

## Membership Growing In State High School Debating League

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 31.—(Special.)—Membership in the Nebraska High School Debating League is increasing. The central district has a full quota, eight members. It is the first district to report the membership limit reached. A new district will probably be formed to take care of other applicants.

New applications from schools not members last year include the following, according to the president, Prof. M. M. Fogg: Aurora, Supt. J. L. Doremus; Blue Hill, Supt. C. L. Westcott; Clearwater, Supt. Noel Seney; Hebron academy, Principal William L. Young; Indianola, Supt. C. E. DeBord; Juniata, Supt. F. R. Fair; Schuyler, Supt. R. T. Frost; Western, Supt. G. W. Hildreth; York, Supt. A. W. Graham.

The first-series debates will be held in January on the league of nations, "Resolved, That the League of Nations Should be Repealed." The central district participants will be Aurora, Clay Center, Fremont, Osceola, Sutton, Western and York.

Thirty abstracts of authoritative articles and books on the league of nations, together with Bibliography, are being distributed by the Debating and Public Discussion bureau of the extension division of the state university.

## Common Sense

### DO YOUR BEST.

By J. J. MUNDY.

Just because you have not had the years of schooling someone else has had is no reason for you to feel that it is hopeless for you to try to attain greater heights in your work or accomplishment.

The use of good judgment, display of interest, honesty, dependability and activity with a desire to learn, will nearly always prove an open sesame to the goal you seek. Unused ability, vigor not drawn upon, and a negligible quantity of true purpose to gain results where head and hands combine, are of little value to the possessor.

The man who uses his mental and physical ability to the limit, even if he has less than the other fellow, stands a pretty good chance of success.

No matter how well equipped, the laggard is a failure.

What you lack in education, try to make up in a receptive mind and the necessary energy to concentrate and pursue knowledge and work things out by your application in a practical way of all you can learn. That is what education is for, anyway, to make practical use of. The educated lazy man won't work hard enough, so you can see your chance, can't you?

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## Parents Problems

How can a 10-year-old boy be taught to be kind to his 6-year-old brother?

Remind the 10-year-old that he was once 6, and not so very long ago! Point out to him that he is now much younger than his father, who is kind to him. He will learn in time. Be careful that the 6-year-old does not make too great a demand upon the forbearance of his brother.

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## Poultry

While the quality of scratch feed may be easily estimated by the eye, that of mash feed is not determined so readily and is dependent more upon results obtained from an actual feeding test. It is possible with scratch feed, however, to determine roughly the percentage of the various grains used by the simple process of counting the actual number of each grain in a fair sample taken at random from, say, a hundred-pound bag of the mixture.

The eye can also judge the quality of grains in scratch feed. For example, good cracked corn will be hard and have a clean, bright appearance with no evidence of chaff. A little practice and you can tell very quickly the various grades into which corn, wheat, oats, barley, etc., are divided. An examination of oats and barley for instance will show whether or not these grains are running too much to hulls.

Quality in feed is essential to best results. Food must be palatable to poultry just as it is to humans. The poultry raiser should study quality in feeds, learn the purpose for which various ingredients are used and then insist on feeds that have such ingredients or their equivalent.

Don't forget that corn, wheat, oats and barley in whatever form are not alone sufficient to give the greatest egg yield. Animal food and green food must be supplied in addition to these and must be as nearly as possible like that which nature gives the hen that has free range in springtime, her natural laying season. This condition, with grain feeding, gives the hen a perfect ration. The successful poultryman imitates nature's springtime feed the year around.

### Ready-Mixed Feeds.

Ready-mixed poultry feeds have proven a great boon to small poultry raisers, particularly the back-lotter in cities and suburbs. City and suburban dwellers do not as a rule have storage facilities sufficiently large to make home mixtures profitable. To buy the various ingredients for grain and mash mixtures at a reasonable price, would require the purchase of at least a 100 pounds of each ingredient. How many back-lot poultry plants are equipped to store feed in such quantities with safety? It is a certainty that the big majority are not.

Aside from this, however, one must be pretty well informed on how to mix the various ingredients if a properly balanced ration is to be obtained. Added to this, is the inconvenience of hand-mixing. Only the poultry raiser well versed in feeding requirements can, in my opinion, formulate a home mixture that will compare favorably to reliably manufactured grain and mash feeds—particularly mash feeds as they require considerable skill.

To say that all ready-mixed feeds are equally good, would be making a very broad statement. Undoubtedly some feeds are prepared with greater care than others and contain better ingredients. The reputation attained among poultry raisers by the manufactured brands of feeds, the reputation of the manufacturer and the dealers who represent him, and the earnest and sincere way in which the manufacturer gets behind the various mixtures of feed, the manner in which he backs up his claims—all these points evidence the value of his products.

The reputable feed manufacturer

has come to stay. He is an asset to the industry because he has helped to make poultry raising easy.

### Poultry Shows.

Progress in any branch of animal husbandry is most rapid in localities where exhibitions of stock are held. The general average in quality of stock in any particular section of the country is generally reflected in the quality of the stock at the shows.

The poultry show is educational. Much knowledge can be gained by attending the show and studying the great variety of birds on exhibition. It offers an excellent opportunity for the beginner to make the decision as to which variety he prefers to raise. It is a chance to view all varieties at close range and note the many distinguishing characteristics.

All cities and towns where poultry shows are held, should encourage and support these exhibitions in every way possible. The city of Quincy is a fair example of the sort of backing every community should give. In Quincy, the business men of the city, the Chamber of Commerce and various other organizations, put their shoulders to the wheel along with the poultry fanciers and the result is that Quincy always has a show that attracts attention throughout the entire country.

In Kansas City, too, this spirit of co-operation is very evident and it is freely predicted among those of the poultry fraternity, that Kansas City at its present speed will be entitled to national recognition as the HEART of America's poultry show interest. More and more the real worth of the poultry industry is being realized and as men of big business become better informed of its true value, they will be found in the front ranks of the supporters for all movements along educational lines.

Plan to visit all the poultry shows you can. Talk to the big breeders exhibiting and learn their views. Many of them have devoted their lives to this business and can give you practical information that seldom gets into print. I have never found poultry raisers unwilling to impart information to any who are interested.

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## Nebraska Boys and Girls

### Win Honors at Stock Show

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 31.—(Special.)—The Nebraska Boys' and Girls' club live stock judging team took two first places at the southeastern live stock exposition at Atlanta, Ga. The boys placed first in judging Angus cattle and Poland China hogs. Their other placements were as follows: fourth, Hampshire hogs; fifth, short-horn cattle; sixth on Holstein cattle and Shropshire sheep.

In total points for judging all kinds of stock, the Nebraska team was fourteenth. Texas won first, Mississippi second and Kansas third. The Nebraska team was composed of Lawrence Means, Lyle Ashby and Alfred Fringer, all of Webster county. They were coached by Henry R. Fausch, Webster county agricultural agent.

### Kearney Normal.

Twelve members of the normal school faculty met with their extension classes Saturday. More than 200 out-of-town

teachers are thus enabled to pursue college studies for credit. Twenty-two study centers have been organized to date.

School Nurse, Miss Lillian Staff, who until recently has been state director of the field activities for the Anti-Tuberculosis association, with headquarters in Omaha, has taken over her duties.

The kindergarten party Friday resolved itself into a long procession of children bearing Jack-o'-lanterns and wearing a great variety of grotesque masks and brightly-colored paper caps.

The mixer for all the men of the school Wednesday evening at the gym provided plenty of fun and a chance to get acquainted.

The school has purchased five series of child welfare posters. They present vivid pictorial lessons in theft, personal hygiene, good citizenship, sanitation and the value of music.

### Nebraska Wesleyan.

Dean F. A. Alabaster of Nebraska Wesleyan is arranging the program of toasts for the Wesleyan dinner which will be held in connection with the state teachers' association at Omaha, November 4, in the Hotel Loyal. Chancellor L. B. Schrockmeyer will be the toastmaster. Professor Benjamin D. Scott will lead in Wesleyan songs. Dean Ella Ford Miller and Dr. J. W. Foster will be present and take part in the program.

See want ads are business getters

## Community Gym Innovated At Buena Vista College

Storm Lake, Ia., Oct. 31.—(Special.)—Armistice Sunday, November 14, is the day set for the dedication of Victory Hall, the fine new \$90,000 gymnasium for Buena Vista college. The building is nearly completed, and will be open soon. The building is unique, for it is not alone a college gymnasium, although it is on the college campus, but a community gymnasium. It was erected as a war memorial, and will be open to the whole community. The college and high school will both use it, the American Legion will have access to it and it will also serve as an armory for the Third company of the national guard. Gymnasium classes for business men and women are being organized.

### Midland College.

Two special attractions were given in chapel Wednesday. Miss Elizabeth Klotz accompanied by Miss Hopkins favored the student body with two violin solos. The selections were "La Cinq-

uine," by Gabriel Marie and "The Swan," by Saint-Saens.

The Junior class organized with the following officers: President, Miss Mary Rangelier; Vice President, Miss Mae Monke; Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Klotz; Treasurer, Miss Zimmernan.

The senior class elected the following officers: President, Alfred Biel; Vice President, Thomas D. Rinder; Secretary, Esther Aue.

The English history club has resumed its meetings. Only the juniors and seniors of the college are the privileged members of this club. The English teacher, Miss Gurlach, and Miss Diehl, dean of women, are honorary members.

All initiations of new pledges are now finished. Each new student at Midland has now pledged his loyalty to one of the two literary societies, either the Kappa Phi or the Phi Kappa.

### Cotner College.

Philomathean Literary society met Friday in the college and enjoyed a program of unusual talent. A paper was read by Miss Alice Gadd on "Castles in Air." Mr. Thompson read an essay on "Castles in England." Mr. Campbell spoke about "Castles on the Rhine." Mr. Richard McLean discussed on "Castles in Spain." Final arrangements with contractors for the installation of new boilers in the Cotner heating plant have been made by the school's business office.

Professor N. K. Mac states that the Cotner class of contestants will be large this year and will result in a strong team for the college debates. Several of last year's

debaters for Cotner are still in school. Ray Bradley, Marvin Schaefer, and R. Buckson, were on last year's team and again in school.

Professor Duncan of the education department gave the army mental test to all freshmen students during the week.

A musical chapel was held Wednesday. Two numbers were given by the high quartette, the members of which are John Shull, Hester, Harmon, Charles Stanton, and Harold Fox.

Mrs. Blanche Lyons is training the Cotner chorus for the opera the "Pirates of Penzance."

Dr. Shelton, who was kidnapped in Tibet for 22 days early this year will deliver an address at Cotner on November 3.

The sophomore class held a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sherman Monday evening. Refreshments consisted of pumpkin pie, doughnuts and cider.

The juniors chaperoned by Prof. and Mrs. McRae, participated in a class wolver roast at "Robber's Cave," Lincoln, Monday night.

### Doane College.

President J. N. Bennett went to Springfield, Mo., to attend the inauguration exercises of President T. W. Nadel of Drury college.

Professor Carlson is giving a course of lectures with illustrations to one of the classes in the public school. The children march to the Science building in a body, accompanied by their teacher.

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