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Representative.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the republican nomination for float representative from the 77th District composed of the counties of Keith, Lincoln and Dawson, at the primary election to be held August 29, and respectfully solicit your support. I have been a resident of Dawson county for fourteen years, and my present home is in Gothenburg.

GEORGE S. DOTY

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff at the primary election to be held August 29th, 1918.

A. J. SALISBURY

County Clerk.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination for County Clerk at the Primary election to be held August 30th, 1918.

A. S. ALLEN

270,000 AMERICANS NOW ON THE FIGHTING LINE.

The high water mark of the German offensive in France has been reached. The initiative is passing to the allied and American armies. General March, chief of staff told the members of the senate military committee. Later he announced that American troop shipments had now exceeded 1,900,000 men, insuring the man power to hold the initiative on the western front, and that 270,000 of these are engaged in the battle now being waged.

The direct objective of General Foch's counter stroke, General March told newspaper men in his weekly conference, is the railway that feeds the German forces in the Chateau-Thierry region. Already it has been attained, for the French and American forces are either inside the line at certain points or have it under direct fire at short range rendering it unusable.

Allied Victories Multiplying.

Victories for the allied arms are multiplying. Over the entire sixty mile front running from Soissons to Rheims the allied troops are fighting with a determination that knows no denial. The Germans are giving ground, altho stubborn resistance is met with from them. Gains have been made by the American and French against the enemy between Soissons and Chateau-Thierry.

Chateau-Thierry, which represents the point in the battle line where the Germans had driven their wedge nearest to Paris, has been re-captured by the French troops, and almost simultaneously the village of Brasles, two miles eastward, and the heights to the north of the village fell into their hands.

Acting in harmony with the movement on Chateau-Thierry, American and French troops northwest of the city broke thru the German lines and at some points advanced more than three miles. Large numbers of prisoners were taken. The allied machine guns literally mowed down the Germans.

Whatever proportion of credit, great or small, for the present victory belongs to the American troops. It is taken for granted that the French commanders would not have done what they have done—would not even have thought of a big counter attack—if the Americans had not been on the front to help. So it is true now at this moment, rather than two or three months hence, that the United States forces are a great military factor.

Francis and Elsie Dolph are spending a month's vacation with Mrs. Osborn near Lexington, having left there last night.

TANKEES AND FRENCH CONTINUE TO PIERCE ENEMY LINE.

The Americans and French succeeded Sunday in breaking through the German line northeast of Chateau Thierry, and drove a spearhead toward the northeast three and one-half miles at various places.

The allied troops have taken many prisoners, including three officers, who said they were tired of war. American infantrymen captured two German 77s. Previous to the breaking of the German lines the allies battled with desperate machine gunners, who were mowed down as the allied reinforcements arrived. The German losses were terrible.

An attack from Chateau-Thierry to Rheims began on Saturday. American forces captured Hill 193, north of Vaux, and advanced more than two kilometers. At last accounts they were more than holding their own against German resistance.

The German retreat across the Marne began on Friday under cover of a great smoke screen. At last accounts great hordes of Germans were continuing north. Organized resistance has been met with so far only at a few places.

The district south of the Marne and east of Chateau-Thierry is entirely cleared of Germans. Two badly cut up German regiments were left south of the Marne in the German retreat. Allied aviators bombed the bridges across the river and their escape was impossible.

All Saturday night the allies hammered away at the widening wedge between the Germans and Paris as the Germans withdrew north of the Marne. Americans continue taking prisoners and guns. Allied reinforcements are pouring in to overcome any determined resistance the Germans may attempt.

The heavy artillery of the allies continues clearing the districts north of the Marne. Indian scouts who were with Pershing in Mexico played a prominent part in the scout work in the river.

The Franco-American forces continue to make progress, repelling the enemy, who is defending himself obstinately.

German rear guards have succeeded thus far in preventing the French from pushing detachments over the river Marne. They are holding the north bank of the stream with strong units.

Submarine Sinks Tug.

An enemy submarine attacked a tug off the easternmost point of Cape Cod Sunday, sank three barges, set a fourth and their tug on fire and dropped four shells on the mainland. The action lasted an hour and was unchallenged except by two hydroplanes from the Chatham aviation station, which circled over the U-boat, causing her to submerge for only a moment to reappear and resume firing.

The crew of the barges, comprising 16 men, three women and five children, reached shore in small boats. Only one of them, a man, was injured by flying wood splinters in the arm. The submarine was plainly seen from shore.

The little romper suits for the little boys and girls to fit ages two to six years are on sale at THE LEADER MERC. CO., at 75c, 95c, \$1.25 and \$1.45. The best that's made, all nice material.

Casualties to Date.

Washington, July 21.—The casualties to date for the army and marine corps aggregate 10,831 for the army and 1,885 for the marine corps. The total army casualty list up to date, as given out today is:

Killed in action, 1,081, including 291 at sea.
 Died of wounds, 678.
 Died of disease, 1,399.
 Died of accident and other causes, 642.
 Wounded in action, 5,817.
 Missing in action, including prisoners, 593.
 Total, 10,831.
 Marine Corps' total, including July 20 report is: Officers: Deaths 25; wounded, 29; missing, 1. Enlisted men: Deaths, 654; wounded, 1,095; in hands of enemy, 4; missing, 77. Total, 1,885.

LITTLE PAL O' MINE.

The following lines were written by Corporal James K. Flynn, a North Platte boy now in France with the Railway Engineers. It was first published in the Stars and Stripes, the french paper issued by American soldiers in France and later appeared in the Paris edition of the New York Herald. One cannot read this poem without his or her heart going out to the boys who are under the colors abroad, for it so feelingly expresses the innermost thoughts of the boys so far from the ones they love and the land so dear.—Editor Tribune.)

It's darkening fast, Little Pal o' Mine, and it's dreary and wet and cold
 And the night-time creeps on a murky sky as it gathers this world in
 its fold.

The shadows fall so silently, and deepen one by one,
 And daylight, passing, leaves no trail as it follows the setting sun.
 The wind blows chill and cuts the flesh with a deep and stinging pain;
 It's hardened heavy with cruel mist from weeks and weeks of rain.
 The heavy, sodden, low'ring clouds in the dread October sky
 Like bounding, tumbling tumble-weeds go rolling and whirling by.
 It's a desolate place, this world of war, starved and dank and lean.
 Besides a few loud-squawking crows, bird folk are never seen:
 Even the little rabbits, accustomed to meadows and heath,
 Have been starved with war's wild hunger and trampled by marching-
 feet.

Three years of war's wild waste, of moss and brush and weeds,
 Of pathways bleeked and yards o'ergrown and lakelets filled with reeds
 Have made a rack of flower-beds, of garden, fields and lawn,
 And left this land as wild and bleak as Iceland's Christmas dawn.
 Rusty entanglements of wire and shell-holes now o'ergrown,
 Ghast witnesses of dripping blood and shattered manhood's moan,
 Remain to mock strong, virile youth, once groomed and fed for the
 trench.

In a cruel attempt from German hordes a lasting peace to wrench,
 You can watch the van on a busy day as it passes, thousands strong,
 But there's nothing but khaki, leather and steel in the stream as it
 passes along:
 Only the cloth of the service, some new, only spattered with mud,
 Some old and worn and tattered, and some all covered with blood.
 It's a lonely world, Little Pal o' Mine, and the days pass heavy and slow
 Each has its tale of victory or a tale of suffering and woe.
 Brave deeds from the "Line" pass commonplace; they're done many
 times every day.

For men, long injured to the bitter strife, have come to do things that
 way.
 And when evening comes in this land of decay and darkness settles
 o'erhead

It's a lone and cheerless way I take as I seek my lonely bed.
 I sit in this little hut of mine, and in the embers' glow
 I see again the faces of dear old friends I know.

I hear their gentle voices in the evening's scurrying breeze,
 And my idle fancy takes me to my home across the seas.
 I see the one I left behind in that dear spot over there:
 I see a pair of wondrous eyes, a wealth of lustrous hair;
 I hear again her gentle voice and touch her hand so fine:
 I dream the of the happy days I'll know when she'll be mine.
 I'm missing you, Little Pal o' Mine, in this world afar from cheer,
 And, as I sit with my lonely thoughts, I wish that you were here.
 Those were joyful days, Little Pal o' Mine, a riot of youth and song,
 And good times came on each breath of air and followed each other
 along.

But they're not in this land where I'm dwelling; no youth, no love,
 no play

Enhances my waking hours nor passes dull time away.
 My comrades' faces are missing, those voices I cannot hear
 'Neath this pagan altar of Mars in this land so bleak and drear.
 And you're gone, too, Little Pal o' Mine, and those joyous days of old
 Are far from this lowly abode of mine, in these days of damp and cold.
 But this strife must cease, and I'll return to the land I love once more,
 To a spot that's many and many a league from France's blighted shore.
 Then joy and happiness will replace the suffering and the pain,
 And bright and healthy sunshine the snow and sleet and rain.
 So now good night, and may your dreams be bright and shining gold,
 And know that your Little Pal dreams of you in this world of damp
 and cold.

Good night again, Little Pal o' Mine, across the ocean blue;
 Good night, and may God bless you, in the message I send to you.
 CORPORAL JAMES K. FLYNN,
 Company D.—th Railway Engineers.

To Boycott German Goods.

The American Defense Society is working on a plan to secure the signature of twenty millions of people to a perpetual pledge to refuse to buy goods made in Germany. In France they have already circulated posters bidding the people never to forget the Hun and his work. In Great Britain the boycott idea has been carried to such a length that the seamen are pledging themselves never to carry any goods to Germany because of the murder of defenseless sailors. All over the world the same movement is going on. Germany will be the target among the nations during the remainder of the twentieth century. Wherever the Germans go they will find trade and hearts locked against them. It is a terrible price to pay for the sins of a wicked and reckless government, but the people of Germany have made themselves a part of the crime of ages, and they must share in the punishment.—State Journal.

Big Drive to Come Later.

A Washington dispatch says:—That the present drive of the allies is nothing more than a giant counter offensive is the general belief here among military men and is borne out in statements made by General Marsh. The latter states that the allies will make their real drive the fore part of next year.

It is believed that the Huns will fall back to one of their old lines of trenches and there dig in. This will make it necessary to shell them out before continuing the pursuit. It is believed however that the present drive will be carried through as far as the judgment of the allied leaders deem advisable.

John W. Cochran, Ed L. Pierson, "Golden Rule" Landmen, Sutherland, Nebraska. 50-9

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Notice.

Charles Bacon will take notice that on the 26th day of June, 1918, W. H. C. Woodhurst, judge of the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of One hundred thirty-one 50-100 dollars (\$131.00) with interest and costs in an action pending before him, wherein Claude DeLaney is plaintiff and Charles Bacon is defendant. That property of the defendant, consisting of money due the said defendant from the Union Pacific Railroad Company has been attached under said order. Said cause was continued to Monday, the 26th day of August, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m.

CLAUDE DELANEY, Plaintiff.

By A. MULDOON, His Attorney.

Yanks Take 17,000 Prisoners.

Prisoners captured by American troops in the offensive on the Alsace-Marne front up to an early hour Saturday totaled by actual count 17,000. General Pershing reported in his communique for Saturday night by the war department. Capture of 560 guns also is announced.

Primary Election Proclamation.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by law, and in accordance with Section 2159 of the Revised Statutes of Nebraska for 1913, I, A. S. Allen, County Clerk of the County of Lincoln, State of Nebraska, do hereby direct and proclaim that a Primary Election be held in the several polling places throughout the County of Lincoln, State of Nebraska, on Tuesday, the 29th day of August, 1918, during the hours designated by law for the following purposes, to-wit:

- For the nomination of:
 - One candidate for each of the political parties for United States Senator.
 - One candidate for Congress by each of the political parties for the Sixth Congressional District.
- Candidates by each of the political parties for the following offices:
 - One Governor.
 - One Lieutenant Governor.
 - One Secretary of State.
 - One Auditor of Public Accounts.
 - One State Treasurer.
 - One Attorney General.
 - One Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings.
 - One Railway Commissioner.
 - One State Senator for the Twenty-fifth Senatorial District.
 - One State Representative for the 68th District.
 - One State Representative for the 77th District.

Also the non-partisan nomination of six Judges of the Supreme Court.

The non-partisan nomination for four Regents of the State University.

The non-partisan nomination for two candidates for State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

At the same time and places will be submitted the question of the calling of a constitutional convention.

Also Candidate by each of the political parties for the office of:

- One County Clerk.
- One County Treasurer.
- One Sheriff.
- One County Surveyor.
- One County Attorney.
- One County Commissioner, 2nd District.

Also the non-partisan nominations of two candidates for County Judge.

Also the non-partisan nomination of two candidates for County Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Also one candidate by each of the political parties for the office of:

- Police Magistrate for the City of North Platte.

Polls will be opened at 8 o'clock a. m. and remain open until 8 o'clock p. m. of the same day.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Lincoln, State of Nebraska, this 15th day of July, 1918.

A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate No. 1565 of Caroline Teitz, deceased in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, as: Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said Estate is November 2, 1918, and for settlement of said Estate is June 23, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county on August 2, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on November 2, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objection duly filed.

WM. H. C. WOODHURST,
 County Judge.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

In the matter of the Estate of Sophia Federhooft, deceased.

Order of hearing on final report of Executor.

Now on this 11th day of July, 1918, came G. S. Huffman, the Executor of said estate, and filed herein his final account as such Executor, and asks to be discharged, and for a decree of final settlement of such estate. It is therefore ordered that the 5th day of August, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m. at my office in North Platte, Nebraska, be fixed as the time and place for examination and allowance of said report and account.

The heirs and devisees of said deceased, and all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear at the time and place so designated, and show cause, if any exists, why said account should not be allowed. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Semi-Weekly Tribune of North Platte, Nebraska, for three weeks prior to the day set for said hearing.

Dated July 11, 1918.
 Wm. H. C. WOODHURST,
 County Judge.

Notice.

S. S. Henshaw, first and true name unknown, will take notice that on the 15th day of July, 1918, I, L. Miltonberger, Justice of the Peace of Lincoln county, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of \$16.09 in an action, pending before him, wherein Leirik-Sandall Co. are plaintiffs and S. S. Henshaw is defendant that property of the defendant, consisting of moneys in the hands of the Union Pacific Railroad Co., a corporation, has been attached under said order. Said cause is continued to the 7th day of August, 1918, at 2 o'clock p. m. LEIRIK-SANDALL CO., Plaintiffs.

Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

In the Matter of the Estate of John E. Pratt, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to any and all persons having claims and demands against the estate of the said John E. Pratt, deceased, that the 18th day of November, 1918, has been set and appointed as the day for the reception, examination, adjustment and allowance of lawful claims and demands of all persons, against said estate and that the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska will at said time receive, examine, adjust and allow all such claims against said estate, as provided by law, at the County Court Room in the court house in the city of North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska, and all persons so interested in said estate, will appear at said time and place and duly present their said claims and demands in the manner required by law, or show cause for not so doing, and in case any of said claims and demands shall not be presented on or prior to the said 18th day of November, 1918, the same shall be forever barred.

I testify whereof, I have signed this notice and affixed the seal of said court this 16th day of July, 1918.

Wm. H. C. WOODHURST, Co. Judge.

J23-A15.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Serial No. 95371, Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office, North Platte, Nebraska, July 19, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Minnie Eliza Seese, formerly Minnie Eliza McGuire, of North Platte, Neb., who on Feb. 8th, 1912, made Homestead entry, No. 05371, for E½ of SE¼, section 2, township 13 N., range 30 W. 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 28th day of August, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jess Highberger, of North Platte, Neb. Jess Howard, of Wellfleet, Neb. Martin Magnuson, of North Platte, Neb. Scott Shaner, of Bignell, Neb.

E. J. EAMES, Register.

J23-A22.

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