

Nebraska WAR CONFEREES BACK PRESIDENT FOR WAR COURSE

Democracy Trying to Show Its Superiority in Present Conflict, Says Newton; Resolutions Are Adopted at Lincoln.

Lincoln, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Three democracies—England, France and the United States, are trying to show that only under democratic conditions can a nation be prosperous and happy," is the opinion of G. E. Newton, representative of the National Council of Defense, who spoke today before the state and county defense meeting in this city, at the war conference.

Mr. Newton also said that the United States was supreme in its conceit. A year ago he said 60 per cent of our people thought that "after congress declared war it would be only a matter of 60 days till everything would be settled now, we must face facts."

He advocated the building of ships as one of things needed at this time to insure a successful termination of the war.

Stand By Wilson.
The following resolution was passed, presented by a committee consisting of H. H. Campbell, Folk county; John H. Morehead, Richardson; E. O. Weber, Saunders; E. P. Brown, Lancaster; F. M. Housh, Antelope:

"First, we congratulate President Wilson upon the vigorous prosecution of the war and we, as citizens of Nebraska, particularly endorse and congratulate him upon his last great message which established without question the war aims of the United States at this time, and has set them out so plainly and boldly that all people cannot but know that the United States stands for a world governed by the people of the small state as well as by the large. This great state paper will stand as a document which will speak for a unanimous world with a purpose so definite that the large state will never again in a world safe for democracy be allowed to oppress the weak.

Endorse State Council.
"Second, we endorse and commend the State Council of Defense for its general activity in all of its war policies and pledge it our hearty cooperation and support in its further deliberations. We take particular pride in endorsing the State Council of Defense for its work in relieving our public and private school systems of what has been a most un-American policy, namely, that of the teaching of the foreign languages in the lower grades. We believe that this action will bring what should be now a country with one language; we endorse the action of the council in taking steps to secure by initiative such amendments to our voting laws as will deny the right of suffrage to all save native born and fully naturalized citizens of the state, and we call on all loyal people in our state to support such measures.

Let Soldiers Vote.
"Third, we are heartily in favor of securing to our soldiers and sailors the right to vote regardless of where they may be located or of the branch of service they may be in, and we endorse the action of Governor Neville in taking steps to ascertain whether the present law is adequate to that purpose, and should it be determined that it is not, we pledge him our hearty support in calling the legislature in special session for the purpose of enacting a law broad enough for that purpose. The entire citizenship of Nebraska recognizes the debt we owe the men who have entered and who will enter our country's service and feel that a great injustice will be done them should they be deprived of the privilege of exercising the right of suffrage, and we believe the law should be broad enough to allow every sailor and soldier from Nebraska, serving his country, to vote regardless of age.

Endorse Censorship.
"Fourth, we recognize the pernicious effect that a disloyal German press might have and we heartily endorse the censorship being now exercised by the government and commend the same, but recognizing the fact that some German language papers are loyal and doing good, effective work, we do not advocate the suppression of the German press at this time, but we do recommend that any publication in that language which persistently attempts to promulgate seditious or disloyal principles should be suppressed."

Man Convicted of Robbing Freight Depot at Auburn

Auburn, Neb., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—This morning Special Agent B. J. Kelly of the Missouri Pacific and Deputy Sheriff C. H. Davis of this city arrested L. A. Brown, a freight hustler, on the charge of stealing freight from the freight depot. He was tried in the county court and confessed to having stolen shoes, hardware, groceries. He was given a jail sentence.

The Woman's club of this city held its annual banquet last evening. A literary and musical program formed the entertainment followed by a luncheon.

Mayor W. P. Freeman of this city was taken to Lincoln this afternoon to receive treatment at the hospital. Mr. Freeman has been in poor health for several months and is considered in a serious condition. He is an old time resident of this county and has been prominent in community and political affairs for many years.

Fairbury News Notes.
Fairbury, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—H. E. Allen, Rock Island division superintendent, is in Des Moines, Ia., attending a meeting of first district superintendents. The following officials are working on a new time card that will go into effect on the Nebraska division January 27.

Ralph A. Collister of this county, and Miss G. Alma Sewerter of Centerville, Ia., were married at the Christian church parsonage by Rev. J. K. Shellenberger.

Thrift Stamp Campaign Is on in Cherry County

Valentine, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Stimulated by the fine showing that is being made by the Omaha committee on war savings, and in spite of the difficulties of travel in Cherry county, Chairman of War Savings H. W. Davenport launched the big campaign for the sale of thrift and war savings stamps here today. Harry O. Palmer, executive secretary to Ward M. Burgess, state director of war savings, reached Valentine last night and addressed the entire high school and grades here this afternoon. He also spoke to a mass meeting in the district court room. Mr. Palmer was in Brown county yesterday and will spend tomorrow in Sheridan county, where he will speak at Gordon.

Because of the difficulty in reaching the ranchers in the south section of Cherry county, Mr. Davenport asked that these men buy at once without being called upon the largest amount possible of the war savings stamps. Others of the Nebraska counties with limited facilities are having this same difficulty in selling stamps to the rancher and farmers who live off the railroads, and the county chairmen are asking that the patriotic farmers and ranchmen take steps at once to buy stamps and notify them.

Burt County Farmers Say They're Champ Corn Growers

Tekamah, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Farmers in Burt county smile at notices about big corn raised elsewhere in the state. Ears like the Gage county farmer had are common in the fields of this county. On the farm of C. G. Norseen and worked by R. E. Blankenbiller this fall two years were plucked the last fall and are on exhibition at the Fuller & Norseen store. One yellow ear was 52 kernels long and 30 rows around and contained 1,560 kernels. The other ear was of the red variety, 52 kernels long and 20 rows around. Both varieties were fully matured, there having been no soft corn on the farm the last year. The red ear was 14 inches in length and, as compared with the corn that has been proclaimed as the champion ear of the state, is much larger.

Alexandria in Front Rank in Patriotic Endeavors

Alexandria, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Alexandria placed itself on the patriotic map again today with both feet. At an immense mass meeting held in the opera house the sale of baby bonds topped by far any town in Thayer county, surpassing even the county seat, Hebron, by \$1,000. The total sales of the meeting amounted to \$21,100.

This village of 400 people sent the largest number of volunteers of any town in the county, there being 35 from this immediate vicinity. A splendid Red Cross organization is in the order here and AMERICA FIRST is the slogan of every man, woman and child.

Belvidere Citizens Buy Large Quantity of Stamps

Belvidere, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Under the direction of C. A. Peterson of Hebron, chairman for Thayer county, for war savings stamps, a meeting was held this afternoon. Belvidere subscribed to the amount of \$16,025, which is the largest amount subscribed by any town in the county outside of the county seat. There were eight individual subscriptions of \$1,000 each.

Nuxated Iron Makes Strong, Vigorous, Iron Men and Beautiful Healthy Rosy Cheeked Women

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In a recent discourse on the subject of iron deficiency in the blood of American men and women Dr. H. B. Vail, formerly physician in the Baltimore Hospital, said: "Throughout my experience as Hospital Staffs and as Medical Examiner, I have been astonished at the number of patients who have vainly doctored for various diseases when in reality their delicate, run-down state was simply the result of lack of iron in the blood. Time and again I have prescribed organic iron—Nuxated Iron—and surprised patients at the rapidity with which the weakness and general debility were replaced by a renewed feeling of strength and vitality. I took Nuxated Iron myself to build me up after a serious case of nervous exhaustion. The effects were apparent after a few days and within three weeks I had virtually revitalized my whole system and put me in a superb physical condition. It is not surprising that millions of people annually are now taking Nuxated Iron and physicians everywhere are prescribing it. Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly Physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital, says: "For want of iron you may be an old man at thirty, dull of intellect, poor in memory, nervous, irritable and all run-down, while at 50 or 60 with plenty of iron in your blood you may still be young in feeling, full of life, your whole being brimming over with energy and vital force."

Former Health Commissioner Wm. R. Kerr, of the City of Chicago, says: "I am well past my three-score years and want to say that I believe my own great physical activity is due largely today to my personal use of Nuxated Iron, and if my endorsement shall induce anemic, nervous, run-down men and women to take Nuxated Iron, and receive the wonderful tonic benefits which I have received, I shall feel greatly gratified that I have made an exception to my lifelong rule in recommending it. From my own experience with Nuxated Iron I feel that it is such a valuable remedy that it should be used in every hospital and prescribed by every physician in this country."

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ENGLISH SPEAKER WINS HEARTS OF ALL

Sir Frederick Smith, Attorney General of Great Britain, Impresses Nebraskans by His Talk.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Few men have addressed a Nebraska audience and so completely won the hearts of the people as did Sir Frederick E. Smith, attorney general of Great Britain, at the war conference in session this week. He was a typical British gentleman, always at ease, but with an accent which made his address all the more interesting.

At times he would speak earnestly and unconventionally to the vast audience which packed St. Paul Methodist church as if he had been talking to a friend. There was an appeal in his manner and his words carried conviction. He felt that America had just as much at stake as any of the rest of the allies, but while not speaking in a critical way, he believed that if the United States could have gotten into the fight before Russia got out the present might have been different.

Nebraska Patriotic.

Mr. Smith said that in all the 12 great centers he had visited in his hurried trip to the United States, with one exception the Nebraska demonstration eclipsed them all. The world at large had been somewhat critical of Britain's conduct in the war for the reason that little publicity has been given her losses, the casualty list of Great Britain amounting to more than one and one-half million of men. Eighty-two per cent of these came from the island of England alone. He said that it was the feeling among prominent men of England that it were better to have America in the fight, unprepared as she was, rather than the entire mobilization of Russia.

Military Funeral For Lad Who Lost Life in Auto Crash

Fairbury, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Ermon C. Denney, the Fairbury soldier boy who lost his life in Denver from injuries received in an automobile accident Sunday, was buried in Fairbury Friday afternoon.

This was a Masonic and military funeral, probably the first military funeral held in this part of Nebraska. A firing squad was sent from Fort Crook to attend and to give the customary honors of war at the grave. The church services were conducted by Rev. R. N. Orrill.

Charles H. Denney, the lad's father, is mayor of Fairbury and Acting Mayor A. M. Berry issued an order closing business houses during the funeral hour.

Golden and Fumed Oak, from \$19.00 to \$42.00, now—\$14.50 to \$30.00

Many Steel Beds \$13.50 to \$25, now \$10 to \$17.50.

Many Brass Beds \$17.50 to \$65, now \$10 to \$45.

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All 1 and 2-pair lots 1/2 price. All 3 and 6-pair lots 1/2 off.

Tapestry and Furniture Coverings greatly reduced.

Hoag Elevator Company Holds Annual Meeting

Beatrice, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—At the annual meeting of the Hoag Farmer's Elevator company a dividend of 20 per cent was declared. The company had sold \$128,384.50 worth of grain and purchased \$124,108 worth, making a net gain for the year of \$4,276.50. The following officers were elected: President, Fred Niemyer; vice president, Henry Reimer; treasurer, J. H. Penner; secretary, L. Koenig. H. J. Buss, who had been president of the company for 12 years, tendered his resignation.

Mrs. C. M. Tribbett of Yuma, Colo., who came here last week to visit with relatives, died at a local hospital yesterday morning, aged 54 years. She is survived by her husband, mother and four brothers. The body will be interred in Mission Creek cemetery near Liberty next Monday.

J. J. Nichols, who was seriously injured at Wymore Wednesday by being crushed in an electric motor at Mel Rawlings' ice plant west of that city, is improving, and it is now thought he will recover. His arm was so badly crushed that it was amputated.

The Cortland Telephone company held its annual meeting and voted to increase the salary of its operators. These officers were elected: President, Ben Jackson; vice president, Perry Burling; secretary, Frank Miltenberger; manager, David Boesiger; directors, F. H. Will Pape, W. C. Lucke.

Rev. J. N. Pennington has resigned as pastor of the Baptist church at Liberty and accepted a call from the Baptist church at Ragan, this state. The funeral of the late Mrs. John Wilkinson was held yesterday from the family home in charge of Rev. C. F. Stevens. The body was taken to Chester, Neb., for interment.

Suggest Plan For State To Help in Coal Saving

Lincoln, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—In the interests of conservation of light and fuel a great deal could be saved along that line by closing the state house offices a part of each afternoon on certain days and especially on those days when the cold is so severe that in spite of a constant stuffing of the furnaces at the heating plant, many of the offices are too cold for comfort. It has been suggested that one or two days each week the clerks could work through the noon hour and quit at 1 or 1:30 and the fires could then be allowed to subside. By the closing of the offices two things would be subserved—coal and light—for most of the offices are so poorly lighted that electricity is burned continuously all day.

Red Cross Entertainment at Sheldon Realizes \$500

Sheldon, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—A successful entertainment, auction and dance was held in Redington's hall last night, the proceeds of which will be used by the local chapter of the Red Cross. The Red Cross will have over \$500 with which to purchase supplies for relief work. A jazz band from Hastings furnished the music. A class in gauze work is now being organized.

Bond Proposition Carries.

Falls City, Neb., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—At a special election held here yesterday for the purpose of voting bonds for light extension and water extension, the propositions carried by a large majority. There was a total of 834 votes cast. Only about two-thirds of the voting population went to the polls. Bonds to the amount of \$15,000 for electric light extension carried by a majority of 422, and bonds to the amount of \$60,000 for water extension carried by a majority of 439.

State Defense Board Sen' Wire to Wilson

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The State Council of Defense has assured the president of the United States that the people of Nebraska are all republicans. "Then it takes a second thought and assures him that we are 'all democrats'; then taking another thought it assures him further that we are 'all independents,' and finally gives him to understand that after all we are 'all Americans.'"

Neville Honors Two Requisitions From South

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Two requisitions were granted by Governor Neville today on request of the governor of Missouri. They were for: Paul Chenoweth, alias John Riggs alias Bummy Riggs, wanted for burglary and William Mund alias Walter O' Hope charged with assault with intent to kill.

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Wonderful Bargains in American Rugs

All sizes and makes in the sale, a few of which we list:

\$6.25 Bundhar Wilton Rug, 27x54 . . . \$4.95	\$36.00 Body Brussels, 8-3x10-6 . . . \$27.50
\$8.75 French Wilton Rug, 27x54 . . . \$6.95	\$80.00 Hartford Saxony, 8-3x10-6 . . . \$57.50
\$14.25 Hartford Saxony Rug, 36x63 . . . \$9.95	\$28.75 Seamless Axminster, 8-3x10-6 . . . \$24.50
\$12.50 Axminster Rug, 4-6x6-6 . . . \$9.95	\$19.50 Seamless Brussels, 9x12 . . . \$17.50
\$56.00 Hartford Saxony Rug, 6x9 . . . \$39.50	\$38.00 Axminster, 9x12 . . . \$26.75
\$45.00 Hartford Wilton, 6x9 . . . \$36.00	\$19.50 Brussels Rug, 8x12 . . . \$17.50
\$37.50 Bagdad Wilton, 6x9 . . . \$29.50	\$59.50 Standard Wilton, 9x12 . . . \$49.50
\$26.50 Body Brussels, 6x9 . . . \$21.50	
\$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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