

McKELVIE FOR GOVERNOR.

Publishes the Nebraska Farmer. The oldest farm paper west of the Missouri river is the Nebraska Farmer, established by Hon. Robert W. Furness in 1859. During the last dozen years the publisher and principal owner has been Samuel Roy McKelvie, who is now a candidate for governor. This publication has a paid-in-advance circulation of over 50,000 subscribers, is published weekly and is generally recognized as one of the strongest and best farm papers in the United States. His life spent upon a Nebraska farm until of age, followed by his experience and success as publisher of this great farm paper, makes McKelvie generally recognized as The Popular Candidate.



Farm Notes.

PRUNING SUGGESTIONS

If your trees require a twenty-foot ladder to gather the fruit, it is time to head back the center of the tree. Head to a fairly large limb that grows to the outside. This facilitates harvesting and spraying.

Where the ends of the lower branches touch the ground, do not cut the entire branch off at the body of the tree unless absolutely necessary. Head the branch back to a smaller branch or twig that is growing upward.

Suckers should be removed, except where they will fill out an open side. Then they should be clipped back severely and made to bear fruit.

Remove dead and injured branches, and branches that are crossing. This gives the fruiting wood that remains a better chance, and results in better and larger fruit.

Where Illinois canker is present in the orchard, special precautions are necessary.

Never leave a stub in pruning. Directions for pruning and the renovation of an orchard may be had from Extension Bulletins 29 and 30 of the Bulletin Clerk, University Farm, Lincoln.

RAISING A CALF ON SKIM MILK

It is now fairly well understood, says the College of Agriculture, that calves properly raised on skim milk are equally as growthy, thrifty, and vigorous as those raised upon whole milk or those allowed to run with their dams. In fact the skim milk calf will often times show a more rugged framework than a calf raised on whole milk.

Except for the fat that has been removed, skim milk is identical in composition to whole milk. When whole milk is taken into the calf's body, the fat of the milk is used to produce heat to keep the calf warm and also to form body fat. This same function can be performed very much more cheaply by starchy grains such as corn, kafir corn, and oats.

The protein in milk, which is the constituent most concerned in muscular growth and the building up of the vital organs, is equally as abundant in skim milk as in whole milk.

PREPAREDNESS IN POULTRY RAISING

Prepare now for a good crop of chickens.

Hatch early—avoid late summer stock.

Early winter layers should be out of the shell early.

A pullet hatched now is worth three in June.

Avoid twenty-second day chicks. Helping chicks from the shell is inviting trouble.

Darken the incubator to keep chicks quiet and induce sleep.

Remove chicks from the incubator when all are dry and do not feed for 36 hours.—College of agriculture.

HIGH SCHOOL STOCK JUDGING CONTEST

The second annual state high school stock judging contest of the College of Agriculture will be held at the University farm, Saturday, April 1. The silver loving cup offered by the Nebraska Improved Live Stock Breeders' Association, which was won last year by the Oakland high school, will be up again for competition. Any high school in the state offering instruction in agriculture is invited to send a team of three men. The teams will be permitted to come to the College on the day previous in order to receive practice in judging various breeds of live stock.

GOPHERS COST US \$2,000,000

The pocket gopher causes an annual loss to Nebraska's agriculture of at least two million dollars. Among the methods recommended for the destruction of this pest are trapping, poisoning, shooting, and the protection of its natural enemies, such as the short-eared owl, marsh hawk, weasels, and bull snakes.

Detailed information concerning trapping and poisoning may be had from a special circular, upon application to the College of Agriculture, Lincoln.

ANOTHER AGRICULTURAL AGENT

With the organization of Sheridan county for agricultural agent work, Nebraska now has nine such agents or farm demonstrators in the field. A. C. North of the College of Agriculture, a man of practical experience, has been elected to the position of agent.

WHISKEY MEN DE-FRAUD GOVERNMENT.

In collecting its share of the ill-born liquor profits the government has its troubles. A great conspiracy was unearthed at Fort Smith, Ark., this fall, where a gang of men were in the business of sneaking liquor onto the market without paying the government tax. Prominent among the conspirators were several government employees,—gaugers and revenue agents. Contact with the liquor business had corrupted all of them so that they were defrauding the government without compunctions. They had used every method, including the wholesale use of cancelled revenue stamps.

Seven of the gang were found guilty and given fines of \$1,000 each and jail sentences from six months to two years. Twenty more of the same outfit are to have trials in January.

ALCOHOL NOT A MEDICINE.

One of the officials of the great sanitarium at Battle Creek, Mich., declares that while they treat 800 patients a day they have never used an ounce of alcohol during the 48 years of the history of the institution. He says:

"Forty per cent of our arterio sclerosis is produced by alcohol and is not curable. Sixty-two per cent of Bright's disease is produced by alcohol and is incurable. Ninety-two per cent of cancer of the stomach is due to alcohol.

"You think a man pays for his glass of beer when he passes a nickel over the bar. He does not. His baby pays. The law of inheritance is inexorable. The baby is what his father was. If a man destroys his brain by alcohol, if his body wastes and degenerates through drink, his children and his children's children will have dwarfed minds and degenerate bodies. Kill the saloon and save the babies."

ENFORCE LIQUOR LAW IN OMAHA.

On November 3rd, Omaha had its first jury trial in police court in a number of years. It was a case against Graham & Ford, saloonkeepers who were charged with selling whiskey and beer after eight o'clock, and the jury brought in a verdict of guilty, after only fifteen minutes of deliberation.

This was the first jury conviction of a liquor dealer ever had in Omaha on the charge of violating the 8 o'clock law, and the names of the jurymen deserve to be placed on the tablet of fame. They were: D. M. Edgerly, Charles Mangum, H. G. Kelly, J. M. Harding, George W. Sumner and Edwin A. Dow.

Heretofore dismissals or hung juries have resulted from the industry of saloon men in packing juries.

The defendants running a saloon at 12th and Farnam streets were openly selling liquor during the electric parade, and even had a speiler out in front soliciting business. Such was the boldness and effrontery of saloon men in Omaha where they had lost the fear of successful prosecution.

The penalty imposed was a fine of \$100 apiece for the defendants and the immediate cancellation of the saloon license. All of which shows that the law can be enforced.

The states of Georgia and Alabama have passed laws prohibiting the printing or circulating of liquor advertising.

In North Carolina prohibition went into effect in 1908. Up to that time the state was spending \$2,000,000 per year for education. Now it is spending \$6,000,000.

The Saturday of the great Chicago dry parade there were only forty-seven arrests for drunkenness, and on the next day, being the first closed Sunday, there were only sixteen, making a total of sixty-three for the two days, as compared with 243, the former average for these two days of the week.

When you hear of automobile accidents, investigate and see how many of the drivers were under the influence of drink, and how many were carrying extra bottles in their cars. The large number of accidents from this cause leads to much criticism of drivers who are both careful and sober. Sort out the drink accidents and put them on record.

The brewers and saloonkeepers of Chicago organized a big parade a week or so ago, as a protest against Sunday closing. Mayor Thompson in a speech a few days later declared that it was anarchistic, and that the performance has embittered many men against the traffic who formerly paid no attention to the question.

AUTOS HELP THE CAUSE

SUFFRAGISTS WIN CONVERTS IN COUNTY TOURS.

RICHARDSON WELL COVERED

Women Met and Welcomed by Men of Commercial Clubs—Auto Speaking to Be Feature of Summer Campaign.

The automobile tour through Richardson county last week was a success. In all excepting one town the ladies were met by deputations and cordially welcomed. When the autos arrived at dinner time, either the local commercial club, city officials or other organizations, made the tourists their guests and showed every evidence of good will to them and to the cause they represent. Also the towns were decorated by the merchants. Richardson county men tried to show the visiting delegations they were welcome, and if music, feasting, banners and universal good nature indicate the popularity of a cause and those who stand for it, the suffragists can be sure of Richardson county. At Stella and Shubert the suffragists were met by committees. The speakers were introduced by the mayor of Shubert and of Stella.

Afternoon meetings were served with ice cream. There was some class to these political rallies. The towns on the route showed the women a courtesy and an enthusiastic welcome that was just as unexpected as it was delightful.

The week's tour closed at Falls City—the home of Mrs. McGerr, who organized the expedition. Here there was a large afternoon meeting in the court house park, which, for good will and neighborliness and the peculiar exhilaration of the expedition accomplished, was a true climax. Tall and exuberant Mrs. McGerr related the week's events to her townspeople so that they, too, tasted the first sweet fruits of victory.

It is the policy of the workers in Nebraska to induce local dignitaries to accept the responsible offices in the local suffrage societies and this campaign in Richardson county added a score of ministers, prominent lawyers and bankers to the suffrage forces.

At the Falls City evening meeting four ministers spoke for suffrage. Reverend Tichnor, Presbyterian minister, advised the audience to get in the game. He said that the way he was shoved into suffrage work by women workers reminded him of how other boys got him into the water for his first spring swim. Even after his clothes were on the bank and he was all ready to jump into the water, he still hesitated, thinking of the cold water. Then some of the boys slipped up behind and shoved him in head over heels. The splash and spire of the water took his mind off the shock and all of a sudden he liked it and was calling to the other boys that the water was fine. Ever since he had taken the first jump into suffrage work he liked it and was now advising the other fellows to jump in, too.

At Pawnee City the suffragists held a street meeting. Mrs. Baldwin spoke in the evening at the picture show. On Sunday evening she spoke on suffrage at a monster peace meeting at the opera house.

There will be no peace till we get suffrage, so her speech was in harmony with the purpose of the meeting.

The Senior Law President.

Miss Grace Ballard, the only woman in the state university senior law class, has been elected president of the class. She is a strong believer in equal suffrage. In a recent debate at the university an opponent of suffrage declared that there would be a battle to keep women from the polls in November. Miss Ballard answered that the battle was in progress now; that most of the thoughtful, earnest women of Nebraska were engaged in it, and that judging from her knowledge of the citizens of Nebraska they were just enough to give it to the women, and that November would see a treaty signed. Judging by their vociferous applause her classmates agreed with her.

Many letters are received at headquarters asking for suffrage literature and suggestions for suffrage celebrations and demonstrations. Mrs. Harrison, the executive secretary, is fertile and ready in suggestions and welcomes such letters. When the speech is necessarily short, say ten minutes or fifteen, it is best to be sure of impressing not more than two points and to make those two very pointed. Definiteness and sharpness will both be blurred if the speaker attempts to cover all the reasons for suffrage. Simplicity, directness and good logic in a ten minutes' speech will make an impression on the passerby when high-town periods would be overlooked.

Groceries and Suffrage.

Nebraska farmers are now getting their coffee, sugar and raisins in the same paper bag with suffrage propaganda. Headquarters has been supplying the grocers with suffrage literature and asking them to send it to their customers. The good-natured grocers have complied and have received so many requests for more that the grocer shipment from headquarters has become a daily incident.

Several hundred copies of the Woman's World, the official suffrage organ, giving a full account of the activity of women of Colorado toward settlement of the Colorado mine troubles, have been distributed among the working men of Omaha.



WALTER KIECHEL

Republican Candidate FOR Nomination as Lieutenant Governor

Nebraska born and reared. Eight years a teacher. Practical farmer. Senator First district last two sessions Nebraska legislature. Familiar with the affairs of the state. Personally favors dry amendment. Stands for all things which tend toward the advancement of Nebraska and its people.

YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED

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Probate Notice to Creditors

In the county court of Dakota county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the Estate of Michael Green, also known as Michael Greene, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of the said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before me, county judge of Dakota county, Nebraska, at the county court room in said county, on the 27th day of May, 1912, and on the 28th day of August, 1912, at 10 o'clock in each day for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims and one year for the administrator to settle said estate, from the 28th day of February, 1912.

This notice will be published in the Dakota County Herald for four weeks successively prior to the 28th day of August, 1912. Witness my hand, and seal of said court, this 28th day of February, A. D. 1912.

S. W. MCKINLEY, County Judge.

NOTICE

Alfred Hallam and Ruth B. Hallam, defendants, will take notice that on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1912, The First National Bank of Sioux City, Iowa, plaintiff, filed its petition in the district court of Dakota county against Alfred Hallam and Ruth B. Hallam, defendants, the object and prayer of which are to have declared void and set aside a deed from said Alfred Hallam and Ruth B. Hallam to Ruth B. Hallam, bearing date the 3rd day of May, 1912, and recorded in the deed book of Dakota county, Nebraska, on the 24th day of February, 1912, conveying the following described property situated in Dakota county, Nebraska, to-wit: The subdivision of Government lot 3, in section thirty-two (32), township twenty-nine (29), range nine (9), east of the 6th P. M. in Dakota county, Nebraska, except that part platted in Lakeside Park; also all of the Lakeside Park containing 27 acres, except lot 34 in block 1; lots 2, 15 and 16 in block 2; lot 1 in block 3; lot 3 in block 4, and lot 13 in block 5, because said deed was made for the purpose and intent of hindering, delaying and defrauding the plaintiff and other creditors of said Alfred Hallam in the collection of their legal and valid claims against him, said property having been attached in a suit by said plaintiff against the said Alfred Hallam and ordered sold to satisfy a judgment obtained in said action in the sum of \$27,275.75 interest from the 15th day of June, 1911, at 8 per cent, the sum of \$12,200 costs taxed in the district court of the State of Iowa and the costs of said action, and general equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 24th day of April, 1912.

Dated this 9th day of April, 1912.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SIoux CITY, IOWA.

By Henderson & Fribourg and H. E. Evans, Its Attorneys.

Notice of Opening Road

State of Nebraska, Dakota county—ss. Notice to Land Owners.

To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate and view and establish a road commencing at a point where Cook's meander line intersects the public road known as the South Jackson and South Sioux City road in section 25, township 29, range 8, in Dakota county, Nebraska, or on the high bank of Crystal lake at or near said point, running thence in a southwesterly direction on said high bank through lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, in township 29, range 8, about 150 rods, or until it intersects the south line of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of said section 25, township 29, range 8, in Dakota county, Nebraska, and there terminate, and said road to be known as Road No. 1, is reported in favor of the establishment and location thereof, and all objections thereto, or claims for damages, must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 17th day of April, A. D. 1912, or such road will be established and located without reference thereto.

Geo. Wilkins, County Clerk.

Notice of Opening Road

State of Nebraska, Dakota county, ss. Notice to Land Owners.

To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate and view and establish a road commencing at the northeast corner of section 15, township 28, range 7, in Dakota county, Nebraska, running thence south on the section line between sections 17 and 18, township 28, range 7, and terminating at the southeast corner of said section 15, has reported in favor of the establishment and location thereof, and all objections thereto, or claims for damages, must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 17th day of April, A. D. 1912, or such road will be established and located without reference thereto.

Geo. Wilkins, County Clerk.

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Proprietor, Dakota City

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March Bulletin of Rate Attractions

Low One-Way Fares to Pacific Coast:

The Spring season of low one-way fares to California, Washington, Oregon, Utah, Idaho, Montana, will last only from March 25th to April 14th, inclusive. \$32.50 one-way to the Coast, and \$27.50 to Utah, Salt Lake, Idaho, Central Montana, Butte District, etc.

Apply early for through tourist sleeper accommodations in the Burlington's through service routes via Seemie Colorado, Salt Lake, to California or over the direct northwest main line through Billings to Seattle.

Rocky Mountain National Parks:

The coming season will bring the greatest volume of Eastern tourists into Rocky Mountain National Park, Yellowstone Park, Glacier National Park, yet recorded. Special tours will be arranged by cooperation between the railroads and the U. S. National Park Service. Such a vacation tour will give you a tremendous health dividend, besides being the scenic adventure of a life time. It is none too early to be thinking over such a possible trip and asking me how it can best be made.



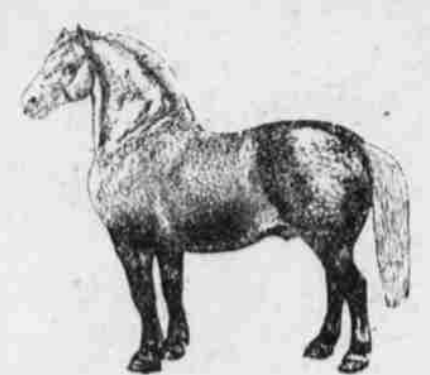
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Pure Bred Percheron Stallions JALNANS, 83396, Imported by W. L. Dechow, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Foaled March 24th, 1909. Black in color. CAPTAIN, 90975—Bred by J. P. Anderson, of Agenda, Kansas. Foaled May 1, 1912. Color black. Both these Stallions will stand for service at my barn in Hubbard, and anyone interested in thoroughbred Percherons should call and inspect them. They are splendid specimens of the Percheron type. TERMS \$15 to insure mare in foal, \$20 to insure colt nine days old. If mare is sold or removed from the county service fee becomes due at once. Due care will be taken to prevent accidents, but at risk of owner of mare if she sustains any.



LOUIS BOGG

Owner and Attendant, Hubbard, Nebraska