

Nebraska CATTLEMEN AND DAIRY OWNERS OF NEBRASKA MEET

Notable Speakers and Experts
in Various Lines Deliver Ad-
dresses Before Gathering
at Capital City.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The
cattle men of the state organized in
the beef industry and its furtherance
held their closing session today, the
morning being spent in a cattle demon-
stration at the pavilion at the state
farm, put on by Elliott Davis of the
farm.
Ellis Rail, editor of the American
Breeder, of Kansas City, Mo., was on
the program for a talk on the funda-
mentals of breeding a herd of cattle.
"Cattle Conditions in Britain" was
the subject of a talk by Kenneth C.
Ikeler of the Iowa State Agricultural
college. Prof. Ikeler has just returned
from a purchasing trip through the
British Isles, and told some interest-
ing experiences of his trip.
The session closed with a cattle
judging contest.

Dairymen Meet Also.
The thirty-second annual meeting
of the State Dairymen's association con-
tinues to draw a large attendance.
Two speakers from out of the state
were on the program, H. S. Hulce,
state experimental farm of Illinois,
and J. B. Irwin of Minneapolis, owner
of the "Irwin farms." F. G. Odell of
the Federal Loan bank of Omaha and
R. A. Smith of the Union Pacific rail-
road, of Omaha, spoke on immigration.
S. E. Howard of the Burlington,
of Omaha, spoke of the advantages
of "Dairying in Western Nebraska."
In the evening the annual dairymen's
banquet was held. Tomorrow
will close the session.

FARMERS' UNION OF NORTH BEND HAS GOOD YEAR

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The
North Bend Farmers' Union Co-oper-
ative association made a good record
during the last year, according to J.
N. Emanuel, member of the board of
directors, who is in Lincoln attending
the meetings of organized agriculturists
this week. The company handled
\$706,024 worth of business at a net
profit of a little over \$19,000. Of this
the greatest profit was made on corn,
which netted the association \$9,156.
Following is an itemized statement:
Wheat purchased.....\$ 52,712
Corn purchased.....247,481
Oats purchased.....36,117
Lumber sold.....46,400
Implement sold.....66,292
Hogs sold.....181,715
Coal sold.....12,562
It is interesting to note that hogs
were the only thing which was handled
at a loss.

Transfer of Rail Property Recorded at Kearney

Kearney, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—There was filed with the county reg-
istrar yesterday a deed of transfer of
all Hastings-Northwestern railroad
properties to the Union Pacific. The
consideration was limited to \$1. It was
dated January 31. In it was
stated that similar registrations had
been made in Hall and Adams coun-
ties. The road transfer involves what
is known as the Hastings-Gibbon cut-
off, a 37 mile stretch of road extending
from a point east of Gibbon to Hast-
ings, thence on through to make a
connection with St. Joe and Kansas
City, Mo. This road has been oper-
ated by the Union Pacific under a lease,
since being constructed.

Arapahoe Home Guard Organized With 150 Members

Arapahoe, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—The Arapahoe Home guard organ-
ized last night with an enlistment of
150 for the first night. Addresses
were made by Fred Kohn and R. J.
Harper, chairman and secretary, re-
spectively, of the County Council of
Defense, and also, John Williams of
Arapahoe. M. R. Williams was elect-
ed chairman and C. C. Richards sec-
retary. The call for volunteers for the
guard was their made, and everybody
in the hall responded. Three civil
war veterans, R. J. Finch, 74 years old,
M. Mitchell, 72, and J. T. Utterback,
71, signed the oath.
The following officers were elected:
Captain, Fred Schardt, Spanish Amer-
ican war veteran; Clyde Toler, first
lieutenant, and Wayne Leonard, sec-
ond lieutenant. Music was furnished
at the meeting by the Arapahoe band.

Byron Precinct Subscribes For \$20,400 Worth of Stamps

Hebron, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special
Telegram.)—The people of Byron
precinct proved their loyalty yester-
day when they purchased \$20,400
worth of War Savings certificates. G.
A. Peterson, county chairman, held
a meeting yesterday morning in By-
ron at which \$2,400 was subscribed.
The surprise of the day came in the
afternoon at a meeting at St. Peter's
German Lutheran church, four miles
from Byron. There were only 28
people present and they purchased
\$18,000 worth of certificates. Thir-
teen men present purchased \$1,000
worth of certificates each.

Syracuse Home Guards Organize and Elect Heads

Syracuse, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—Co. A. Itoe County Home Guards
was organized here last night with
over 100 members. The officers are:
W. W. Bell, captain; W. R. Keithley,
1st. Lieut.; F. E. Wilk, 2d. Lieut.; M. R.
Joyce, O. M. S. The company will
have its regular meeting every Mon-
day night and has set as its mark 100
per cent of the community

NEVILLE SAYS SOLDIERS CAN VOTE BY MAIL

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—A con-
ference was held in the office of Gov-
ernor Neville today in which E. D.
Beach, chairman of the republican
state committee, and Senator John R.
Henry, members of the Special Elec-
tion Commission committee, appoint-
ed to supervise the securing of the
soldier vote, and Secretary of State
Poole were present.
The conference was held for the
purpose of discussing the proposition
of the need of calling an extra session
of the legislature to enact a law which
would properly cover the present sit-
uation regarding the soldier vote.
It was thought best to submit the
present law to the superior court and
get a ruling as to its workability and
then if the court decided adversely
on the law that it might require an
extra session.
It is up to the governor to prepare
a plan. He believes that a "vote by
mail," under protection of army of-
ficers would solve the matter.

J. W. Marples Is Appointed To New Position at Beatrice

Beatrice, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—The board of supervisors appoint-
ed J. W. Marples, a member of the
board and formerly in charge of the
organization, deputy county clerk.
Mr. Marples immediately tendered
his resignation as a member of the
board to take effect January 21.
W. F. Lillie, a farmer living south
of Rockford who specializes in seed
corn, yesterday sold five bushels of
corn while in the city at \$5 per bushel.
Some of the farmers believe that seed
corn will bring \$15 per bushel this
spring.
Lieutenant J. E. C. Fisher of this
city who left Beatrice a few weeks ago
for the fighting front yesterday cabled
his wife that he had arrived safely
"somewhere in France."
Gus Brandt was sentenced to 88
days in the county jail here yesterday
by County Judge O'Keefe for refus-
ing to properly support and care for
his family. He is the first prisoner
to be confined in the new county jail.
William Walker of Blue Springs
against whom charges of disloyalty
were recently filed and who was to
have been tried at a hearing by the
council of defense at Wymore next
Friday evening, was in the city yester-
day and showed his patriotism by buy-
ing a Liberty bond, joining the Red
Cross and subscribing liberally to the
Young Men's Christian association war
work fund. As he had shown his
loyalty to the government in the
present crisis the case against him has
been dropped.

Pioneers of Otoe County Are Called by Death

Avoca, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—An unimproved 80 acre farm, two
miles west of town, sold for \$16,200
this week. Henry Wohlers was the
purchaser.
Elijah Luff, one of the large land
owners of Otoe county and a pioneer,
died at his home near Unadilla last
Sunday. Mr. Luff was born in Som-
ershire, England, 1834. In 1863
he homesteaded the farm, where he
had since resided.
John E. Tordoff and Miss Leona M.
Durr, well known Otoe county young
people, were married Tuesday at St.
Joseph's catholic church near Paul,
by Rev. C. F. Broermann.

Valuation of Rock Island Ordered by State Commission

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—The physical valuation of the Rock
Island railroad in Nebraska has been
ordered by the State Railway com-
mission and the valuation department
will soon begin the work. It will
cover the actual value of the prop-
erty as it now stands, except grading,
it being impossible at this time to
secure grading sufficiently able to
properly cover that item of the
property of the company.
According to the commission of
this state, Judge Pollock of Kansas
has refused to take action in the
cases before the courts of that state on
the rate matter until the government
has signified its policy toward intra-state
matters.

State School Law Board Makes 66 Mineral Leases

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Sixty-
six mineral leases were made by the
state board having in charge the
school lands of this state at its meet-
ing yesterday. The leases cover lands
ranging from 80 acres in Lancaster
county to a section of land in many
of the counties formerly in the "short
grass country" but which has been
made famous in the past year because
of potato discoveries.

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FIREMEN HEAR OF YEARLY LOSSES

Commissioner Ridgell Tells Vol-
unteer Fighters in Fremont
What Has Been Sustained
in 12 Months.

Fremont, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—Losses from fire in Nebraska have
averaged over \$2,000,000 annually for
the last few years, according to the
report of Fire Commissioner W. S. Rid-
gell of Lincoln at the afternoon ses-
sion of the state convention here to-
day. The per capita losses from fires
in the principal cities of the state are
as follows: Omaha, \$5.09; Lincoln,
\$2.42; Grand Island, \$2.75; York, \$10.
25; Hastings, \$10.63; Fremont, \$12.57;
Norfolk, \$13.73.
Commissioner Ridgell advocated
the appointment of a fire prevention
committee in each town in the state.
He set forth that big losses result to
insurance companies and the people
through the carelessness of fire insur-
ance agents who fail correctly to ap-
praise property values.
He favored the enactment of laws
that would punish insurance com-
panies that allow over-insurance of
property. At the afternoon session
Ross L. Hammond of Fremont ad-
dressed the firemen on his recent trip
to the European battlefield. The
convention voted to maintain an official
paper but to furnish no funds for
publicity purposes. The legislative
committee in its report favored the
payment of membership of all mem-
bers who are now in any branch of
the army service and recommended
for local departments to do likewise
for their members. To date 207 mem-
bers have been added to the Mutual
Insurance society.

Meet at Fremont.

Fremont was chosen for the meet-
ing place in 1917 of the Nebraska
Volunteer Firemen's association at
the business session here late this
afternoon. An invitation was extend-
ed by the Fremont Commercial club
and the Fremont fire department.
Membership in the Firemen's Mut-
ual Aid Insurance association was
raised to 501. The new officers are:
President, John W. Guthrie, All-
iance; first vice president, William
P. McCune, Norfolk; second vice
president, Robert Lewis, Humphrey;
secretary, R. A. Miller, Kearney;
treasurer, F. B. Tobin, Sidney.

Paralysis Takes Mrs. Heim, Aged Louisville Woman

Louisville, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Spec-
ial.)—Mrs. Theodore Heim died early
this morning at her home in this city
of paralysis. She was 81 years of
age. She leaves a husband and eight
grown children.
Word was received here this morn-
ing that Mrs. John Hennings, sr. had
died at an Omaha hospital, where she
had been taken for an operation.

Mrs. Morgan Divorced.

Mrs. Lillie Morgan was granted a
divorce in district court from B. L.
Morgan, a well known Fremont trav-
eling salesman. Mrs. Morgan was
given \$700 in alimony and the house-
hold goods in a property division.
Cruelty was alleged. The defendant
failed to appear.
Thick Ice in Fremont.
Ice 20 inches thick, the heaviest
in the history of Fremont, is being
cut from the lakes in this vicinity.
Upwards of 10,000 tons will be har-
vested for storing in Fremont and for
shipment to towns in this section of
the state.

A. M. Trimble Returns From Brother's Funeral in Illinois

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—As-
sistant Adjutant General A. M. Trim-
ble of the grand army, department
of Nebraska, returned this morning
from attending the funeral of his
brother, R. V. M. Trimble of Prince-
ton, Ill., who died suddenly last
week.
The Illinois brother was command-
er-in-chief of the Grand Army of the
Republic in 1911-12 at the same time
that the Nebraska brother was de-
partment commander of Nebraska
Grand Army of the Republic, and was
for 26 years circuit judge of Illinois.
He was 76 years old.

Dinner for Soldier Boy.

A dinner was given by Dr. and Mrs.
W. Arrossmith last Monday evening
in honor of Lee Colburn who is
home from Camp Funston on a five
day furlough.

FROM ALFRED C. McGLONE
Candidate for City Commissioner,
Popular Ticket.
TO my loyal supporters, SUBJECT
—Am I entitled to your support?
I firmly believe that the affairs of this city can
be conducted economically, yet rendering adequate
service to all the people at the time without dis-
tinction.
I will absolutely have all the people's interest
at all times.
If you can see yourself justified in supporting
me at the January 22nd, do all you can to
help me. I am entitled to a fair consideration. I
will do my utmost to prove worthy of the trust
that you may place in me.
Whatever I do shall be done for the right, no
matter whom it pleases or displeases.
I will appreciate the support of each and every
citizen of Omaha who believes in me and those
who are looking for good government.

WOMEN OPEN SESSION OF WAR CONFERENCE

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Jan. 17.—The woman's
section of the big Nebraska war con-
ference opened here Thursday morn-
ing. Fifty-three women representing
48 counties of the state attended the
annual meeting of the women's com-
mittee of the Nebraska State Coun-
cil of Defense.
Mrs. Keith Neville, honorary chair-
man of the organization, opened the
conference with an address of wel-
come in which she made a plea for
an earnest, zealous effort for the
coming year in carrying out the big work
outlined for the women in the win-
ning of the war.
Sarka Hrbkova, state chairman, in
her talk said: "We are the most
democratic organization of women in
the state because our membership is
made up of all women loyal to Amer-
ican institutions, and everything we
must do must be real constructive
work."
"Women in War Work" was the
subject of Mrs. Philip N. Moore, of
Washington, D. C., at the evening
session in St. Paul's church. She is
of the women's committee of the
Council of National Defense.

Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton Observe 60th Anniversary

Friend, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stapleton of this
place are celebrating their 60th wed-
ding anniversary. They were married
prior to the breaking out of the Civil
war. Mr. Stapleton enlisted in Co. C,
113th Illinois Volunteers. Both Mr.
and Mrs. Stapleton are enjoying good
health. No general invitations to
this event were issued, and only a few
near relatives joined with them in
their anniversary dinner.
They were, however, showered with
letters and cards of congratulations.

Rock County Chapter of Red Cross Makes Shipment

Bassett, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—Rock county chapter made a January
shipment of the following knitted
goods: 32 sweaters, 15 pairs socks, 10
pairs thumbless mittens, 4 hemlets and
4 scarfs. The Newport branch will
also make shipment soon, and another
shipment by the county chapter yet
this month.

Harry O. Palmer Speaks In Theater at O'Neill

O'Neill, Neb., Jan. 17.—(Special.)
—That it is a small request to make
of a civilian population, for the govern-
ment to ask them to change their hab-
its from profligate spending to care-
ful saving, was a thought expressed by
Harry O. Palmer, executive secretary
to Ward M. Burgess, state director of
war savings, when he spoke here at a
theater tonight. He said that the
soldier who crossed the sea and gave
his life for America and world free-
dom did not get back his life, the
principal of his investment in this
great war much less interest on the
principal, and yet the nation when it
asks for the use of money from its
civilian people agrees to return the
principal and pay the finest rate of in-
terest that it has ever paid on a loan.

Rural School Problems Discussed at State Farm

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—J. D.
Ream, Broken Bow; J. O. Shroyer,
Humboldt; W. H. Campbell, Central
City; Prof. C. W. Pugsley of the
University of Nebraska farm and one
or two others discussed the problems
connected with the rural schools at
the meeting of the State Association
of Rural Schools today. The discus-
sion ended with a round table talk
in which many features needed to fur-
ther the success of the rural schools
of the state were brought out.

Welcome House Probe.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Chairman
Hurley of the shipping board told the
house rates committee today that the
senate investigating of shipping has
been so helpful that the board would
welcome a similar inquiry by the
house.

Home Economics Society Continues its Program

Lincoln, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The
home economics association contin-
ued its program this morning with an
all at home line-up of speakers, clos-
ing the afternoon session with a talk
by Katherine Kranor of Lincoln on
"History of Costume," emphasized
with lantern slides.
The horticulturists continued their
program today with an all at home pro-
gram in which Prof. Julia Vance of
the university farm emphasized the
need of a more organized effort in
maintaining the reputation of the Ne-
braska potatoes.

Richardson Man Fined For Killing a Deer

Lincoln, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Dep-
uty Game Warden George Harms,
who has developed into a Sherlock
Holmes, has further put himself on
record as a sleuth of some conse-
quence by running down James Phil-
lips and bringing him before the tri-
bunal of justice for killing a deer.
The animal was killed December
19, but on a slight clue Harms ar-
rested his man, who confessed and
was assessed a fine of \$100 and costs
additional of \$7.20. The deer was
killed near Humboldt, in Richardson
county.

Riots in Malaga.

Madrid, Jan. 17.—Further disorders
occurred today at Malaga as the re-
sult of the closing of the workshops.
Two women were killed and many
others were injured in fighting while
the police were restoring order.

Tells How to Stop a Bad Cough

Surprising results from this home-
made syrup. Easily prepared
and costs little.
If you have a severe cough or chest
cold accompanied with soreness, throat
tickles, hoarseness, or difficult breathing
or if your child wakes up during the
night with cough and you want quick
help, just try this pleasant tasting
home-made cough remedy. Any drug
gist can supply you with 2 1/2 ounces of
Pinex (40 cents worth). Pour this into
a pint bottle and fill the bottle with
plain granulated sugar syrup. Thus
prepared, you have a pint of really re-
markable cough remedy—one that can
be depended upon to give quick and last-
ing relief at all times.
You can tell it is take hold of a cough
in a way that means business. It
loosens and raises the phlegm, stops
throat tickle and soothes and heals the
irritated membranes that line the
throat and bronchial tubes with such
promptness, ease and certainty that it
is really astonishing.
Pinex is a special and highly con-
centrated compound of genuine Norway
pine extract, and is noted for its speed
in overcoming severe coughs, throat and
chest colds. Its millions of enthusiastic
users have made it famous the world
over.
There are many worthless imitations
of this noted mixture. To avoid disap-
pointment, ask for "2 1/2 ounces of
Pinex" with full directions and don't
accept anything else. A guarantee of
absolute satisfaction or money promptly
refunded, goes with this preparation.
The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Dandruff Surely Destroys The Hair

Girl—if you want plenty of thick,
beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all
means get rid of dandruff, for it will
starve your hair and ruin it if you
don't.
It doesn't do much good to try to
brush or wash it out. The only sure
way to get rid of dandruff is to dis-
solve it, then you destroy it entirely.
To do this, get about four ounces of
ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at
night when retiring; use enough to
moisten the scalp and rub it in gently
with the finger tips.
By morning most if not all of your
dandruff will be gone, and three or
four more applications will completely
dissolve and destroy every single sign
and trace of it.
You will find, too, that all itching
and digging of the scalp will stop, and
your hair will look and feel a hundred
times better. You can get liquid arvon
at any drug store. It is inexpensive
and four ounces is all you will need,
no matter how much dandruff you
have. This simple remedy never fails.
—Advertisement.

Wartime Recipe FOR GRAY HAIR

Actress Gives Simple Inexpensive
Recipe for Streaked or Faded
Gray Hair.
Mrs. Mackie, the well known New
York actress, now a grandmother, and
whose hair is still dark, recently made
the following statement: "Gray
streaked or faded hair can be imme-
diately turned black, brown or light
brown, whichever shade you desire,
by the use of the following simple
remedy that you can make at home:
"Merely get a small box of Orlex
powder at any drug store. It costs
only 25 cents and no extras to buy.
Dissolve it in one ounce of water and
comb it through the hair. Full direc-
tions for use come in each box.
"You need not hesitate to use Or-
lex, as a \$100.00 gold bond comes in
each box guaranteeing the user that
Orlex powder does not contain silver,
lead, zinc, sulphur, mercury, aniline,
coal tar products or their derivatives.
"It does not rub off, is not sticky
or greasy, and leaves the hair fluffy.
It will make a gray haired person
look many years younger."—Adver-
tisement.

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NEW YORK LIFE

INSURANCE COMPANY

346 & 348 BROADWAY - - NEW YORK CITY
(Organized under the laws of the State of New York)

TO THE POLICY-HOLDERS AND THE PUBLIC:

Admitted Assets, Dec. 31, 1917..... \$934,929,381.52

These assets are the property of over 1,000,000 peo-
ple with their dependents (in accordance with their
contractual rights). The Company is purely mutual;
it has no capital stock.

Legal Liabilities..... \$760,742,335.52

Reserved for dividends payable in 1918	\$26,561,063.64
Reserved for dividends on deferred dividend policies maturing subse- quent to 1918.....	107,041,778.00
Reserved for Contingencies.....	40,584,204.36
Total.....	\$934,929,381.52

**For the year 1917 the Company's mortality rate
was the lowest in its history**

Average earning power of total Ledger Assets—
December 31, 1917, 4.59%.
December 31, 1916, 4.54%.

New paid business for the year.....	\$316,000,000
Outstanding insurance, end of 1917.....	\$2,673,000,000
Paid policy-holders during year.....	\$87,000,000

**The annual dividend rate of 1917 will be
maintained in 1918.**

Liberty Loan Bonds owned Dec. 31, 1917.....	\$12,075,000
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SUPPORT THE GOVERNMENT

**We urge all policy-holders to buy War Savings
and Thrift Stamps.**

**We have directed all Agents to take no application
for insurance from a soldier or sailor unless the appli-
cant already has the limit with the Government.**

BACK UP THE GOVERNMENT

A detailed statement will be sent to any person asking for it

January 14, 1918. DARWIN P. KINGSLEY, President.

For Bilious Troubles

That heavy headache, torpid
liver, sick stomach, bitter taste
in mouth, furred tongue, dull
eyes and muddy skin, all come
from a poor supply of bile.
These unhealthy conditions are
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which stimulate the liver,
regulate the flow of bile,
sweeten the stomach, and
renew healthy bowel action.
A household remedy ap-
proved by sixty years of pub-
lic service. For every-day
illnesses, Beecham's Pills
**are a tested
Remedy**

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

**Just One Application
and the Hairs Vanish**

(Modes of Today)
A harmless, yet very effective
treatment is here given for the quick
removal of hairy growths. Mix
enough powdered delatone and water
to cover the undesirable hairs, apply
paste and after 2 or 3 minutes re-
move, wash the skin and the hairs
have vanished. One application usu-
ally is sufficient, but to be certain of
results, buy the delatone in an origi-
nal package.—Advertisement.

TO BREAK A GOLD IN ONE DAY

**WEEKLY BREAK
GOLD TABLETS**

THE ONLY TABLETS
THAT PROMISE TO
DO SOONER FOR