

WATER MARKED SLATE OUT

Endorsement by Fictitious Club Long Ago Out of Business.

DISREPUTABLES AS REFORMERS

County Treasurer Use Asked to Be Left Off So as Not to Suffer by Such Obnoxious Company.

The so-called Fontenelle club "slate" is being circulated through the mails in the form of a card containing the names of the candidates "endorsed" by the club.

That Fontenelle club endorsement is a joke, or rather a fraud, said a county member of the organization. This club has not had a meeting for nearly two years, nor has it any officers, headquarters or membership.

Nebraska City Has Raised Good Sum for War Sufferers

The Teutonia Lodge No. 15, Order of the Sons of Hermann of Nebraska City in its meeting Wednesday night donated \$200 from its treasury for the German war sufferers.

This is the highest amount so far given by any German organization of the state and will cause great satisfaction among the Germans and Austro-Hungarians.

Omahans Back Home from Europe Today

Omaha's first war-delayed travelers abroad are due to arrive here Friday morning, after numerous exciting experiences resulting from the European conflict.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Gifford are expected to reach America on the Virginian very soon, but their relatives here have not heard from them since they sailed.

Mrs. Frank Robbins, who landed at New York Monday morning, will not leave there for Omaha until next Monday.

C. F. Paha has received a mail message from his wife and daughter, who were leaving for Venice July 23.

Among Omahans who went from Germany to Norway and Sweden when the war broke out are J. P. Jerpe and two daughters, Mrs. P. J. Melander and child.

Mrs. Lewis Peterson and daughter, Miss Clara, and Miss Eileen Rohlf, they called home this week that they were "in" in Sweden.

Others probably marooned in the same way, according to John Henriksen, local steamship agent, are Mrs. Edholm, at Kristalpa, Sweden; Mrs. Josephine Swanson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. Peterson, at Vadstena, Sweden.

Phelps Gets Big Trout in Laramie

H. C. Phelps brought a huge trout back from Wyoming when he returned from a fishing trip on the ranch of H. E. Fredrickson, near Laramie. It was a wonderful catch, so old fishermen say.

GEORGE L. ALLEY ELECTED HEAD OF BAGGAGE AGENTS

On account of sickness in his family, George L. Alley, general baggage agent of the Union Pacific, was unable to attend the annual convention of the American Association of General Baggage Agents, held at Detroit.

The Western Association of General Baggage Agents will hold its quarterly meeting in Omaha September 15 to 18. Twenty-five to thirty members will be in attendance.

Going to the Movies? If you want to know advance what pictures are going to be shown at your favorite theater tonight read "Today's Complete Movie Program" on the first page of this issue.

War May Cause New Grain Exchange to Be Delayed a Year

It is very likely that the local effect of the war in Europe will result in the erection of the Omaha Grain exchange building being postponed until next year.

HOLDUP ON MILLARD ROAD

Two Young Women Held at Police Station for Complicity

SYRACUSE MAN IS THE VICTIM

Had Met Girls in a Restaurant and While on a Buggy Ride They Were Held Up by Two Masked Men.

Two pretty young women, both under 20 years of age, are being detained in the maftron's department at police headquarters for alleged complicity in a daring holdup on the road to Millard Monday night.

Syracuse, Neb., whose every possession was taken from him, is quartered at the station. He has filed complaint against the girls and the police are now seeking two men supposed to be accomplices.

Sample's story is that on Monday afternoon he met the two young women when he sat down at the same table in a crowded downtown restaurant.

As acquaintanceship sprang up over the passing of various table utensils and they took in moving picture shows afterward.

He met them again in the evening and they suggested a buggy ride. On the road to Millard, in a particularly lonely spot, two masked and armed men suddenly sprang out and stopped the rig.

At the depot Sample told his story to a railroad man who, laughed and advised that the police be notified.

Detectives Fleming and Murphy arrested the girls late Wednesday afternoon and they were identified by Sample. They described themselves as Leila McCauley and Alice Wilson, both 19 years old.

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Omaha Party Has Reached England

Cable advice have been received that of the Omahans who are abroad, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Dietz and Miss Stuckney have reached England and that they will probably sail for home on the Cedric August 27, reaching New York about September 1.

Word has reached Omaha that Father Helapapp, rector-elect of St. Barnabas' church, expects to return to Omaha late in September. He was to have been at Oxford to receive his degree of master of arts on August 5, but the letter received from him bears a prison date and it is not known whether the war situation would affect Oxford's school plans.

Baxter Finds Gloves Up on Account War

"We depend on France for our supply of kid gloves largely," said W. F. Baxter, returning from New York, where he went to buy in a stock of goods for the Thomas Kilpatrick store, and naturally the glove market is affected by the war.

Mr. Baxter believes that some of the hoisting of prices is unwarranted, as he says prices have risen on some of the goods that are manufactured strictly in the United States.

LOWE AVENUE CHURCH CALLS DR. ERNST OF GRAND ISLAND

Low Avenue Presbyterian church in congregational meeting, Wednesday night, voted a unanimous call to Rev. A. F. Ernst, Ph. D., Grand Island, to become its pastor.

Dr. Ernst is in no sense a candidate for the pulpit and is yet to give his answer. The call will be promptly communicated to him at his summer cottage on Lake Okoboji, but will be formally presented through the presbytery, which meets sometime in September.

Dr. Ernst is regarded as one of the strong Presbyterian preachers of this synod and the Low Avenue people are very anxious that he will be led to accept their call.

HAD A GUN TO SHOOT FISH IN THE RIVER

James Parkhurst who pleaded guilty to a charge of robbing Ed. E. Schwere, 211 South Twenty-seventh street, of \$25 worth of electrical fixtures, was sentenced to one to ten years in the penitentiary by District Judge English.

Antonio Lopez, accused of shooting at a Burlington watchman, pleaded not guilty. He explained that he had a gun to shoot fish in the Missouri river.

GRAIN SLUMPS TWO CENTS

Refusal of Exporters to Guarantee Deliveries Brings Prices Down.

HEAVY RAIN OVER NEBRASKA

Precipitation Amounts to Two Inches at Places, but is Said to Have No Effect on Corn Quotations.

Probably on account of receipt of the information that the National Association of exporters had refused to guarantee the safe delivery of any grain at ports in Europe, there was a slump in grain prices here, in Chicago and elsewhere yesterday, everything selling off around 2 cents from Wednesday.

Receipts at all the markets were light as compared with ten days ago. The Omaha receipts were:

Wheat, forty-nine; corn and oats forty-two carloads. Omaha cash prices for wheat were \$1.08 cents per bushel.

Instead of coming down to 2 1/2c in Chicago September not down to 2 1/2c and never got above 2 1/2c. December went up to 2 1/2c and as low as 2 1/2c. May remained above the dollar price, the low being \$1.00 and the high \$1.05.

Rain Has No Price Effect. The rain that was generally over the east half of Nebraska and Kansas Wednesday night did not have the effect on grain prices that had been anticipated.

As to the rain, drawing a line through Nebraska, north and south from O'Neill on the north and Hastings in the South Platte country, east of there precipitation.

CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT CONDOLES DEATH OF FIXA

Resolutions condoling the sudden death of Frank J. Fixa, inspector in the city health department, were signed by the employees of the health department and sent to the family.

Fixa was operated on for an affection of the throat and died under the knife. Got anything you'd like to read? Use the "Swappers" Column."

Wonderful Opportunities for Keen Economies Offered in the H. B. Claflin Stock Sales. Beginning Monday, August 17th. HAYDEN'S Watch Our Windows.

D.M. Haverly Candidate Republican Nomination FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS Primaries August 18th 1914

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To Patrons of the Farnam Street Car Line

THE FENCE in front of the United States National Bank Building has now been moved back to the curb line, and permission has been granted by the city authorities to resume our former practice of stopping westbound cars on the far side of 16th street.

Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway Co.

Stor's Triumph Beer. Ferdinand de Soto Discovering the Mississippi a Triumph of 1591 A.D. THE BEER OF ABSOLUTE PURITY A TRIUMPH OF TODAY

POLITICAL ADVERTISING. POLITICAL ADVERTISING.



ROSS L. HAMMOND Fremont Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Governor

Mr. Hammond's name will be found on the primary ballot. He has been long recognized as a prominent factor in the business and political and professional life of Nebraska.

In political life he has been a conspicuous figure. A forceful editorial writer he has always made his opinions felt upon the public. He has been for years active within the party ranks and was a pioneer in demanding the elimination of the railroad pass, corporation control, enactment of the primary law, the initiative and referendum, popular nomination and election of the United States Senators and other measures written into law in recent years.

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Sale of Remnants and Odd Lots in Domestic Room

Remnants of Wash Dress Fabrics, Flannelettes, Outing Flannels, Suitings, etc. On Five Bargain Tables Friday:

Table with 5 columns: TABLE 1, TABLE 2, TABLE 3, TABLE 4, TABLE 5. Rows include Remnants, Towels, and Remnants of Table Damask.

Women's, Men's and Children's Clothing and Furnishings

- Women's White Wash Waists—All sizes, big variety of designs, \$1.50 value, 49c. Misses' Middy Blouses—Regular \$1.00 value, 49c. Women's Silk Dresses—To \$10.00 values, in good assortment of colorings and styles, \$2.95.

- Linen Dept. Specials for Friday: Pattern Table Cloths—To \$2 values, hemstitched, full size, choice, \$1.00. Belfast Satin Table Damask—Dew bleached, pure flax, \$1.50 yard value, \$1.00.

The Best High Grade Diamond H Flour, sack \$1.10

- 10 bars Best-Ent-All Diamond "C" Lenox or Laundry Queen Soap, 50c. 20 lb. best white or yellow Cornmeal, 75c.

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Real Estate Opportunities

Whether you have only a small amount of money to invest and want to make every dollar count, or whether you are looking for safe investments in high grade properties, the Real Estate columns of The Bee contain the choicest opportunities.

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