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How much better it is to take the brambles out of the path of your friend than to add thorns to wound his feet.

A good housewife never opens the canned vegetables with her husband's razor, nor will a loving husband carry the horse with the nutmeg grater.

Suppose that some acquaintance of yours, or some one in the city or country who does not believe on certain subjects just as you do, or who does not belong to your church or society; suppose you should go into some grocery or dry goods store and tell Mr. Merchant not to sell him any goods even if he had the cash and was willing to pay the usual price for it. What would the merchant be most likely to tell you? It's just the same thing when you try to call the editor of a newspaper down for running some legitimate advertising for some society or firm that you do not believe in. The advertising space in a newspaper is the editor's stock in trade and he must sell it or go the route of the merchant who does not sell any goods. Please remember this the next time you see some item in the paper from some firm or organization that differs with you in opinion.

Many Farmers To Attend Annual Meeting

The program of the Nebraska Farmers' Congress, which will be held in Omaha, December 9 to 11, is arousing much interest because of the wide diversity of subjects which will be discussed. President George Coupland scored a ten-strike when he secured Professor George Laumann of Cornell University and H. Gordon Jones of Denver to present the farmers' and bankers' viewpoint of rural credits. A wide difference of opinion has al-

ways existed between the two interests. This will be the first time the farmers of Nebraska will have an opportunity to hear both sides discussed by men of national reputation, who have thoroughly studied the question. Inasmuch as both have personally investigated the European methods, much of interest will be offered for the later discussion. More than 2,000 delegates, representing every agricultural organization, have been appointed from Nebraska. Inasmuch as "University Consolidation" and "Taxation" are to be considered, a record attendance is anticipated. The subjects included in the program are of vital moment to every citizen of the state.

Value of Nebraska's 1913 Output Is Half Million Greater than in 1912

Despite drought conditions which materially affected the corn yield in Nebraska this summer the state's combined output of corn, wheat, oats, hay and barley, exceeds that of last year by more than one-half million dollars. Such a record cannot be surpassed. Nebraska is one of the few states that has succeeded in showing an increase in production this year. As a consequence, business has been active all through the state, and in Omaha, the activity is more than that of last year by twenty per cent. As a rule, prices have been materially higher, the producers receiving from ten to twenty per cent more for their stuff than last year. To overcome a loss in its corn crop, such as Nebraska did, is a tribute to the state, which easily entitles her to her reputation as the best state in the Union.

Local Unions Form County Organization

Wednesday a goodly number of delegates arrived in Red Cloud Wednesday to perfect a county organization of the Farmers Educational and Cooperative Union of America. The morning session was cancelled and promptly at one o'clock County Organizer John K. Weinmeister of Superior, presiding. The following officers were elected: president, George Rickard of Guide Rock; Vice Pres., Frank Amack of Red Cloud; Secretary-Treasurer, Fred Copley of Inavale; Conductor, Homer Crowell of Garfield; Doorkeeper, Lloyd Amack of Red Cloud. The executive committee elected was A. L. Grossman of Inavale, H. Summer-

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VOTE FOR A NEBRASKA PLAN

The committee of Nebraska editors, appointed for the purpose at the last State Convention, held in Omaha during the summer of 1913, is very desirous of learning the sentiment of the newspaper readers of this state upon the general subject of taxation, in order to frame an intelligent report to be submitted to the next State Convention, and to influence some legislation upon the question. YOUR OPINION IS IMPORTANT. Kindly fill out the following ballot and forward same to L. J. QUINBY, CHAIRMAN, OMAHA, NEB.:

- Do you favor the adoption of the amendment submitted by the last legislature giving to the legislature larger powers in the matter of tax legislation?
- Do you believe in the taxation of farm implements and machinery, farm improvements, crops, stock or other products of the farm?
- The present constitution gives to the legislature power to exempt trees from taxation. Do you think it would be a good thing for the legislature to pass an act exempting from taxation all trees?
- Do you believe in the taxation of merchants' or manufacturers' goods or tools of production?
- Do you believe in the taxation of personal property, either in the form of household goods or of moneys?
- Do you believe in the exemption of improvements from taxation whether such improvements are in the form of business blocks, factory buildings or homes?
- Do you believe in inheritance or state income taxes?
- What would you think of the taxation of franchises according to their bank market value?
- Do you favor the practice of levying upon only one-fifth of the assessed value of properties?
- If you are in favor of exemption of any or all of the above enumerated properties from taxation, from what source would you recommend that revenue for the maintenance of public institutions should come?
- Would you favor local control of taxation?

holder of Cowles and C. Alles of Red Cloud. Mr. Miner of Guide Rock was elected county business agent. The next meeting will be held at Guide Rock January 14 at 10 p. m. The meeting yesterday closed with a public address by Hon. A. C. Davis, the National Secretary-Treasurer of the organization. He gave one of his characteristic addresses full of humor but yet telling in all its points. He gave the farmers something to think over after arriving home and I am sure that great good will result from our meeting and that in the near future an organization will be perfected in the city of Red Cloud.—John K. Weinmeister, County Organizer F. E. & C. U. A.

GARFIELD

Charley Schultz's children who have been sick with the whooping cough are better.
Lon Wonderly was out on wind mill row Monday and got his mules from Mr. McElhaney.
Mrs. Al Smith and children were visiting her father and mother Saturday and Sunday.
Will Fisher and children spent Thanksgiving day with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Coon and family.
On account of Tuesday being a rainy day there were not very many at the Hawkins and Wolfe sale.
Smith Bros. had a car of corn on the track in Red Cloud and were busy hauling it the last of the week.
Ray Davis and Carter Lippencott returned from Dakota last week. They look well and are home to spend the winter.
A fine rain on Friday night and more on Saturday night. The rain all went into the ground and it will help the wheat and make the people feel better.
The great Turkey day, Thanksgiving day, is a thing of the past and every one had a good feed and now we are waiting and longing for Christmas.

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Strength For Old People

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