

Nebraska

U.S. TO AID STATE IN BUILDING 1,600 MILES OF ROADS

State Engineer Johnson Tells Attendants at Lincoln Institute Extent of Construction for Present Year.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Attendance at the state road institute had increased considerably today and the programs are being carried out in a most interesting manner.

J. C. Wonders, federal district engineer, gave the association the rules laid down by the administration for obtaining federal aid. He urged the delegates to read the federal laws carefully. He gave a history of road building from the first national road in 1840 down to the present day.

State Engineer George Johnson Omaha will select 80 of Nebraska built this year in Nebraska under federal aid, but the road improvements to get such aid would have to be made in a manner satisfactory to the road commission.

Former Mayor George Wolz of Fremont said, already one firm in Fremont was operating a line of motor transfer trucks making regular trips from Fremont to Omaha carrying stock and returning with goods. He thought good roads would help to solve transportation difficulties.

Other speakers were Dr. George E. Condra, Professor L. W. Chase, Acting Chancellor Hastings of the University of Nebraska, and B. A. George of Lincoln.

Democrats in Congress Lay Plans for Fall Elections

Washington, March 12.—Democrats of both the senate and the house will meet tonight to reorganize the democratic congressional campaign committee to take charge of the fall congressional elections.

Representative Doremus of Michigan, who has directed the last two campaigns as head of the committee, will resign from the chairmanship in order to devote his time to other congressional business and Representative Ferris of Oklahoma, chairman of the house committee on public lands, will be chosen to succeed him. The committee comprises a representative or senator from each state.

Ice Cream Makers Meet To Discuss Use of Sugar

Beatrice, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—A meeting of 25 creamery and ice cream manufacturers of the south Platte country was held here this afternoon to discuss the use of sugar in the manufacture of ice cream. Government allowance for this purpose is only 80 per cent of the amount used last year. Manufacturers believe they should conserve the use of butter fat in making ice cream, but no action was taken. Addresses were given by Prof. Franzen of Lincoln and Prof. Hinds of Kansas.

Interstate Commerce O. K.s Increased Commodity Rates

Washington, March 12.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today approved an application by western railroads for increased import and export commodity rates between Pacific coast ports and interior points. Increases asked on sisal used in making binder twine were denied.

Nonpartisan League Heads Are Indicted by Grand Jury

Fairmont, Minn., March 12.—A. C. Townley, president of the National Nonpartisan league, and Joseph Gilbert, a state officer of the organization, were each indicted on two counts by the Martin county grand jury late today, charged with "issuing and circulating a seditious pamphlet tending to discourage enlistments." The two counts are based on the distribution of two pamphlets.

Funeral of M. N. Troupe Will Be Held Wednesday

Kearney, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The funeral of M. N. Troupe, city commissioner, who dropped dead at his home Saturday night from stroke of apoplexy, will be held Wednesday afternoon. He is survived by five children.

Dr. Keith Re-elected Head of Nebraska Court of Honor

Hastings, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. W. W. Kieth of Hastings was elected state chancellor, Dr. Ada Platz, Beatrice, state recorder, and R. P. Winkelman, Omaha, state treasurer of the state Court of Honor today.

Governor Pardons Man Sentenced for Drunkenness

Grand Island, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Governor Neville has pardoned George Guenther, sentenced to 45 days in jail on second conviction for drunkenness. Local officials were not consulted.

North Platte News Notes.

North Platte, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The second of a series of Red Cross "teas" was given this afternoon by the Order of the Eastern Star. Those taking part were Misses Ruth and Alice Loan, Mrs. Melton, Miss White, A. F. Trapp and Elsie Waltham.

John Haisfield of Birdwood has been summoned to appear before the State Council of Defense in Lincoln on March 14 charged with making unpatriotic remarks and threats about the war situation for several days past.

Dr. J. E. Davis of Kansas City will speak on Liberty loans at a patriotic meeting at the Franklin auditorium tomorrow evening.

STOCKHOLDERS NAME OFFICERS OF PACKER FIRM

Capital of Higgins Company Increased to \$5,000,000 and Plans for New Building Discussed.

J. F. McArdle was elected president of the Higgins Packing company at the meeting of the stock holders Monday. M. J. Higgins was elected secretary, W. A. George, former state treasurer, was made treasurer, and L. E. Langhorst of Elmwood was elected vice president.

It was decided that, on account of the close association of the Higgins family with this project, and the fact that the family holds so large a block of stock, the name of the Higgins Packing company shall be retained. Recently there had been some thought of calling it the Union Packing company.

Now Making Plans. Architects now are working on plans for an entirely new and much larger plant for the company. The new plant will be built near the old one, and will have much more than double the capacity of the old.

The construction of this new plant will be the culmination of plans formulated by the late Michel Higgins. His son, M. J., is now merely going ahead with the project his father had mapped out.

The completed new plant will have a capacity for the killing of from 1,000 to 1,500 hogs daily, 3,500 to 4,000 hogs, and a like number of sheep.

When the new plant is completed the old one will be remodeled for a soap factory, and for the manufacture of other by-products.

Capital Stock Raised. Amended articles of incorporation have been filed by the company raising the capital stock to \$5,000,000. Under the present plans the company expects to be able to break ground within 30 or 60 days and to have the plant ready for operation in six months after that time.

Every modern device known to the packing industry is to be included in the equipment.

New Grain Company Files Papers of Incorporation

Avoca, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Articles of incorporation of the Dunbar Grain company were filed with the county clerk of Otoe county. The capital stock is \$25,000. Following are its officers: President, C. J. Mullis; vice president, J. P. Baker; secretary, W. G. Hall; treasurer, Thomas Murray.

Matthiesen Gives Dinner To District School Board

Blair, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—County Chairman Ed Matthiesen, of the war savings organization, entertained at dinner the school district officers of the county Saturday night. Fred Claridge and Mr. Matthiesen talked on the plan for the war savings campaign of March 22. About 50 were present at the dinner.

MISS NORRIS WEDDED TO LIEUT. NELSON

Harry Sloan, Nephew of Congressman on Way to California; Many Nebraska Visitors at Capital.

Washington, March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Senator and Mrs. George W. Norris announce the marriage of their daughter, Marion, to Lieutenant Harvey A. Nelson of the 339th field artillery, stationed at Camp Dodge, Ia., on Saturday at 4 o'clock, at the Washington home of the senator and Mrs. Norris in Cleveland park.

Miss Norris who has been a student at the University of Nebraska, joined her parents in Washington last Friday. Lieutenant Nelson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Nelson of Omaha.

Harry B. Sloan, son of William J. Sloan, and nephew of Representative Charles H. Sloan of Geneva, is in Washington on his way to the Remount station at Camp Fremont, near San Francisco. Private Sloan has just been released from Base hospital No. 1, the Bronx, where he has been confined by illness for several weeks.

Many of his comrades in the veterinary corps of which he is a member, are already in France, having gone over in December.

Young Sloan has been granted a five-day extension leave, before going to his regiment.

Senator and Mrs. Hitchcock returned from a two weeks' trip to St. Augustine, Fla., today.

James L. Paxton of the Paxton-Mitchell company, Omaha, is in Washington on business connected with the government.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Driscoll announce the birth of a son this morning. Mr. Driscoll is secretary to Chief Justice C. J. Smythe of the court of appeals.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Enfield of Lincoln, are receiving congratulations over the birth of a son today. Mr. Enfield is secretary to congressman Reavis, of the First Nebraska district.

Representative Kinkaid has been assured by officials of railroads that the Burlington and Northwestern are co-operating in the North Platte valley to relieve the car shortage complained of by shippers.

ALEX THE GREAT WILL JOIN CUBS AT KANSAS CITY

Chicago, March 12.—Grover Cleveland Alexander, star pitcher of the Chicago Nationals, who has been holding out for \$10,000 as a bonus for his transfer from Philadelphia, advised President Weeghman of the club today that he would join the team en route to the Pasadena, Cal., training camp at Kansas City tomorrow.

Weeghman exchanged telegrams with Alexander at his home in St. Paul, Neb., but he said the subject of a bonus was not discussed. The pitcher's willingness to join the club tomorrow is taken to indicate that his demands will be adjusted. Weeghman declined to make a statement in this regard.

The players will leave for California tonight.

STATE WILL AID ALL FARMERS WHO NEED LABORERS

Deputy Labor Commissioner Norman Takes Up Farm Help Proposition and Works on the Solution.

Farmers throughout the state are urged to avail themselves of the opportunities to get help through the state labor department at Lincoln and the co-operative public employment office at Omaha, both of which will do everything possible to furnish help where needed, says George E. Norman, deputy labor commissioner. Mr. Norman adds:

"We do not wish to give the impression that there is any great surplus of farm help, for such is not the case, yet at this time this office has on file 15 to 20 married men who are seeking an opportunity to secure places on farms. Many are being placed every day, but there are still that many in waiting.

Not Considered Serious. "A survey of farm labor conditions did not indicate any serious shortage of farm help, this survey being made by the agricultural department recently.

"A similar condition existed last fall in regard to corn husking. Everything seemed to indicate that not enough help could be secured to gather the crop. It was planned to dismiss the schools and colleges to enable the students an opportunity to help harvest the crop. This department by making inquiries and advertising in other states where the crop was short, was able to bring in an ample supply of experienced help to gather the crop, and could have had a great deal more if it had been necessary.

"It has been definitely decided by those who have made a study of the situation and are in position to know, that the shortage of labor in some localities is caused more from the lack of a proper means of distribution of labor, than from an actual shortage of help. The state and national labor departments have recognized this fact and are working right together to provide an efficient means of distribution of labor."

Complete Plans for Big War Savings Stamp Drive

Tekama, Neb., March 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The Burt county war savings committee completed plans for putting on the war savings drive, March 22.

On Wednesday three meetings will be held in the county which will be attended by the school moderators, directors and treasurers from the county school districts.

County Chairman John Nesbit and Superintendent Poucher will attend these meetings and explain the war savings plan for the March 22 drive.

Teachers Give Box Social To Buy Piano for School

Fullerton, Neb., March 12.—A box social was held at the Liberty Knoll school near Fullerton for the purpose of purchasing a piano for the school. The social was given by the teachers, Misses Vogel and Barnard, assisted by the Farmers' union. The amount realized was \$240.

General Gibson Says Every Soldier Who Goes to the Front Should Take Nuxated Iron

General John L. Clem, Who Was Sergeant in the U. S. Army at 12 Years of Age, General David Stuart Gordon, Hero of the Battle of Gettysburg, Judge Samuel S. Yoder, for 18 Years a Practicing Physician and Formerly Surgeon Major in the Army, Also Tell How They Were Benefited by a Short Course of This Remarkable Product.

Dr. James Francis Sullivan and other physicians explain that Nuxated Iron helps to increase strength and endurance and build up weak, nervous, run-down folks.

"What every soldier needs is tremendous 'stay there' strength, power and endurance, with nerves of steel and blood of iron. To help produce this result there is nothing in my experience which I have found so valuable as organic iron—Nuxated Iron."

Dr. James Francis Sullivan says: "I have personally found it of such great value as a tonic, strength and blood builder that I believe if General Gibson's advice were followed many of our fighting men would find it of great benefit. In my opinion there is nothing better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron—for enriching the blood and helping increase strength, energy and endurance."

General Horatio Gates Gibson says Nuxated Iron has brought back to him in good measure that old buoyancy and energy which filled his veins in 1847 when he made his triumphant entry with General Scott into the City of Mexico.

Another remarkable case is that of General David Stuart Gordon, noted Indian fighter and hero of the battle of Gettysburg. General Gordon says: "When I became badly run down this year I found myself totally without the physical power to 'come back' as I had done in my younger days. I tried different so-called 'tonics' without feeling any better, but finally I heard of how physicians were widely recommending organic iron to renew red blood and rebuild strength in worn-out bodies. As a result I started taking Nuxated Iron and within a month it had roused my weakened vital forces and made me feel strong again, giving me endurance such as I never hoped to again possess."

Another interesting case is that of General John Lincoln Clem, who at the early age of 12 years was Sergeant in the U. S. Army and the last veteran of the Civil War to remain on the U. S. Army active list. General Clem says: "I find in Nuxated Iron the one and ever-reliable tonic. Two months after beginning the treatment I am a well man."

Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital, (Out-door Dept.) New York and the Westchester County Hospital, says every soldier and civilian who wants something to help increase his strength and endurance should have this prescription filled and take Nuxated Iron three times daily as did General John L. Clem and Judge Yoder.

General John L. Clem, U. S. A. (Retired), the drummer boy of Shiloh, who entered the U. S. Army as a drummer boy at the age of eleven years. He was promoted to be Sergeant for gallantry at the battle of Chancellorsville when only 12 years old. He says that Nuxated Iron is the one and ever-reliable tonic—that he obtained most surprising results from its use in two weeks' time.

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General David Stuart Gordon, U. S. A. (Retired), promoted for gallant conduct in the battle of Gettysburg, well-known Indian fighter. General Gordon says: "Despite my own advanced age, Nuxated Iron has made me fit and ready for another campaign, and if my country needs me, I stand ready to go."

Dr. E. Sauer, a Boston Physician who has studied both in this country and great European medical institutions, said: "Nuxated Iron is a wonderful remedy. If people would only take it when they feel weak or run-down, instead of doing themselves with habit-forming drugs, stimulants and alcoholic beverages, I am convinced that there are thousands who might readily build up their red blood corpuscles, increase their physical energy and get themselves into a condition to ward off the millions of disease germs that are almost continually around us. It is surprising how many people suffer from iron deficiency and do not know it if you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-arsenic tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again, and see how much you have gained."

Dr. Schuyler G. Jacques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, New York City, said: "I have never before given out any medical information or advice for publication, as I ordinarily do not believe in it. But in the case of Nuxated Iron I feel I would be remiss in my duty not to mention it. I have taken it myself and given it to my patients with most surprising and satisfactory results. And those who wish quickly to increase their strength, power and endurance will find it a most remarkable and wonderfully effective stimulant."

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How to Make Oatmeal Bread Healthful to Eat—Saves the Wheat. ROYAL BAKING POWDER. FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR.

Every Telephone User Should Read This Letter. Omaha, Nebraska February 20, 1918. Nebraska Telephone Company. Dear Sirs: From time to time you have published excellent little articles on Telephone Etiquette.

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