

GERMOS MAKING 'SECRET BID FOR LEAGUE'S VOTE

Send Peace Emissary Out in State in Effort to Win Farmers Once Called Unpatriotic.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special)—Before the state campaign had progressed very far, democratic state papers, the democratic committee and candidates sought to discredit republican candidates and their committee, claiming that they were seeking assistance from the nonpartisan league, which Governor Neville earlier in the campaign had charged with being unpatriotic and pro-German. The governor had not only charged the farmers belonging to the nonpartisan league with being unpatriotic, but he had ordered them to cease holding meetings, threatening them with being brought before the state tribunal of patriotic justice the State Council of Defense, where they would be dealt with accordingly.

Now the democratic wielding of the battle-axe has been changed to a political song of the siren and every effort is being made to make the men whom the governor charged with being unpatriotic and pro-German, believe that Governor Neville is really their friend and that they ought to vote the democratic ticket.

Evans Is Bid For Support.

The democratic state committee has had among its workers for some time a man by the name of J. E. Evans. This gentleman was during the legislature sergeant-at-arms of the house and is now a member of the nonpartisan league. He was selected as the right sort of man to bring the governor the support of the nonpartisan league members charged by Governor Neville earlier in the game with being unpatriotic.

It is well known that after working along the lines laid down by the democratic state committee several days, he came back loaded down with stories that there was "nothing doing."

Peacemaker Fails.

Again he was sent out and again he came back with pessimistic reports and then it is said that he was fired from the list of messengers, for as a siren songster he could not soothe the farmers to sleep nor convince them that the governor had repented of his acts toward them.

This is the Evans to whom the tell-tale letter of Chairman Sprague was sent. The letter has left the democratic state committee in a very bad position for it is corroborated by the statement of Mr. Evans that the committee has been working double, and while they try to deceive the voters on one hand has been working for nonpartisan league support along opposite lines secretly.

Beatrice Minister Killed In Automobile Accident

Beatrice, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special)—Rev. C. T. Coombs of this city was killed in an auto accident near Milo, Ia., Wednesday. The physician found no bruises or broken bones, and in his opinion Coombs was smothered to death. The driver of the machine escaped injury. In a Mrs. Effie Clark, wife of O. A. Clark of South Beatrice, died last evening of influenza, aged 28 years. Her husband and one son survive.

Albert Pease, died at Albuquerque, N. M., yesterday where he had been for the benefit of his health. He was 26 years of age and leaves a widow and one son.

Thirty-two cases of influenza were reported to City Clerk Graf yesterday. Only one death occurred from the disease.

Nebraska Hogs Sell High; "Flu" Situation Improving

Fremont, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special)—Thirty-six head of hogs sold for \$8,539, an average of \$237 a head, at the semi-annual sale of William Ferguson, well known breeder of the Webster vicinity. Buyers from Nebraska, Iowa and Minnesota attended the sale. The highest price was \$730.

There is a decided improvement in the influenza situation in Fremont. Of a total of about 250 cases reported less than 150 are now under treatment. None of the influenza cases in Fremont have resulted fatally.

Charles Harris, Pioneer, Flu Victim at Fremont

Fremont, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special Telegram)—Councilman Charles Harris died at his home here following an illness of a few days. He suffered an attack of influenza a week ago and three days ago pneumonia developed. Mr. Harris was born in Saunders county 32 years ago. He came to Fremont when a boy and his life has been spent here. He was elected to the council last spring on the republican ticket.

Lyons Boy Dies Monday; Sister Dies Day Later

Lyons, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special)—Two children of George Calton were buried here today. George Calton, Jr., who enlisted in the United States service at Lawrence, Kan., died October 21, age 21 years, and the daughter, Mrs. Frances Walter, died here October 22, aged 24 years. The boy was given a military burial by the Lyons home guards.

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Arguments Are Made In Anti-Suffragists' Appeal at Lincoln

From a Staff Correspondent.

Lincoln, Oct. 26.—Arguments were made in the supreme court Saturday on the appeal of the anti-suffragists from the ruling of District Judge L. A. Flansburg suspending the referendum vote on suffrage at the November election. John Lee Webster, representing the "antis," laid stress on three points in presenting his arguments in favor of suspending the district court order. These were:

First—The plaintiffs had no authority to bring the action since it involved political rights.

Second—The referendum vote this November is mandatory under the constitution.

Third—The referendum vote is void unless placed before the voters this year.

General Webster held the floor the entire forenoon. Francis A. Brogan of Lincoln and T. J. Doyle of Lincoln argued on behalf of the suffragists during the afternoon.

Mrs. W. E. Barkley of Lincoln, president of the state suffrage association, and other suffrage leaders of Lincoln and Omaha, attended the hearing. The Omaha delegation included Mrs. Draper Smith, Mrs. James Richardson and Anna Cornish Metcalf.

All the suffragists except Mrs. Barkley quit the court room when the court suggested that under the state health regulations not more than 12 persons should assemble on account of the danger of spreading the influenza.

The "suffs" stationed themselves outside the door to hear the argument.

General Webster expressed relief at the absence of "the jury" when the women left.

State Must Furnish 8,150 in Last Draft In Next Two Months

From a Staff Correspondent.

Lincoln, Oct. 26.—The first draft from men in the big manpower registration in September will call 8,150 Nebraskans to the colors in November and December. Capt. Walter L. Anderson, state provost marshal, announced Saturday.

Nebraska has been called upon to furnish 12 per cent of the class of 19 and 20 and 32 to 36 to go to training camps during the last two months of the present year.

Cap. Anderson said that no announcement is made at this time as to the dates of entrainment or the camps to which the selects will be assigned.

Nebraska has approximately 68,000 available in the first class of the new draft ages, Captain Anderson stated.

Three From Fremont Die While Away From Home

Fremont, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special Telegram)—Walter Yocel, North-western engineer, former Fremont resident, died at Casper, Wyo., following an attack of influenza. His wife and one child survive. For four years before going to Casper Mr. Yocel was located at Linwood, running an engine out of that place.

Walter Salle, son-in-law of Passenger Director A. M. Penninger's Union station, died in Omaha from influenza. The body was brought to Fremont for burial. The wife and small daughter survive.

Mrs. Art Dougan formerly of Fremont, died at New Orleans from influenza. The husband and two daughters survive.

Mrs. Gorton of Dunbar Victim of Influenza

Avoca, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special)—Mrs. Frank Gorton, aged 50 years, died at her home in Dunbar Tuesday evening of influenza. She is survived by her husband and five children.

Mrs. Hans Stoll, living near Nehawka, died Wednesday night of influenza. Two other members of the family are sick with the disease.

Old Beatrice Company Arrives Safely Overseas

Beatrice, Oct. 26.—(Special Telegram)—According to a cablegram received here today from the officers and noncommissioned officers of old Company C of this city, which is part of the 134th infantry, the company arrived safely overseas. The company was formerly stationed at Camp Cody.

Chairman May to Reply to Wilson's Appeal to Voters

New York, Oct. 26.—Will H. Hay, chairman of the national republican committee, announced on his return to New York tonight that he would issue a statement of the republicans tomorrow in reply to President Wilson's appeal to the nation to select a democratic congress November 4.

Clements McClosky of Fairbury Victim of Flu

Fairbury, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special)—Clements McClosky, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. McClosky, died Friday morning of pneumonia following influenza. He had volunteered for military service and had been assigned home to assist the local draft board in their work here.

Viscount Bryce Gives Praise to President Wilson's Note

London, Oct. 26.—Viscount Bryce, former British ambassador to the United States, speaking at a luncheon given at the American Luncheon club to the inter-allied parliamentary committee today, said in discussing President Wilson's note to Germany:

"It is the straightest, simplest and most candid expression of opinion that has been given in my lifetime. It is one of the great qualities of a friend to be candid, then Germany has a good friend in America. We have the right to insist that the peace shall be in accordance with our military victories."

MINIMUM PRICE OF DROVE HOGS FIXED AT \$17.50

Food Administration Takes Measures to Prevent Pre-mature Selling and Stabilize Market.

Washington, Oct. 26.—A minimum price for packers drove hogs of \$17.50 a hundred pounds was announced today by the food administration after a conference between the livestock sub-committee of the agricultural advisory board, which includes members representing the swine industry, the food administration and 50 packers. The following is given by the packers:

"In view of the undertakings on the part of the food administration with regard to the co-ordinated purchase of pork products, it is agreed that the packers participating in these orders will undertake not to purchase hogs for less than the following agreed minimums for the month of November, that is a daily minimum of \$17.50 per hundred pounds on average of packers' droves, excluding 'throwouts,' to be defined as pigs under 130 pounds, stags, boars, thin sows and skips. Further that no hogs of any kind shall be bought except 'throwouts' at less than \$16.50 per hundred pounds. The average of packers' droves to be construed as the average of the total sales in the market of all hogs for a given day. All the above to be based on Chicago.

Agree on Committee.

"We agree that a committee shall be appointed by the food administration to check the daily operations in the various markets with a view to supervision and demonstration of the carrying out of the above.

"The ability of the packers to carry out this arrangement will depend on there being a normal marketing of hogs based upon the proportionate increase over the receipts of last year. The increase in production appears to be a maximum of about 15 per cent, and we can handle such an increase.

"If the producers of hogs should, as they have in the past few weeks, prematurely market hogs at such increasing numbers over the above, it is entirely beyond the ability of the packers to maintain these minimums and therefore we must have the cooperation of the producer himself to maintain these results. It is a physical impossibility for the capacity of the packing houses to handle a similar over-flood of hogs and to find a market for the output. The packers are anxious to co-operate with the producers in maintaining a stabilization of price and to see that producers receive a fair price for their products."

DR. BLUE WARNS AGAINST "SURE CURES" FOR FLU

Vaccines Still in Stage of Experiment, Says Health Service Head; Epidemic in Army in Hand.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Use of vaccines in combating or treating Spanish influenza has not gone beyond the experimental stage so far as the United States public health service has been able to learn. In a statement tonight the public was warned against any of the "sure cures" being advocated for the malady which, according to reports today, is rapidly decreasing in all army camps and is showing a lessening incidence in many states among the civilian population.

"It must be remembered," said Surgeon General Blue in a statement tonight, "that several different vaccines are being tried. The reports so far received, however, do not permit any conclusion whatever regarding the efficacy of these vaccines or their relative merits."

"The health service urges the public to remember that there is as yet no specific cure for influenza and that many of the alleged 'cures' and remedies now being recommended by neighbors, nostrum vendors and others do more harm than good. The chief reliance must be on medical attention, good nursing, fresh air, nutritious food, plenty of water and cheerful surroundings."

Reports received today by the public health service showed the epidemic to be subsiding in Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Missouri, New Mexico, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Wyoming and Utah. The reports received from army camps continued favorable.

12,000 Die in New York

New York, Oct. 26.—More than 100,000 persons in this city have been ill from Spanish influenza or pneumonia within the last six weeks and more than 12,000 have died, it was disclosed by the reports of the health department today.

The cases of influenza outnumbered those of pneumonia by a ratio of nearly eight to one. The fatalities, however, were almost evenly divided between the two diseases.

Ban Lifted on Lake Shore

Chicago, Oct. 25.—The first break in the influenza quarantine, which for more than a week has closed all Illinois theaters, stopped dancing and all social gatherings, came today with the announcements that the ban will be lifted Monday in several north shore towns, Waukegan, Highland Park and Lake Forest.

Denver, Oct. 26—Marked in-

creases in the new cases of influenza in Colorado, with the epidemic centered in the mountain districts and on the western slope, were shown by reports to the State Board of Health today. New cases totaled 1,165—50 per cent more than those of the day previous—while 36 deaths were reported. In Denver an encouraging decrease in the number of new cases was noted today.

Tribute Paid Gorgas By Secretary of War

Washington, Oct. 26.—Maj. Gen. William C. Gorgas, just back from an inspection trip to France, received from Secretary Baker today a letter which has been made a part of his military record, expressing the appreciation of the nation of distinguished services during a long career as a medical officer of the army.

General Gorgas, formerly surgeon general, was recalled to the active list recently when he reached the retirement age while in France. His first task now will be to prepare a complete report so that the country may have the benefit of his judgment of the manner in which the sick and wounded American soldiers are being cared for in France.

Service Rendered Free is the Claim in Answer Filed by Sissakain

Edward Sissakain, in an answer filed in district court, in connection with a suit filed by John L. Taminosian, states that whatever services were performed by Taminosian on the occasion of the death of the defendant's mother, were offered and performed voluntarily.

Taminosian brought an action to recover \$10 for an alleged "fee" for services said to have been rendered when Mrs. Sissakain died.

The answer relates: "Whatever services were performed were volunteered by the plaintiff and said plaintiff was pretending that he was an Armenian and claiming that he was performing said services for the reason that he was an Armenian."

An interesting scrap is in prospect when the case is called for trial. Sissakain owns a shoe repair shop on the South Side.

Neutrals Study Conditions.

The Hague, Oct. 26.—It is semi-officially explained in despatches from Berlin that neutral residents

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