

A SMALL BUT A GROWING INDUSTRY

AN INSTITUTION WHICH IS FORGING AHEAD AND IS BOUND TO SUCCEED.

The Re-New-Tire Co. of this city which was established some time since by Fred G. Dawson, and which has slowly been gaining ground, is now doing a large amount of work, and is surely becoming a rubber factory. About a year ago Mr. Dawson began making his "two in one" tire with encouraging success. The next was the manufacturing of the "retreads" these were certainly fine, and have proven a great success.

The institution will in a short time handle the Gates Half-sole process, which makes a guaranteed 3500 mile half-sole, and without a puncture. The process is first to repair the tire and then apply the half sole, in an entirely new way which makes it puncture proof.

This additional work is requiring more room than they have had and a concrete floor has been put in the basement of the work shop, which will be used for the purpose.

Besides this Mr. Dawson is starting the manufacture of a new inner tube, and which will be known as his own product, which he will be able to market to the consumer at the price which other inner tubes are wholesaled. For the present only the laminated tubes will be manufactured for Ford cars, but later all sizes will be manufactured.

Mr. Dawson has applied to the patent office at Washington for the status of a tube that will have several advantages over the ordinary tube in that it will combine the vulcanized valve pad of gray sulphur cured tubes, and the advantages of an anti-rumpled cured red tube.

The color of course has nothing to do with its life, but a tube cured with antimony has a longer life, if it is exposed to the air. A sulphur cured tube will stand more strain and is better if new. The usual method of pasting on a valve pad, permits it coming off some times. So the best factories vulcanize it in, and not on the tube, at the time when it is manufactured, and this prevents any possibility of its coming off.

OMAHA TAKING DRASTIC ACTION

In order to stamp out contagion in Omaha, the authorities are making some hard and fast rules governing the handling of the matters of small pox, scarlet fever, measles and scarletina, as well as chicken pox, that seem destined to bring good results. Of course when one is caught with the goods, it is natural that they do not desire to have their business injured, but the welfare of the other fellow is also at stake. The regulations which have been put in force in Omaha, which include quarantine, and fumigation, also has a provision, which imposes a fine of one hundred dollars and imprisonment for thirty days, when one has by

their carelessness been the cause of some one else getting one of these diseases.

HAS AN ACRE OF STRAWBERRIES

N. H. Isbel who for so many years was the carrier of the mail on route number one running out of this city, is now engaged in the poultry and strawberry business. Mr. Isbel whose health did not allow him to continue the service, as a carrier, had planted himself an acre of strawberries, which are looking fine for this time of the year, and has some fine strains of poultry among which are Rhode Island Reds and with the large poultry yards which he has, he is now receiving a large amount of eggs, both the ones from his fine stock, which he sells by the setting, and the eggs for the market. This keeps Mr. Isbel pretty busy now gathering the fruit from his flock, as it will later gathering the berries from his acreage.

TAKE 4 CAR LOADS OVERALLS.

C. C. Wescott of the Wescott's Sons clothing establishment, was in Omaha yesterday and while there among other places at which he visited at the business house of M. E. Smith & Co., which has a branch office here. While in conversation with the members of the house, they told Mr. Wescott, the government has taken all the men's overalls which the house had in stock, which consisted of four car loads, paying therefor \$24.00 per dozen, and which is fifty more than the wholesale price. These overalls are for the soldiers to wear in their trench warfare practice, and while they cost two dollars will save a suit of the regular uniform which costs about thirty dollars each.

MRS. J. M. JORDAN HOME AGAIN.

J. M. Jordan arrived in the city this afternoon from Omaha, where he has been to visit his son, Dorse Jordan, who is at the Ford Hospital at Omaha taking treatment of leakage of the heart. Mr. Jordan reports his son as much improved and making progress towards recovery every day. Mrs. J. M. Jordan who was also at the institution receiving treatment, is so far recovered that she has been able to return to her home some days since.

Good Farms for Sale

170 acres, good house and well improved, good farm and stock proposition, known as the Goos farm just south of Plattsmouth.

Also 51 acres adjoining Union on the west, all good farm land, and a good seven room house. Possession can be had immediately.

Also several other Cass county farms.—Frank Vallery, Murray, Nebraska; phone 27, Murray exchange.

For a Bad Cold.

Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has stood the test of time and can be depended upon.

March 9th, 1918

MR. U. PUBLIC,
Plattsmouth, Neb.
Gentlemen:—

The clothes question is becoming nearly as important as the food question, and as clothiers, we are going to tell you here, squarely where we stand and what you can expect of us.

We have a great clothes-making institution back of us—The House of Kuppenheimer. When you buy a Kuppenheimer suit you rely on the resource and reputation of a house with a record for making good—a record that will be upheld despite conditions.

Good fabrics are scarce and unobtainable in cheap clothes. Kuppenheimer standards and ideals have been maintained on the patriotic faith that now, as never before, men realize the practical economy of good quality.

The war is making men practical. Styles are plainer—reflecting more of the military spirit. Never was Kuppenheimer designing at such a premium—stripped of belts, plaits and other ornamentation. Styles will have to stand on their own graces and artistic design.

We invite you to come in and see these new Kuppenheimer styles for Spring that attain distinction that will be rare in the coming season of simple fashion.

Very truly yours,

Philip Thieroff
VALUE GIVING CLOTHIER

OLD GLORY GRACES THE DISTRICT COURT ROOM

John Siever, the efficient and good natured janitor of the court house is proud and justly so too of the appearance that "Old Glory" has given to the District Court room, since he has unfurled it over the bench of the judge. While Mr. Siever has had the pleasure of placing a flag over each door entering the court house and pulls one to the top of the flag staff every day, he is deriving more pleasure out of the large flag which is six by ten feet which he has placed in the district court room, for the reason, he says it faced every one who comes there to secure citizenship papers, and gives them an inspiration of Liberty, and their relation to a free government in which they seek to become a part and parcel.

BUYS MORE LAND IN THE WEST.

This morning W. R. Bryan departed for Denver, where he will close a deal for the purchase of three hundred and twenty acres of land, which will make his holding in that vicinity something over nine hundred acres. Mr. Bryan is very enthusiastic over the prospects for an increase in the price of lands in Colorado, and is expecting a nice advance on the price of the lands which he has purchased. He will do some improving on the farms, having two which he expects to have the buildings painted as soon as the weather will permit. He will be gone this time only for three weeks.

RETURNS FROM SPENDING THE WINTER IN THE EAST

Geo. W. Homan who has been spending the winter with a nephew at Corning, Iowa, returned home last evening, and is looking hale and hearty, and while he thinks Iowa a pretty good place to live, old Plattsmouth looks good to him.

On his return he was accompanied by his brother P. S. Homan of Corning, Iowa, and went to Omaha today, to have his eyes examined by a specialist, as they have been giving him some trouble, and he is desirous, having them treated.

OVER 90 PER CENT OF U. S. MILITARY MEN PROTECTED BY GOVERNMENT INSURANCE

Washington, March 7.—More than \$12,000,000,000 worth of insurance has been written on the lives of American soldiers, sailors and nurses by the war risk insurance bureau. Secretary McAdoo announced today. Up to the close of business March 6, 1,392,324 applications, representing insurance of \$11,256,448,500 had already been received at the bureau and late reports from the American forces in France together with insurance now in transit from distant points indicate that the total written to date is well above twelve billion dollars, covering more than 1,500,000 persons in the military or naval service. In February alone more than \$5,000,000,000 worth was written.

The average amount of insurance applied for is \$8,035. The maximum permitted is \$10,000 and the minimum \$1,000.

Final figures show that the United States army, both here and abroad is well above ninety per cent insured. In many camps 99 per cent of the personnel is protected by government insurance.

The secretary said that in the five months from October 6, when the military and naval insurance act was approved, the life underwriting section of the war risk bureau has grown to be the largest life insurance company in the world. The insurance now on the books of the bureau is now more than three times as great as the ordinary insurance held by the largest commercial company in the world.

COMMERCIAL CLUB GIVE CIGARS

As well as the furnishing of the supper to the boys, who were sent to the camp in Kansas, yesterday morning, the Commercial Club presented them with a box of cigars on their departure, that they might enjoy themselves on the road, smoking.

JOINING THE COAST ARTILLERY.

This afternoon three of the young men of Cass county departed for Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, having enlisted in the service of the Union as members of the Coast Artillery, and are now going there for training. Those to go today are Henry G. Soennichsen of this city, Fred C. Kunz, and William J. Felschman from out in the county. They enter in what is known as voluntary induction, in the periance of the army officers.

Henry G. Soennichsen is surely demonstrating his loyalty and patriotic spirit, in his persistence to be of service to his country in its hour of need. He first enlisted and was at Camp Cody for a number of months, and was rejected given an honorable discharge on account of physical deficiency, and returned trying to enlist in the Canadian army but was likewise rejected, and now has enlisted again. The three young men departed this afternoon for St. Louis via the Missouri Pacific flyer.

From Thursday's Daily.

DRAGGING ROADS YESTERDAY.

Robt. Propst has been one of the first of this community to get out on the road dragging job. Yesterday he dragged the roads from Mynard to the top of McConkie hill just south of town. Early dragging makes good roads early in the season. Mr. Propst's excellent example might be followed over the county. The results would be great.

DEPARTED FOR HOME.

After having completed the business which was before the board of county commissioners, Henry Snoko departed for his home at Eagle, going via Lincoln, where he went to visit Mrs. Snoko, who has been in a hospital at that place for some time for the removal of a tumor, and from which she is nearly recovered, and much so that she had left the hospital, and is staying at the home of a sister. Mrs. Snoko will remain in Lincoln for some time while Mr. Snoko will go on home to look after the things on the farm.

CRUSHES FOOT AT THE SHOPS.

Mrs. Earl Biggs, who is employed in the Burlington blacksmith shops in this city, while working at her usual occupation as blacksmith helper had the misfortune to have a heavy sledge fall on her right instep, tearing the buttons from her shoe, and imbedding them in her foot. Mrs. Biggs had the sledge standing beside the anvil block and it fell over on her foot, causing the injury. She had to go to the doctor and have the member dressed. The injury will keep her from her work for some time.

AN OLD PIONEER PASSES AWAY

Hewell Frances St. John was born February 14, 1836 in Westfield, Ohio. In this place he spent his early life. There he received his regular district school training and spent several years in an academy. At this time also, he showed his preference for the Baptist church and at fourteen years of age was taken in as a member.

On March 16th, 1859 he was married to Jane Elizabeth Munn. Their early married life was spent in Westfield.

Later they moved near Fremont, Ohio, where Mr. St. John was initiated a member of the Masonic lodge, in which he has remained the past 54 years.

In 1874, thinking he could improve conditions for himself and family, he moved to Nebraska, where he lived many years.

Mr. and Mrs. St. John experienced many disappointments in life—three of their five children having preceded the father, namely: Arvilla, who died at the age of 13 months; Mortimer and Clarence, who both were 28 years old at the time of death.

For the benefit of his health Mr. St. John, with his wife spent several winters in Florida. In 1906 they moved to Bellingham Washington, where they lived five years. It was while there they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Their return to Nehawka was due to poor health. Mr. St. John spent many happy days in this town, and had a host of friends. During his last weeks he was very appreciative of all kindnesses shown him.

Death which occurred Friday morning March 1, 1918, at about 5 o'clock, brought little suffering, but took a devoted husband and a sympathetic father from the wife and two children: Charles D. of Nehawka; Gene Barkhurst of Weeping Water, and eight grand children, all of whom feel very keenly the loss of him.

A short service was held at the home of the deceased Sunday morning at 8:30. The remains were taken to Wyoming on the morning train, where another short service was held at the grave in the Wyoming cemetery. Rev. W. A. Taylor of Union had charge at both services.—Nehawka News.

J. P. MADSEN OPENS NEW CAFE IN THE OLD BROADWAY HALL

Taking advantage of the pressing need in Red Lodge for an establishment of the kind, P. H. Madsen, better known to residents of Red Lodge as "Hank," opened Monday

First Showing of Coats for Spring

One of the charms of Spring is the choosing of new togs. It goes with the season. And a garment well chosen means lasting satisfaction.

We are specializing on Ladies' and Misses' Coats and present for your consideration a very complete and comprehensive showing, including serges, poplins, velours, gaberdines, coverts and silks. Our prices are below the city stores.

There is a Coat here for you. Choose this part of your Spring outfit now—while the selection is at its very best.

C. E. Wescott's Sons

"EVERYBODY'S STORE."

Ladies' Silk Hose!

Ladies' Silk Sweaters!



night in the old Broadway hall on Broadway, south of Tenth street, a new restaurant to be known as "Hank's Elite Cafe." Preparations for the opening of the establishment have been under way for several weeks. The large hall has been completely redecorated, a cigar stand and automatic piano installed, an indirect lighting system put in and a complete kitchen fitted up. Around the walls of the room are a score or more of small tables screened by artificial palms. The center of the floor has been left for dancing.

The opening of the establishment Monday night was well attended. As soon as practicable the proprietor plans to have a cafe open from 12 o'clock noon until 2 p. m., during which hours a business men's lunch will be served. In the evening the place will be open from 5 until 12 o'clock. Provision will be made for private dancing parties. Mr. Madsen announced yesterday that in addition to conducting an establishment which he expected would earn a reputation for its cuisine he intended observing the prescribed wheatless and meatless days.

The above is taken from the Red Lodge, Montana, paper, in which place Mr. Madsen has been a very successful restaurant operator for several years past. He has been prosperous and has always enjoyed a good business.

THE WAR SUMMARIZED

Further details of the engagement of Monday night in which American troops occupying a new position in French Lorraine beat off a German raiding party, show that a sharp fight took place in which the Americans belonging to a unit among the most recent arrivals in France, gave the Germans an unexpectedly warm reception, repulsing them with losses.

The Americans here, it is revealed, are in training with French troops, as are those on the Aisne front, north of the Chemin-Des-Dames. As yet only the third American group, that east of St. Mihiel, is holding a sector of its own.

The capture of a Prussian lieutenant by an American colonel took place shortly before the Americans entered new positions in Lorraine, the American officer getting his man in a German trench where he had gone with a French raiding party in search of information.

Military operations in the western European war fields are again confined to trench raids, artillery bombardments and corollary aerial activities. Both sides are almost equally active in the newly developed raiding tactics in which the artillery arm is freely employed by way of preparation and support. The German raiders, however, were somewhat more aggressive than usual during the last thirty-six hours, according to the indications in the official reports which reveal thrusts by German troops virtually all along the line from Flanders to the Vosges.

The artillery fighting long the French lines centered chiefly in the Verdun region where it was accompanied by raids which the French repulsed. Bombardments also have occurred at various points in Lorraine but there is no mention of the American sectors in this district having been further driven at by the German infantry.

Addresses made at a soldiers and

workmen's meeting in Moscow indicate that there is a full understanding among the leaders of the Russian masses, at least, of the nature of the peace Germany has exacted from the bolshevik government. One of the speakers declared the new frontiers constitute "a ring of iron around revolutionary Russia" which Germany intended to crush through her economic demands.

GREAT PHOTO PLAY OF "CLEOPATRA" NEXT WEEK

William Fox's screen production of "Cleopatra," in which Theda Bara assumes the role of the Egyptian temptress, is declared to be the most elaborate presentation of a film scenic drama that has ever been attempted. The expense involved in making this picture was tremendous, it being announced that the production cost \$500,000. Those who have seen the picturization of "Cleopatra" declare it can easily be comprehended that so much money was paid out. For the interior of Cleopatra's tent alone, more than \$30,000 worth of decorations were used to give the barbaric appearance of splendor accredited to the time of the great Cleopatra. There were used also in this wonderful setting two rugs valued at \$30,000. In addition the various tapestries, silks and furniture amounted to more than \$20,000. Never before in the history of photodramatic production has there ever displayed such a lavish and costly display of decorations as are shown in this magnificent scene. "Cleopatra" will be the attraction at the Gem theatre on next Tuesday and Wednesday, March 12th and 13th, with matinees both days.

WAR FINANCE BILL PASSED BY SENATE

Washington, March 7.—The administration bill to create a war finance corporation with a fund of \$4,500,000,000 to aid war industry, was passed by the senate late today and now goes to the house. The vote was 74 to 3. Senators Harding of Ohio and Sherman of Illinois, republicans and Hardwick of Georgia, voting against the measure.

FOR SALE.

Light Bramah egg fors hatching. 15 for \$1.25. 50 for \$3.50. 100 for \$6.50. Mrs. John W. Stones, Mynard, Neb. 3-11-3mosw

W. A. ROBERTSON, Lawyer.
East of Riley Hotel. Costes' Block, Second Floor.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST SECURITY BANK of Cedar Creek, Nebr.

Charter No. 1295 in the State of Nebraska at the close of business on February 25, 1918.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 27,101.26
Overdrafts	523.60
Bonds, securities, judgments, claims, etc.	550.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	1,666.00
Current expenses, taxes and interest paid	1,477.57
Cash items	19.50
Due from National	
and State banks	\$ 11,608.38
Currency	1,742.00
Gold coin	135.00
silver, nickels and cents	302.64
TOTAL	\$ 44,459.95

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 10,000.00
Undivided profits	1,956.26
Individual deposits subject to check	\$ 48,216.47
Time certificates of deposit	13,580.25
Cashier's checks outstanding	478.75
Due to National and State banks	none
Depositor's guaranty fund	329.21
TOTAL	\$ 44,459.95

State of Nebraska) County of Cass) ss: I, Jos. E. Rau, Cashier of the above named bank do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board. JOS. E. RAU, Cashier. WALTHAM SCHNEIDER, Director. W. H. LOHINES, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of March, 1918. PAUL FITZGERALD, Notary Public. (Seal)

HOME GUARDS DRILLED FRIDAY.

At their place at the Court House last evening the Home Guards did considerable drilling last evening, under their directions of the competent drill master. There were about thirty at the meeting and much interest was manifested in the drills, which were conducted by Captain C. A. Rawls, E. C. Hill, Richard Avard, J. W. Holmes and Drillmaster Felix.

FARMERS, TAKE NOTICE

The first week in March a nationwide effort will be made to repair farm machinery as the supply of new machinery is limited. Let us repair all we can. Get name and syle of machine and number of repair and let us help you. Come in and see us.

D. B. EBERSOLE, Plattsmouth, Nebr. Mrs. Frank Lorenz and Mrs. W. H. Olsen were passengers to Omaha, where they are visiting for the day and will look after some business as well.

LISTEN!
There will be a Dance at Greenwood, Nebraska, Thursday Night, March 14th —rain or shine, at the De Luxe dancing pavilion. Floor space 50x100 feet. Music by Desdiner's Colored Orchestra. We sing while you dance. Rough dancing will not be tolerated. Follow the Crowd! Welcome!