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LIBERTY LOAN PARADE EXCELS PREVIOUS EFFORTS.

Last evening's Liberty Loan parade and demonstration surpassed in size effectiveness and enthusiasm any yet given, and The Tribune accords to the women of the city a full measure of credit for the success. Every woman's patriotic order or society was represented; it was the deft hands of the women who decorated the floats which so well depicted the societies they represented; it was with hearts in tune with the patriotism of the hour and the occasion that these hundreds of women, many of them garbed in the uniform of their work, marched in the parade and by their presence infused enthusiasm in those men or women who had not yet caught the spirit of doing their bit.

The handsomely decorated floats represented the Red Cross, the Sammy Girls, the telephone employees, the D. A. R. and the W. R. C. In addition several women's fraternal societies were represented in the line.

The parade extended for a distance of eight blocks, marching in columns of fours. Preceded by the Union Pacific shop band of Omaha, these several divisions of women's societies and the prettily decorated floats headed the parade, followed by the Municipal band, the speakers accompanying the Union Pacific special, the volunteer Liberty loan workers, a wonderful outpouring of Union Pacific employees, the drum and bugle corps, the Boy Scouts and citizens generally. The car repairers were especially conspicuous by reason of the car containing the Kaiser in his casket, a long range cannon and a tank which fired a shell at intervals as it traversed the streets. The parade swung down Dewey to Locust and the crowds that lined the streets loudly applauded, evidence that not all the patriots were in line. The march was over the usual course and ended at the court house square.

The speakers of the evening were Frank Gaines and W. F. Gurley of Omaha, a maimed American soldier, who had been returned home and an English soldier who had been wounded seven times. These men were members of the party who are traveling in a special over the Union Pacific delivering bond talks at each station on the system. The principal address was made by Mr. Gaines and it was a strong appeal to the audience to support the boys overseas by the liberal purchase of bonds. The soldiers related some of their experiences on the front and these were highly interesting, especially the accounts of the outrages by the Huns as related by the Englishman.

The closing talk was made by Mr. Gurley which, though brief, was strong and eloquent.

County Chairman Temple, of the bond campaign, presided as chairman of the meeting.

Special sale on laces. Our prices from one cent to seven cents. Now is the time to buy. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

Horton Munger, who expected to leave last night for Camp Pike, Arkansas, was notified yesterday that the camp had been quarantined and that he should remain here until further notice.

Merode underwear and Onyx hosiery in all the wanted styles, grades and colors, sold exclusively at BLOCKS.

The dance announced for Saturday night by the Union Pacific War Family club has been postponed until the ban on public gatherings is lifted.

NORTH PLATTE GOES OVER THE TOP THE FIRST DAY.

North Platte subscriptions to the Fourth Liberty loan as reported by the banks and the railroad committee totaled \$168,650 last evening. This is \$7,650 greater than the quota allotted to North Platte, but included in this total are some subscriptions which should be credited to the territory outside of the city, but included in the North Platte district. The quota for the North Platte district is \$196,000.

The campaign only got fairly started yesterday and we shall be disappointed if the subscriptions in the city proper do not reach \$250,000.

The subscriptions obtained yesterday by the woman's committee totaled twenty thousand dollars.

Phonograph Records Wanted.

In a letter to the Sammy Girls, Chas. H. Smith, of the 163d Depot Brigade writes: "I wonder if I would be asking too much if I would solicit records for Victrolas or Columbia machines? There are plenty machines here but the records are worn out. If each person in North Platte who owns a machine would donate a record it would be a great help to the boys in passing their leisure time. There are number of musicians and singers in our company who do their part in entertaining the others, but for the others the Victrola affords much pleasure."

Those who wish to donate records can leave them either at the Ideal Bakery or at The Tribune office.

Mrs. Hansen Dies of Flu.

The Spanish Influenza is responsible for the death of Mrs. Anna Hansen, wife of Peter Hansen, Yard Section foreman, who passed away last night. Mrs. Hansen was taken with the disease last Friday, and though medical aid was immediately summoned, the disease could not be stayed. Mrs. Hansen was the mother of Reynold and Adolph Hansen who are in the service, and of Ralph Hansen of this city and Eli Hansen of Cheyenne. A twelve year old daughter is also left motherless. Funeral arrangements have not at this time been completed.

Consult us about guarding against Influenza. Why not be safe GUM-MERE-DENT DRUG CO.

Harry Barbee, who had been transacting business in Kansas City, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Getty returned the latter part of last week from a visit in Grand Junction, Col.

Eber Murphy and Ralph Hansen were called to Denver Saturday by the death of Gustave Dahlstrom.

Bargains in every department. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

Francis Dunn, now of Grand Island, spent Sunday in town visiting friends and looking after his real estate interests.

Make you dollars do double duty and you sure can do it here. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

Atomizers and throat sprays at the REXALL DRUG STORE.

Mrs. J. M. Mooney, who had been visiting in town for a week or more, returned to her home in Denver Sunday.

FOR RENT—Store building at 609 Locust street. Steam heated. See BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

Chas. Bogue, who had been in Omaha and other eastern points, came home Saturday to visit his family for a few days.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Miss Blanche Fonda was called to Omaha Sunday by the illness of her mother, who had gone to that city a couple of days previous to visit relatives.

Dr. Brock, Dentist, over Stone Drug Store.

The three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pretzauer died Sunday morning. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. James Mitchell, of Kansas City, is the guest of her sister Mrs. B. L. Lambert. Mr. Mitchell was a railroad employee in this city twenty-five years ago.

For Sale—Two heifer calves and one weaned mule colt. Inquire of August Splinter, Phone 783F5. 77-2

In the county court Saturday Oscar Danfel and Clark Everett, of Brady, pleaded guilty to stealing two bed quilts of Fletcher Triggs and were each fined \$15 and costs.

Just received another lot of 75 new Jersey dresses in all the wanted shades up to the minute in style, priced very reasonably from \$27.50 up at BLOCKS.

Dr. L. J. Krause, Dentist, room 3 McDonald Bank building.

Members of Home Guards are requested to meet at Moose hall this evening for special drill. The Guards have decided to participate in the state competitive drill to be held at Holdrege the latter part of this month.

Largest assortment in the city of children's wool serge dresses and silk and gingham dresses as well, in all sizes, priced from 98c up, 2d floor at BLOCKS.

Mrs. J. H. Fonda, who went to Omaha Friday night to visit relatives fell from a street car Sunday forenoon and was rendered unconscious, remaining in that condition for several hours. She was conveyed to a hospital for care and treatment.

We have sold more coats and suits this season so far than ever before. Do you know why? Because we deliver the goods at the right prices. BLOCKS.

The lecture announced for tomorrow evening by S. K. Ratcliffe has been postponed indefinitely on account of the influenza order of the board of health. The luncheon to have been given Wednesday noon at the Presbyterian church is also declared off.

Guard against Spanish influenza. Spray or gargle your throat with Antiseptic solution. Get it pure at THE REXALL DRUG STORE.

An interesting contest is being carried on in the Men's Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school. The men of the church have been divided into two companies, the Submarines with I. A. Gilbert captain and Chas. McNamara as lieutenant and the Aeroplanes with John Tucker as captain and C. E. McLane as lieutenant. Attendance at Sunday school of the members of the companies counts points and the side getting the most points wins the contest which closes with last Sunday of the year. Something big will be pulled off following the close of the contest with the losing side as the goats. The results for the first Sunday were Aeroplanes 15 and Submarines 15.

Jersey dresses! The rage of the season. The kind every merchant tells you they are unable to get. We've got them and we have plenty of them to choose from. Come in and see them at BLOCKS.

BARUCH WANTS DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL TO CONTINUE.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Indefinite continuation of the "daylight saving" time schedule is proposed in a bill introduced today by Senator Calder of New York, with the endorsement of Chairman Baruch of the war industries board, who believes daylight saving should continue as a coal conservation measure. Under the present law all time pieces will be turned back an hour on October 27th.

Hindenburg Steps Down.

A London dispatch dated yesterday says: Field Marshal von Hindenburg has resigned as chief of the German general staff after a heated interview with the emperor in which the field marshal declared that a retreat on a large scale was impossible to avoid, according to a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam today.

Notice to Water Consumers.

Water bills for the July quarter are now ready and may be paid at the Water Office. Discount of one cent per thousand gallons given on bill if paid before October 20th. No discount after the 20th.

HERSHEY WELCH, Water Com.

Genl. Manager Jeffers, W. F. Gurley, ex-conv. S. Senator Norris Brown, Frank Gaines, Attorney Hanner and Attorney Frazier the speaker of the Union Pacific bond special, together with several local men were informally entertained by E. P. Seeburger following the meeting last night. The orchestra of the Union Pacific band was present and rendered appreciated selections.

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C. A. Liston, who was in town last evening requested The Tribune to announce that a big barn dance for the benefit of the Sammy Girls will be held at his ranch next Saturday evening. Music will be furnished by the Van Doran orchestra of this city. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

Our entire stock of merchandise on sale. A saving proposition for the public. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

The committee in charge of the women's division in the parade last evening requests The Tribune to extend thanks to the different organizations for their splendid representation. By their assistance the parade was made a very great success.

Omaha reports 2,000 cases of the flu. So far three cases out of twenty developed into pneumonia. Three deaths from the disease are reported from Fremont and three from Geneva.

We are still continuing our sale with new bargains being added daily. Do a little shopping then you will know the real bargains we are giving. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

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A. L. Konald, chairman of the B. of L. E. protective board of the Union Pacific system, spent yesterday in town conferring with members of the order.

It is only a money saving proposition to buy your fall supply of wearing apparel here. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

A petition nominating Dick Rennie for county surveyor in opposition to Paul Meyer is being circulated.

Eli Hansen arrived from Cheyenne this morning, having been called here by the death of his mother.

GENERALLY BELIEVED HUN OFFER WILL BE REJECTED.

The German and Austrian peace appeals are officially before the United States government. The German appeal, addressed specifically to President Wilson, was delivered to him in the White House at 11 o'clock by Frederick Oederlin, the acting Swiss charge d'affaires. Half an hour earlier the Austro-Hungarian appeal had been handed to Secretary of State Lansing by the Swedish minister.

It was officially announced that President Wilson would lose no time in making reply to the two notes.

Official announcement of the attitude of the United States government still were being withheld but there was no abatement of the indication that if Germany seeks a "negotiation" leading to round table conferences and diplomatic quibblings the offer will fall flat.

If she actually accepts without reservation the principles of peace as repeatedly laid down by President Wilson and accepted by co-belligerents, the way is open to peace, with the withdrawal of all German troops from invaded territory as the first requirement.

The French government is demanding unconditional surrender, while the British press looks upon the peace offering as insincere.

The meeting of the Travel and Study club has been postponed on account of the ban issued by the board of health.

Buying merchandise here is like buying a Liberty Bond. Money well invested. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

A. N. Durbin and T. F. Healey returned this morning from a business trip to Omaha.

For Sale—Victor Talking Machine. Phone Red 1009. 76-2

Fred Hanlon left this morning for Omaha where he will visit his daughter for some time.

The Economy knitting club will be postponed this week because of the quarantine.

Attorney M. E. Crosby is transacting business in Kearney today.

Miss M. Sleman, steam baths and Swedish Massage, ladies and gentlemen. Phone 897. Brodbeck bldg. 85th

SMASHING THE HUN LINE ON EVERY FRONT.

Outlought by the French and Americans, the Germans are retreating on a wide front in the Champagne sector between Rheims and the Argonne forest. The enemy has been caught between General Berthelot's army on the west, and General Gouraud's forces on the east, and is retreating northward toward the Retourne river.

American troops fighting with General Gouraud's army on the Champagne front have advanced almost four miles, captured nearly 2,000 prisoners and many guns and taking the Champ de Wagram series of heights between Mont Blanc and Mouchy farm.

From the region of Lille southward to Cambrai the German retreat begun when Lens and Armentieres were abandoned last week is continuing with what appears to be precipitation. There is every reason to believe that the city of Lille will be evacuated by the enemy within a few days and that his retirement will extend far down the front to the St. Quentin sector, where both the French and British army reported to be clear thru the Hindenburg line.

Laon, the stronghold to which the enemy has been clinging as the key point of his line on the southwest, apparently has been set afire by the Germans. The town was reported ablaze Sunday and fires were still burning on Monday.

A. F. Beeler, examiner in charge of U. S. Employment service returned from Omaha this morning where he attended a meeting of the chairmen of the Labor community boards. Special emphasis was placed on the necessity of replacing men by women in positions in order to release men for war work where ever possible.

Mrs. Frank Buchanan for management and Miss Jesse Baker for worker were recommended as additional members of the Labor community board for the special purpose of advising in connection with this work.

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Dr. Morrill, Dentist

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, LINCOLN COUNTY CHAPTER, RED CROSS. September 1st to October 1st, 1918.

A. F. STREITZ, Secretary.

Sept. 1, Balance on hand \$2211.85

DONATIONS RECEIVED.

Sept. 3, Painters Union.....	\$ 5.50
Sept. 4, Wellfleet Branch.....	100.00
Sept. 4, U. P. Bridge & Bldg. Gang.....	4.50
Sept. 5, U. P. Day Round House Employees.....	24.30
Sept. 7 & 17, Geo. Mills.....	4.00
Sept. 9, Regular Contributor.....	5.00
Sept. 10, U. P. Night Round House Employees.....	10.50
Sept. 10, F. H. Barber, A. F. Hammond, L. B. Dick, R. C. Pratt, Money earned in harvest field.....	18.00
Sept. 10, U. P. Machine Shop Employees.....	14.00
Sept. 10, Mr. Cross at Timmerman.....	2.50
Sept. 10, Miss Margaret Walker.....	1.14
Sept. 17, Bignell Auxiliary, Pie Social.....	100.00
Sept. 17, American Knitting Club.....	6.25
Sept. 17, R. D. Birge, W. J. O'Connor, S. R. Derryberry, Money earned at harvest.....	13.50
Sept. 17, S. R. Steinkopf.....	3.00
Sept. 17, C. S. Clinton, for Canteen.....	5.00
Sept. 19, U. P. Day Round House Employees.....	22.25
Sept. 19, U. P. Machine Shop Employees.....	18.00
Sept. 28, John Fowler and other fair exhibitors.....	4.80
Sept. 28, Gate Receipts County Fair Thursday night.....	256.25
Sept. 29, Gate Receipts County Fair Friday night.....	146.85
Sept. 30, Episcopal Girls Club, sale of woolen soldier boys at County Fair.....	115.30
Sept. 30, Sammy Girls Club, for Canteen.....	369.15
Sept. 30, Lincoln County Fair Association.....	400.00

FROM SALE OF MATERIALS

Sept. 4, Garfield Branch.....	13.72
Sept. 4, Dickens Branch.....	16.56
Sept. 4, Wellfleet Branch.....	26.61
Sept. 10, Hershey Branch.....	61.45
Sept. 11, Garfield Branch.....	24.75
Sept. 11, Somerset Branch.....	10.45
Sept. 12, Maxwell Branch.....	12.70

FROM HOME NURSING CLASS

Sept. 30, Fees for Elementary Hygiene Class.....	10.00
Sept. 30, Text Books for Elementary Hygiene Class.....	10.45

FROM MEMBERSHIPS

Sept. 30, 3 annuals, North Platte.....	3.00
Sept. 30, 2 annuals, Maxwell.....	2.00

\$4052.03

EXPENDITURES FOR MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Voucher No.		
231, L. L. Bare, Printing.....	18.75	
232, Neb. Telephone Co., telephone work room.....	4.00	
233, Gunners-Dent Co., Medical supplies.....	12.05	
234, A. F. Streitz, postcards, freight, etc.....	13.45	
235, Western Stamp Co., Rubber stamps.....	2.25	
236, Singer Sewing Machine Co., machine.....	34.00	
237, W. J. O'Connor, Material.....	10.22	
238, J. C. Penny Co., Material.....	27.04	
239, Wilcox Dept. Store, Material.....	4.20	
240, Tramp Dept. Store, Material.....	1.20	
241, American Red Cross, Material.....	168.98	
242, American Red Cross, Memberships.....	47.00	
244, Hildegard Clinton, Typewriter.....	40.00	
252, M. F. Shaffer Co. Pershing Buttons.....	50.82	
254, Miss Iddings, Stamps 2nd Drive.....	5.00	
219, Mrs. C. Bogue, Stamps for Canteen.....	15.00	
220, Tramp Dept. Store, supplies for Canteen.....	2.60	
221, Mrs. M. E. Scott, supplies for canteen.....	1.20	
222, Loudon Grocery, supplies for Canteen.....	7.75	
223, Rush Merc. Co., supplies for Canteen.....	19.80	
224, C. F. Whelan, Cigarettes for canteen.....	5.00	
225, Star Bottling Co., Ice cream cones for canteen.....	1.60	
226, Palace Cafe, bread for canteen.....	8.60	
227, C. C. Hupfer, meals for canteen.....	26.35	
228, Lierk-Sandall, supplies for canteen.....	17.60	
229, C. H. Stamp, bread for canteen.....	3.50	
230, R. R. Dickey, bread for canteen.....	2.50	
232, Neb. Phone Co., phone for canteen.....	19.50	
243, Rexall Drug Co., coffee for canteen.....	22.62	
245, Loudon Grocery, supplies for canteen.....	17.18	
246, Lierk-Sandall, supplies for canteen.....	6.85	
247, Rush Merc. Co., supplies for canteen.....	7.85	
248, John Herrod, supplies for canteen.....	36.39	
249, C. H. Stamp, bread for canteen.....	1.50	
250, No. P. Lumber Co., repairs for canteen.....	4.55	
251, Ideal Bakery, bread for canteen.....	7.40	
253, C. C. Hupfer, supplies for canteen.....	676.81	
BALANCE ON HAND IN BANK SEPT. 30, 1918.....	3375.23	

\$4052.03

In addition to the above we have from the sale of Pershing Buttons...\$453.60
O. E. Elder, L. H. Mehlman, harvest money earned..... 9.00
Bridge & Building Gang..... 9.00
Contributions of strangers and others..... 21.50
Tim Hanfien is doing the draying of small packages and donates the same.
James Shaffer painted a large canteen sign and donated it also.

Women's wear that delivers service without waste

YOU want to help the the country and the allies; do it by being careful in clothes-buying.

Pay enough that you can count on right wear; for that means no waste of money, no waste of material, no waste of labor.

The money that would have to be spent twice for cheaper garments that are quick to show wear will be saved; the materials will be saved for other purposes; the labor saved for other needs.

And we have seen to all that by buying for you only from makers who are co-operating with the government by passing up fabrics needed for overseas duty and skillfully turning their wonderful ability to creating styles of fashionableness without wasteful over-decoration.

You'll know what we mean when you see them, and what's more, you'll like them. You'll recognize their smartness and their unquestionable value and appreciate that you'll have something left for more Thrift Stamps, more Liberty Bonds, more Red Cross donations, more war help of every sort.

COATS AND SUITS

\$35 to \$65

that cannot be duplicated elsewhere at the money.

Silverton coat—seal plush trim

\$60.

Satin lined gabardine suit—Special

\$35

Wilcox Department Store.