

NAT'L LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION SPLIT

Rent in Twain by Adoption of New Constitution Admitting Packers to Membership.

NEW ORGANIZATION FORMED.

Cattlemen, Horse and Swine Growers Form the American Stock Growers Association.

Denver, Jan. 13.—The National Livestock association was rent in twain today by the adoption of a new constitution, which admitted the packers to membership, and provided an open door through which the railroads of the country might at any time become factors in the control of the organization.

The cattlemen, horse and swine growers, together with representatives of some of the affiliated industries, refused to agree to the new constitution, withdrew when they considered its adoption impracticable, and this afternoon formed a new organization under the name of the American Stock-growers' association, whose aim it will be to wield a dominating influence in the interest of the cattle grower.

Roughly speaking, the sheep growers, commission men and the stock yards interests remained with the National Livestock association, and the actual growers of all other animals for the market have gone with the new association.

The cattlemen have from the first generally opposed the admission into their organization of the packers, especially of the railroads. They assert that these two influences would ultimately dominate the cattle growing industry of the country to the detriment of the individual grower, and they refuse to remain in an organization which included their representatives among the members of its controlling body.

The defection in the ranks came after a long session, in which the arguments were at times torrid, and where the parliamentary fangies were so frequent and so complex that it was impossible to follow them. Many of them were not followed. Motions would be made, placed before the house, and never voted upon. At times there would be several motions before the house at one time, and they would all drop together by the wayside when the convention went better-riding after something else. Vice President Jastro at one time acted as presiding officer, and declared out of order a motion to adjourn.

"Ain't motions to adjourn always in order?" demanded the delegate who had made it.

"Not just now, they ain't," replied the vice president, who was anxious to bring about a vote on the proposed constitution before allowing the convention to adjourn.

At the opening of the convention majority and minority reports were submitted by the committees that had been appointed yesterday to consider the plan of reorganization. The former, which came from the cattlemen, was read by S. H. Cowan of Texas, and recommended that only stockmen be admitted to membership, and that all visiting stockmen be allowed to vote on the plan of reorganization. It declared against a combination with stock yards, packers or railroads.

The minority report, submitted by E. R. Grosney of Arizona, was in favor of allowing only such delegates to vote as were members of the National Livestock association in good standing.

After a wrangle that lasted for hours, and during which the convention wavered hither and thither, the majority report was adopted.

President Hagenbarth of the association then declared that up to this time the convention had been of a general character and not a convention of the members of the National Livestock as-

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sociation, who alone could vote on the adoption of the proposed plan of reorganization. The courtesy of the convention to visiting stockmen, he declared, were about to cease, and a session of the association proper would be held.

An effort was then made to call the delegates of the association to order, but no roll of the members was at hand, and when one was brought it was incomplete, and it required more than an hour for the first calling of the roll.

During an interval of the roll call Mr. Mackenzie of Colorado discussed the happenings in the committee room. He declared that President Hagenbarth had told him \$40,000 would be necessary to run the association. He asked where the \$40,000 was coming from, and Mr. Hagenbarth answered him by saying that the cattlemen would not be asked to put up one cent of the money.

Mr. Mackenzie gave it as his opinion that if outside persons were putting up the money they would aim to control the organization and he urged the livestock men to stand together and get Congress and the president to come to their aid when it was necessary.

During Mr. Mackenzie's speech President Hagenbarth ruled him out of order and ruled that his time had expired; but other delegates gave him their time and urged him to continue his remarks.

Mr. Cowan discussed the proposed amendment at some length. He declared that no section of it was germane to any section of the constitution it proposed to amend. The government was at this time, he said, investigating the alleged best trust, and what would be the effect on public opinion if the cattlemen formed an alliance with the men who are being investigated by the government?

"President Roosevelt sent a message here," said Mr. Cowan, "saying, 'I am with you.' What is he going to think if we go to bed with the very man he is investigating?"

He closed by declaring that if the plan of organization was passed the cattlemen must withdraw.

Ex-Senator Harris of Kansas spoke last in favor of the adoption of the proposed amendment, asserting that the stockmen would have as much power in the organization as anybody, and declaring that Mr. Cowan and the cattlemen should rather endeavor to eliminate objectionable features in the amendment than to adopt secession.

President Hagenbarth moved that the entire matter be referred to the incoming executive committee, with instructions to have both the old and new constitutions printed six months in advance of the next convention, at which time it could be considered. The motion was lost by a vote of 206 to 273, the sheepmen and stockyards interests constituting the majority.

W. E. Hughes of Denver moved that all the visiting stockmen be allowed to vote. They had been invited, he said, to attend the convention, had taken part in the proceedings up to the present time, and now when the vote was to be taken they were told that they could not vote. He was ruled out of order by the president. Mr. Cowan appealed from the decision of the chair. The appeal, after various vicissitudes, was not heard of again. The report of the committee on organization was then read.

It recommended that the following be entitled to membership: Cattlemen, sheep, horse and swine breeders, pure-bred record associations, stock ex-

changes, stockyards, stock feeders, packers, and "such other branches as may be approved by the central committee."

The basis of representation was recommended to be as follows: All branches of the industry to be represented by a committee of persons engaged in such branches, and such committee to be known as the general committee of the branch it represents.

Each state livestock association to be entitled to a maximum of 50 delegates, but in no case shall it have less than 10 delegates. Where no general state organization exists the particular interests are entitled to the following representation: Each state association, and each association of sheep, horse and swinegrowers, and every association of stock feeders, ten delegates; each pure breed association, a maximum of 10 and a minimum of five delegates; each stock exchange association a maximum of three and a minimum of one delegate; each stock exchange one delegate for every 25 members; with a minimum of three delegates; each packing house interest a maximum of 10 delegates, with a minimum of two; all official boards of organization a maximum of five, with a minimum of two delegates.

Each general committee represented an industry to select one of its members as a representative in the executive body of the association.

The question of the adoption of the amendment was then before the house, and as soon as the clerk commenced the calling of the roll the cattlemen began to leave the hall in large numbers. Mr. Mackenzie announced that he desired all the cattlemen to meet at 2:30 o'clock. The new constitutional amendment was adopted by a vote of 223 to 60.

At the afternoon session of the livestock association a resolution was adopted increasing the time limit for the transportation of livestock from 28 to 35 hours. A resolution was adopted favoring reciprocity treaties with foreign countries which have placed a ban on American livestock as a means of relieving the glutted condition of the American market.

The cattlemen who had left the convention gathered at the Brown Palace hotel in the afternoon and appointed a committee of 15 to present a plan for a new organization. Its report, which was unanimously adopted, recommended that a temporary president be appointed to hold office until May 2, when a general convention for the purposes of permanent organization will be held in Denver. John W. Springer, a former president of the National Livestock association, was elected president until the May convention.

Mr. Springer later announced his inability to serve as president, and Conrad Schaefer of Colorado, president of the Colorado Cattlegrowers' association, was chosen in his stead.

In the new organization the representation is to be one of individual members only, and it will not be an amalgamation of associations, as is the case with the old organization.

At a meeting of the National Livestock association held tonight the central committee, which is the governing body of the association, was announced as follows: H. A. Jastro, cattlegrowers; Jesse Smith, sheep-growers; H. W. McAfee, horse-growers; A. J. Lovejoy, swine-growers; W. A. Harris, Pure Breed Record association; Frank Cooper, live-stock exchanges; A. G. Leonard, stockyards; Nelson Morris, packers; C. P. Bailey, goat-raisers.

The committee re-elected Frank J. Hagenbarth and passed a resolution thanking him for his work and expressing confidence in him as an official.

The minor officers will be selected tomorrow morning.

The following executive committee was named: E. E. DeHoff of Colorado; Richard Walsh, Texas; M. K. Parsons, Utah; Charles McDonald, New Mexico; Robert Taylor, Nebraska.

Protection of Wild Animals. Washington, Jan. 13.—A favorable report was made by the committee on forest reservations on the bill for the protection of wild animals and birds in the Wichita forest reserve.

Control of Forest Reservations. Washington, Jan. 13.—From the committee on forest reservations Senator Kittredge today reported a bill transferring the control of forest reservations from the interior to the agricultural department.

No Pay for Free Rides. Washington, Jan. 13.—Representative Sheppard of Texas introduced a bill today prohibiting the payment of mileage to senators and members of the house of representatives who ride on free passes.

NIEDINGHAUS' CAMPAIGN FUND

Missouri Legislative Committee Appointed to Investigate It Holds Session.

THE ALLEGATIONS ARE DENIED.

He Makes a Statement Explaining Contribution of Brewers—Investigation Begins.

St. Louis, Jan. 13.—At a special session of the committee appointed by the house of representatives of the Missouri legislature to investigate the charges contained in a joint resolution that Thomas K. Niedringhaus, chairman of the State Republican committee and caucus nominee for United States senator, had accepted \$21,000 from St. Louis brewers to influence legislation, Mr. Niedringhaus made a statement, denying the allegations. During the campaign, he said, the liabilities of the state committee had run up to \$31,000, with no money in the bank, and he was held personally responsible for the debt.

"About this time," continued Mr. Niedringhaus, "Senator Fairbanks came to St. Louis, and on the request of Adolphus Busch, who is a personal friend of the senator, a dinner was arranged at Mr. Busch's house, at which were former Senator Mason of Illinois, Congressman Bartholdt of St. Louis, Otto Stifel, Senator Fairbanks and myself.

"During the dinner I explained that I had been refused contributions by prominent Republicans, and said: 'If I had \$25,000 I would guarantee that the state of Missouri would cast its electoral vote for Roosevelt and Fairbanks.'

"Mr. Busch then said: 'I am willing to join with yourself and Mr. Stifel to guarantee this \$25,000. I will assume half that guarantee if you and Mr. Stifel will assume the other half.'

"I immediately announced that I assumed my share, and Mr. Stifel agreed."

In reply to a question, Mr. Niedringhaus said that he was under no obligation of any kind on account of this guarantee to use his influence to affect legislation in Missouri.

Mr. Niedringhaus then explained that the debt of \$31,000 was reduced to \$21,000 by collections, and that the latter amount was taken care of in accordance with the agreement between the three men.

Mr. Niedringhaus said to the committee that he did not consider the \$25,000 pledged by Busch, Stifel and himself in the light of a contribution to the state campaign fund, as had the money been later secured from other sources it would have been refunded to them.

INVESTIGATION BEGINS. St. Louis, Jan. 13.—The senate and house committees of the legislature, appointed to investigate the statement of campaign receipts and expenditures of the Republican state committee and Republican caucus nominee for United States senator, met separately today. The senate committee, headed by Chairman T. K. Niedringhaus of the Republican state committee and Republican caucus nominee for United States senator, met separately today.

The closest investigation was directed to the charge contained in the resolution of Representative Oliver Grace, that the \$21,000 reported by Chairman Niedringhaus in his own name was in reality contributed by the brewery interests of St. Louis.

Among the first witnesses summoned to appear were Chairman Niedringhaus, Adolphus Busch, Otto Stifel, Secy. D. Morris of the Speaker's bureau during the campaign; Secy. Joseph McCoy, in charge of the organization, and Chairman J. D. Howe of the Republican city committee.

Mr. Niedringhaus appeared before the house committee, which took a recess to enable him to frame a reply to the Grace resolution.

William C. Lightner, deputy recorder of deeds, appeared before the senate committee in answer to a subpoena ordering him to produce a certified copy of the expense account filed by the Republican state committee. He produced the original copy, which showed as its largest item the lump sum of \$21,231 contributed by Niedringhaus. The next largest was \$5,000, credited to T. K. Kerns. The total of the contributions was given as \$27,231.75. The report was filed by T. K. Niedringhaus, acting treasurer.

E. C. Brokmyer, publisher of the Missouri Star, who was a clerk at the Republican headquarters, gave testimony relating to the charge that St. Louis brewers contributed the \$21,000 which Chairman Niedringhaus of the Republican state committee credited to himself in his report of the receipts and expenditures of the campaign. He testified that Adolphus Busch, a prominent brewer, had given Mr. Niedringhaus at one time before the election a check for \$25,000, and that the latter had given him \$5,000 after the election toward liquidation of the debt which existed.

Chairman Niedringhaus told him that Otto Stifel of the St. Louis Brewery association had arranged to contribute an amount equal to that given by Busch.

After waiting several hours for the appearance of Mr. Niedringhaus, the senate investigating committee appointed a subcommittee to wait upon the house committee and induce Mr. Niedringhaus to come before the committee.

Chairman Tubbs of the house committee announced to the senatorial subcommittee that Mr. Niedringhaus was subject to the orders of the house committee, and he refused to allow Mr. Niedringhaus to appear before the senate committee until his committee was through with the witness.

Previous to the appointment of a subcommittee the senatorial committee had issued a subpoena for Mr. Niedringhaus, but the officers entrusted with its service could not find him.

IRVINE VS. TALBOT. Will be no Investigation of the Charges at Present.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 13.—There will be no investigation, for the present at least, of the charges preferred by Dr. I. W. Irvine against Bishop Ethelbert Talbot of the Central Pennsylvania diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church, "a lack of canonical authority" is the conclusion of the 11 members who attended today's meeting of the board of inquiry. The full membership consists of 16.

By many it is said that other charges will be preferred against Bishop Talbot under the name of Dr. Irvine.

After the session began the gates leading to the Wood chapel of Christ church, where the meeting was held, were locked, and strict instructions were given that no member of the board was to be disturbed or called out by anyone. This indicated that the session would be secret, and that the de-

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sire of Dr. Irvine to have the meeting public would be ignored. Morning and afternoon sessions were held. At times the debates and discussions were animated, but it is said that the finding of the board was unanimous.

Russia's Unhappy New Year.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14, 2:15 a. m.—The Russian New Year was celebrated tonight with much of the customary enthusiasm in private homes, for New Year's is one of the greatest feasts of the year; but publicly there will be little demonstration, owing to the fact that it has been customary to hold a great New Year's reception at the Winter palace, followed by a ball, in which all the state functionaries participated, but this year Emperor Nicholas cancelled the function, and there will be no official festivities of any sort. One of the few affairs which will be maintained as an annual fixture is the dinner at the English Cricket club, at which Ambassador Hardinge will make a speech.

Attempts to Murder Woman.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 13.—Crazed by jealousy, Harry Slater, ex-pugilist, tried to shoot his wife.

IN OLDEN TIMES

People Were Content To Take Things Easier Than Now.

If our forefathers could behold the modern locomotives, automobiles and electric cars, they would hold up their hands in astonishment.

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Russian Budget for 1905.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 13.—In the imperial budget for 1905 the ordinary revenue is estimated at \$98,622,804, and the extraordinary revenue at \$7,794,319. The ordinary expenditure is estimated at \$98,622,785, and the extraordinary expenditure at \$30,284,342.

New Commissioner of Pensions.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The president has appointed Vespasian Warner to be commissioner of pensions, Mr. Warner

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"Does your nose discharge?"
"Is your nose sore and tender?"
"Is there pain in front of head?"
"Is your throat dry in the morning?"
"Do you sleep with your mouth open?"
You can be easily cured now—don't let it run into complications.

The Bronchial Tubes. When catarrh of the head or throat is neglected or wrongly treated, it extends down the windpipe into the bronchial tubes and after a while attacks the lungs. Quickly cured at little cost by Drs. Shores' famous treatment.

"Have you a cough?"
"Do you take cold easily?"
"Have you pain in the side?"
"Do you raise frothy materials?"
"Do you spit up little cheesy lumps?"
"Do you feel your lungs are growing weaker?"
Don't risk neglecting these warnings—stop the disease before it reaches the lungs.

Catarrh Of the Stomach. Catarrh of the stomach is usually caused by swallowing poisonous mucus, which drops down from the head and throat at night. Quickly cured at little cost by Drs. Shores' famous treatment.

"Is there nausea?"
"Do you belch up gas?"
"Are you constipated?"
"Is your tongue coated?"
"Do you blow up after eating?"
"Is there constant bad taste in the mouth?"
Now is the time to be permanently cured. Drs. Shores are curing hundreds every week.

Catarrh Of the Ears. Catarrh extends from the throat along the eustachian tubes into the ears, causing partial or complete deafness. Quickly cured with little cost by Drs. Shores' famous treatment.

"Is your hearing failing?"
"Do your ears discharge?"
"Is the wax drying in your ears?"
"Do you hear better some days than others?"
"Is your hearing worse when you have a cold?"
Don't neglect this until your hearing is irreparably destroyed. Drs. Shores can cure you.

Kidney Disease. Results in two ways, by taking cold and by overworking the kidneys in separating from the blood the catarrhal poisons which affect all organs. Quickly cured with little cost by Drs. Shores' famous treatment.

"Do your hands and feet swell?"
"Is it noticed more at night?"
"Is there pain in the small of the back?"
"Has the perspiration a bad odor?"
"Is there puffiness under the eyes?"
"Do you have to get up often at night?"
"Is there a deposit in urine if left standing?"
Don't neglect these signs and risk Bright's Disease killing you. Cure it now.

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"Do you get dizzy?"
"Have you cold feet?"
"Do you feel miserable?"
"Do you get tired easy?"
"Do you have hot flashes?"
"Are your spirits low at times?"
"Do you have rumbling in the bowels?"
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