

### BANK DEPOSITS SHOW BIG GAIN

Eighteen Million More Dollars in Omaha Banks This Year Than Same Time Last Year.

#### MONEY IS LOANED MORE FREELY

The banks of Omaha gained \$18,818,000 in deposits in the last year, as shown by the statements issued in response to the call of the comptroller of currency for the condition of business at the close of May 1.

The comparison is a fit one, since there happened to be a call May 1 of 1915 which makes it possible to compare the two years to the day.

A gain of \$10,754,000 is shown in loans over the figures of the call of May 1 a year ago.

The banks now have \$1,381,000 more loans at the present time than they did sixty days ago when the last call was issued, March 7.

Following are the statements and comparisons:

Deposits.		
	Mar. 7, '15	May 1, '16
Omaha National	\$16,628,760	\$17,077,217
U. S. National	15,961,520	15,117,722
First National	12,511,527	14,705,654
Merchants National	9,948,752	9,284,718
Stock Yards National	7,588,516	7,906,229
Live Stock National	5,175,075	5,210,235
State Bank of Omaha	3,777,963	3,838,809
Nebraska National	2,565,228	2,191,166
Packers National	2,410,690	2,190,513
Corn Exchange Nat'l.	1,735,811	1,554,980
Security State Bank	694,208	597,632
South Omaha Savings	374,424	318,496
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$78,876,966</b>	<b>\$79,551,673</b>

Deposits.		
	May 1, 1915	May 1, '16
Omaha National	\$11,525,641	\$12,077,577
U. S. National	10,666,639	11,115,322
First National	11,886,711	14,788,524
Merchants National	7,344,006	6,854,718
Stock Yards National	6,445,734	7,046,622
Live Stock National	2,115,969	1,810,228
State Bank of Omaha	1,811,189	1,896,879
Nebraska National	1,699,282	1,180,154
Packers National	1,941,819	1,694,999
Corn Exchange Nat'l.	1,186,007	1,140,513
Security State Bank	492,990	387,531
South Omaha Savings	287,424	218,496
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$69,415,990</b>	<b>\$79,231,673</b>

Loans.		
	Mar. 7, '15	May 1, '16
U. S. National	\$10,666,639	\$11,115,322
First National	10,772,669	9,972,539
Omaha National	1,186,250	1,186,250
Merchants National	6,072,218	5,104,746
Stock Yards National	5,253,259	6,241,981
Live Stock National	2,529,500	2,717,652
State Bank of Omaha	2,124,458	2,172,700
Nebraska National	1,651,628	2,096,108
Packers National	1,686,250	1,426,773
Corn Exchange Nat'l.	1,065,794	1,021,322
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### PILOT OF JULIUS SILBER ILL BOAT CANNOT MOVE

The steamer has a full cargo consigned to Decatur on board and it is necessary that it start for the river town immediately.

But the boat's pilot has taken ill and the boat cannot move until a pilot is signed. A first-class, competent pilot with a river license is urged to communicate with the Commercial club at once.

### FALLS CITY COUNCIL REFUSES ONE LICENSE

FALLS CITY, Neb., May 6.—(Special.)—The city council met Friday afternoon to hear the remonstrances against the application of Fred Herberster and son, Louis Herberster, for a saloon permit. Remonstrances were also filed against Gurle Alexander, Johnson and the Gehling Brewing company. The petition with 800 citizens' signatures asking the council to keep the saloons out of the first and second wards. Sixty business men on Stone street also asked that saloons be kept off Stone street. These wards gave a majority of votes at the spring election to keep the saloons out of town, the third ward furnishing twenty-two votes for the saloons, which have been alleged to be illegal votes. The Herberster license was refused by a vote of four to two. The majority of the council held that some of the signers of the petition are not property holders. Action was not concluded on other cases.

### OVERTON TO HAVE ALL DAY LIGHT SERVICE

OVERTON, Neb., May 6.—(Special.)—The Lexington Mill and Elevator company has closed the deal with W. H. Hill & Son for the Overton electric light plant the fore part of the week. The mill company will run a line down from Lexington and connect to the Overton lights, giving an all night and all day service. It is expected to be connected within sixty days.

### Callaway Elects Teacher.

CALLAWAY, Neb., May 6.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Board of Education of the Callaway district, the following teachers were elected for the coming school year: W. A. Rosen of Macon City, superintendent; Helen Hartwell of Kearney, principal; Lila Beckwith of Broken Bow, secretary and sixth grade; Ruth Sanderson of Callaway, fifth and sixth grades; Marie Ideal of Lincoln, third and fourth grades.

### Married Fifty-six Years.

FALLS CITY, Neb., May 6.—(Special.)—J. A. Cook and wife celebrated their fifty-sixth anniversary of their marriage, which took place at Princeton, Ill. May 8, 1860. Two days later they celebrated their twenty-third anniversary of their marriage, which took place at Lincoln, Neb. They have lived many years before taking charge of the county poor farm, which they managed for fifteen years, and then retired to their home at 1015 "C" street. Mr. Cook is 71 years of age and Mrs. Cook 68.

### We'll Dye For You Dresher Bros.

2211-17 Farnam St. Tyler 345

## Albert, with One Hand, Wants to Be Life Guard at Carter Lake

Carter lake authorities, lend us your ears. Do you want a good life guard out there this summer? If so, we present the name of Albert Grigsby, 2566 Laurel avenue. Albert is one of the strongest swimmers that ever trod water. Albert is 18 years old. Albert is a high school student. Albert carries a paper route on The Bee. Albert won three medals in Chicago for swimming, and one out there at Carter lake last Labor day. He's only been in Omaha a year. Give 'im time; he'll win all the medals you want to offer. Now here's Albert's principal qualification for the job of life saver. He has only one hand. You say you don't think that is a great advantage? Listen, if you hire Albert, your old lake'll get advertised all over the country just because it has a one-handed life guard. People'll come out there just to see him. See? Albert can swim as powerfully as any two-handed swimmer we ever saw or heard tell of. You see he lost his left hand when he was only a small child of 5 years and he's learned to do everything just as well with one hand as other people do with two. Why, he plays foot ball and basket ball, and base ball and golf, and he's a trickerjack at all of 'em, too! Albert is the most amphibious young man you ever saw. He spent all his spare time out there at the lake last summer. You probably saw him—that blue-eyed, rosy-cheeked, earnest, smiling youth. He was a life guard—just for the fun of it. "The chief life guard used to get me to help him sometimes," says Albert. "I helped save one person. He got winded and went under. I say him and swam out and held him up till the other life guards came and helped get him out. I used to watch the diving place to see that people didn't dive in the shallow places." Albert made a swim of two and a half miles in Lake Michigan in record time. He won one medal for "plate diving" in twelve feet of water, another for swimming on the back, and another for an under-water swim of fifty-five feet. You can be sure Albert will always be on the job and take a pride in his work. Just ask "Chuck" Morearty about Albert. He knows.

## MATERNITY HOMES TO GET ATTENTION

City Officials Take Preliminary Steps Toward Investigation of This Class of Hospital.

HOPE FOR RESULTS THIS YEAR Superintendent Schreiber of the Welfare board, Chief Probation Officer Miller of the juvenile court, the health and hospital committee of the Omaha Commercial club, Miss Magee of the City mission and Health Commissioner Council are all more or less engaged in the task of investigating maternity homes in this city. With the aid of a few other organizations it is believed some results may be accomplished during the year. As yet the investigation has not reached a very definite status. Inquiry at the health office shows that only one maternity home is recorded as having the necessary state license. Several of the regular hospitals hold state licenses. The health office has no record of a small hospital near Twentieth and Lake streets, which institution is said to have quite an extensive lying-in clientele.

Repealed attacks by Germans on British at Ypres repulsed with heavy losses. French deputies, amid cheers, unanimously voted huge war credits asked by the ministry. "Special Sale" is a familiar term to you—it's been over-worked, misused and abused; but when you read of a special sale at Thompson-Belden's, know this: That although we could use clever phraseology in announcing a special sale, we prefer to put it just that way and let you find out how conservative it really is. The advertising that makes up the daily news of this specialized store is never actually or intentionally misleading.

## GERMANY'S "BACK BROKEN IF BEATEN"

Coloque Gazette Says Nation Must Entertain Only Reasonable Thoughts.

### KAISER WILHELM WROTE NOTE

AMSTERDAM, Holland (Via London), May 6.—The Cologne Gazette, commenting on the note, says: "We really have sufficient enemies, and our enemies do not make it easy for us to beat them. We all know that Germany's back will be broken if we do not win this war. That is why all other thoughts ought to be brushed aside and why only reasonable ones ought to be entertained. We must, therefore, avoid difficulties which might bring about war with America and leave upon President Wilson the responsibility for such a catastrophe if he ways it. All the same, we believe the emperor and his counsellors had no alternative than to make the answer they sent. It must have been hard for them and we must swallow our legitimate wrath. We can do it, as our way does not lead to Canossa, but allows of a peaceful outcome on the basis set forth by President Wilson." Dispatches received here from Berlin say the note was written entirely by Emperor William. His majesty, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the imperial chancellor; Dr. Carl Hefferich, secretary of the imperial treasury, and James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, are described as being concerned in the negotiations, the German naval and military experts being entirely omitted.

### LAUDA WILSON AS PATRIOT.

BERLIN, May 6.—(Via London, May 5.)—After figuratively taking the public's breath away two weeks ago by a daring article captioned "If I Were Wilson," Maximilian Harden today returns to an exhaustive defense of President Wilson, his policy and the American standpoint. In a leader in the Zukunft entitled "The Real Wilson," Herr Harden praises President Wilson as "a man of high moral and high spiritual character of whom we might be proud if he were ours." What the writer characterizes as "lazy ignorance" is represented as "chattering from the mantle of would-be patriotism, which in reality has nothing in common with genuine patriotism, when President Wilson is assailed as he frequently has been."

"Ninety-nine out of a hundred of all the so-called war literature," Herr Harden continues, "should be sent where it belongs—to the paper mills—and the public should return to books from which a wide-awake spirit speaks, including President Wilson's 'The New Freedom.' Then, perhaps, pure common sense will return to you and awaken you to the duty of respecting the dignity of foreign people." Herr Harden follows with a brief character sketch of President Wilson, in which he calls the president "a brave opponent of evil and abuses" and alludes to him as "actuated by a love for his

people and possessed of the will to lead them to the heights of his ideals after they had gotten into the swamp land." "Germany," he adds, "should be ashamed of people who slander him because they have read calumny in newspapers." "To all his controversies with Germany," says Herr Harden, "President Wilson has acted from absolute conviction. Dare we measure by the standard of a student's squabble, the complaints of a great free nation, led by a man of the weight and importance of President Wilson?" asks the writer. "If President Wilson, after a thorough investigation, is convinced that warlike acts of Germany have broken the laws of humanity, it was not only his right, but his duty to talk with clearness. He owes this not as a duty to himself but to us."

## MAYOR PROCLAIMS FILM CITY START A LEGAL HOLIDAY

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class incident to the corner-stone laying. The ceremony will be a most elaborate one, in which representatives of nearly all the civic organizations of Greater Omaha and city and county officials will take part.

President S. E. Schaefer, in his office in the Brandeis building yesterday made the following statement: "The moving picture industry has in a few short years sprung into third place among the greatest industries of America. The demand for stories capable of pleasing interpretation and for artists capable of giving such interpretation and for the finished product, the film, is practically unlimited. First Centrally Located Plant. "Of the forty-five big studios manufacturing films for 'movies,' almost half are located in California and Florida, and half in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania and the remainder in Chicago. There is no studio of capacity between Chicago and San Francisco east and west and between the gulf on the south and the Canadian boundary on the north. "The development of the movie has brought into this method of presenting the drama and the comedy, the greatest living dramatists and comedians. The greater portion of the work of film producing is now strictly studio work; that is, the work is staged and photographed exclusively in the studio. The outside, or location work being of minor importance. However, location work cannot be dispensed with and it is essential that the film producing plant be so situated that the natural advantages of scenery, hills, trees, water, railway, roads, parks, homes and industries be readily accessible. Herein lies the charm of the Rialto studio at Ralston. Beautiful timber covered hills, Seymour lake, the railroads and trestles, the homes, industries and boulevards of Ralston and Greater Omaha, afford an almost unlimited variety of locations for such spots as require greater scope than the studio stage can afford. "There is no question in my mind,

but that the Rialto moving picture enterprise at Ralston will be one of Omaha's greatest industries and I am sure no other industry will do so much to make familiar, the name of Omaha, as Rialto films stamped, "Made in Omaha," and exhibited wherever moving pictures are shown upon the screen, will do. We are here to stay. We positively will not sell or offer for sale, any stock in the film producing company. We will sell the real estate we do not need for our film producing purposes, to such buyers as we prefer under restrictions that will prevent marring the scenic effects contemplated and upon the guarantee of the State bank of Omaha that every dollar will be repaid to the purchaser, if our studio is not in operation by January 1, 1917.

## Sues Burkley for \$75,000 Damages

Damages of \$75,000 are asked by John H. Dahl from J. B. Burkley, who owns a building at Twelfth and Howard. In the bill of complaint filed in district court Dahl says he rented a portion of the building accessible only by elevator. The part of the building where the elevator is located was poorly lighted, he alleges, and while the elevator was on the top floor, he fell into the shaft and received injuries that permanently disabled him.

WILL YOUR TEETH HAVE THE CARE THIS YEAR

### Diseased Teeth or Gums

are downright enemies of your health. They frequently cause headaches, neuralgia, eye, ear, nose and throat trouble, rheumatism and many other forms of discomfort. Every tooth allowed to remain in an unhealthy condition is absolute folly.

### The Sign of Health Begins in the Mouth

Defend yourself against the loss or even breakdown of your most valuable teeth. There is more than an element of truth when I say that I can do your dental work without pain, and anything that you may have to do you will find in me an able dental surgeon.

Specialist in Gum Diseases. X-Ray Photographs to Locate Hidden Discomforts.

## DR. BRADBURY, Dentist

27 Years in Omaha.  
921-22 Woodmen of the World Building. Phone D. 1756.  
14th and Farnam Sts., Omaha. Hours: 8 to 6; Sundays, 10 to 12.

## Cool Suitings for Hot Weather

Palm Beach, Tropicrash, Silk, Linen and Mohair SUITS Made-to-Order

### \$15.00 to \$30.00

I have the most comprehensive line of these goods obtainable. Fit guaranteed or you need not accept the garments. Give me your order now and be ready for the hot days.

# Tailor Beck

1512 1/2 DODGE STREET.  
Out of the high rent district.

# THOMPSON, BELDEN & COMPANY

## As Advertised—Our Policy

A habit of exaggeration has become so familiar in retail store advertising that maybe it does not shock you as it might once have done, or as it should.

But with Thompson, Belden & Company, exaggeration is not a habit, nor even a casual occurrence.

We would like to be sure YOU realize how certain we are of our statements. We know from our every day's experience how many of our customers rely absolutely on the truth of any statement we make.

The values are always in the goods at their regular prices. Special sales at SEASONABLE times make price reductions possible.

The advertising that makes up the daily news of this specialized store is never actually or intentionally misleading.

### New Imported and Domestic Dress Gingham

32-inch, in a variety of neat effects, colors permanent—15c, 30c and 60c a yard.

### Seamless Bedsheets

81x90 made from a heavy quality bleached sheeting, regular 85c Quality Limit, 6 to a customer—69c each.

### NEW SILKS - Shown First

Main Floor

### Warner's Rust Proof Corsets

The best assurance that a corset will hold its shape is the name "Warner's Rust Proof," upon it. Warner's Corsets remove all the worry and uncertainty of choosing a nameless corset. There is pride and pedigree in the Warner trade mark. It bears the distinction of having created more beautiful, erect, stylish figures than any other moderately priced corset in America. Numerous models for \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 are shown at the present time. In Our Corset Section—Third Floor.

### Separate Wash Skirts

BASEMENT The most attractive styles you have ever seen for such little prices—\$1.95, \$2.25, \$4.50

### Seasonable Apparel Sensibly Priced

Styles With a World of Originality. SUMMER DRESSES of lovely silks and dainty cottons, models that are very artistic. \$16.50, \$19.50, \$25, \$35. TAILORED SUITS for travel, outing, and sport wear. \$25, \$29.50, \$35. COATS that wear the height of style at a moderate price. \$19.50, \$25, \$29.50.

## WHEN the Goodyear Service Station Dealer talks to you about Goodyear Tire Accessories, credit him with trying to render a real service.

He will show you that the Goodyear Tire Saver Kit contains materials for making road repairs when accidents occur.

He will test your wheel alignment; he will suggest an Inside Protector if such can add to the mileage of an old tire; he will recommend Goodyear Tire Putty to fill tread cuts and prevent damage from dirt and water.

He sells tire satisfaction in addition to tires; he is not content until you are fully and finally pleased.

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## GOOD YEAR TIRE SAVER KIT