

Cholera Epidemic In Iowa Serious College Warn

Disease Travels in Cycles Dean Stange Declares—Urges Prompt Vaccination Of Hogs.

Ames, Ia., Oct. 14.—That the present epidemic of hog cholera in Iowa is more serious than most people think and that there will be a greater outbreak if better control measures are not taken at once, is the opinion of C. H. Stange, dean of the division of veterinary medicine at Iowa State college.

"Protect your herd before cholera gets there," is the admonition of Dean Stange. Many farmers due to the tightness of money and low market prices have become careless and have not vaccinated. With proper methods the hogs will be reasonably safe from the disease, says Dean Stange.

According to Dean Stange, who has made a study of the history and progress of the disease in the state, hog cholera appears to run in cycles from 10 to 15 years apart. In 1897 a great outbreak of cholera occurred with a loss of over 320 head of hogs per 1,000 swine population. Again in 1913, 11 years after the other outbreak had been halted, another epidemic occurred with nearly as disastrous results. From a close analysis of the course of the disease and of specially prepared graphs, Dean Stange has deduced that the present outbreak may be the forerunner of another serious epidemic.

Since 1918 hog cholera has been on the increase in the state. Last year Iowa lost 261,000 hogs, about 26 per cent of the state's hog population. Present indications are that this loss will be exceeded in 1921 unless adequate precautions are taken to control the disease.

Certain sections of the state appear to suffer from the ravages of cholera more heavily than others. Plymouth county last year was the heaviest loser in the state, 9,850 hogs dying from cholera. Sioux, Jasper and Hardin counties also suffered heavy losses. Allamakee and Ringgold counties lost the minimum number in the state. Reports from the above sections of the state indicate that the disease is progressing in about the same proportions with a large number of counties suffering heavy losses.

Otoe County Teachers Hold Meeting at Nebraska City

Nebraska City, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Otoe county teachers' institute is being held in the high school building. Several noted speakers are in attendance, including Professor Sealock, University of Nebraska; Professor Saam, Council Bluffs, Ia.; Miss E. Ruth Pyrite, Lincoln; Professor Morton, Fairbury, and many others. The session ended by attending the Commerce-Nebraska City foot ball game at Hayward park.

District Court Holds Session in Webster County

Red Cloud, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—District court is in session here this week. Judge Blackledge presiding. A. M. Housholder of Bladen is suing the Nisep Land company of Chappell for alleged breach of contract to transfer to him land in Deuel county, valued at \$28,000. The defendants set up that the written contract was subject to an oral condition and was void. The jury found for the plaintiff and that his damages were \$2,400.

Pawnee City Will Stage Aerial Circus Wednesday

Pawnee City, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—An aerial circus will be staged in Pawnee City Wednesday. Two airplanes will give an exhibition of stunt flying. A racing auto will be here, driven by John H. Amens, who will race with the airplanes, and against time, Curtis H. Friday and Walter H. Beach will pilot the planes.

Carl R. Gray Absent at First Bureau Meeting

The first meeting of the agricultural bureau of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce to be held since its reorganization several weeks ago was held at the Chamber of Commerce at noon yesterday. Carl R. Gray, Union Pacific president, chairman of the bureau, was unable to be present. Vice President D. P. Hogan of the Federal Land bank presided.

Cass County May Recall Officers

Abolishment of Three Positions Urged in Petitions Now Being Circulated.

Plattsmouth, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Petitions are being circulated over the county and signed quite freely by taxpayers, asking the recall of the county agent, county assessor and county highway commissioner and the abolishment of these offices. The petitions will be presented to the county board as soon as they have been signed by a sufficient number of taxpayers. Of the three offices sought to be abolished, that of county assessor has been in existence in Cass county the longest. The present incumbent is William Rummel. The office of county agent was created by the 1918-19 legislature which made its establishment mandatory upon the county commissioners when requested by the taxpayers. L. R. Snipes has held the office since its establishment. The county highway commissioner was added about the same time. The present incumbent, James B. McKee, came here January 1 from Saunders county.

Woman Who Bought Movie Wins Back \$5,200 in Court

Ludmila Strika was awarded a verdict for \$5,200 in District Judge Stauer's court yesterday against Louis and Gail Margolin, who she charged, sold her the Loyal moving picture theater in South Omaha last fall through misrepresentation. She sued for \$8,500. She gave them \$3,000 cash and her note for \$3,000, she says, when they told her the theater was making money. Instead, she testified, she lost heavily as a result of her investment and at times was in actual want.

Negro Slain in Attempt To Break Into Negro Home

Sterling Polk, negro, was shot and killed by Joe Edden, negro, 2212 Seward street, when he broke into the Edden home Thursday night. Earlier in the evening Polk had visited the Edden home and threatened to "blow up" the place, Edden said.

Unemployment Decreasing in Central States

Important Cities of Illinois Report Conditions Approaching Normal—Unemployed Decrease in Wisconsin.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Unemployment was shown to be decreasing in a number of the important cities of Illinois, with several reporting conditions approaching normal in returns from a survey received today. Construction work was declared in full swing at several points, while factories and railroads were reported adding to their forces. Work for many unemployed also was provided by extensive municipal improvements.

Reports from agricultural communities indicated that the demand for cornhuskers exceeded the supply. Aurora and Galesburg, railroad centers, reported additions to railroad shop forces, which were declared to be very normal.

At Elgin every industry was operating at virtually the normal rate, while at Dixon only one plant was closed and considerable construction work was in progress. Champaign and Moline reported heavy building operations, although at the latter place work in implement factories virtually was at a standstill, with 2,500 men unemployed.

Improving in Wisconsin

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 14.—Unemployment conditions in Wisconsin were improving, a survey in several cities showed today. Milwaukee's 50,000 unemployed had decreased in recent weeks to 40,000, a special committee of the Association of Commerce reported.

Oelwein, Ia., Oct. 14.—Seven hundred men will return to work after a long layoff, when Chicago-Great Western shops here open Monday morning for two weeks. It is announced by officials that operation after that term will depend on acceptance of the company's wage and hour schedule by the men.

Business Depression Is Blamed for Store's Failure

Hastings, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Under examination before Referee Norberg, L. H. Suter, president, blamed the business depression for the filing of the petition in involuntary bankruptcy by the Hastings basket system. The report of the appraisers shows assets in the sum of \$25,352, a shrinkage of \$14,000 from the list in the petition. Liabilities are \$35,762.

Bee Want Ads. Get Results.

Fire Causes \$1,500,000 Damage at Charleston

Charleston, S. C., Oct. 14.—Damage estimated at more than \$1,500,000 was caused by a fire late yesterday at the Charleston street terminals of the Charleston Terminal company. Fertilizer materials valued at approximately \$1,300,000 were destroyed and a considerable stretch of warehouses and wharfs were heavily damaged.

School Visits of Union, Neb., Visits Omaha Industries

Pupils of the seventh and eighth grades, their teachers, parents and members of the school board, all of Union, Neb., were entertained in Omaha yesterday. The party came to Omaha by automobile and arrived at the stock yards at 10 a. m. Members of the party visited the stock yards, Armour's, Northwestern Bell Telephone company building, American Smelting and Refining company, Ite's, Omaha Cold Storage and the Florence water-works.

They were entertained at luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce at 1 p. m.

New Live Stock Loan Companies Urged by Meyer

Director of War Finance Corporation Says Additional Firms Necessary to Aid Industry.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Formation of additional live stock loan companies to aid in the financing of the industry in co-operation with the war finance corporation is urgently needed, according to a statement by Eugene Meyer, jr., managing director of the corporation.

Mr. Meyer said that a number of these companies are being organized in different sections of the country. He announced that a loan of \$215,000 has just been approved by the war finance corporation to aid in financing the live stock industry in Wyoming through a loan company of this sort. The Wyoming company has been formed with a paid up capital of \$300,000.

Mr. Meyer also announced the approval of a loan of \$100,000 for agricultural purposes to a bank in South Carolina.

A number of important finance companies are being organized throughout the country to assist in the financing of the live stock industry, with the co-operation of the war finance corporation, said Mr. Meyer.

Home Service Secretary Plan in Adams County

Hastings, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—The Adams county chapter of the Red Cross has taken steps to appoint a county welfare worker as home service secretary. A committee has been appointed to recommend a person for the place.

Wymore Couple Celebrates Golden Wedding Anniversary

Wymore, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, old residents of this city, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home. Their three children, Mrs. C. A. Jansen of Beatrice, O. R. Brown of Herington, Kan., and J. I. Brown of this city were present.

Specialist on Stand in Suit Over Property

Physician Says He Believes Man Who Deeded Away Belongings Would Be Astute in Business.

Can a Paranoiac conduct business transactions? Dr. Ernest Kelley, specialist in mental diseases, was put on the stand in federal court yesterday to answer this question in a suit to recover property which Edwin Davis Roberts, now judged insane, deeded to half a dozen persons.

The doctor answered that a paranoiac would be remarkably astute in business and exhibit no outward signs of dementia.

"But he never would be able to carry out his well-laid plans because his judgment in the end would be warped by persecutory delusions," he stated. Roberts himself sat unmoved in

the court room while his mental state was considered minutely by attorneys for both sides. His wife, Frances Irene Roberts, one of the parties to his suit, sat across the table from him. Roberts was committed in 1918 after he had driven his wife out of their home at the point of a gun, his alleges.

Woman, 55, Asks \$15,000 For Hurts From Street Car

Rosa McGuigan, 55, sued the Omaha and Council Bluffs Street Railway company for \$15,000 in district court yesterday for injuries she is alleged to have received when thrown from a car step at Seventeenth and Cuming streets on September 3. She received an injury to her spine and was badly bruised, according to her petition, when the car started with a jerk before she had alighted.

Ages Aggregate 25,400 Years At Hastings Sunset Social

Hastings, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Three hundred and thirty-five guests with aggregate ages of 25,400 years, attended the annual sunset social at the Methodist church, Isaac Deffenbaugh, 91, and Mrs. H. Martin, 91, were the oldest persons present.

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