

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Fidelity Storage & Van Co. Doug. 258. W. K. Selby & Sons, general insurance. Hava Root Print Co.—New Beacon Press. Burgess-Granados Co.—Lighting fixtures. Wasted—Choice real estate loans. W. H. Thomas, 213 State Bank Bldg. Julius Orkin Back—Julius Orkin has returned from a four days' stay at Cedar Springs. Getten to French Lick—Ed Getten of the Prescription Drug company and Getten & Wickham leaves tonight for French Lick, Ind.

"Today's Complete Movie Program" classified section today and appears in The BEE EXCLUSIVELY. Find out what the various moving picture theaters offer. Magas Out of Hospital—Tom Hughes, traveling passenger agent for the Missouri Pacific, is out of the hospital, where he was confined ten days, following an operation for catarrh on one of his eyes. To Shoot This Spring—Sportsmen of Cass county who come to Omaha from time to time say that they will indulge in spring shooting this year, and they expect to have some great sport on account of the certainty of plenty of water. Gen. to Represent Macabees—Omaha tent No. 75 of the Macabees at its meeting Monday evening elected Thomas E. Gerin as representative to the state convention which will be held in Omaha, April 5 and 6. A. I. Samuelson was elected alternate.

Police Applies Heavy Fines—Police Judge Foster assessed a fine of \$100 to George Randolph, Forty-seventh and Pierce streets, and a fine of \$40 to Jennie Johnson, 406 Hamilton street, in police court. Officer Sudds arrested the couple in Hanson park. To Remodel Bachelors Hotel—The Bachelors apartments at Twentieth and Farnam streets are to be remodeled at a cost of some \$5,000. Eight new store fronts are to be built. W. H. Farnish is the contractor and George Prinz is the architect. Tailor in Bankrupt—Frank A. Tompkins, proprietor of the Tompkins Tailor shop, 128 South Fifteenth street, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are \$4,025 and his assets \$3,369. Among the former are a note for \$1,000 to Lizis, C. M. Rutenfranz, of Petersburg, Fla., and three weeks wages to an employe, Oscar Anderson, at \$20 a week.

Foolish Lot of Bills, Says Mrs. Greigh "The public school system is all wrong, in my opinion," declared Mrs. Mary L. Greigh, leader of the current topics department of the Omaha Women's club, Tuesday afternoon. "Children should not be encouraged to work for a high mark, but for the absolute good of the community. They should learn to help others. There should be greater cooperation between parents, teachers and children. The school and social settlement and neighborhood centers have been suggested and as such, they ought to be encouraged. "That the bills introduced into the present session of the legislature are a foolish lot of bills, was a statement made by Mrs. Greigh. "I think it is absolute folly to spend thousands of dollars to have these laws passed, three-fourths of them being necessary only to correct errors in other bills," she declared. Mrs. Greigh urged the women to familiarize themselves with the Billy Sunday movement, which will be discussed at the next meeting of the department, in two weeks.

Censor's Error Causes Search of Steamship NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The Danish steamship Heiligolav arriving here today from Copenhagen and Christiansia reports that the censor had overlooked from this port, which it left December 25, the ship was boarded at Kirkwall, Scotland, by armed marines and detained for eight days, pending investigation as to the character of its cargo. Captain L. Holst master of the Heiligolav, a Scandinavian-American line steamer, said the reason of the detention was ultimately traced to a slip of the British censor handling cables dispatches. A cable explaining that the ship carried no copper had not been believed.

British Cruiser Badly Damaged by Turks BERLIN, Feb. 10.—(By Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—Among the items given out for publication today by the Overseas News agency were the following: "A British cruiser, according to Turkish headquarters, was badly damaged in the Turkish operations on the Sues canal. "The Reichbank's gold reserve is \$1,950,000,000 marks (\$46,700,000), or \$1,225,000,000 marks (\$1,900,250) more than last week."

STEARNS SILENT CAR DRAWS ATTENTION ON THE STREET J. A. McIntyre, local distributor of the Stearns automobile, had an unusual experience yesterday in front of a local hotel. He had just received a car load of Stearns, consisting of a big six and two fours, and could not resist the temptation to drive the six about town a bit. He stopped at the hotel for a moment and when he came out there was such a crowd around his car that he had difficulty in getting away without running down some of the Stearns admirers. Mr. McIntyre explained that the silent Knight engine, which when running cannot be heard, was that which interested the crowd.

VILLA WON'T HEAR PLEA OF PEACE CONVENTION SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Feb. 10.—Francisco Villa declines to heed the appeal of the Mexican peace conference held here last Saturday. In a reply received tonight by Frederico Gamboa, chairman of the committee named by the conference to transmit to the leaders of the warring Mexican factions its resolution asking them to lay down their arms and proclaim peace, Villa bitterly arraigns the men who called the conference and rejects the plan proposed.

YOUTH ACCIDENTALLY SHOT HANDLING GUN RECOVERING Carl Von Weg, aged 25, son of William Von Weg, Sr., shot accidentally near the head while handling a revolver in his father's store, 213 Leavenworth street, Monday, will recover, it was learned last night from Wise Memorial hospital. It was thought at first that the wound was fatal.

SULLIVAN 'CLEARED' DENIED BY TUMULTY

Wilson's Private Secretary Asserts White House Never "White-washed" Minister. SOSPICIOUS OF ALL CHARGES WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Joseph P. Tumulty, secretary to President Wilson, and Representative James A. Hamill of New Jersey were witnesses today at the investigation into charges against James M. Sullivan, minister to the Dominican republic. Secretary Tumulty testified that Representative Hamill introduced Sullivan to him and that he "simply acted as a medium for transmitting the endorsements of Sullivan to the secretary of state." He said that he knew of no "flood of debts" which were presented as an argument against appointing Sullivan. He had heard of personal debts which it was claimed Sullivan owed, but asserted "that is a usual thing in candidates for office."

Only Real Argument. The only real argument presented against Sullivan, Mr. Tumulty said with his connection with Jack Rose, a witness at the trial of Lieutenant Becker, in New York and a letter from Governor Whitman stipulated that Mr. Tumulty declared he never knew of any connection between Mr. Sullivan prior to his appointment and the Jarvis interests in New York. W. C. Beer, John G. Gray or the Banco Nacional of the Dominican republic. "The White House is a great clearing house for rumors," said Mr. Tumulty. "and when these charges began to come in about Mr. Sullivan, I heard about the Jarvis interests and the Banco Nacional, and I immediately referred receiver general of Dominican customs to watch Mr. Sullivan closely and keep the White House advised. I also told him to warn Minister Sullivan that the president would be displeased if he heard of Sullivan growing too close to any interests and would take such action as became necessary."

Suspicious of Charges. He was inclined to be suspicious of all charges coming from the Dominican republic, because Mr. Viek had told him, in relation to accusations against the latter, that the "atmosphere there was charged with recrimination and throat cutting." Mr. Tumulty denied that the White House had ever exonerated or "white-washed" Minister Sullivan. He said that J. Franklin Fort, who had headed a committee to settle a Dominican revolution, had told the president that Minister Sullivan was a "big hearted Irishman" and "that there was nothing against him." He declined to express any opinion as to Sullivan's fitness for office, but criticized Viek as a "sorehead."

Representative Hamill told the commissioner he had never discussed Sullivan's candidacy for the Dominican post with W. C. Beer, John G. Gray or any other representative of the Jarvis interests. He had been an intimate friend of Mr. Sullivan and gave him his support as a friend, he said. "What Was Done for Beer. Mr. Hamill added he had secured for Mr. Beer two appointments to the naval academy, one for Mr. Beer's son, who failed to take advantage of it. He said he met Mr. Beer several times, but that he had never discussed with Beer contracts in the Dominican republic, and had never been present when money was delivered by Beer to any one. He said he had never acted for the Jarvis interests or the Banco Nacional as an attorney, and had never benefited or sought to benefit from his acquaintance with Mr. Beer.

Representative Hamill declared that in his acquaintance with Minister Sullivan he had never seen anything that would justify a statement that Sullivan was "a heavy drinker."

Half of the Serbian Children Dying from Hunger, Cold, Disease NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Famine faces war-wracked Serbia unless the people can obtain grain for seed in the spring and farm tools to work with, according to a statement issued tonight by a committee newly organized to seek aid in this country for the destitute Serbian women and children. Eight hundred thousand inhabitants will starve if these things cannot be secured, the committee affirmed. In six of the most fertile districts of Serbia 50 per cent of the children now are dying from lack of nourishment and medicine, from cold and exposure. "All of the able bodied men of Serbia are at the front," said the statement. "The women and children must plant and cultivate the crops in the spring or there will be no grain on which the nation can live next winter. But now the farms are devastated, buildings and implements burnt, and live stock destroyed. Under these conditions a famine is inevitable."

Consuls Must Haul Down Their Colors AMSTERDAM (via London), Feb. 10.—The Telegram today published a dispatch saying the German commander at Brugge, Belgium, ordered all the consulates there to haul down their flags and remove the coats of arms. The consuls, the dispatch adds, including the representative of Turkey, protested but the order was enforced, in addition the consuls were compelled to surrender all their arms.

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VON JAGOW'S EXPLANATION

Confirms Earlier Reports that German Naval Program is Not a Blockade of British Waters. SOME MISAPPREHENSION ARISES BERLIN (via The Hague to London), Feb. 10.—Gottlieb von Jagow, the German foreign secretary, who is paying a short visit to Berlin, during the absence of Emperor William, on the eastern front, received the correspondent of The Associated Press today and explained to him the nature of the recently announced German naval program to be taken against hostile commercial shipping over which he said there seemed to be some misapprehension abroad, owing to the delay in the transmission of the memorandum accompanying the proclamation. The phrase, "submarine blockade," as used in the press-discussion of the proclamation abroad, the foreign secretary said, perhaps also was responsible for this misapprehension. "The announcement of February 4, of Admiral von FohI, chief of the admiralty staff, was not a declaration of a blockade," said Herr von Jagow, confirming an earlier statement by the admiralty to The Associated Press.

Germany's Purpose. "All questions as to its validity promised on this theory therefore are excluded. The admiralty proclamation by a designation of waters around Great Britain and Iceland as a war area, announces Germany's intention to conduct war operations in this region, and particularly to destroy commercial ships of the enemy. "England months ago declared in similar fashion the whole of the North Sea a war area. "German warships heretofore have destroyed merchant ships belonging to the enemy only when there was the risk of their passengers and crew could get safely away. But in the future this forbearance must be subordinated to military considerations and to the consideration that England by a measure inadmissible under international law has paralyzed neutral commerce with Germany in an attempt to force upon the German civilian population death by starvation.

Block of Neutrals. "Any how," continued Herr von Jagow, "hostile merchantmen have no claim to consideration if, as in part already has been the case, they are armed or offer resistance to the German naval forces. Since the British admiralty on January 1, instructed British merchantmen to use neutral flags, neutral ships, even without taking into consideration the unavoidable accidents of sea war, are being mistaken for hostile merchant ships and of falling victims to attacks intended for these ships. "It was to this danger that the announcement particularly called attention. "The German naval forces have, of course, received orders to use no violence against neutral ships, so far as these are recognizable as such, but this confidential instruction by the British admiralty as to the use of neutral flags makes such identification a matter of extreme difficulty. "Neutral shipping can therefore only be urgently warned again, as in the earlier announcements, to avoid the indicated war zone until further notice."

No protests, according to Herr von Jagow, have been received from neutral states concerning the admiralty measure, although several of them, he said, had applied for information as to its scope.

Cardinal Sure Deity Fights Godless Gaul And Orthodox Russ COLOGNE, Feb. 10.—(Via London.)—Cardinal Von Hartman, archbishop of Cologne, in addressing a meeting of Catholics today, said: "The emperor's words, 'I no longer know parties. I only know Germans,' has found unanimous echo among the German people, who are united for king and country. "The motto for today is 'Trust in God and hold out.' Our armies protecting us in the east and the west are in good position. God will not permit atheistic France and orthodox Russia to crush the flourishing religious life in Fatherland. "Trust, therefore, in our God, in our brave troops and the noble emperor, who is adorned with all the virtues of his Hohenzollern forefathers. Trust, above all, in the Ruler of Battles, to whom we faithfully and continually pray."

To Teach Maimed of French Army Trades PARIS, Feb. 10.—The French cabinet has decided to create a national school for which mutilated soldiers will be taught trades. The school will be located at St. Maurice, near Charenton.

Washington Affairs Secretary McAdoo's activity in connection with the ship purchase bill was criticized in the house by Humphrey of Washington and Representative Moore of Pennsylvania. "Foreign trade for the week ending February 6, as reported to the Department of Commerce by the thirteen principal customs ports, showed a balance of \$7,154,226 in favor of the United States, the largest weekly balance on record. Exports for the week totaled \$29,581,106 and imports \$22,426,880.

Representative Hobson of Alabama introduced a resolution calling upon the state department for any information it might have concerning the demand Japan is reported to have made upon China, and asking whether these demands if enforced would imperil the policy of the integrity of China. Mr. Hobson said that his attitude toward China was of more significance than any other event of the war.

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RUSS EVACUATING BUKOWINA STATE

Complete Isolation Fate of Bear Hosts if They Do Not Retreat from Austrian Soil. PETROGRAD TELLS OF REVERSE LONDON, Feb. 10.—The Daily Telegraph's Bucharest correspondent says: "Fresh particulars received here from the Bukovina frontier indicate that the Russians have commenced the evacuation of that province." Advance in Great Force. PETROGRAD, Feb. 10.—(Via London.)—By their advance toward Nadvorna and Kalosa, which is evidently being made in great force, the Austro-German armies threaten the Russians in this quarter with the alternative of isolation or the complete evacuation of Bukovina. Austrian Statement. VIENNA, Feb. 10.—(Via London.)—The following official statement regarding the campaign was issued today: "There has been no change in Poland and West Galicia, where artillery engagements have been in progress. "The Austro-German allies yesterday, after a battle of several days, took a village north of Volovec which the Russians had stubbornly defended. Numerous prisoners and much ammunition and war material were captured. "Many Prisoners Taken. "On the other Carpathian fronts severe battles occurred. In the western section the Russian attacks were unsuccessful and 340 prisoners and three machine guns fell into our hands. "We continue to advance in Bukovina and have occupied Wama."

Missouri High Court Fines Packers Over Hundred Thousand JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 10.—Fines aggregating \$120,000 were levied by the Missouri supreme court today on five large packing firms, and under the decree of the court, the right of the companies to continue business in Missouri is conditioned on the payment of the fines by March 11. Otherwise, or if they violate the anti-trust law, they must leave the state. The decision of the court was in outer suits against the packers, brought by Governor Major, then attorney general in 1910. The companies affected by the decision are Armour & Co., Norris & Co., Swift and company, the Hammond Packing company and the St. Louis Dressing and Provision company. The suits were an outer proceeding directed against the companies on the ground that they had violated the state anti-trust law through the organization of the National Packing company, as a holding company for the other concerns.

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START OF GERMAN POWER

Prof. Fred Morrow Fling Explains How the Nation Made Move Toward World Power. FIRST OF SERIES OF TALKS An outline of the history of the German nation, preceding the union of the various states which now comprise the empire, formed the substance of a lecture delivered before the Equal Franchise league by Prof. Fred Morrow Fling of the University of Nebraska last evening. Last night's discourse by Prof. Fling, which took place in the council chamber of the city hall, was attended by a very large crowd and was the first of a series of eight talks on Germany, the remaining seven of which the professor will deliver on dates in the near future. Prof. Fling showed that only a short time before 1871 when the final unification of the German states took place, had the German people begun thoroughly to arouse themselves to the fact that England, France and Spain were already united into powers whose future strength would demand an equal or greater strength on the part of the Fatherland. The organization of this alliance was dwelt on in detail by Prof. Fling, who also explained briefly the workings of German legislation. The government is really in the hands of the upper house or diet, which is composed of the ruling class and though the lower house is strong in representation of the people, it has no voice in the establishment of reforms. "The kaiser can declare war without the consent of anybody, providing it is to be a war of defense. If the hostilities are to partake of an offensive nature the sanction of the diet is required," explained the professor. The subject of the second lecture will be, "How Germany Developed World Power," and will be an explanation how despite the seemingly impossible legislative conditions, the German nation became one of the world's greatest powers. Prof. Fling was introduced by Mrs. Hallock Ross. Following his discourse, the Fuller sisters delighted those in attendance with several English and Scotch peasant songs, whose origin sprang from the nation's great wars.

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Omaha Is Growing



The above is a picture of the beautiful bungalow home of Mr. R. R. Cooby at 1506 North Forty-ninth street. "This house is not only conveniently arranged inside, but its exterior is very pleasing. "The foundation is of brick; from foundation line to window sill stucco is used with pleasing effect; above the stucco narrow redwood siding is used and the porch columns are of brick and stucco. "The house has six large rooms with vestibule, back entry and a large pantry with built-in cabinets and chest of drawers. "The living room, dining room, den and vestibule are finished in oak, with colonial paneled openings and beam ceilings. "The kitchen and bedrooms are finished in hard pine. The house is modern in every way and has built-in window seats and cabinets and cupboards where needed. "The door of the coat closet in vestibule is fitted with a long mirror. "There is a full cement basement, and the house is heated by furnace. "This house was financed and built completely by the Bankers' Realty Investment Company of Omaha. "All woodwork used in interior was especially designed and built at that company's own planing mill.

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