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PROTECTING NEBRASKA LIVE STOCK

The Omaha-World Herald of September 23, in an editorial under the above caption, commends very highly the splendid work done the past year by the state live stock sanitary board. The repeated appearance and spread of animal diseases have given the board a large amount of work to perform, as stated by the World-Herald; but The Herald believes attention of its readers should be called to the fact that most of this work has been in the line of combatting hog diseases. The members of the state live stock sanitary board have shown a willingness to be helpful to stockmen who raise cattle and horses, and have done some good work for them, but circumstances have been such as to call their services into requisition more for the hog raisers.

In this connection, The Herald wishes to call attention of cattle-men to the importance of the Nebraska Stock Growers Association as a factor co-operating with the state live stock sanitary board for the suppression of cattle disease. Nebraska is adapted to the raising of cattle, horses, mules and hogs, and sheep, also, if cattle raising were not more profitable. Of these different kinds of animals, cattle are raised more extensively than either of the other, as shown by the assessors' returns, as follows:

Cattle, 2,089,610 head, valued at \$65,000,000.
Hogs, 1,518,750, valued at \$14,000,000.
Horses, 917,927, valued at \$64,000,000.
Mules, 96,572, valued at \$8,500,000.
Sheep, 250,000, valued at \$800,000.

It has already been demonstrated that the Nebraska Stock Growers Association, by co-operating with the state live stock sanitary board, render valuable assistance in reaching the men who are engaged in the cattle industry, and thereby enable the board to be of the greatest possible benefit to them. This is another reason, and a strong one, too, why all ranchmen should be members of the Nebraska Stock Growers Association. A large part of the work of the board so far has been the giving of instructions to farmers relative to the cure of hog cholera and preventing the spread of it. The expert veterinarians who compose the board are just willing to give needed advice and instruction to the cattle-men of the state, but so far it has not been as easy to reach them, altho a start has been made thru the means of the association.

If all cattle ranchmen in this state would materially assist in putting them in touch with the state live stock sanitary board, a matter of no small importance to them.

BEST INSURANCE FOR STOCKMEN

In all kinds of insurance, in which losses are paid out of the premiums paid in, the average amount paid back to the insured or his beneficiaries is less than the amount paid by him for the insurance. It is evident that it cannot be otherwise, after paying cost of conducting the insurance business, agents' commissions, stockholders' dividends, etc.

There is a kind of insurance for Nebraska stockmen that pays to the insured every year many times the amount paid in by them, but the money paid back to them is not secured from premiums paid in by them. We refer to the insurance which the Nebraska Stock Growers Association affords its members against loss from strays and stolen stock. Persons who have given no attention to this matter will be surprised by the information that may be secured by a little investigation. It will pay cattle-men who use brands in this state to take notice of the fact that for every dollar paid on dues by members of the association, from fifteen to fifty dollars is paid back to them thru the brand inspection that is secured by membership.

The Herald has the report of the brand inspectors for last year, published in pamphlet form, a copy of which will be furnished free to any stockman who applies for it. An examination of this report, with that of the secretary-treasurer of the Nebraska Stock Growers Association, will show that for every dollar paid in on dues by members last year about fifteen dollars was paid to them for strays recovered thru brand inspection. For the year ending June, 1913, the amount was more than fifty dollars for every dollar paid on dues, and for the last five years the amount has averaged about twenty-five dollars.

NO MAN WHO NEEDS TO USE A CATTLE BRAND IN NEBRASKA CAN AFFORD TO NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE NEBRASKA STOCK GROWERS ASSOCIATION.

Any stockman who wishes blank applications for membership or other information relative to this matter can secure the same by writing to the editor of The Alliance Herald, official paper of the N. S. G. A.

A CLEAN CAMPAIGN

George M. Adams of Crawford, democratic candidate for state senator from the district composed of Box Butte, Sioux, Dawes, Sheridan, Cherry, Rock and Brown counties, is making a campaign for election that will be a credit to him, whether he wins or not. He served this part of the state in the legislature, as a member of the house, and made a record of which he may well be proud. He points to this record as a pledge of what he will do if elected to the senate. Voters residing in the 28th senatorial district of Nebraska are invited to read his announcement which appears in this issue of The Herald.

GOOD LEGISLATIVE TIMBER

The state representative district composed of Dawes and Sioux counties is practically assured of a representation in the next legislature that will be a credit to that district and an honor to this part of the state. The Herald has no information regarding the republican nominee, but we happen to know something about the democratic nominee, Hon. Charles Naylor, and his record as a public official. For many years he has served the people of Dawes county faithfully as county clerk. It is no exaggeration to say that he is one of the most popular men of that county, and for that matter of northwestern Nebraska. His popularity is due, we believe, to his strict integrity and his ability as a public official. That he will receive an overwhelming majority in Dawes county at the coming election is now a foregone conclusion. If he secures anything near an even break in Sioux county, he will be elected by a big majority. We are confident that he will make a creditable record in the legislature and want to have the honor of saying a good word for him prior to his election.

READ POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENTS

The Herald invites its readers to peruse carefully the political advertisements appearing in its columns. While we do not wish to be held responsible for anything expressed therein, in our opinion statements made in political announcements as well as other advertisements are usually reliable. In all probability, neither a candidate for office nor a business man, wishing to deceive the public, will invite investigation thru a newspaper advertisement. While we could not think of asking Herald readers to support a candidate for office merely because he patronizes the advertising col-

umns of the paper, we do request that their claims be given careful consideration.

SCIENTIFIC CROP BREEDING

The article written by Hon. James Pearson of Moorefield, Nebr., on "Improving Farm Crops by Scientific Breeding," which was published in The Herald, has been printed in booklet form for distribution. The article is one of the best of the kind that we have ever read on this interesting subject. Altho giving a scientific explanation, it is free from technical terms that so often confuse the average reader, and is so comprehensive as to be easily understood by boys and girls as well as older people. It is a splendid article and should be carefully read by every person who is interested in agriculture and horticulture, and that ought to be everybody. A copy of the booklet may be obtained by addressing the author. A few copies are at The Herald office and will be given out free while they last.

By the way, Mr. Pearson is the democratic nominee for lieutenant governor of Nebraska, and if elected will, we believe, fill the office in a manner that will reflect credit upon the state as well as himself.

CANDIDATE FOR SECOND TERM

Thru an announcement appearing in The Herald, as well as the other county papers, Edgar M. Martin reminds voters that he is a candidate for re-election to the office of county treasurer. He has made a faithful and accommodating official and was given the democratic renomination without opposition. Altho a popular man has accepted the nomination on the republican ticket for the same office, there does not seem to be much doubt about Mr. Martin being continued in the office another two years. The law of Nebraska permits the re-election of county treasurers, and there is a strong sentiment in Box Butte county favorable to continuing faithful officials in office two terms. So strong is this sentiment that the county clerk, a republican, has no opposition for re-election. The democratic nominee for that office, a man who would run strong as a candidate, declines to accept the nomination this year. This is as it should be, in the opinion of The Herald.

"Facts About Sugar" is the title of a bulletin received by The Herald from Domestic Sugar Producers, New York City. What we would like to know is why, if the European war has made necessary a big advance in the price of sugar in this country, cannot some advance be made in the price paid sugar beet growers for their products?

A LONG LOOK AHEAD.

I think the question should be considered for fifty or one hundred years ahead and it seems to me that in the long run it would be a great mistake to attempt to retain the present crowded campus in the heart of the city. Buying more ground there is merely a temporary palliative and does not cure the trouble.—Guy Wilson, banker, Laurel.

The "long look ahead," viewing the university as it will be fifty or one hundred years hence, is a most seductive form of day-dreaming. It is the Col. Mulberry Schlera's idea of achievement—"there's millions in it." No man who entertains this thought can be regarded other than as a sincere well wisher of the university. And yet he has utterly missed the reality and is chasing a will o' the wisp.

Our plain duty as citizens of Nebraska is here and now. As St. Paul says in his epistle to the Corinthians: "Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation." So with us, now is the accepted time to provide the university with the additional floor space it so sorely needs—not to inaugurate plans for the ideal university of 2015 or even 1964.

No more terrible arraignment of our present system of education can possibly be made than this "long look ahead" idea. It is based on the erroneous thought that we must now lay plans for educating our great-great-grandchildren, lest they grow up ignorant savages. It fails to recognize the fact that, "every good gift cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning." (James 1:17.) And therefore, as He has given us the good gift of taking care of our earthly affairs here and now, so will He bestow the same good gift upon the people of Nebraska in 1964 and in 2015.

If our present educational system is so inadequate that we must place an educational entail upon the heirs of 1964 and 2015, then we have utterly failed. But we have not failed: the men and women of 1964 will be amply able to do whatever is best for the university then. We can safely leave that problem to the Divine Intelligence who has guided the universe through all eternity and attend to our own affairs here and now.—Reply by U. H. C. E. Com.

I am against the removal and shall vote for measure 305 in November, without absolute reasons for real benefits are given for the removal. Up to the present time no convincing argument of real benefits has been offered by the removalists.—Owen P. Stewart, republican candidate for representative, Fifth district.

THE ENVIRONMENT BOGIE.

"It seems to me that far too much stress is being placed upon this question of environment and not enough attention paid to the vital problems. The sun shines just as brightly on the present campus as it will on the state farm, and the student who works with a heart-felt desire to improve mentally and spiritually will progress just as well in the present buildings as he would in steel and terra cotta structures out on the farm. The distance of two and one-half miles from Lincoln will not prevent the evil-minded student from gratifying his evil desires; and the alleged evil surroundings of the present location need have no terrors for the student who is sincerely trying to walk in the paths of righteousness."—U. H. C. E. Com. to Miss Brenner.

VOLE TO KEEP THE UNIVERSITY WHERE IT IS, BECAUSE:

Removal means the waste of the splendid plant that has taken forty-four years to build.

Removal places the University beyond the reach of the poor boy who must earn in the city all or part of the money for his education.

Removal would deprive the students in the law department of the advantages of employment in law offices and of the opportunity for practical experience in the courts.

Removal will burden the students with the payment of street car fares aggregating \$36,000 per year and three times that amount during the transition period.

Removal to the farm will increase the inconvenience and expense of managing its affairs, due to the distance from the business center of the city.

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about one-fourth of the present farm and stunt the future growth of the School of Agriculture.

Removal to the farm means an upheaval and a chaotic condition in University work during the removal period of eight to fifteen years.

Removal will cost so much money that there will be a curtailment of funds needed for buying proper equipment and for the employment of competent instructors and professors. Capable professors are more necessary to a great university than fine buildings.

Removal to the farm will deprive the students of most of the advantages of the city environment, its churches, its Y. M. C. A., its Y. W. C. A., its libraries, its business associations, and turn them out narrowly educated in books alone, poorly fitted to meet the problems of real life.

IMPORTANT FACTS.

Many of the departments of the University are badly crowded and more room is needed.

There are fifteen buildings worth upwards of \$1,500,000 on the present campus and but little room for further construction. More ground is necessary.

Additional ground sufficient to enlarge the present campus to forty acres can be had at a cost guaranteed not to exceed \$300,000.

The last legislature made a levy of three-fourths of 1 mill for six years to be used in providing additional buildings for the University. This will raise about \$350,000 per year.

The legislature left it to a vote of the people to determine whether this money shall be expended two-thirds for buildings on and adjoining the present campus and one-third for the Agricultural School at the State Farm; or whether the present location and buildings shall be abandoned and an entirely new outfit of buildings be commenced at the State Farm.

It is estimated that to retain and extend the present campus and construct the necessary buildings thereon will cost \$2,500,000, and for which the present levy of three-fourths of 1 mill for six years is sufficient.

It is estimated that to abandon the present location and buildings, move to the State Farm, and build an entirely new and adequate outfit of buildings and equipment will cost \$5,000,000 or \$6,000,000, about twice as much as the extension of the present plant.

A joint committee of members of the State Senate, House of Representatives, and Board of Regents reported unanimously that to move to the State Farm a levy of 1 mill for eight years was "absolutely necessary." This would raise twice as much as the levy of three-fourths of 1 mill for six years already made and provided for.

OURS A UNIVERSITY FOR ALL.

Located on the present campus the advantages of our university are within the reach of any ambitious and energetic boy or girl. It is within easy walking distance of the business center of the city of Lincoln, where nearly a thousand students secure employment and earn in whole or in part the money necessary for their education. Removal to the state farm places the university beyond the reach of many of these, the most deserving of our consideration. Will the people of Nebraska consent to the placing of our university beyond the reach of those who toil in order to surround it with more beautiful landscape and scenery for the benefit of those who can live without work?

Records show that many hundreds of Nebraska's best known graduates earned their education. The log cabin and sod house have produced more greatness than ever sprung from marble fronts. Too much luxury neutralizes energy and stunts or destroys mentality. Keep the university where it is and give the poor boy a chance.—Frank D. Eager, '93, in Lincoln Daily Star.

One of the European correspondents tells of Emperor William being "alone at Nancy." Don't you think Nancy ought to have a chaperon?

"Four more years of Wilson" and progress, prosperity and peace. Best years ever seen; that's to be a slogan of old one-nine-16.

Maybe the children will pay a war tax for every day they stay out of school.

It takes a woman to love a man because he doesn't deserve it.

NO ALUM *in*

Dr. PRICE'S

CREAM

BAKING POWDER



LEE BASYE
Republican Candidate for
COUNTY ATTORNEY
of Box Butte County

Graduate of Alliance public school. Graduate of Alliance High School. Graduate of University of Nebraska, College of Arts and Sciences. Graduate of University of Nebraska, College of Law. Same age my opponent was when he was FIRST elected EIGHT YEARS AGO.

RECORD SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

Record of Earl Mallery, Republican Candidate for State Senator, One of Achievement for Northwestern Nebraska.

Served as Representative from Box Butte and Sheridan Counties in the Last Legislature.

Earl Mallery has the distinction of being the youngest member of either branch of the Thirty-third Legislative session. It was his first term in public office of any kind. He was a member of the Committees on Fees and Salaries, Finance, Internal Improvements and Revenue and Taxation. He was the introducer of fifteen bills and introduced the house bill for increased state aid for western school districts, the taxes of which were not sufficient to maintain schools of good standard. Mr. Mallery devoted much time and energy to bills having to do with educational affairs. He was a ready and fluent speaker and frequently presided with credit in Committee of



For Congress



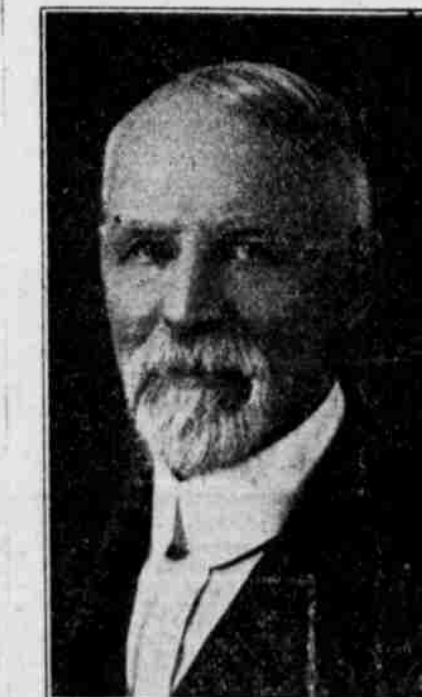
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