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RG601 Central Nebraska Public Power & Irrigation District

Records: 1923-1957

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HISTORICAL NOTE

The early history of the Tri-County project began in 1889 when the first survey was taken for a proposed canal to irrigate the farm lands in Phelps County, Nebraska. This early survey did not follow the exact course that is now the Tri-County, but it served as the seed for the present project.

The first survey began at the Dilworth ranch in Phelps County where an island divides the Platte river bed into two channels. The southern-most of these was to be dammed up and deepened and from this a diversion canal was to have run parallel along the Platte to Williamsburg, where it was to turn southward and pass through the divide.

Over the course of years and with the arduous task of building homes, the canal project was allowed to drift into the background. The realization that the project would not be as easily consructed as had first been imagined, or perhaps the prosperity of the land without water deadened the enthusiasm - but at any rate the plans for the canal were allowed to drop.

In 1911, 1912, & 1913 drouth and bad crops were suffered in the Tri-County area of Phelps, Kearney, and Adams counties. Farmers and businessmen alike suffered from the resultant conditions. Subsequently, a mass meeting was called at the Phelps County courthouse in Holdrege early in 1913 to discuss the problem.

Division Superintendent Bignell of the Burlington Railroad spoke at the meeting and told those present that the rail shipments from this territory had seriously suffered over the previous period of years. Bignell had no definite plan to offer but told those gathered at the meeting that the Burlington would gladly cooperate in anything the group attempted to do.

An open discussion took place, and the possibilities of irrigation were discussed. From all angles the prospects of irrigation seemed impractical. It was pointed out that enough water flowed down the Platte to irrigate the land in the spring and fall but other irrigation projects were using the water seasonally. The group was told of a wheat crop planted on a farm north of Holdrege on land that had been planted to corn the previous year. It grew and developed the same as wheat on surrounding farms but when dry weather came, the wheat planted where a shock of corn had stood matured with large heads full of kernels and the rest of the field perished. The theory of supplemental water was advanced and the Supplemental Water Association was formed.

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KEARNEY COUNTY (NEB.) -- HISTORY

KEITH COUNTY (NEB.) -- HISTORY

KINGSLEY DAM (KEITH COUNTY, NEB.)

Loup River Public Power District

Middle Loup Public Power and Irrigation District

Nebraska. Department of Roads and Irrigation

NEBRASKA ENGINEERING SOCIETY

Nebraska Power Company

Nebraska Public Power System

Nebraska State Irrigation Association

Nebraska State Water Conservation Congress

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Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY

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United States. Department of Labor. National Reemployment Service

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United States. Federal Works Agency

United States. Public Works Administration

United States. Securities and Exchange Commission

University of Nebraska. College of Agriculture WATER CONSERVATION--NEBRASKA Waterway and Flood Control Association of Mississippi Valley

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CORRESPONDENTS:

Aabel, Christian, 1864-1944 Aabel, Moritz, 1897-Anderson, Frank A., 1894-1945 Binderup, Charles G. (Charles Gustav), 1873-1950 Bowman, Melville L., 1885-Budd, Ralph, 1879-1962 Burke, Edward R. (Edward Raymond), 1880-1968 Burnett, E. A. (Edgar Albert), 1864-1941 Canaday, Ralph O. (Ralph Oliver), 1891-1970 Carmody, John M. (John Michael), 1881-1963 Clarke, James N., 1852-Cochran, Robert Leroy, 1886-1963 Condra, George E. (George Evert), 1898-1958 Davidson, J. E. (James Edward), 1879-1949 Fellows, A. Lincoln (Abraham Lincoln) Fitzsimmons, J. S. (John S), 1868-Fricke, Charles B., 1884-1974 Good, Paul F. (Paul Francis), 1893-1970 Green, R. O. (Richard Oscar), 1887-1955 Howard, Edgar, 1858-1951 Ickes, Harold L. (Harold LeClaire), 1874-1952 Jensen, Andrew, 1867-1954 Johnson, George E. (George Edward), 1885-1967 Judkins, C. R. (Caleb Ressegue), 1867-Kingsley, D. W. (Donaldson Wright), 1899-Kingsley, Fred R. (Fred Ralph Jr), 1886-1951 Kingsley, H. S. (Hamilton S), 1901-Kuska, Val (Valentine), 1887-1972 Latenser, John Jr., 1888-1978 Lawrence, James E. (James Earnest), 1889-1957 Marsh, Carl F. (Carl Frederic), 1889-1958 Mead, Elwood, 1858-1936 Mickey, Clark Edwin, 1883-Miller, A. L. (Arthur Lewis), 1872-1967 Norris, George W. (George William), 1861-1944 Ritchie, William (Jr), 1938-1954 Robertson, John P., 1892-1981 Roosevelt, Franklin D. (Franklin Delano), 1882-1945 Ross, J. D. (James Delmage), 1872-1939
Shallenberger, A. C. (Ashton Cokayne), 1862-1938
Smith, Claude W., 1889Sorenson, C. A. (Christian Abraham), 1890-1959
Stephens, Dan V. (Dan Vorhees), 1868-1939
Stout, O. V. P. (Oscar Van Pelt), 1865-1935
Thompson, W. H. (William Hale), 1869-1944
McConaughy, C. W. (Charles Washington), 1859-1941

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection consist of 32 boxes of records and 25 rolls of microfilm of the Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District, 1923-1958. The collection is arranged in Four Subgroups containing eleven Series.

Subgroup One, Donaldson W. Kingsley Papers, is arranged in six series (1) Correspondence, 1933-1941; (2) Speeches and radio Addresses, 1938-1940; (3) Reports and Minutes, 1924-1940; Legal material; (5) Printed Matter; and (6) Miscellany. The bulk of this subgroup consists of correspondence of Donaldson W. Kingsley, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the CNPPID, 1933-1941, relates to the organization of the District and its early years of operation. Of note are legal materials relating to a libel suit involving Kingsley and the subgroup also includes the minutes of the District, 1939-1941.

Subgroup two, Records of the Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District, is arranged in five series (1) Correspondence of Ralph O. Canaday, 1933-1942; (2) Reports and Resolutions, 1933-1948; (3) Legal Materials, 1938; (4) Speeches and Addresses, 1930-1937; and (5) Printed Matter. The bulk of this subgroup consist of correspondence of Ralph Canaday, an attorney for the CNPPID and James Clarke, Treasurer of the Supplemental Water Association. These materials also relate to the formation and early years of operation of the Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District. Of interest are the minutes of the Board of Directors, 1933-1935.

Subgroup Three, Public Works Administration Project Files, 1929-1945, is contained on 25 rolls of 16mm microfilm, which were purchased from the National Archives. These records relate to the engineering aspects of the Tri-County Project; to the geography and geology of the area; to water resources of the state and to the financial, legal and budgetary phases of the project.

Correspondents within this collection include: Aable, Moritz, 1933-1936; Aable, Christian, 1933-1936; Budd, Ralph, 1933-1936; Canaday, Ralph O., 1933-1941; Carmody, John, 1939-1940; Condra, George W., 1933, 1934, 1936; Fitzsimmons, J.S., 1933-1935; Ickes, Harold, 1933-1935; Kingsley, D.W., 1933-1941; Kinsley, Fred, 1933-1936; Kingsley, .S., 1933-1936; Kuska, Val, 1933-1940; Lawrence, James E., 1933-1940; Marsh, Carl F., 1936-1940; Mickey, Clark E., 1933-1935; Norris, George W., 1933-1940; Ritchie, William 1933-1936; Roosevelt, Franklin D., 1934; Sorensen, C.A., 1938-1941; and Stephens, Dan V., 1933-1937.

The D.W. Kingsley papers were received in October 1958 through the assistance of Val Kuska. Many of the additional files were received

from Stanley Matzke who was then associated with the CNPPID

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