

## Nebraska

## GENEVANS WANT GRAND JURY IN SCHOOL SCANDAL

Citizens of Town Where Girls' Institution Is Located Demand Probe of Its Management.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
Lincoln, Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—There is considerable agitation in Geneva for calling a grand jury to look into the conduct of the state industrial school, according to Assistant Attorney General Mungler, who has in charge the prosecution of Prof. Fagan in behalf of the state.

Fagan was yesterday bound over to the district court for alleged attempt to perform a criminal operation upon the person of a girl employe of that institution, and now lies in the county jail awaiting trial, which will be in April.

Recent action of the deposed matron, Miss McMahon, in removing from the institution bath room fixtures which had been put in her private apartments at her own expense and contrary to the wishes of the board, will not be discussed by the board. The property taken out amounted in value to \$150, and the walls of the room were considerably narrowed when the fixtures were removed. Action will be taken to get the equipment or sufficient funds to replace it, but farther than that the board will not say.

## Speakers Explain Why Food Should Be Saved

Norfolk, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Three Norfolk churches were packed to capacity Tuesday night when three national speakers, under the direction of State Administrator G. W. Wattle, explained reasons why the administration is asking to eliminate waste in foods.

The speakers were Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, president of Leland Stanford University; Everett Colby of Orange, N. J., member of the American food commissioner; and Mrs. Isabel G. Beecher.

The civilian relief department of the American Red Cross started its campaign in north Nebraska Tuesday afternoon when Miss Verna Elsing, representative of the Central Red Cross department, held meetings in Norfolk with Red Cross officials. Miss Elsing will visit chapters throughout north Nebraska in order to bring relief to dependents of soldiers who are now in the service.

State officers of Knights of Pythias lodge were in Norfolk Tuesday to attend a district meeting of that organization. A big banquet was held Tuesday night and was presided by a business session participated in by delegates from all parts of north Nebraska.

Robert Preboda, 2½-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Preboda, died here Monday morning as the result of choking from a piece of corn cob.

## Woman Suing City for Injuries Caused by Fall

Beatrice, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Anna Gardner yesterday filed suit for \$2,000 damages against the city for injuries sustained in a fall she received at Seventh and Market streets. She alleges that the city was careless in allowing a pile of dirt to fall on the walk, causing her to fall and injure her spine.

Mrs. John Taylor, an old resident of Blue Springs, died at her home Monday. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, with interment in the Blue Springs cemetery.

Charles Neuman and Esther Freeman, both of this city, were granted a marriage license yesterday afternoon, and were married by Judge O'Keefe.

Joseph Wade of this city yesterday enlisted in the medical corps of the army and left today for Fort Riley, Kan.

Eighteen Class A1 men successfully passed their physical examination at the war office yesterday.

Mrs. Jane Knight, a native of Argyle, Scotland, and for nearly 60 years a resident of Gage county, died at her home in this city yesterday, aged 90 years.

## Big Estate Involved in Suit in Lexington Court

Lexington, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—When the district court convenes Thursday the fight for the estate of the late Peter S. Hammond will begin. Mrs. Susan R. Hearle is fighting for a widow's portion of the estate. She alleges she was the common law wife of Mr. Hammond.

The brothers and sisters of Mr. Hammond, and J. H. Kelley, the administrator, will object to the testimony of Mrs. Hearle because of the statute of this state which rules out the evidence of one directly interested in transactions with a deceased person.

Arthur Allen Evans, formerly known as Arthur Hammond, who claims the estate as the adopted son of Mr. Hammond, is not a party to the struggle between Mrs. Hearle and the brothers and sisters. Evans was taken into the Hammond home when he was 6 years of age and always regarded himself as a son.

## Many Speakers Explain Object of Armenian Drive

Table Rock, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Six or eight autos went out here last night with a speaker in each, on the "Armenian drive" to explain at the different school houses in this vicinity to the people in attendance the meaning and necessities of the Armenian drive.

Prof. L. R. Trout, who has been superintendent of the Table Rock schools for the past five years, has just been elected as superintendent of the city schools of Harvard, Neb., for the school year of 1918-1919.

At a meeting of the Table Rock Commercial club, held last evening at the city hall, the following were elected for the ensuing year: J. N. Phillips, president; C. I. Norris, vice president; William Porter, second vice president; F. H. Taylor, secretary; C. L. Wood, treasurer.

## ELDRED WILL TAKE CASE TO HIGHER COURT

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Edward M. Eldred, Alliance, one of the rich cattle men of Nebraska, is perfecting his appeal and will go to the United States supreme court for a final decision whether he is owner of 3,400 acres of land southwest of Alliance, worth in the neighborhood of \$70,000.

In a case in the federal court for the district of Nebraska, Judge Wade held that the land claimed by Eldred belonged to the government and was subject to homestead entry. At the trial it came out in testimony that the land was enclosed by a fence and that it was occupied by Eldred as a pasture. Eldred contended that the tract had been purchased in small parcels from homesteaders. The government charged conspiracy in the matter of securing title.

## Petitions Are Circulated For and Against County Agent

Minden, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Two meetings have been held by a government representative trying to convince the farmers to employ a county agent. The government urges that it is a war measure and the government is desirous to have such an agent in every county in Nebraska. The farmers, however, have not taken kindly to the idea. At the first meeting a vote showed that there were 56 against and 50 for the plan. At the last meeting a small proportion were for it, while a large majority were against the idea. An organization was effected whereby petitions will be circulated to get the necessary 10 per cent of the owners of farms in order to hire the agent. It is reported that petitions are also circulated against the project.

## Suspend Ordinance Against Piggens in Back Yards

Fremont, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Pigs may be kept in Fremont back yards, so long as they do not become a nuisance. The ordinance prohibiting the keeping of pigs within the city limits was temporarily suspended at a meeting of the city council, and permission granted to those who want to raise their own pork to do so.

Councilman Claire Harrington was accused of being unpatriotic for opposing the pig-in-the-back-yard movement. The council passed an ordinance at the first reading, providing for a special election this spring when the voters will be asked to vote bonds in the sum of \$75,000 to finance a new sewage disposal plant.

## ADAMS HAS BIGGEST DRAFT DEFICIENCY

Must Supply Twenty-Nine Men to Cover Lack of Eighty-Five Per Cent of Men for the Army.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
Lincoln, Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Adams county will have to supply 29 men yet to cover its deficiency on the 85 per cent draft for the army, according to the figures compiled from the office of the governor and in addition to the 15 per cent will have to furnish 19 more. This is the largest deficiency reported for any county. The state still lacks 80 men to supply the deficiency and by the 15 per cent yet to come will require 991 men. Counties will receive credit for voluntary induction in the service, but this will come out of the 15 per cent. All deficiencies as shown below must be made up entirely. Following is the list by counties:

County	De-	15
	ficiency	per cent
Adams	29	19
Antelope	1	21
Artesian	1	21
Banner	1	21
Blaine	1	21
Boone	2	13
Box Butte	5	13
Boyd	1	13
Brown	1	13
Buffalo	1	13
Burt	1	13
Butler	1	13
Callahan	1	13
Cedar	1	13
Chase	1	13
Cherokee	1	13
Cheyenne	1	13
Clay	1	13
Colfax	1	13
Cuming	1	13
Custer	1	13
Dakota	1	13
Dundy	1	13
Dawson	1	13
Deuel	1	13
Dixon	1	13
Dodge	1	13
Douglas	1	13
Dwight	1	13
Fillmore	1	13
Franklin	1	13
Frontier	1	13
Furnas	1	13
Gage	1	13
Garden	1	13
Hall	1	13
Gosper	1	13
Grant	1	13
Greene	1	13
Harfield	1	13
Hamilton	1	13
Harrison	1	13
Hays	1	13
Hitchcock	1	13
Holt	1	13
Hooker	1	13
Howard	1	13
Jefferson	1	13
Johnson	1	13
Kearney	1	13
Keith	1	13
Kearney	1	13
Knox	1	13
Lancaster	1	13
Lincoln	1	13
Logan	1	13
Loup	1	13
Madison	1	13
McPherson	1	13
Merriam	1	13
Merrick	1	13

Morrill	1
Nemaha	1
Nemola	1
Nuckolls	1
Osage	1
Perkins	1
Phelps	1
Pierce	1
Platte	1
Polk	1
Radwin	1
Richardson	1
Rock	1
Saunders	1
Scotts Bluff	1
Seward	1
Sheridan	1
Sherman	1
Sioux	1
Stanton	1
Thayer	1
Thomas	1
Thurston	1
Valley	1
Washington	1
Wayne	1
Webster	1
Wheeler	1
York	1
City of Omaha	1
Division No. 1	1
Division No. 2	1
Division No. 3	1
Division No. 4	1
Division No. 5	1
City of Lincoln	1
Division No. 1	1
Division No. 2	1
Totals	80

**Nebraska Farmer Called Before Defense Council**  
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## Man Dies From Injuries Caused by Falling Tree

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## South Side Woman Finds Ground Glass in Bread

A half loaf of bread, which she said contained particles of ground glass, was turned over to South Side police officers by Mrs. George Elster, 4833½ South Twenty-fourth street, Wednesday morning. The bread was purchased at a well known South Side grocery store.

## Correcting an Error.

Through error the W. M. Clement Motors Co. have been shown in an advertisement as local dealers representing the "Liberty" line. The W. M. Clement Motor Co., asserts Mr. Clement, "are distributors for the Omaha territory and have a direct contract with the factory."

## OMAHA EXHIBIT BEATS THEM ALL

Man Who Attended Shows at Detroit, Chicago and Kansas City Says Omaha Is Best.

"New York alone, of all the auto shows held this season can be put in the same class with the Omaha exposition," said William L. Killy, general manager of the Noyes-Killy Motor company. "I attended the shows at Detroit, Chicago and Kansas City and this far exceeds anything shown there."

"Omaha is way ahead of Detroit and is more attractive than Kansas City. The cars are well displayed and the exhibitors are taking care to keep their booths clean and orderly. The decorations are the most beautiful shown this year and visitors are all enthusiastic over the patriotism shown in the conduct of the show."

"Dealers in Omaha territory are showing great interest in the show. They are coming early and in greater numbers than on previous years. The cheaper cars do not seem to attract dealers and prospective purchasers as in previous years. The more durable cars are in demand and the majority of buyers are looking for a car that will give the maximum of service."

## OMAHA DEALERS ASKED TO HOLD SUPPLY OF CORN

Omaha Grain exchange is in receipt of a communication from Food Administrator Hoover requesting that during the next three weeks all members of the local exchange desist from selling corn for shipments to domestic points.

Mr. Hoover calls attention to scarcity of food supplies in the allied countries of Europe, adding that in order to win the war the soldiers there and the people generally must be supplied with provisions if the war is to be won.

In making his request that the corn coming to the Omaha market be held for export Mr. Hoover asserts that similar requests have been made of the members of other grain exchanges and boards of trade throughout the country.

It is suggested that all corn in storage at this time be run through dryers and as quickly as possible be put into condition so that it can be sent abroad.

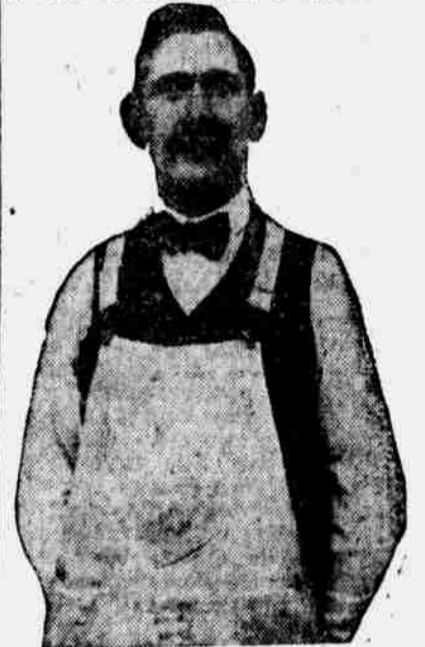
So far as the members of the Omaha Grain exchange are concerned practically all of them stand ready to comply with the request of Mr. Hoover, aiding in every way possible to get every available bushel of corn to Europe as rapidly as trains can carry it to the seaboard and ships can transport it across the ocean.

## Without an Operation

Wonderful Healing of Rupture

How a New Jersey Man Got Rid of Severe, Obstinate, Right Inguinal Hernia Without the Slightest Trouble.

Below is a picture of Eugene M. Pullen, a well-known carpenter of Manasquan, New Jersey. If you could see him at his work, particularly when he handles heavy timber, jumps and climbs around like a youth, you would scarcely imagine that he had formerly been afflicted with a rupture.



**Ruptured in Right Side.**  
At an early age, Eugene Pullen was an express driver. He handled railroad baggage. One day after delivering a heavy trunk on an upper floor he felt a pain in the right groin. The suffering increased and it was not long before the young man noticed the swelling.  
The doctor told young Pullen that he was ruptured and that he must either wear a truss throughout life or submit to a drastic operation. All surgeons know that hernia operations with anaesthetics, etc., are dangerous; they may end fatally. Moreover, it is a well established fact that many rupture operations are not successful; the bowel soon breaks through the sewed-up opening and protrudes worse than ever.  
**Afraid of Operation.**  
Like most others, Mr. Pullen declined to take the risks of an operation; the expense and loss of time had to be considered, too. Hoping he might get a little better encouragement, he went to another physician, who, to his sorrow, gave him even less hope. It was pointed out to the young man that unless the rupture were perfectly held all the time or the surgeon's knife successfully used, he might expect an increase or doubling in the rupture with further complications, or the dreaded strangulated hernia, which kills so many ruptured people.

**Victim of Trusses.**  
The victim bought a truss, a hard, spring-like affair, the best he could get. It tortured him. He tried another—still no relief. He was compelled to give up his express business. The hard tasks of ordinary men were forbidden him. He became an insurance agent, in which position he did not need to do bodily work.

For six years Mr. Pullen dragged around, using various trusses, hard, elastic, etc., with never any contentment. One day his mother told him something she had just found out. It was a simple and easy thing for him to do. He lost no time.

**Discarded His Truss.**  
Relief came at once; he almost forgot that he had any rupture. Afterward came a cure—a complete healing—and, although years have passed and Mr. Pullen is an energetic carpenter, working on buildings, climbing over roofs, lifting lumber and such like, he is absolutely free from the old hernia. He knows he is completely, lastingly cured. There was no operation, no loss of time, no trouble—comfort and contentment from the very outset. He is a strong, cheerful-minded man.

**Valuable Information Free.**  
The valuable information which Mrs. Pullen read in a newspaper many years ago and gave to her son, together with further important facts, will be sent free to any reader of this who writes to Eugene M. Pullen, 1140-D Marcellus Avenue, Manasquan, N. J., enclosing a stamp for reply. Mention the kind of rupture you have, whether on right or left side and what you have already done in your effort to cure it. A legion of cases of all kinds of rupture in men and women, including inguinal (groin), femoral, navel, scrotal, etc., have been reported completely healed. Age seems to make no difference. —Advertisement.

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## Cured His RUPTURE

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no loss of time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a complete cure without operation, if you write to me, Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 1140-D Marcellus Avenue, Manasquan, N. J. Better cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation. —Advertisement.



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