

### Eugenics Plan of Dr. Pinto Arouses Furore in Omaha

#### Sentiment Divided on Health Heads Proposal to Annul Childless Marriages in Nebraska.

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It is a good thing. It forces men to treat their like human beings instead of chattels.

Dana E. Van Dusen, city attorney, declared that he was "vigorously opposed" to Dr. Pinto's program.

Standards So High. Mrs. A. H. Fetters, member-elect of the board of education, does not agree with the health commissioner in his charge that when many young people are married both continue their work and deliberately shirk the responsibilities of parenthood.

"I think it would be too bad to deprive young people, who are fond of each other, of the privilege of being married," Mrs. Fetters said.

"I don't agree that most of them get married and continue working just to shirk the duties of home life. It takes so much to live these days, the standards are set so high, and many could not get married if they had to establish a home at the outset. These matters can't be regulated by law; they are in people's hearts. I believe the idea of both working is a temporary arrangement in the minds of most who continue their employment; they intend to have homes and families later."

More Truth Than Poetry. V. J. Czerwinski, health department inspector, has been married five years and there are three children in his home. He does not believe that a marriage is a success unless there are children in the home within a reasonable time. He favors Dr. Pinto's plan for physical examinations of all persons contemplating marriage.

"You can't blame young folks sometimes when both keep at work for a year or so until they get a start," he said.

Dr. C. C. Hall said: "There is more truth than poetry in what Dr. Pinto said. This subject is going to be discussed extensively, in my opinion."

In Hearty Accord. Mrs. Melani Mahoney: "Mr. and Mrs. Fall were at our home Wednesday night and they discussed Dr. Pinto's plan. Everybody thinks Dr. Pinto is right."

Mary Steepy, telephone operator, city hall: "I agree with all Dr. Pinto said."

James Hector, city clerk: "I am in hearty accord with the sentiments expressed by the health commissioner. We all know that what he said is the truth."

Wallace Wilson, superintendent of the board of public welfare: "Married women should be engaged in the business of raising families and keeping their homes. Of course, we know there are exceptions. Some married women are required to work. After marriage, the chief thought should be to have a home and family. That's my idea."

Favors Birth Control. Rev. Ralph E. Bailey said he favors birth control.

"We do not need more children as much as we need better children," the minister said. "If a couple chooses not to have children, that is their own business. I am in favor of an eugenic program. The physical examination idea is a good one for the protection of the unborn."

Rev. Mr. Bailey is minister at First Unitarian church.

"Hands Off!" Says Pastor. Rev. Charles W. Skidger: "In my judgment that is an astounding position for a sane man to take. There have been many happy couples who have never had children, but who have loved each other devotedly, and their marriage has been a success in every sense of the word."

"The commissioner also takes a

strong position on the matter of physical examination. I will admit that in some cases there are grounds for such action, but in my judgment physical examination on the part of the authorities is a gross insult to good people, and the American people won't stand for it.

"In the matter of employment, whether married or single, is up to every person himself and can hardly be interfered with."

"I am fully persuaded that, generally speaking, and in particular in the matter of marriage, the fewer prohibitory laws we can have the better. Marriage is a natural and divine right of every person, and I say 'Keep your hands off!'"

T. J. Copenhagen, delegate to the Central Labor union, said:

"Of course Dr. Pinto is just joking when he talks of a law to revoke marriage licenses unless a family is reared within two years. The basis for his argument, however, indicates plainly that there is something wrong with a system that makes it necessary for a wife and husband both to labor outside the home in order to get by. Instead of a law to cover Dr. Pinto's point, the business interests of the country can correct the situation to a large extent by declining to employ husbands and wives unless there is some unusual circumstance that justifies both seeking employment."

If the home is to survive, the system will have to be changed so that the head of the family can support that head."

Pawnee County Illiteracy Committee Organized. Pawnee City, Dec. 11.—A Pawnee county illiteracy committee has been organized in Pawnee City to supplement and work under the direction of the state illiteracy commission appointed by the governor. A survey of the county will be made at an early date. Mrs. Alberta Ballance, county superintendent of schools, is chairman of the new organization.

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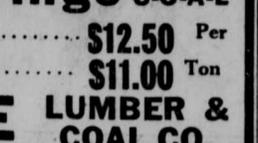
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7:15 P. M.—World-Herald "Uncle Rem's" story hour, conducted by Doris Claire Seaman.

8:15 P. M.—To be announced.

9:15 P. M.—Half-hour musical, by Harry Bradley, violin-conductor, and Frank Strawn, pianist, of Rialto Symphony orchestra.

10:15 P. M.—To be announced.

11:15 P. M.—Current sport events, by Ivan L. Gaddis, sports editor of the Omaha Daily News.

12:15 P. M.—Program of old-time music, arranged by H. G. Kiddoo.

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