

NEBRASKA MEN FOR FIRM POLICY

University Faculty Members Sign Resolution Backing Up Wilson.

PACIFISM IS UNTIMELY

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, April 1.—(Special.)—A self-appointed committee at the University of Nebraska wished to obtain indications favoring support of a strong foreign policy...

STATE FAIR HOG BARN MEETS NEW SNAG ON ITS WAY

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of any yardage charges due the state of Nebraska under the provisions of this act, shall constitute prima facie evidence of the violation of this act.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer Observe Golden Wedding

Greeley, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—On March 28, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer of Greeley, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Joe Smith, Quarry Foreman, Is Stabbed by Phil Michael

Louisville, Neb., April 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Following a dispute over wages, Joe Smith, assistant foreman at the Woodworth stone quarries here, this morning, was stabbed with a butcher knife...

Lincoln Patriotism Shown In Two Great Meetings

Lincoln, April 1.—(Special.)—Response to the call for patriotism last night demonstrated that the pacifist meeting of a week ago here did not truly express the sentiments of the people of Lincoln.

Lincoln Men Plan Erection Of New Hotel in the Capital

Lincoln, April 1.—(Special.)—Frank D. Rager, Ernest Folsom and others associated with them in the proposed building of the Crown hotel at Fourteenth and P streets, in this city, have secured an option on the Lincoln hotel and also on the site formerly occupied by the old Capital hotel at Eleventh and P streets.

Hemingford Community Club Meets

Hemingford, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—The Hemingford Community club held a largely attended meeting on Friday night.

Commercial Club Banquet

Alliance, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—The Alliance Commercial club will give their annual banquet on Thursday, April 5.

Masonic School at Gering

Gering, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—Andrew H. Vile, grand master, and Robert E. French, grand custodian of the Masonic lodge at Gering, arrived in the city Monday afternoon and held a central school of instruction.

House Compensation Bill Will Be Passed By the Senators

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, April 1.—(Special.)—In a speech yesterday Senator Hager of Adams pronounced the proposed workmen's compensation bill the most dangerous legislation before the senate at the present session.

The statement was made while the senate was considering the bill which recently passed the house. The senator is a candy manufacturer at Hastings and he asserted that class of people were against it.

German Citizens of Polk Resent Rumors About Them

Polk, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—The residents of the German community west of this village are highly aroused and indignant over a report which has gained circulation not only in this neighborhood, but in other parts of the state...

Teachers' Association Has Banquet at Sidney

Sidney, Neb., April 1.—(Special Telegram.)—The North Platte valley Teachers' association closed last night with a banquet at Union Pacific hotel with Mayor James L. McIntosh and Professor Elliot of Chadron the principal speakers.

Wheat Near Shelton Is in Poor Shape

Shelton, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—Many farmers in this locality have examined their fall wheat fields and opinions vary from a total loss to a good half crop in case rain should come soon.

Potash Plants Compete For Box Butte Ranch

Alliance, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—A certain ranch property which was bought more than a year ago for \$15,000 has recently been sold for \$62,000.

Delay In Finishing Cutoff

Fremont, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—According to Burlington officials the Yutan-Chalco cutoff, which the company is building to shorten the distance from Omaha to Sioux City, will not be completed until May 1.

Austrians Are Ejected

Petrograd, April 1.—After making repeated attacks, Austrian forces yesterday penetrated the Russian trenches near Kifli Baba, in the southern eastern Carpathians, says the Russian official statement today, but they were ejected by a counter attack and the position was restored.

Shelton Saloon Robbed

Shelton, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—Burglars got into the saloon of E. L. Lomax Thursday night and got away with cash and checks to the value of \$250.

Nature Cures, the Doctor Takes the Fee

There is an old saying that "Nature cures, the doctor takes the fee," but as everyone knows you can help Nature very much and thereby enable it to effect a cure in much less time than is usually required.

CZERNIN'S WORDS ASK PEACE PARLEY

German and Dutch Diplomats Regard Austro-Hungarian's Words in This Light.

HOLLAND MUCH STARTLED

London, April 1.—Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent says that a semi-official Berlin telegram states that in German political circles the following view is taken of the interview with Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, in the Fremdenblatt, in which he was quoted as saying that the entente could conclude an honorable peace and that the proposal of the central powers for a peace conference still held good.

Will of Germans Also

"Count Czernin's remark regarding his general readiness to enter peace negotiations immediately our enemies are ready to abandon their unrealistic idea of crushing us also fundamentally agrees with the general wishes of the German people.

New Peace Proposal

The Hague, April 1.—The important interview with Count Czernin, the Austrian foreign minister, printed in the semi-official Fremdenblatt of Vienna and republished here, caused an unusual sensation in the Dutch press.

Mohler, Former President of Union Pacific, in From South

Having spent the winter in the south, A. L. Mohler, former president of the Union Pacific, has returned improved in health and asserting that during the last six months he had had the greatest time of his life.

Plant Barley at Holdrege

Holdrege, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—Fifty per cent of the winter wheat area of Phelps county will be planted to barley and at least 25 to oats and corn.

New Train to Alliance

Alliance, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—Superintendent Weidenhamer of the Alliance division announces that the Burlington railroad has definitely decided to put on a new local train, beginning May 1, between Alliance and points east.

Farmers Buy Graf Elevator

Tecumseh, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—The Farmers' Elevator company of Graf has bought the elevator of the Central Granaries company of Lincoln.

Gering City Ticket

Gering, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—The ticket for city officers names A. B. Wood for mayor, N. R. Reasoner for city clerk, F. E. Neceley for treasurer, and I. B. Jones for engineer.

Experts Form Company

Ure, formerly county treasurer; Frank Honza, formerly a clerk in the county treasurer's office, and Anton E. Dvorak, a public accountant, have organized a firm of expert public accountants and auditors.

Obituary Notes

HENRY O. BROWN, for twelve years a resident of Fremont, died at his home there, following an illness of ten weeks.

Wouldbe Rookies Try All Sorts Of Schemes to Get Into Service

Mother Chases Up Son for Fear He Has Stolen March on Father.

OTHER COMEDY ELEMENTS

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bad cold was the worst illness he ever had in all his life. Albert Sledge, a professional cook, living at 3455 South Sixteenth street, not only joined Company B, but was so zealous to "do his bit" for Uncle Sam, that he ran out in the midst of signing up, and soon brought five of his friends, who also enlisted.

One man was so anxious to enlist that he declared himself unmarried and with no dependents to support. However, Major Todd said, the man's wife appeared later and had his enlistment cancelled, because he had a family of three to support.

In the navy also, unusual cases broke the monotony of recruiting last week. Lionel Tuffield, son of C. J. Tuffield, 2824 North Twenty-sixth street, appeared in knee pants and begged to be enlisted. He had his parent's signed consent, and exhibited a four-inch chest expansion, to make up for his tender age, only 15 years and 6 months.

A continuous source of comedy at National Guard headquarters is found in the cases of mothers, wives, sisters and sweethearts who frequently seek to get guardsmen relieved from duty or to prevent fond sons and brothers from outbreaks of patriotism that would break the family apron strings.

Mother Heads Off Son

In breathless excitement, Mrs. R. A. Kress, 1608 Corby street, rushed into the recruiting station to inquire if her 16-year-old son, Virgil, had joined the Guard.

"His father is out of the city," she explained, "and I'm afraid Virgil is taking advantage of the fact to enlist against our wishes. It will be soon enough for him to volunteer when he becomes of age."

Peter Johnson, who is 40 years of age and served three years in the Danish army, joined Company B Saturday, although rather older than the usually accepted "rookie." He had to make his enlistment papers, but proved himself otherwise qualified.

The navy's need of men in the present crisis drew Andrew W. Edwards of Wymore back to the fleet, after he had married and settled down in

Omaha Man Refuses To Believe Report Of Reward by France

Although Dr. F. J. Despecher, Omaha dentist, rendered notable civilian service to France during the three months he was there at the beginning of the war, and has since then sent monthly boxes to Europe for Belgian relief, he refuses to believe that the French government has sent him a present in recognition of his services.

However, an Associated Press dispatch Saturday announced that "something handsome" in the way of a big box that formed the only cargo of the British freighter Knight of the Garter, had reached this country, consigned to the Omaha man.

"There must be some mistake," Dr. Despecher said, when told of the message by The Bee. He says he believes the box is something that his relatives at St. Nazaire, France, have sent him. But his friends are awaiting its arrival with confidence that it really is a gift from the French authorities, in recognition of the Omaha man's work.

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CAPT. HOBSON TALKS FOR A DRY NATION

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possession. We remove all the old arguments that the liquor dealers put forward and leave them exposed in their real colors, merely as men who are making money from administering the poison to our manhood that has destroyed countless other nations and unless stopped in time will destroy this one.

Cards were distributed for "recruits" to finance the "nation-dry" campaign. Hobson also declared that a petition with 12,000,000 signatures is to be presented to congress asking for the dry amendment.

Talks at Auditorium

Captain Hobson was introduced at the Auditorium by John L. Kennedy, who had served with him as a member of congress, who urged that this is a time for patriotism among Americans. A small gathering listened attentively to the captain, who told of the work of the Anti-Saloon league in the United States.

"Congress has been petitioned by 12,000,000 persons to submit a constitutional amendment to make this a dry nation," stated the hero of the Merrimac.

The captain quoted statistical information, showing the growth of the anti-saloon movement, and he referred to the use of intoxicants as an organic disease. He distributed cards at the close of his address, asking for pledges from 33 1/3 cents to \$100 a month, payable quarterly.

Captain Jess Believes War Will Be Outcome

Fremont, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—Captain Henry A. Jess of the Fremont signal corps, who left this morning for Lincoln, believes that this country will soon be engaged in war with Germany. He has told his men that it may be sometime before they are permitted to return to Fremont.

Teachers Re-elected

Desha, Neb., April 1.—(Special.)—At a recent meeting of the school board the following teachers were re-elected: Prof. H. Jennings, superintendent; Miss Minnie Hoffman, grammar; Miss Josephine Hersey, primary; Miss Hilda Jacobson of Arapah, was elected teacher for the intermediate grade.

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