

Society

By MELLIFICIA. Friday, August 7, 1914.

LETTERS from Europe, especially from the centers of war, are decidedly interesting at present. Edward B. Perkins of New York, formerly of this city and High school reporter for The Bee, has written an interesting letter from Vienna dated July 27:

"This has been a most fortunate trip for me, for I have landed in different places at the most exciting and interesting time. At Prestwick, Scotland, I saw the World's Open Golf championship; in London, the World's Open Tennis championship at Wimbledon, and the Midnight Costume ball at the Hotel Savoy, and in Paris the big review of the Paris garrison of the French army at Longchamps July 14. And then I arrive in Vienna on the very evening when war preparations began between Serbia and Austria!

"Believe me, this is no common war scare. It is a stern reality. Vienna is literally swamped with troops ready to embark for the Serbian border. One sees soldiers at every turn and every hour, day and night. I jostled with the loud-voiced populace at two different street demonstrations Saturday night, one near Nordwest Bahnhoff (station) and the other on the Graben. Violent speaking and deafening shouting, but orderly conducted, nevertheless. Both Saturday and Sunday nights wild scenes were enacted in some of the cafes, with patriotic music and singing of national songs. There are hourly issues of extra papers with huge scare heads.

"At the Festspiel theater, in Kaisergarten, last night I heard the much discussed operetta, 'Terocita.' The playhouse was crowded, and shouting and stamping of feet between acts. The orchestra cut out the waltzes and played Austrian war marches, one of which, 'Eugene, the Noble Knight,' includes actual firing of a series of rifle and field artillery blanks.

"Leave for Budapest Thursday, July 30—a four hours' journey—and have my ticket to Belgrade from Budapest, and then to Trieste, to sail August 6 on the Carpathia. It is not certain if one can cross the border into Serbia, since two railroad bridges across the Danube have already been blown up and traffic halted. If I do not get down into Serbia I will only be out about 90 kronen, so why worry, only I certainly would like to see a couple of real battles. They're considerably ruffled up and anxious to fight.

"Have made a fair sized amount of 'geid' already on a feature war article and have three more assignments when this war hurricane begins to whirl death and destruction. Vienna is under military law and all messages are censored."

At the Field Club.

About thirty-four women golfers had luncheon at the Field club today, after which a tournament was played. There were sixteen visiting women from the Midlothian club of Sioux City. A prize was offered for the best visiting player and also one for the best score made by the local women golfers. A third prize was a large silver filigree basket offered for the winning team.

European Travelers.

"Safe, sail soon," is the cablegram received this morning from Rotterdam by D. B. Allan, telling him that his sister, Miss Elizabeth Allan, has escaped from Germany and has reached the coast of neutral Netherlands. She is well known in Omaha as instructor of manual training in Saunders school, and makes her home at 122 North Thirty-third street. This summer she was studying vocational

train at Munich, when the war broke out.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Whitmore of Valley called June 26 on the Oceanic for Europe and have not been heard from since the outbreak of the war. Mrs. Whitmore is president of the Douglas County Women's Christian Temperance union, which holds its annual convention in Waterloo August 21. Mrs. Whitmore intended to return in time for the convention. In her absence the vice president, Mrs. C. J. Roberts of Omaha, will preside.

Summer Plans

Mrs. Harry Welch and daughter, Miss Anna left Tuesday to spend a month at Clear Lake la. Miss Iva Cathryn Clark left Tuesday for Los Angeles, where she will be the guest of Miss Hazel Shaeffer, formerly of Omaha, during the coming month. Miss Clark will spend some time in Venice and San Francisco, and return

to Omaha by way of Canada and the Great Lakes, after a short visit in Oregon and Washington. She is expected home about the first week in September. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Haapke left last evening for Pine Cone, Dorset, Minn. They will be gone three weeks. Mr. F. T. Lovering and family leave Saturday for a three weeks' motor trip through Wisconsin, visiting Chicago and Milwaukee enroute.

At Carter Lake Club.

The Carter Lake Kennington club was entertained at a 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday. The guests of the club were Messdames J. P. Weir, A. Remington, E. W. Turner, E. E. Potter of St. Joseph and Miss Georgia Potter. The members of the club are:

- Misses: Ethel Tierney, George T. Lindley, Terra Tierney, J. M. Leach, Mesdames: P. L. Meyers, R. A. Newell, George N. Aulbaugh, C. L. Newell, A. D. Chapman, F. A. Parlin, W. Christman, J. Y. Saxton, D. Dickman, Glen Pettigrew, J. J. Jygerl, C. H. T. Hiepen, T. D. Fowler, J. Rohack, Byron Hart, A. Schwarick, S. K. Hanford, W. Schwarick, E. P. Henson, C. D. Scott, A. Jaeger, Max I. Smith, Mavis, A. Sorenson, F. L. Keller, Thomas Walters.
- The Omaha Credit Men's association made 100 reservations for dinner Thursday evening. Others entertaining at dinner were Miss Clara Sinker, who had ten guests; John Mattern, fourteen; A. Axford, two; E. H. Christie, three; H. H. Jacobberger, three; Miss Virginia Farnsworth, three; Miss Whitlock, three; C. H. T. Hiepen, three; J. D. Hiss, four; Dr. Grant Williams, seven; Miss Ethel Clark, five; S. P. Mason, two; Frank L. Weaver, four; D. T. Cullen, four; A. A. Burns, five; F. J. Castle, four; Mrs. G. Hauflaire, nine; Henry Reynolds, three; F. L. Sturtevant, two; Robert Spangler, two; George Victor, four; C. D. Warfield, six.

Chore-Olsen Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chore, who were married in Wahoo Wednesday morning, spent the day in Omaha Thursday. Mrs. Chore was formerly Miss Minnie Olsen, sister of Mr. Ernest Olsen of this city. The young couple will make their home in Bristol, Neb.

In and Out of the Bee Hive.

Misses Mabel and Mae Engler will return Saturday from a three weeks' stay at Estes park. Miss May E. Cathroe left Thursday to be gone a month visiting friends and relatives in Davis City and Kansas City. Dr. C. H. Ballard and family, and Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Lieber returned Wednesday from a two weeks' motor trip to Rochester and other points in Minnesota.

Blowing of Curfew Whistles Resumed

Three curfew whistles will be blown Saturday night at 9 o'clock in accordance with arrangements made by juvenile authorities and Probation Officer Mogy Bernstein will continue his campaign to enforce the curfew law forbidding children under 16 years to wander about on the streets unaccompanied by elder persons. Mogy declares noticeable improvement already has been made.

Fashion Hint



BY LA RACONTUEUSE.

Street costume in hunter's green broadcloth. The extremely short coat is tightly buttoned close to the neck. There is a small turned down collar of embossed velvet, the cuffs are of the same material. A small pocket is placed high up on the left side. A belt terminates in front at the dart, fastened with a button. The straight close-fitting skirt has two narrow plaits in front.

FEDERAL BUILDING FLAG AT HALF STAFF

Signifying the nation's sympathy for President Wilson in his great bereavement, flags on the Omaha postoffice and all other federal buildings throughout the country are at half staff and will remain so until after the funeral. Telegraphic instructions to that effect were received by Custodian Cadet Taylor of the local building, and they were immediately carried out.

BAKER WAITING TO GET BACK

Corporation Counsel and Wife in London Anxious to Get Back.

OTHERS ON THE CONTINENT

Mons. Colaneri and John R. Webster Are Somewhere in Europe, but Have Not Been Heard From Recently.

Ben S. Baker is not going to see very much of Europe this year. He is now in London and is coming back to Omaha just as soon as he can secure passage on a boat that will land him at some American port.

Mr. Baker, accompanied by his wife, left Omaha some weeks ago, bent upon touring England, France, Germany and Italy. After he got to London he discovered that war was on. Then he canceled the remainder of the trip and, according to a cablegram that he has sent to W. E. Bock, steamship agent here, he has loafed around the steamer offices in London trying to get aboard of some boat coming to this side of the Atlantic.

Father Colaneri in Europe.

It is thought by Omaha friends who have received recent messages that Mons. Colaneri, who departed from Omaha in month ago for Europe, is in the midst of the war zone. Mons. Colaneri's itinerary called for his departure from Brussels to Brussels on July 28, and from Brussels he was to visit Cologne, Berlin, Dresden and Vienna in succession before going to Rome. This would bring him into central Germany or perhaps Austria, where the fighting is at its height. Mons. Colaneri will likely not return to Omaha soon.

FAMOUS BOSTON ORGANIST, WELL KNOWN HERE, IS DEAD

Samuel Brenton Whitney, thirty-six years organist and choirmaster of the Church of the Advent in Boston, Mass., a founder of the American Guild of Organists, and a musician of international reputation, passed away at his home in Woodstock, Vt., August 8. Mr. Whitney was perhaps the dean of American organists. His contributions towards the music of the Anglican church were among the best. His hymns, "The Son of God Goes Forth to War" and "Round the Lord in Glory Seated," are known to every congregation, and his organ compositions and arrangements are played the world over.

Ben Stanley, organist of Trinity cathedral, spent some time with Mr. Whitney in Woodstock during June, and while very weak, he walked over to the little church which he had recently presented with a beautiful organ and played the Handel Largo, which was the last touch of the distinguished organist. It will be remembered that Mr. Whitney visited his niece, Mrs. George W. Updike, in Omaha at the time of Bishop Beecher's consecration and played the organ at Trinity cathedral in a notable recital preceding the ceremony. Afterwards he gave several recitals by invitation.

Walters Back from Wage Conference

After having been in Chicago nine weeks working with other officials of the road on a wage schedule for conductors and brakemen on the system, General Manager Walters of the Northwestern has returned home, having completed his labors. Mr. Walters asserts that a satisfactory wage schedule has been agreed upon and that it has been signed by the officers of the road and the members of the committee representing the men. There are numerous changes from the old schedule, which had been in effect for twenty years, but on the whole the wages paid to the men are higher than those paid in the past. The conference adjourned with the best of feeling existing between officials and employees.

MAIL TO EUROPE SUBJECT TO AN INDEFINITE DELAY

Although mail packages are still being registered for safe delivery by the registry division of the Postoffice department, it is only with the understanding that all such mail for European countries is subject to indefinite delay at New York. Registry clerks say that they believe no registered matter will be sent across the Atlantic under the conditions existing at present.

22 POUNDS FOR \$1.00

Best cane Granulated Sugar. It will pay you to put up your fruit with pure cane sugar. 2 lbs. Moyune Special Coffee..... \$1.00 Teas, all kinds, per lb..... 40c to 80c Sugar sold with \$1.00 other goods. MOYUNE TEA CO. 406 N. 16th St. Phone Douglas 2446.

1914 MILK FED SPRING CHICKENS, 19 1-2c

1913 Fresh Dressed Chickens, lb. 12 3-4c

Choice steer pot roast..... 12 1/2c	11 1/2c	Extra lean bacon..... 19 1/2c	
Pig pork roast..... 12 1/2c	11 1/2c	Sugar cured bacon..... 14 1/2c	
Young veal roast..... 12 1/2c	11 1/2c	SPECIALS.	
Young veal chops..... 12 1/2c	11 1/2c	From 8 p. m. till 9 p. m., lamb chops..... 5c	
Lamb legs..... 12 1/2c	11 1/2c	From 9 p. m. till 10 p. m., 3-lb. mutton compound..... 30c	
Lamb chops..... 12 1/2c	11 1/2c		
Extra lean ham..... 18 1/2c	17 1/2c		
Small hams..... 13 1/2c	12 1/2c		

Bankrupt Sale of R. E. Welch Still Going On

25 lbs. best sugar..... \$1.00	Bakers' chocolate, bitter or sweet, per pound..... 25c
With 1 lb. best tea..... 89c	50c Price's baking powder..... 25c
10c cans corn or peas..... 5c	2c cans berries, 3 for..... 25c
10c cans corn or peas..... 7 1/2c	Mason jars stuffed or Queen olives for..... 25c
10c jars peanut butter..... 5c	
Four 10c mustard sardines..... 25c	

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We remember when we were younger than we are now being thrilled with the jingle, which was sung in Music Halls, hummed in the homes and marched to on the streets:

We don't want to fight, but by jingo if we do
We've got the ships, we've got the men, we've got the money, too

Since then philosophers have talked of peace and prophets have declared "There shall be war no more," and yet the cry in this twentieth century is cannonaded round the world—PEACE, PEACE—THERE SHALL BE NO PEACE!! We are still cave men and Force must govern the world, notwithstanding twenty centuries of Christianity, Peace Associations and Hague Tribunals. Ambition! Aggrandisement! Greed! Selfishness!

OH, THE SHAME OF IT ALL

There is a place for WAR—war against Falsehood, war against Faking, war against Misrepresentation, war against Dishonesty in Business—against these things we pledge our best efforts until for us at least, "Time shall be no more." So sanguinary will be the battle of the Titans, that we predict the war will soon be over, but unless settled right, over only to break out again.

Our own AUGUST Sale is a war, too—war on high prices—war on profits; but for all this there is good reason—"CLEARING OUT ALL SUMMER STOCKS."

From the Children's Section

Comes the warning, "The End is Near!" New goods rushing in—Room! Room! is the word. Wash dresses at 3 prices. 98c, \$1.49 and \$3.98.

Final word on Children's Straw Hats, 15c and 25c.

Let the children romp and clothe them sensibly. Rompers Saturday, 8 months to 6 years, 39c instead of 50c; 79c instead of \$1.00; 98c instead of \$1.50.

Infants' Dresses and Petticoats up to 6 years of Age:

- 4 Lots—No. 1, formerly up to \$1.00 at 49c.
- No. 2, formerly up to \$1.50 at 79c.
- No. 3, formerly up to \$2.00 at 98c.
- No. 4, formerly up to \$2.50 at \$1.98.

BOYS' WASH SUITS—A real snap. Two prices Saturday. Values up to \$2.00 for 50c; values up to \$3.50 for \$1.00.

MEN! We are almost through with the Clean-out bargains for you. Come Saturday, in the morning if possible, but if not convenient, come any time. Be a little patient, please. This is vacation time—no new thing in our business. For more than 50 years the head of our house has given employes a vacation—with pay, of course. This is something we would not refer to now, but institutions who are falling in line for the first time are blazoning it to the world, as if there was some special merit in the act. It's a good thing, gentlemen. Glad to see this step in the right direction. Keep on, there's hope full justice will be done those who toil yet.

Pardon digression—let's talk shirts. Shirts for Men. Crepe, madras and part silk, soft or laundered cuffs. All of this season's crop. Values to \$3.00 Saturday \$1.49.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8th SEES THE END OF MANY LOTS

READ THE LIST—Ready-to-Wear Section—Suits for Women—all kinds, most colors, many materials—silks, wool and mixed—moires, blacks browns and blues—light materials, medium and heavy. Suits for now, suits for vacation, suits for early fall—\$25, \$35, \$45, \$50 and even \$60—not last spring or last fall's prices, but this very season's; Saturday..... \$9.98

Take our word for it; no better suit bargains have ever been seen by us—and we've seen a few. No exchanges. No approvals. We can fit most any one, but if suit reservations. Priced for a we have to make alterations you quick and permanent sale. must pay extra for them.

Japanese Silk Waists at \$1.00—organdy fronts, embroidered—plain pique wide collars. A wonderful dollar's worth.

Cleaning up a lot of white and fancy waists, NOT the very latest styles, but good fitting and attractive. Sold up to \$2.00, at 50c each.

Crepe Waists at \$3.98—plain and figured, some beauties in this lot. Also all our best waists of a fancy kind—chiffons, laces, Georgette crepe, all at 1/2 PRICE.

BUY A PARASOL? No—buy is not the word, for at the prices for Saturday it will not be selling. Not very many left. Let's have a farewell party. Two prices for your pick, 49c and 98c. We will just hint there is one at least in the lot which was more than \$5.00. We open at 9—if you can use a parasol a word to the wise is sufficient.

Glove Wearers' Attention!

Every fabric glove in stock, whether of silk, lisle or cotton, all reduced for Saturday. We agreed to mention no names, and we'll keep the faith, but somebody is going to buy gloves cheap on Saturday. 9 till 9 selling hours.

Night Shirts and Pajamas to smooth the ravelled sleeve of care and give you the sleep of the just, at very tiny prices.

SILK SECTION—All day Saturday double width foulards, crepes and poplins, worth \$1.95 to \$2.25, at 89c per yard. Absolutely perfect; new this season. If you appreciate the value, would not last one hour.

UNION SUITS much reduced, 50c, 65c, 98c, \$1.49. Wash ties at 12 1/2c, should be 25c; wash ties 25c, should be 50c.

At the Hosiery and Underwear Sections

The mere mention of a special sale at this department arouses a thrill of curiosity, for ordinary prices are usually difficult to match. Vests, pants and suits, were 25c and 50c, 10c each.

Fine ribbed, light weight, tight knee suits at 37c each. Broken sizes in union suits, sold up to \$1.00, at 59c. Union Suits, were \$1.25, at 89c each.

LACE HOSE—Not just the latest kink, but what more comfy for tropical temperature, 10c pair. We have sold hundreds of pairs, same kind, at 50c.

Plain and fancy vests, 37c, should be 50c; at 25c, formerly 25c and 35c.

Last Great Shoe Sale of the Season—On Saturday we place on sale the fine shoes made by "Baker"—late styles, splendidly made, worth \$5.00 and \$6.00 per pair; at one price, pair..... \$2.95

We are famed for our Children's Shoes—Saturday will sell Ankle Straps, Canvas, Dull and Patent Shoes, worth \$2.75 and \$3.00, for \$2.00 per pair.

Boys' Shoes, made for growing feet and made to wear—regular price \$3.50, at \$2.85 a pair.

Now let us all keep our heads and pray that our beloved country may keep off the shoals. Ours is a truly Cosmopolitan population—we have friends and relatives in every land. May we do nothing to cause friction and may we escape offense or injury, so that there will not be necessity for letting loose our war dogs. Blessed with a bounteous crop, at peace with all the world—we should be of good courage and attend to the business of the hour.

Open at 9, close at 9 on Saturday—12 hours of great activity and about the end of money saving opportunities on many lines.

Thomas McParland Co.

A telegram from one of our partners in New York City has called east additional buyers. Goods advancing rapidly, and there will not only be a dearth of foreign merchandise, but it will be absolutely impossible to get some lines.

But what of that—if that is the worst that befalls us, we can live—yes, live well and comfortably on what we raise and manufacture in our own land. Thank God for that.