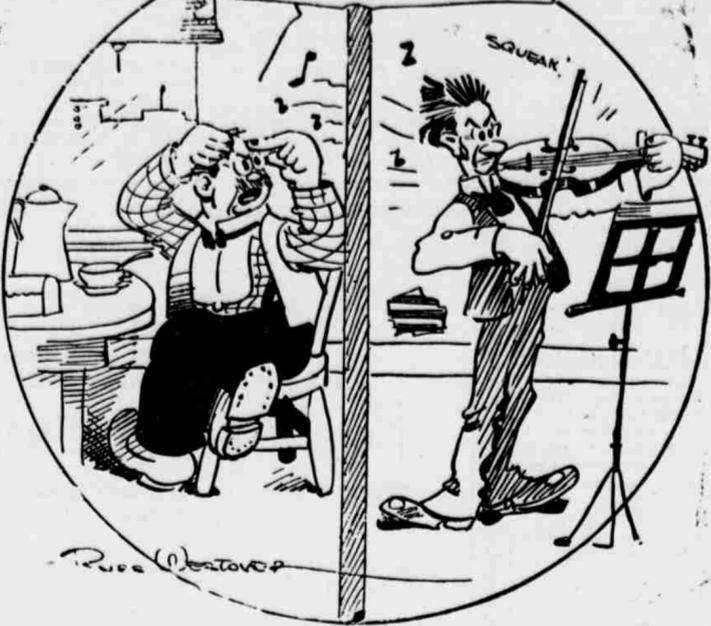


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of said corporation shall be conducted by a board of three directors, namely, John W. Guthrie, Glen Miller and R. E. Plumbe. That the officers of said corporation shall be a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer.

JOHN W. GUTHRIE,
GLEN MILLER and
R. E. PLUMBE,
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JOHN W. GUTHRIE,
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Oil Notes

W. G. Nieman, the hustling salesman for the Dempster company of Beatrice, has delivered two new oil drilling rigs to parties in the Osage field during the last week and has more coming for delivery. The Dempster rigs are finding a read sale in this shallow and hustling field.

District Judge E. C. Raymond of Newcastle set aside judicial precedent when he ordered the sheriff to appoint two deputies and have them proceed at once to the Osage oil fields and there guard overnight two oil wells on land, the title of which was in litigation between the Osage syndicate of Sheridan and the Free Oil company at Lusk. The judge further instructed the sheriff not to let anyone approach the wells during the night and to measure their depth in the morning and to ascertain whether or not either well contained oil in commercial quantities. He further announced that he would conduct an inspection of the wells himself and would reserve his decision until he had completed the inspection. He announced that if it were found that the conditions at either well differed materially from the representations made in court, that arrests for perjury would follow.

The title of the property hinged on the priority of the discovery of oil on the land. Both companies were drilling on the same piece of land, their rigs being operated with 500 feet of each other.

There was conflicting testimony regarding the depth of the wells, the amount of oil and which company had first discovered oil. The judge took this unusual method of administering justice.

The next day he rendered a decision awarding title to the Sheridan people.

Seventeen oil well completions, with a total new production of 1,415 barrels a day, represents the new result of drilling operations in Wyoming for the month of January, a decrease of six completions compared with the preceding month and a fall in gaff in new production of 7,235 barrels. The slump is accounted for by the fact that during the closing month of the year Lance creek field saw the completion of several wells which raised the average to a new record. Offsetting the decrease in new production are figures showing an increase of forty-five in rigs standing and drilling over December.

The Wyoming-Northeastern Oil company of Alliance has secured casing and is now drilling at a rapid rate on their Mule creek holdings at "Camp Gumbo." C. M. Looney, field superintendent of the company, spent Sunday in Alliance and reports the work going ahead in excellent shape. A number of those interested in the company visited the camp last week and were well pleased with the progress of drilling.

The big gas reduction plant has been completed by the Ohio company in the Lance creek field.

The Mint Petroleum company of Denver has leased 2,000 acres fifteen miles south of the producing area of the Lance Creek field, and three miles north and west of the townsite of Manville, where it proposes to drill a test as quickly as the proper geological report is made on the structure. This operation is the farthest south of the known producing belt of the Lance Creek field yet undertaken, and its development will be watched with interest.

The Producers & Refiners corporation has offered to pipe gas from its wells in the Big Sand draw, in Fremont county, to Riverton, Wyo., if a local company is organized to distribute it. President Kistler was given a franchise for Riverton some time ago.

The Cottonwood Oil & Development company has erected a rig on the George Miller ranch, near Edgemont, and has three more rigs ready for shipment. A large acreage in leases was acquired in the field last year.

The Centennial well on Goshen dome is again drilling at 1,720 feet after the holiday shutdown, the hole being completed at the rate of two-

ty feet a day. No reports have been given out by the company since a good showing of oil and gas was found at 1,525 feet, although numerous rumors have been started by those interested in the project.

The McWhorter Oil and Refining company's plant at Lusk should make its first run of oil this week. It was announced following a directors' meeting at Lusk. Trouble with frozen pipes has caused delay but will shortly be over come.

The Wyosage Drilling syndicate is moving material for its first rig on holdings, near Upton, Wyo., comprising sections 34 and 35-48-65 and sections 2 and 3-47-65.

Three wells have been completed in the Thornton-Upton field by the Wyoming High Gravity Oil company. It has been reported here. The wells are not on the pump yet but they are unofficially reported to be about twenty-five barrel wells. The sand was found at 700 feet, but work has been suspended for the winter. The company has about 3,000 acres of land in Weston county, where the Thornton-Upton field is located. Thirty thousand dollars was paid by the Midwest Oil company for an eighty-acre tract on section 31-46-83 in the Osage, Wyo., oil field, according to information received here. One producing well has been completed on the property. It is estimated at close to forty barrels by the drillers. The hole was sunk to a depth of 300 feet. This is the biggest deal so far in the Osage field.

The Jewel Oil company has acquired a quarter section in the Split Hill dome, Wyoming, seven miles northwest of Lance creek. Three large Pennsylvania oil companies have agreed to commence drilling operations within ninety days. All geological reports and tests made indicate that oil will be produced in this field from a much shallower depth than in Lance creek field.

The Minnesota-Wyoming Land Development company, organized by Manitowac, Wis., men, is becoming active in the Mule creek field following the acquisition of leases to approximately 5,600 acres of prospective oil land there and in other districts of the state. Equipment will be secured at once for Mule creek drilling, it is announced from Lusk, where the company has established its headquarters.

The known area of the Osage oil field has been extended to a point six miles southwest of Newcastle by the encountering of oil at 400 feet in a well which the Osage Petroleum company is sinking at Pedro station. Five other rigs are being moved to Pedro.

Oil from the Osage field now is being delivered at the storage tanks of the refinery which is being erected at Osage. The pipe line from the refinery into the field has been completed for a distance of three miles and is delivering oil from seven wells.

The following Mule creek wells report the following depths: The Wyoming-Northeastern Oil company is drilling at below 600 feet on section 20-39-61. Eight and a quarter inch casing has been set at 1,500 feet in the DeBolt and Sayre well on the northwest quarter of 13-38-61. The Lusk-Mule creek is drilling at 1,030 feet on section 25-40-61. On the southwest quarter of 36-40-61, the Ohio company is down 1,000 feet with a test to be drilled to the Embarras sand, expected at 1,800 feet. The Lusk-Edgemont is down 1,700 feet on the southeast quarter of 32-37-60.

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CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION NOTES

Lincoln.—An attack was made on parlor bolshevists by members of the convention when an attempt was made to put on general the Proposal No. 205, making it necessary for every voter to be able to read and understand the constitution. The attempt failed and the proposition was definitely postponed. After Cleve of Ottumwa failed to revive the measure Spillman of Pierre, who led the opposition, declared that the danger in this country is not in the unfortunate uneducated man who cannot read the English language, but rather from the super-educated men and women who can read it but do not care to understand it. Wilcox of Richardson, who supported Spillman, said the proposed requirements would be nothing less than taxation of the uneducated classes without representation.

Only two proposals have been definitely acted upon by the state constitutional convention since it assembled December 1, 1919, and delegates are beginning to speculate about a date of adjournment. President A. J. Weaver is hopeful of getting through by about March 1, while most of the members think the session will last well into the month of March. The two measures settled by the constitution framers are of statewide importance. Provision has been made for the legislature to authorize verdicts in civil suits by five-sixths of the jurors. It has also been decided that a majority voting on the question of township organization shall be sufficient to carry it.

The committee on taxation and revenue is struggling with the proposition of exempting bonds of state, county, municipal, school district or other political subdivisions from taxation. The committee instructed a sub-committee to draft three separate plans. They are: First, exempting such bonds, except from income tax on them; second, a provision that the legislature may exempt public bonds from taxation except income; and, third, that no bonds shall be exempt from taxation.

The committee on education recommended for indefinite postponement Proposals Nos. 58 and 175, by Evans and Taylor, both for the election of regents of the university by districts, also No. 85 by Svoboda, creating a state board of education, elected by districts, to have control of the university normal schools and common schools.

Nebraska women will be eligible for jury service so far as the state constitution is concerned if the people approve the draft prepared by the constitutional convention. In adopting a proposal to permit the legislature to provide for the returns of verdicts in civil cases by a five-sixths vote of the jury, convention eliminated the word "men."

Sentiment among the members of the convention to refuse to abolish the death penalty in Nebraska is reflected in the action of the miscellaneous affairs committee, which recommended for indefinite postponement the two proposals introduced in the assembly to do away with capital punishment.

Definite action on the farm land tenancy question was sidestepped by the assembly after a long discussion, but the Cornell proposal on that subject, No. 232, was turned over to three standing committees for them to consider jointly.

Convention delegates appear to be generally in favor of an amendment to the constitution creating an industrial court to adjust labor disputes. Three proposals before the assembly, Nos. 144, 217 and 337 provide for such a body.

The committee on municipal government has acted favorably on the proposal which will grant home rule to the city of Omaha. Other cities of the state remain under the same constitutional provision as at present.

After a long verbal battle, the convention approved a proposal to permit Nebraskans connected with the military or naval forces of the country to vote, but left the details to be worked out by the legislature.

The convention killed the compulsory vote amendment, under the provisions of which a penalty would attach to failure to vote in any election.

By unanimous vote the convention passed the woman suffrage amendment to the new constitution.

Douglas county delegates are pushing with vigor Proposals Nos. 275, 276, 277 and 278 by Abbott, which, if adopted will impose drastic regulations on all public service corporations in Nebraska.

Public attention has been called to Proposals 274, 303 and 308, now before the committee on public service corporations, which some delegates predict if adopted and ratified will strip municipalities of power to control public utilities, city or privately owned.

By a vote of six to five the committee on bill of rights went on record in favor of taking private property for private use. The committee did this in voting to recommend for general the proposal No. 86 by Ross of Harick.

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That the principal place of transacting the business of said corporation is Alliance, Box Butte County, Nebraska.

That the general nature of the business to be transacted by said corporation shall be to do and carry on a general packing business; to own and hold real estate and buildings with the necessary machinery and appliances for the slaughter, cleaning, dressing, processing and otherwise preparing animals and carcasses of animals for meats and for food products and for packing and preserving the same, and the sale of all such meats and food products and dealing generally in such food products and packing and preserving the same for sale. The buying, keeping, maintaining and preparing animals, such as hogs, cattle and sheep for slaughter for the purpose of making and manufacturing therefrom such meats

and food products, and packing and preserving the same and selling the same for food and general consumption. To acquire, own and hold by purchase, lease, or otherwise, real estate, and to erect, build and construct and maintain thereon and in connection therewith, stock yards and yards, buildings, pens, lots and structures of every kind for the purpose and proper equipment of yards for stock and for the purpose of selling and disposing of livestock; and to keep in connection therewith all kinds of grain and feed with which to supply such stock so kept, and to furnish to the public generally, and to the owners of livestock, who desire to sell or market the same for hire, suitable facilities, places, pens, lots, barns, stables and structures for the proper showing, displaying, disposing and selling of any and all kinds of livestock, and to generally operate a public livestock exchange and an open market. To buy, sell, import, export and generally deal in poultry and poultry products and dairy products of every kind, class and description and their by-products. To manufacture, buy, sell and deal generally in ice. To preserve in cold storage and generally deal in all kinds of food products of a perishable nature or otherwise. To buy and sell, deal in, export or import, coal, coke, wood and salt, and to act as the agent of any person, firm or corporation in buying, dealing, or selling for them in such

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That the amount of the authorized capital stock of said corporation shall be One Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$1,500,000.00) Dollars, divided into thirty thousand (30,000) shares of the par value of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars each, fully paid and non-assessable. All subscriptions to the capital stock of said corporation shall be payable in the manner provided by the Bureau of Securities, Blue Sky Departments or other like regulatory or supervisory bodies or commissions in the state respectively where such subscriptions are taken.

That said corporation shall commence business on January 20th, 1920, and continue for the period of fifty years from and after the date its Articles of Incorporation are filed in the office of the Secretary of State for the State of Nebraska.