the goose and several dogs had a fight and the goose lost most of its feathers.

His absence this year was the first since his capture. He weighed 14 1/2 pounds when first shot so was not a young goose.

Authorities on birds claim that some geese live to be 100 years old in their feathers.

CONTEST TO BE AT WEST POINT

Nebraska Corn Huskers to Test Their Speed Here November 12

WEST POINT, NEB.—(UP)—Rattling corn stalks and the crack of ears of corn against the "bang-bang board" here November 12, will herald the 1929 Nebraska state corn husking contest, which is expected to be the largest such contest in the United States this year.

Indications are that approximately 30 contestants will take to the field when the contest opens on the Ben Stalp farm, five miles north of West Point. All contestants, with the exception of last year's state champion and runner-up, who are allowed to enter without county competition. Twenty seven county contests have already been scheduled. Joe Sudik of Colona was last year's Nebraska champion and Otto Sorenson of Blair was runner-up.

The contest this year is being sponsored by the Cumming County Agricultural society, the West Point Community club and the Nebraska Farmer, the latter of which is offering \$200 in prizes and a free trip to the national contest.

Rules governing the contest will be similar to those used in the five previous contests in Nebraska. The winner will be selected on a basis of the actual amount husked, with deductions made for corn left in the field and husks left on ears.

The winner will compete with representatives of other corn belt states at Platte City, Mo., November 12 for a \$100 prize and the national corn husking crown.

FARMERS AGREE ON SIX CENTS FOR CORN PICKING

WALTHILL—(Special)—At a recent meeting of the Farm Bureau board it was agreed that 6 cents would be a fair price for corn picking this year.

This price, the board agreed was fair to both the picker and the farmer. Corn is unusually good in Thurston county this year and 6 cents here, the farmers agree, will be better than 7 or 8 cents where the crop is not so good.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY RALLY WELL ATTENDED

WEST POINT—(UP)—Renewing their pledge to the principles of the society, 2,500 members of the Holy Name society rallied here Sunday. Approximately 3,500 other persons attended the ceremonies.

The services were held at the grounds of the Guardian Angel school following a parade through the streets. Mgr. F. Peitz welcomed the members and Bishop J. P. Rummel, of Omaha, in an address, declared there is a need of upholding Christian principles and institutions as an essential for the well being of individual and of human society.

Other speakers were John J. Gross, of West Point, and Very Rev. J. J. O'Sullivan, of Fremont.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS TO HOLD COUNTY CONVENTION

MEADOW GROVE—The Madison county Sunday school convention will be held in the First Methodist church, Meadow Grove, Tuesday. Officers are: Rev. Walter H. Jackson, Newman Grove, president; Rev. D. McPherson, Norfolk, vice president; Miss Evelyn Anstine, Meadow Grove, secretary, and M. D. Taylor, Madison, treasurer.

The morning session will include an address by John White; an address by Rev. C. G. Goman; and one by C. A. Loderer, of Norfolk.

A discussion will be conducted by Rev. L. W. Gramly, of Norfolk, followed by a dinner.

OPTOMETRISTS OF FIVE STATES FORM ASSOCIATION

OMAHA—(UP)—Delegates from Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri and South Dakota met here Sunday and formed the Midwest States Optometrists' association. The organization starts with a membership of 2,200, comprising rosters of five state associations.

Dr. Herbert N. Smith, of Sioux Falls, S. D., was elected president; Dr. George L. Goodale, of Lenox, Ia., secretary-treasurer, and Drs. Lee Miller, of Lincoln, Neb., and George J. Eskine, of Kansas City, as presidents.

Omaha will be headquarters for the new association.

NORFOLK PIONEER BUSINESS MAN PASSES TO REWARD

NORFOLK—(Special)—G. B. Salter, pioneer Norfolk bird lover and naturalist, one of the oldest men in north Nebraska, died at his home here at 11 o'clock Saturday night from illness due to old age. He was 90 years old and was the official father of the Norfolk radio station WJAG official family. For many years he was in the grain and coal business here and took an active part in the city government. He was the father of Dr. H. H. Salter, No. 1046 Eighth St., Dr. R. H. Salter, No. 1046 Eighth St., and Dr. P. H. Salter, No. 1046 Eighth St., of Pierce, Neb.

PARDONS BOARD HAS THE POWER

Release of Criminal Inmates Industrial Schools Explained

LINCOLN, NEB.—(UP)—Only the board of pardons can grant paroles or pardons to inmates of the boys industrial school at Kearney and the girls industrial school at Geneva when those inmates have pleaded guilty or been convicted of a crime, Attorney General C. A. Sorenson ruled in an opinion given W. T. Harmon, chief state probation officer.

There are two classes of inmates in these two institutions, Sorenson declared, those who have pleaded guilty or been convicted of some crime, and second, children found to be delinquent, dependent or neglected, but not charged with nor convicted of any particular crime.

Those guilty of criminal acts cannot be released on parole except by order of the board of pardons, but in regard to the second class, the board has no jurisdiction, Sorenson said.

For this second class, the superintendent of the boys school at Kearney is permitted by law, with the consent of the board of control, to adopt by-laws for the promotion, paroling and final discharge of those inmates.

RECEIVE WALT MASON POEM ON ANNIVERSARY

FREMONT—Among the gifts received by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond on their golden wedding anniversary was a poem on the event by Walt Mason, the famous humorist, who was once a member of the editorial staff of the Fremont Tribune, the paper established by Mr. Hammond with his brother Ross.

The poem, "Golden Wedding" written in longhand, reads:

"Twas fifty years ago, dear friends,
Your wedding day was dated;
But honeymooning never ends
When loving souls are mated.

The bride is still as much a bride
As on that day of rapture;
The groom still thrills with honest
Love on every venture.

At making such a capture,
The years may come and do their worst;
But vain is their endeavor;
You, smiling, face the final verities,
When love lives on forever.

SISTERS STRICKEN AT SAME TIME WITH APPENDICITIS

GRAND ISLAND—Doris and Helen McCone, sisters, 5 and 12 years old respectively, have furnished this town with the rarest coincidence in some time.

Each was stricken at the same time Sunday night by abdominal pains. Investigation revealed both suffering from acute appendicitis. Successful operations were performed on both.

GIRL IS FINED ON BOOTLEGGING CHARGE

WAYNE—(Special)—Blanch Jorgensen, "mysterious lady bootlegger" and her father, who live four miles northeast of Coleridge, were arrested by Sheriff Stephens while making a delivery of moonshine to a farmer near Winside. Judge Cherry fined each \$400 and gave them 60 days in jail, confiscating the car in which they were making the delivery. They are out on bond of \$600 each, pending an appeal to the district court, for which their hearing is scheduled for November 11.

The arrest was made after Sheriff Stephens had received a telephone call in the evening at home from a voice which simply said, "You should be four miles east of Winside now." The sheriff drove to the point indicated and found the girl sitting at the steering wheel.

She attempted to escape, but was halted by the sheriff. Nine gallons of moonshine were in the car and in the girl's purse \$100 in cash and two checks. Warrants were issued for the two men whose names were signed to the checks and they yielded up the moonshine bought as evidence.

GIVEN JAIL TERM FOR SHOOTING NEIGHBOR

COLUMBUS—(Special)—Joseph Flanders, farmer, was given three months in jail and must pay court costs of \$422.10, following conviction of having shot and wounded James Sanford, a neighbor, during an argument on the highway near their homes.

Flanders was released under \$1,000 pending the hearing October 21 on habeas corpus proceedings instituted by Flanders' attorney. It is charged that the sentence under which he was sentenced was void since the complaint on which he was tried was shooting with intent to kill and wound and did not specify a charge of assault and battery.

WINSIDE—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. John Roll celebrated their golden wedding Wednesday at the home of Mr. Roll's niece, Mrs. Frank Danberg. Dinner and supper were served to 60 friends and relatives.

ENGINE MECHANICS ARE BURNED BY FLAMING GAS

ALLEN—(Special)—Two men employed by the Condon, Cole and Condon Construction company were severely burned Thursday evening while they were at work on one of the engines used by the outfit. They started their usual night's work of inspection and overhauling on the machinery and were washing the parts in one of the tractors' oil tanks when the engine started to burn. The flames of the engine were blown back enough to burn the men with flames.

WOMAN DENIED SLICE OF GORDON ESTATE

LINCOLN—(Special)—The supreme court has denied the right of Alice A. Mussack to collect \$7,500 from the estate of Pearl B. Gordon. Mrs. Mussack, nee Alice Gray, alleges that Gordon promised to remember her substantially in his will if she would spend her time in his home, with himself and his step-mother-in-law, until the death of the latter or until she, Miss Gray, was married. She claimed that because of maltreatment she was unable to live with the mother-in-law after Gordon's death and asked the court to grant her a sum equal to that which she might have earned teaching school, had she not spent her time in the Gordon home. The supreme court held that she did not live up to her part of the agreement when she left the home and therefore was not entitled to recover. The case was an appeal from a decision in the district court of Burt county.

PLAN TO SHIP MANY TURKEYS

North Platte Valley Farmers to Send Them to Market Dressed

GERING, NEB.—(Special)—Members of the North Platte Valley Co-operative Marketing association are preparing to ship several carloads of dressed turkeys from the valley in time for Thanksgiving. Bids on the birds will be advertised for soon. It is probably that more turkeys will be shipped this year than last. Previous experiences have shown that dressing turkeys and selling them co-operatively is profitable.

Turkey growers are said to realize from 50 cents to \$1 per turkey for the labor of dressing. This represents from 15 to 20 per cent of the value of the turkey and is fully three fifths as much as the entire cost of raising and fattening the birds here. In 1927 growers sold nearly 25,000 birds, about \$18,000 being netted for the work of dressing.

WAKEFIELD BANK RECEIVER WINS COURT DECISION

FENDER—(Special)—The case of Security State bank of Wakefield vs. Soren Anderson and others was decided here by Judge Ryan, partly in favor of the receiver and partly in favor of Anderson. He held that the dwelling house and lot occupied by Anderson and one other lot, constituted the homestead of Anderson and his wife and was not subject to the claims of the bank.

The balance of the block occupied by Anderson, consisting of 10 lots, the court decided, was subject to the judgment which the bank holds against Anderson.

COMMENDS NEWSPAPERS FOR PUBLIC SERVICES

NORFOLK—(UP)—Characterizing the dissemination of news and public enlightenment as an assumed public trust, Frank L. Martin of the University of Missouri addressed the Nebraska Federation of Women's clubs here Tuesday night, commending and defending the work of the newspaper of today.

Without a basis of facts and truth as they are presented in the news of the day, there can be no sound public opinion, Martin declared, and without public opinion democratic government cannot function, for only an informed public can govern itself intelligently. That the newspapers are meeting their obligations in this respect was declared evident by Martin, in the fact that this nation's democratic government is functioning well.

Charges that the paper of today is inaccurate were minimized by the speaker. "Not infrequently the charge is made that the public, through the newspaper, is given distorted facts as a basis for formulating its opinions. There are, of course, inaccuracies," he said, "and will always be as long as the human element plays a part in news." Martin declared, however, that the cases are few where it can be said that facts are willfully distorted.

ONCE GIVEN LIFE TERM, NOW GETS BUT FOUR YEARS

FAIRBURY—(UP)—Entering a plea of guilty to a charge of manslaughter, John O'Neill of Council Bluffs, Ia., was sentenced Tuesday to serve four years in the state penitentiary for the slaying of an unidentified man in a "jungle" near here July 2, 1928. Sentence was pronounced by Judge Messmore.

O'Neill was originally convicted of murder by a jury and was sentenced to serve a life term. The case was appealed to the supreme court and the decision was reversed and the case remanded to the lower court for trial on a technicality, involving refusal of the district court to give certain instruction to the jury.

DRIVER OF TRUCK BURNED TO DEATH AFTER COLLISION SCOTTSBLUFF

SCOTTSBLUFF—(UP)—Maurice Comb, 27 years old, was burned to death in an accident near here Tuesday when the truck he was driving was struck by an automobile.

BUS LINE TO PARALLEL UNION PACIFIC ROAD

OMAHA—Practically paralleling its own railroad lines, the Union Pacific system announces that a transcontinental motor bus system will be established October 27. The announcement was made by Russell J. Walsh, head of the Inter State Transit lines which the Union Pacific bought for more than \$1,000,000 a few months ago. Walsh was retained by the railroad system to buy up additional lines as well as to improve present holdings.

P. T. A. ANNUAL MEETING OPENS

More Than 300 Delegates Attend Three-Day Meet at Hastings, Neb.

HASTINGS, NEB.—(UP)—More than 300 delegates to the annual state convention of the Nebraska Parent-Teacher association registered here for the sessions Wednesday as convention business opened.

Welcome and greetings were extended the group which will spend three days discussing problems in relation to education and the home, by Mrs. J. M. Davis, F. M. McClelland, president of the Hastings chamber of commerce, F. E. Weyer, dean of Hastings college, and A. H. Staley, superintendent of Hastings schools.

The convention was called to order by Mrs. W. W. Day, state president of the association, and the session was addressed by Miss Ruth E. Pyrtle, president of the National Education association.

Governor Arthur Weaver, M. C. Lefler, superintendent of Lincoln schools, and Prof. F. M. Gregg, of Nebraska Wesleyan, spoke at the annual banquet Wednesday night.

Officers will be selected and the next convention city named at the closing session Friday.

HEART TROUBLE FATAL TO VET RAILROADER

LINCOLN—(UP)—Heart disease is believed to have caused the death of Jacob David, 68 years old, veteran Burlington freight house employe, whose body was found in a railway signal tower here shortly before he was to have gone to work this morning. It is believed he went into the tower to get warm, after having walked several blocks from his home.

CHARGES ARE FILED AGAINST NURSERIES

LINCOLN—(UP)—C. M. Hurlburt, of the Fairbury nurseries, and Charles Sondergreger, of the Sondergreger nurseries, are charged with shipping plants capable of bearing disease into quarantine areas without government permits, in two informations filed by United States Attorney Aitken. The defendants are under \$500 bond pending hearings on the charges.

The plants in question were varieties of currant and gooseberry bushes, said to be carriers of white pine blister rust. Hurlburt and Sondergreger are charged with shipping such plants to points in New York and Michigan. The plants were in all cases removed from the terminal postoffice in Omaha by federal agents when it was discovered they did not bear proper permits.

SAYS IOWA AND NEBRASKA TO BE GREAT OIL FIELDS

OMAHA—(UP)—Why spend millions of dollars building pipe lines from the Texas and Oklahoma fields to supply Iowa and Nebraska with natural gas when probably the most extensive field in the United States lies within 40 miles of Omaha, queries S. C. Park, head of the Park Oil and Gas company. Park's company will start drilling near Thurman, Ia., next week, confident of striking an unlimited supply of gas within 2,500 feet.

"And where there's gas there's oil," Park, who has been in the oil game in Texas since 1922, declared. At present he is manager of the Central Oil and Gas company of Guthrie Center, Ia.

Drilling operations also will be begun at Essex, Ia., a short distance east of Thurman, Park said. His company has leases on 22,000 acres at Thurman and 10,000 at Essex. It was incorporated last week with a capitalization of \$100,000, of which \$50,000 is to be spent at Thurman.

"Eyes of all big southwestern operators have been on Iowa and Nebraska for five years," Park said. "These two states are now ripe for development. We have had our geologist, W. G. Osborn, working in Iowa for the last six years. He has investigated every prospect in the state and is convinced that the Thurman structure is the best in the country for gas.

"The Thurman structure crosses the Missouri river into Nebraska just north of Nebraska City and I am sure drillers will find it profitable to sink wells there too. The Thurman structure is dome-like in character.

"Drillers at Clarinda, near Thurman, working on the 'doodle bug' theory have struck signs of both oil and gas at 2,700 feet. Had they moved their location three-quarters of a mile as recommended by Geologist Osborn, I'm convinced they would have brought in a gusher at a much less distance."

Drilling machinery capable of penetrating 6,000 feet is being installed at Thurman, Park said. If no results are shown at 3,500 feet, however, another location for drilling will be picked, he indicated.

FARMER KILLED WHEN DIRT WALL CAVES IN

SALEM—(UP)—Crushed beneath the debris of the falling wall of a pit he was digging near here, Virgil Allen, farmer, was killed almost instantly Wednesday afternoon. Fellow workmen attempted to rescue him but were unable to reach him until he had died. The pit on which he was working was being dug for an oil rig.

CALLS MEETING OF NEW LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION

OMAHA—(UP)—Harry Hopley, Atlantic, Ia., chairman of the Interstate Livestock Feeders and Growers association, organized here last month has called a meeting for November 6 for the purpose of effecting permanent organization. The meeting will be held in connection with Ak-Sar-Ben livestock and horse show. Purpose of the organization is to provide funds for an aggressive, nationwide campaign to increase consumption of meat.

