

PERIOD OF STUDY OVER FOR PUPILS OF HIGH SCHOOLS

Last School Session of Year Completed; Graduation Exercises Will Be Held Friday Night.

School is out for the 3,000 students of the Omaha high schools. The high schools are dismissing a week earlier this year owing to the fact that no spring vacation was observed.

Locker keys, books and equipment were turned in at the close of the sessions Thursday. The Central High "Register" annual will be given out Friday afternoon and Saturday morning. Graduation cards were also distributed and those making a grade of A in three or more subjects were recorded on the honor roll.

A group of seniors celebrated the close of their schooling by turning on the fire hose in the south hall. The Gym club of the school turned over \$49 to the scholarship fund, the Racquet club \$10 and the Girls' Student club \$42.

Vacation School.
A vacation school will be conducted by E. E. McMillan at the Young Men's Christian association during the summer. Any high school subject for which there is sufficient demand will be given. Students will be given full credit for their work if the Central High examinations given the latter part of the summer are passed. Registration for the summer school is open and classes will begin Monday.

Each pupil will be allowed to take two subjects. The faculty includes Miss Jessie Towne, English; J. F. Woolery, mathematics; Mary Parker, history, and Miss E. Jenkins, English. History, civics, and Latin teachers have not yet been selected. The school closes August 10.

Commencement exercises for the four high schools will be held at the Auditorium Friday night. Superintendent Beveridge will preside. The invocation will be given by Rev. J. Mackay. Chairman Arthur R. Wells of the teachers' committee will present the cadet certificates.

"Unique Characteristics of Our American Schools" will be the subject of Dr. Charles H. Judd of the University of Chicago in the commencement address. W. E. Reed will present the diplomas. The school orchestra, under the direction of Henry Cox, will provide the music.

R. B. Howell Expected to Return From East Saturday

R. B. Howell is expected home Saturday from Washington, where he has been for three weeks trying to "get together" with the War department on a plan to extend the Omaha city water main to Fort Crook, a distance of four and one-half miles, so that the fort may have an adequate supply of water for any number of troops that may be sent there.

Contracts With City Must Be in "Black and White"

"You was never in the contracting business, was you?" Frank Blind asked Mayor Smith during a meeting of the city council Thursday morning.

Blind was making a plea for allowance of a bill of \$143.60 for extras in connection with painting and decorating at the public library. The mayor did not believe these extras were regular and he questioned the bill, which has been referred to the library board for investigation.

Submarines Quiet in Atlantic Waters; Steamships Arrive

An Atlantic Port, June 6.—The arrival here today of several steamships from southern Atlantic waters, among them two passenger liners, brought no further news of submarine operations. Officers of the ships said, however, that every precaution was taken against surprise.

Barrels lashed to the masts served as crow's nests for observers, and as further precaution passengers were advised not to disembark at night, and all lifeboats, fully provisioned and watered, were kept hanging on the davits on a level with the boat deck, ready for instant use.

Two Fined \$100 and Costs For Possession of Liquor

Two men were fined \$100 and costs in police court, Thursday morning, on charges of illegal possession of liquor. Six pints of whiskey taken from a grip belonging to W. J. Huston, Plainview, Neb., were produced in court as evidence against him.

Mrs. Love Says Young Love Was Too Young to Know Love

Mrs. Grace Love filed a petition in district court Thursday morning asking the annulment of the marriage between her son, Clarence Love, and Viola Surridge-Love. The mother alleges that at the time her son was married in Des Moines, July 10, 1917, he was but 17 years old and that his bride was but 15 years old. She alleges that she never countenanced the marriage and at all times was opposed to it.

ON THE FIELD OF HONOR.

Washington, June 6.—The army casualty list today contained 34 names, divided as follows:

KILLED IN ACTION.
Killed in action, 7.
Died of wounds, 3.
Died of accident, 3.
Died of disease, 4.
Wounded severely, 12.
Wounded, degree undetermined, 1.
Wounded slightly, 3.
Missing in action, 1.

KILLED IN ACTION.
Corporals.
William H. Delaney, Troy, N. Y.
William F. Hatcher, Oxnard, Cal.

Privates.
Roy H. Eaton, 622 South Twentieth street, Omaha, Neb.
Richard Ellis, Janesville, Wis.
Charles F. Kirby, Wappello, Mo.
Carl A. Parr, Nicholson, Mich.
August Schuster, Erie, Pa.

DIED OF WOUNDS.
Lieutenant A. P. H. Sage, Memphis, Tenn.

Corporal Sanford C. Eichorn, Elmire, Minn.

Private Archie Swann, Herbert, Sask., Canada.

DIED OF DISEASE.
Corporal Carl H. Bartelt, Dundee, Ills.

Privates.
James T. Baker, Novinger, Mo.
Walter Green, Homerville, Ga.
David Stromberg, Chicago, Ill.

DIED OF ACCIDENT.
Wagoner Walter E. Wilhelm of Woodlawn, N. Y.

Privates.
Thomas A. Price, Nevada, Mo.
Jewell Reid, Lagrange, Ga.

Wounded severely:
Lieutenants William D. Hill, Claburn, Tex.; Bernard C. Wolcott, Binghamton, N. Y.; Sergeant Charles J. Jerard, Peoria, Ill.

Privates:
Victor E. Bargank, Grove City, Minn.; Neil E. Callahan, Minto, N. D.; Charles Gaeta, Revere, Mass.; Harry Marvin Hubert, Solway, N. Y.; Corlie Lord, 448 Maple street, Butte, Mont.; William Marlenaschek, Plainfield, N. J.; Michael Mazzoni, Boston, Mass.; John H. Siple, Wrightsville, Fla.

Wounded slightly:
Louis P. Trial, Waterville, Me.

Wounded severely (present degree undetermined):
Private Lee R. Irish, Indianapolis, Ind.

Wounded slightly:
Private Samuel C. Anglin, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Raleigh Knorr, Potosi, Mont.; Horace H. Swickard, Toronto, O.

Missing in Action.
Private George J. McDonald, Roxbury, Mass.

Private Fleming Mc G. Foresman, Bardolph, Ill., reported killed in action May 30 is also reported to have been severely wounded previously. Previously reported missing, now officially presumed to be dead, Private Alphonus J. McGrath, Stephen, Ill.

Omaha Railroad Man Gets Commission in Radio Corps

T. P. Kerr, chief clerk in the Omaha office of the Big Four Railroad company up to the time the government order closed all off-line offices, has been commissioned first lieutenant in the United States radio service and ordered to report in Lincoln June 14 as an instructor in the army radio school that will open there on that date.

Lieutenant Kerr is a telegraph operator and while performing his duties as chief clerk in the railroad offices, took up wireless as a pastime and soon became an expert. Some time ago he enlisted, but without any thought of obtaining a commission.

Further Restrictions on Parcel Mailing to France

Mailing of unnecessary packages to United States soldiers in France will be still further restricted by another order of Third Assistant Postmaster General Dockery. This order provides that soldiers sending home requests for articles to be mailed back to France must obtain the approval and signature of an officer of their regiments holding the rank of major or higher.

The previous order, that of March 28, 1918, provided that the signature of a superior officer must be obtained. The new order says that the O. K. of a lieutenant or captain is not sufficient.

20,000 Physicians Now in United States Army Service

New York, June 6.—More than 20,000 physicians and surgeons and 12,000 nurses have enrolled in the American army, and the enlisted personnel has been built up to 100,000 men, declared Surgeon General William C. Gorgas, reviewing the work of the medical department in the first 14 months of the war.



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Made instantly in the cup, no boiling. Delicious flavor.

A cheering hot drink for people of every age.

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Bargains for Friday and Saturday

Economy Center of Omaha

Sale of Towels
Fine opportunities to stock up now and save money.

Towels at 12½c
One lot, huck or full bleached Turkish towels, hemmed ends, special each . . . 12½c.

Bath Towels at 15c
Full bleached, hemmed ends, a fluffy quality, while 100 dozen last, special each 15c.

Towels, Special at 25c
About 125 dozen full bleached towels, the Turkish kind, fancy borders, hemmed ends, made of a fine yarn (slightly imperfect) a 39c value, special each 25c.

Fancy Towels at 39c
One lot of fancy plaid Turkish towels, hemmed ends, made out of a fine quality yarn, special each 39c.

Extra Towels at 59c
One lot of mill seconds of very fine full bleached Turkish towels with fancy colored borders, also plain white, extra weight, size and quality, values up to 98c, special each 59c.

Birdseye Toweling, 15c
About 5,000 yards of a soft and absorbent Birdseye or Diaper toweling, 18 inches wide, in lengths of 5 or 10 yards, for Friday special a yard 15c.

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Hundreds of Dainty Silk Dresses
At a Price that is Remarkably Low

We have been able to obtain another lot of Silk Dresses at such a concession that we will quote a price that places them well within the reach of the most limited purse.

A Special Purchase Just Received Right From New York City

And Other Dresses Taken Right From Our Own Big Stock Go to Make This Fine Showing for Friday and Saturday.

DON'T FORGET THAT MANY OF THESE DRESSES ARE SAMPLES, in some instances made to sell for as much as \$20.00—and because we want you to get your share of the plums, we suggest that you come here at store opening time on Friday.



Many different kinds of pretty styles, plain and fancy; newest combinations of Crepe de Chine in black and colors; heavy Taffeta in black and colors; fancy Foulards, Plaids and Taffetas in stripes, also heavy Satin. New fancy collars, many prettily embroidered and trimmed with beading; many of the Dresses have Georgette sleeves.

Priced at \$8.88 for Friday

Various Sizes and Colors—GET HERE EARLY.

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Knit Underwear
Women's Fine Cotton Vests, extra sizes, sleeves, full taped, "The Essex Brand," at 35c each, or, at \$1.00 at three for

Women's Fine Weave "Forest Mills" Union Suits, sleeveless and lace trimmed knee length style, sizes 4, 5 and 6, at 89c; sizes 7, 8 and 9, at a suit . . . \$1.00

Children's Knit Waist Union Suits, in sizes 2 to 12 years. A good, strong garment, at 59c

Infants' Sample Shirts, in part wool and cotton, 39c each, at Basement

Hosiery
Women's Pure Thread Silk Seamless Hosiery, in black and white, with double soles, "The Black Cat" brand, seconds of 50c 29c quality, a pair 50c

Women's Silk Lisle Hosiery, black and white, double soles, "The Black Cat" brand, seconds of 50c 29c quality, a pair, at 29c

Infants' Fancy Lisle Half Socks, in fancy colored rolled tops and all white, tan, pink and black; sizes 4 to 9½; all first "Gordon Hose," worth 50c, pr. 29c

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Wall Paper Specials
In going through our stock after a very busy season, we find a number of our best selling patterns in quantities of from one to three rooms, these papers will go on sale Friday at sharp reductions.

Bedroom Papers in very pleasing patterns, with dainty cut-out borders to match; Friday, special . . . 11c and 14c

Papers Suitable for the Different Rooms, in light and dark patterns, with cut-out border for each; Friday, special . . . 6½c

Plain 30-inch Oatmeal Paper in room lots, in a number of good colors; sold with cut-out borders to match; Friday, 12½c

A Group of Papers for Kitchen, Attic or Spare Room, with borders for each; Friday, special 3c

Special Patterns, nice for the parlor, living room, dining room, reception hall or den, in stripes, blends and two tones; displayed with suitable cut-out decorations; special Friday 19c

¾-inch Gilt Moulding, while it lasts Friday, a foot 2c

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Visit This Men's and Boys' Section

Boy's Clothing Offerings

Boys' Wash Suits, in stripe and check effects, such as blue and white, tan and white, gray and white, pink and white, also plain light and dark shades; sizes 2½ to 8; a 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 suit, at

Boys' Norfolk Suits, in the new spring fabrics and models; many have two pairs of knickers. The selection is too extensive to attempt description. Materials are blue serges as well as \$6.50 up to \$9.50 fancy mixtures; sizes 6 to 17, at

Children's Slip-Overs for boys and girls, well made of wash gingham, neatly trimmed, cut full; sizes 2 to 6, at 65c

Boys' Wash Knickers in khaki, duck, crash and many fancy striped effects; sizes 6 to 17, at 75c

Children's White and Blue Chambray Rompers, low neck, short sleeves, elastic bottom; sizes 2 to 6, at 55c

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Men's and Young Men's Suits, \$14.75
Very Special Values

A very good selection for men to choose from, good patterns and good styles, tailored of good materials, in all sizes.

Men's Khaki Trousers, made of good quality material, especially adapted for campers, at \$1.25 to \$3.50

Men's Overalls in blue denim and hickory stripe, union made brand, regular swing pockets, full cut, specially priced, at \$1.39

Men's and Young Men's Trousers in worsted chevots and cassimeres, sizes up to 42, at \$1.85 to \$3.50

Men's Furhishings

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers. Shirts have short or long sleeves, drawers are ankle length with reinforced seats, sizes 30 to 44, at a garment . 50c.

Men's Sport Shirts of soisette and madras, in white with colored stripes and all white, made with low neck and short sleeves, sizes 14 to 17, at 59c

Men's Summer Weight Elastic Ribbed Union Suits, ecru or white, short or long sleeves, ankle length, closed crotch, sizes to 46, at 69c and 79c.

Men's Athletic Style Nainsook Union Suits, no sleeves, knee length, closed crotch, wide button flap, sizes up to 46, at . . . 59c.

Men's Fancy Silk Four-In-Hand Ties, wide flowing ends in fancy assorted striped patterns, at 25c.

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Graduation Gifts
From the Basement Gift Shop

Ivory Fans, hand-painted in roses, small flowers, cupids and other pretty designs over 20 designs to choose from; special \$1.00

Genuine Italian Hand-Carved Cameos in brooches and bar pins, many styles; fitted in 20-year gold-filled frames, special \$2.00

Imported French Pearl Beads, very fine luster, each one in a fancy silk-lined box; special each \$1.00

All the Fancy and Novelty Earrings that sold up to \$1.00, choice 59c

Imported Leather Bags, beautiful silk linings, some with two fittings, in all the fancy leathers, including black, at \$2.00

Ivory Brushes and Mirrors, genuine solid back, Ivory Mirrors in oval with long handle; round with short handles; Brushes concave, with genuine American bristles; slightly imperfect; each \$1.00

One Lot of Ladies' Fine Leather Bags, silk-lined, with inside purse; in all the leading colors, brown, tan, gray, green, purple and black; special \$1.00

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