

Wyoming Senator Says Livestock Industry Sound

Bills Pending That Will Eliminate Many Difficulties, Speaker Tells Livestock Men at Meet Here.

"Some people have talked about the livestock industry going to pieces," declared Senator J. B. Kendrick, Wyoming, addressing the national convention of the Livestock Association, "but remember this—the livestock industry is not going to do any such thing. It is going to continue. Some men in the livestock business may go to pieces, but the business will go on just the same, and is going to be saved."

The senator is a member of the agricultural and forestry committee and a large livestock owner in Wyoming. The meeting on the second day of the convention was in Hotel Fontenelle.

Bills Before Congress.

He declared that there are bills before congress now which will affect livestock interests. The Norris-Sinclair bill, he said, will stabilize prices on grain. Hearings on the Norbeck bill indicate that there are agricultural sections in that bill which are in the same condition as pictures of Russia had been painted.

"A bill is certain to be introduced by the railroad committee, looking for the repeal of section 15A of the transportation act, and also to lessen excessive Pullman fare."

"Any relief to the livestock interests must come from within. Congress is willing to help in every possible way, but the real help must come from the master minds of the industry. You must work out your own problems, just as every other industry has done before you."

Organizations Urged. "There must be local organizations and through them general organizations. These will finally solve your problems."

Speaking on the packers' control act, Senator Kendrick said that it took three years to draft and pass the present bill. If the packers succeed in having the section giving the government access to their books declared unconstitutional, congress will pass another bill in one-tenth of the time which will provide a remedy and place the books before the public.

S. H. Cowan, attorney for the American Livestock Association, Fort Worth, Tex., urged section 15A of the transportation act as destroying the original benefits of the Hepburn bill for shippers and substituting arbitrary statutory rule to produce a certain revenue whether or not the shipper suffers.

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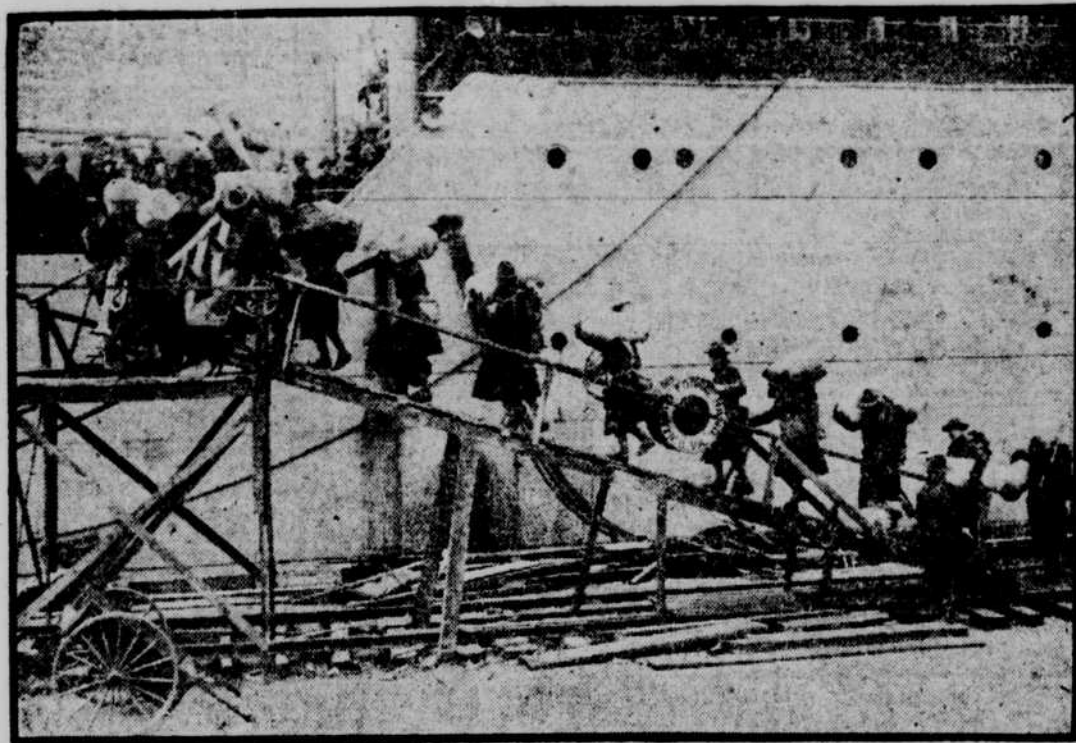
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Four Deaths and \$4,569,357 Loss. Year's Fire Total

Fire Prevention Methods Are Urged in Report of State Fire Commissioner—Two Die in Omaha.

Lincoln, Jan. 15.—Fire destroyed property valued at \$4,569,357 in Nebraska in 1923, according to the annual report of State Fire Commissioner L. B. Frye, issued today. The causes of the 1,476 fires reported to the commissioner range from incandiarism to smoking in bed, the latter being responsible for four blazes.

Four persons lost their lives, and 11 were seriously injured, the report shows, in fires, 80 per cent of which could have been prevented with a little care, according to Frye.

"The necessity of fire prevention work is not yet impressed upon the people," the report declares, and cites instances when the efforts of fire inspectors to eliminate dangerous conditions were hampered by property owners who resented the investigation.

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Fred Ambrose of Crete, and Frank Crist of Anselmo. The number of inspections made is given as 13,157, and from these inspections 3,837 instances of defective wiring were disclosed and 4,887 cases were found where it was necessary to order the property owner to clean up.

Some of the causes of fire and the number resulting follows: Incendiarism—Omaha, 3; Lincoln, 12; balance of state, 23; total, 38; sparks from chimneys—Omaha, 210; Lincoln, 132; remainder of state, 124; total, 466; cigarettes—Omaha, 38; Lincoln, 6; balance of state, 13; total, 57; candles from Christmas trees, 12; coffee urns, 3; electric irons, 19; smoking in bed, 4.

Those dying in fires were: Doctor Nelson of Omaha, Mrs. Jennie Smith of Omaha; Thomas Cappelock of Rulo, and a boy in the Eden fire at Beatrice.

The number of fires in Omaha, Lincoln and the remainder of the state is as follows:

	No.	Big Loss.	Contents Lost.
Omaha	230	\$48,718.21	\$1,513,446.24
Lincoln	230	185,123.89	109,467.09
Bal. of St.	614	318,326.85	964,926.78
Totals	1,476	\$1,992,226.16	\$2,587,199.04
Grand			\$4,569,357.29

CALLAWAY—Earl Daily of Arnold was fined \$100 and costs when he pleaded guilty to charges of selling intoxicating liquor. Harry Peterson and Bernard Clinebell, also of Arnold, each were fined \$50 for purchasing the liquor.

FALLS CITY—Members of the American Legion acted as pallbearers at the funeral of Henry T. Vinson-haler, 57, civil war veteran, at Rulo.

BEATRICE—B. C. Burkett, pioneer of oddity and for years prominent in republican politics in Gage county, is seriously ill at his home.

Nebraskan Will Testify to Character of Indian Scout in Libel Action

Falls City, Neb., Jan. 15.—If Mrs. Bridger Hahn of Kansas City, Kan., needs any support in her suit for \$1,000,000 against the Famous Players-Lasky corporation for alleged slander of her father, Jim Bridger, noted Indian scout and discoverer of Yellowstone park, in the film, "The Covered Wagon," she can call on F. M. Thornburg of Salem, according to advices here.

Mr. Thornburg met Bridger at Ft. Laramie, Wyo., in 1863, while a member of Company G, Eleventh cavalry. Bridger took a fancy to the young soldier, who was then but 16, and an intimate friendship sprang up which endured for eight years, until 1871, when Thornburg left Wyoming.

In "The Covered Wagon" Bridger is described as a drunkard and husband of two Indian squaws. This was untrue, Mr. Thornburg says. He has announced his willingness to testify in behalf of Mrs. Hahn.

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Bryan Planks to Make Trouble for Candidates

McAdoo and Underwood to Receive No Comfort From Tour of South by Commoner.

By P. C. POWELL, Washington correspondent The Omaha Bee. Washington, Jan. 15.—A Bryan plot for elimination of McAdoo and Underwood as democratic presidential nominees became known today to McAdoo and Underwood adherents attending the meeting of the democratic national committee.

The first move of the Bryans is to be the speech in New York January 24 by William Jennings Bryan on "Watchman, What of the Night?" The former Nebraska political leader confirmed Edgar Howard's previous announcement.

Opening of Crusade. "It will be on matters political," Mr. Bryan said. "Then I will make a series of public addresses throughout the south, these addresses to have the same tenor as my New York speech."

"Will you come into Nebraska and the middlewest?" he was asked. "Not on that trip, but I will no doubt on a later trip," he says.

Politicians instantly read in Bryan's announcement an intention on his part to outline planks for the democratic platform that are at variance with both the Underwood and McAdoo campaigns. It is believed he will not attack either of these men openly, merely endeavoring to create a demand for a man who can "do it all with his platform."

In short, it is looked upon as another spectacular political evangelistic tour of William Jennings Bryan in an effort to again become the dominant figure in the nation's democracy.

Brother Charley Not Certain. Bryan did not enter into any more

details relative to his endorsement of the Florida university professor for the democratic nomination. He was asked if an attempt would be made to elect delegates in Nebraska pledged to the Florida man.

"I can't say as that," he replied, "but I haven't talked to him about it."

Neither could "Brother Charlie" throw any light on this question. "It may be that no attempt will be made to instruct delegates outside of Florida," he said.

The Nebraska governor was asked if he would insist that the Nebraska delegates be instructed for anyone before going to the convention. He didn't reply directly, merely intimating that unless they were pledged before elected they might vote for some one the people didn't want.

Dr. Jennie Callias on Hand. During the morning Governor Bryan and William Jennings Bryan were led out of doors by newspaper photographers. There, William Jennings Bryan donned a skull cap similar to the one worn by his brother and the Bryan brothers were photographed wearing skull caps.

Edgar Howard, who always has followed William Jennings Bryan in political campaigns, couldn't discuss the candidacy of the Florida man.

"I don't know him or anything about him," Congressman Howard said. Congressmen Shallenbarger and Morehead, other democrats in the Nebraska delegation, were equally reticent concerning the Florida man.

Dr. Jennie Callias, national committee woman from Nebraska, is in the city. Mrs. Howell and Mrs. Norris, wives of the two Nebraska senators, were searching the hotel corridors for Dr. Callias in the afternoon.

Christian to Trade Post. Washington, Jan. 15.—George B. Christian, Jr., hawes secretary to President Harding, has been virtually decided upon by President Coolidge as a successor to Victor Murdock as a member of the federal trade commission.

FALLS CITY—John C. Mullen, president of the Falls City Chamber of Commerce, will deliver the principal address when the program of Falls City talent is broadcast from WOAW, January 24.

Builders Open Convention Here With Election

Banquet to Be Held at Hotel Fontenelle Tonight—Delegates Inspect High School.

Master Builders association of Nebraska opened its two-day convention at Hotel Fontenelle yesterday. Grant Parsons, George A. Lof, D. E. W. Jones, Omaha; Henry Olesen, David City; Ernest Rokahr, Lincoln were elected directors.

Directors, whose terms of office expire next year, are W. J. Assenmacher, Lincoln; Thomas Eastergard, Norfolk; Oscar Ahnquist, Central City; Ralph Kiewit, Omaha.

At noon the members were served luncheon at Technical High school and made a tour of the building.

Reports from the directors, treasurer, commissioner and committees consumed the afternoon.

A round table will be open at the meeting this morning. Allan McDonnell will speak on a "Building Congress" at the afternoon session and J. R. Cain, vice president, Peters National bank, will deliver an address. "Nineteen-Twenty-Four,"

A banquet will be given at Hotel Fontenelle tonight, at which Dr. Edward A. Steiner, professor of sociology, Grinnell college, will speak.

Al W. Bloom will be toastmaster. The Orpheus Male chorus will furnish the entertainment.

Lowry Again Heads Historical Society

Lincoln, Jan. 15.—Dr. H. B. Lowry of Lincoln was today re-elected president of the Nebraska State Historical society at a meeting of the executive board here. John W. Robb, Omaha, was elected to the board of directors to fill the vacancy.

caused by the death of Robert Harvey. One purpose of the meeting was to organize a society of native sons and daughters of Nebraska to keep alive the memories of the state and to uphold its traditions, a plan urged at the meeting by the secretary of the society, A. E. Sheldon.

JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD----A North Woods story of A Gentleman of Courage.

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