

Nebraska

NEVILLE LAUDS FIREMEN AS AID IN WAR CRISIS

Governor Praises Men Who Protect Property of Citizens at Time When Enemy Torch Is Everywhere in Land.

Fremont, Neb., Jan. 18.—(Special Telegram).—Governor Neville in an address at the banquet of the Nebraska Volunteer Firemen's association here last evening, said that one of the serious problems confronting this country today is bringing into line through laws to be enacted alien enemies. Governor Neville said the state council of defense today started a movement that will no doubt result in putting to a vote this fall the amendment to the state constitution preventing unaturalized citizens from exercising the rights of the voters.

Better environment must be provided for the education of the coming generations, so that only true, loyal citizens will result. Discretion must be used, he said, but immediate action is necessary. American ideals must be taught.

Tribute to Firemen.

The volunteer firemen were paid a high tribute for their loyalty and devotion to duty. More than ever, he said, their services are needed to protect the property of the citizens of the state and the foodstuffs needed to feed the armies that are fighting for world democracy.

More than 400 firemen attended the convention. "Uncle John" Cleland of Fremont, known as the father of the association, presided as toastmaster. Toasts were given by Harry J. Hauser, Fremont, retiring president; John W. Guthrie, Alliance; William P. McCune, Norfolk; E. A. Miller, Kearney; Lloyd Thomas, Alliance; Fire Commissioner T. C. Ridgell, Lincoln; Rev. W. C. Rardin, Mitchell; F. B. Tobin, Sidney, and George F. Wolz, Fremont.

York County Red Cross Has More Than 7,000 Members

York, Neb. Jan. 18.—(Special).—The Red Cross chapter for York county has completed the canvass and reports 7,205 members enrolled and \$7,490 paid in.

The York County Dental society met January 15 and elected Dr. C. S. Byrnes president and Dr. T. J. Hatfield secretary.

J. W. Ashmore, a merchant at McCool, died January 15, aged 58 years. Mr. Ashmore had been in business in McCool 17 years.

Dr. Stewart Bell has entered the hospital service in the United States army. He has been ordered to Base Hospital No. 1, New York City.

The Lytle Implement company has sold out to the Rystrom Implement company of Stromsburg, and the Rystrom business here will be removed to the Lytle Implement house. Mr. Samuelson of Stromsburg will be the new manager for the Rystrom Implement company.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following: Gerhard Fink of Beaver Crossing and Christana Nielsen of Exeter; Carl Wellman and Katie Stach, both of Waco.

The board of supervisors have made an estimate of the running expenses of York county for the year 1918, \$76,580.

Marvin Paige of Creston, Ia., and Miss Veronica C. Grant of Adair, Ia., were married Wednesday morning at the convent chapel. Rev. T. Cullen officiated.

Civil War Veteran Dies

At Tecumseh; Ill. Long Time

Tecumseh, Neb., Jan. 18.—(Special).—Job Allen Dillon, who has resided in Tecumseh continuously since 1871, died at his home here at midnight. He had been in failing health for some time and was 75 years old. Mr. Dillon was born on a farm near Springfield, Ill. June 5, 1843, and was reared in that section. He served during the civil war with Company E, Forty-first Illinois volunteer infantry, saw many engagements and was a prisoner at Jackson, Miss. Mr. Dillon was educated at the public schools and at Mount Zion Presbyterian college. He was married in Springfield, June 11, 1867, to Miss Jennie Oder and they located in this county in 1871. He had been in business here for years. Two children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dillon, one dying in infancy. The living daughter is Mrs. Jessie D. Thurber, wife of S. W. Thurber of Tecumseh. The widow also survives. The funeral will be held at the home Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

David Hume Charged With Mistreating Young Girl

Chappell, Neb., Jan. 18.—(Special).—Sheriff Jesse Sitton of Cheyenne county returned today with David Hume, who was arrested at Valentine, charged with mistreating Helen Dymann, 16 years old, of Lodgepole, Neb. Hume is 22 years old and his parents are prominent people residing north of Lodgepole. Hume is in the county jail.

Princess Pat Survivor

Lectures at Sterling

Sterling, Colo., Jan. 18.—(Special).—Sergeant Hanley, one of the 13 survivors of the Princess Pat regiment, was here in the interest of the Sterling home guards. The total receipts went to the Red Cross, which were \$172.50. The Sterling Grain and Live Stock company donated \$250 to the Red Cross.

CORN BY-PRODUCTS CAUSE HIGH PRICE

Prof. Gramlich Tells Improvers Some Reasons Why It Maintains Figure That Seems Prohibitive.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 18.—(Special).—High prices of feed have placed the live stock feeders of the state in a difficult position, Prof. H. J. Gramlich told the corn improvers' association at its meeting at the state farm.

"Farmers who overbid packers to get some cattle a few months ago would have to stand a loss if they sold right now," he declared.

"A few years ago people would have scoffed at the farmer who sold his corn and then hauled out other feed to his farm, while today the opposite condition prevails.

Much Fat Unpatriotic.
"The secret of high corn prices seems to lie in the tremendous development of the corn by-products business. I am reliably informed that there is one factory in Iowa that is grinding 20,000 bushels of corn a day just to get the oil from it."

The professor declared that it is unpatriotic to "finish" cattle beyond a certain point. "The extra fat is simply wasted since it is sold to the consumer and, of course, is not eaten. The butcher and packer do not trim away the fat since it spoils the appearance of the carcass."

Hundreds Have Come.
Organized agriculture has opened in earnest. Hundreds of farmers are in attendance, and it is believed that by the end of the week attendance records will be broken. The state horticultural society is holding its sessions down town, while the corn improvers' association, sheep breeders and home economics associations met at the university farm Tuesday.

Charles Cadwallader told the sheep men that they should take as much care of their wool as they would of cream or butter. He indicated that the sheep business had been conducted often upon a hit or miss method. "We need national and state legislation that will protect the sheep men," he added. "There should be an adequate tax on dogs and the money should go into a fund to reimburse the sheep men for the sheep that are killed."

Grain Coming Food.

Prof. F. W. Upon predicted that should the war continue several years more cattle and fewer hogs would be raised. "Cattle may be produced very largely on the land unfit for raising grains and they may be brought to maturity on less grain than is required for hogs," he said. "This situation has already come about in Germany."

"For the future I believe that we

will use less meat and eat more of our grains, especially corn. As the population becomes more dense and food more scarce, larger and larger areas of our tillable lands will be given over to the raising of grain. Dairying will be increased. Our necessary beef will be raised to a very large extent on the ranges," in the rough country which will not produce grain. Vast areas of land of this sort are still undeveloped."

Plattsmouth Commercial Club Holds Annual Meet

Plattsmouth, Neb., Jan. 18.—(Special).—Last night the Commercial club of this city held its ninth annual banquet at the Hotel Wagner. The speakers were Mayor John P. Sattler, superintendent of the Plattsmouth schools; G. E. DeWolf and Rev. M. A. Shine of this city and Judge Paul Jenson of Nebraska City. W. A. Robertson, president of the Commercial club, was toastmaster.

The county fuel committee met here yesterday to arrange the prices for fuel in this county.

First Lieutenant Lawrie W. Whiracre of Camp Sherman, O., who is on a furlough for 20 days, was united in marriage with Miss Flossie Bute of Hastings at the home of E. H. Westcott, the Rev. H. G. McCluskey officiating. The bride is one of the teachers of the Plattsmouth public schools.

Lieutenant Whitacre departed this morning for Aurora, where he will visit with his brother, A. G. Whitacre, and his father, John Whitacre of Winfield, Kan., who is visiting at Aurora. Lieutenant Whitacre will return in a few days for a short stay with his bride before going to the east. Mrs. Whitacre will continue teaching for this term.

COMMITTEE NAMED TO MEET SPEAKERS

Prominent Nebraskans Will Greet Visitors to State War Conference; Saturday Big Day at Meeting.

Lincoln, Jan. 18.—(Special).—A committee to receive and entertain the visiting speakers on Saturday—the second day of the Nebraska War conference and the Nebraska Four-Minute Men conference—was announced this morning by the Bureau of Speakers and Publicity of the State Council of Defense.

The speakers, who will arrive tomorrow morning from the Kansas War conference, are Gurney E. Newlin, representing the Council of National Defense and the United States Shipping board, and John Daniels Barry of Boston, journalist and author, just returned from the French front. Mac Martin and Prof. B. G. Nelson of the University of Chicago, who arrived this morning for the Four-Minute men conference, will also be entertained tomorrow by this committee.

The members of the committee are: Governor Keith Neville, Lieutenant Governor Edgar Howard, Vice Chairman George Coupland, State Council of Defense, Richard L. Metcalf, State Council of Defense, Prof. M. M. Fogg, director, Bureau of Speakers and Publicity, State

Council of Defense; state chairman, division of Four-minute Men, John L. Kennedy, federal fuel administrator for Nebraska, Gordon W. Wattle, federal food administrator for Nebraska, Adjutant General G. E. Clapp, Mayor J. E. Miller, Lincoln, Chancellor Samuel Avery, University of Nebraska, Chairman E. P. Brown, Lancaster County Council of Defense.

Chairman W. D. McHugh, Douglas County Council of Defense, Omaha, Dr. P. L. Hall, Lincoln, President B. A. George, Lincoln Commercial club, Lincoln, Chairman W. E. Hardy, Lincoln chapter of the Red Cross, Lincoln, Will Owen Jones, Nebraska State Journal, John L. Cutright, The Lincoln Daily Star, Victor Rosewater, The Omaha Bee.

Henry E. Newbranch, The Omaha World-Herald, Paul R. Butler, The United Press, Lincoln, C. R. Stephenson, The Associated Press, Lincoln.

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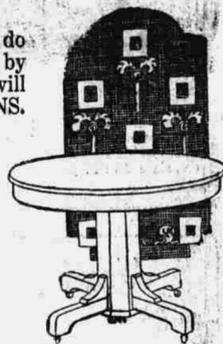
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- \$15.00 Ivory Reed Armchair or Rocker, upholstered with Cretone.....\$10.00
- \$37.00 Mahogany Chiffonier.....\$24.00
- \$50.00 Mahogany Chiffonier.....\$32.50
- \$56.00 Mahogany Chiffonier.....\$38.00
- \$28.00 Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet.....\$22.50
- \$15.50 Ivory Chiffonier.....\$10.00

- \$20.00 Brown Fibre Settee.....\$15.00
- \$50.00 Very Fine William and Mary Settee, with cane panelled back and tapestry cushioned seat for.....\$37.50
- \$27.00 Chair to match.....\$19.00
- \$12.50 Substantial Golden Oak Rocker with Spanish leather Auto Cushioned Seat.....\$8.75
- \$36.00 Solid Mahogany Chair or Rocker, upholstered in Mulberry Velour.....\$19.75
- \$28.00 Walnut Chiffonier.....\$15.00
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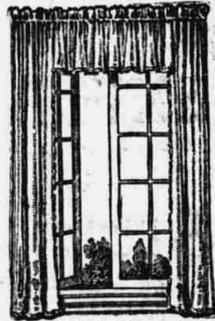
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The Drapery Dept.

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 - \$12.50 Axminster Rug, 46x6-6.....\$9.95
 - \$56.00 Hartford Saxony Rug, 6x9.....\$39.50
 - \$45.00 Hardwick Wilton, 6x9.....\$36.00
 - \$37.50 Bagdad Wilton, 6x9.....\$29.50
 - \$26.50 Body Brussels, 6x9.....\$21.50
 - \$36.00 Body Brussels, 8-3x10-6.....\$27.50
 - \$80.00 Hartford Saxony, 8-3x10-6.....\$57.50
 - \$28.75 Seamless Axminster, 8-3x10-6.....\$24.50
 - \$19.50 Seamless Brussels, 9x12.....\$17.50
 - \$33.00 Axminster, 9x12.....\$28.75
 - \$19.50 Brussels Rug, 9x12.....\$17.50
 - \$59.50 Standard Wilton, 9x12.....\$49.50
 - \$85.00 Hartford Saxony, 9x12.....\$65.00
 - \$95.00 Bundhar Wilton, 9x15.....\$57.50
 - \$125.00 French Wilton, 10-6x12.....\$95.00
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