

OMAHA TEACHERS ASK HIGHER WAGE

Principals Appear Before Committee and Request Advance in Salaries in Grades, But No Decision Reached.

A committee of public school principals Friday afternoon presented to the teachers' committee of the new Board of Education a request for 25 per cent increase of pay for 850 teachers of the grade schools.

This matter was presented last fall to the outgoing board and had been carried along as unfinished business.

Chairman Wells of the teachers, and Chairman Reed of the finance committee reported an existing deficit of \$250,000 and a further deficit of \$150,000 on account of cutting out of liquor license money. The increase asked by the teachers amounts to \$175,000 a year.

Teachers do not have sufficient food to enable them to do their work efficiently. The only time many of them are warm in winter is when in the schools," said Mary A. Reid, principal of Saunders school.

Seek Work for Summer.

Clara B. Mason, principal of Park school said: "Many teachers who should have a chance to be resting or studying are seeking work for the summer vacation. The Commercial club is advertising Omaha as the most prosperous city in the country. I am sure you men will find a way to give the teachers more pay before the school year closes next month."

"Ten of the seventeen teachers at my school," said Principal Robinson of Saratoga, "are helping to support homes and in six cases this help is absolutely necessary."

Mr. Reed of the finance committee suggested that this is a time when all must share the burden.

No decision was reached. The matter will be brought before a meeting of the entire board next week, in committee of the whole.

Red Cross Appeal for Increased Membership

The citizens of Omaha and vicinity can express their patriotism in no better manner than to join the Omaha chapter of American Red Cross.

We hope to enroll 20,000 or more new members during the week commencing May 14. Forget business for a few hours or days, postpone contemplated pleasures, cancel engagements and help the membership committee make a showing that will reflect the greatest possible evidence of the patriotism that exists in this community.

All patriotic men, women and children are eligible to membership. Join now—enroll all members of your family; urge your friends, their families and their friends to join.

FRANK W. JUDSON, Chairman Membership Campaign Committee.

May Queen at Omaha University And Her Attendants at the Fete



Miss May Leach, senior, is May Queen of the University of Omaha. Announcement of the queen and her attendants, Miss Esther Knapp, junior, as maid of honor; Miss Helen Johnston, sophomore, and Miss Louise Brown, freshman, as special maids, comes today. Gala day is Friday.

Although the farms and the army have taken a number of the men, the annual spring festival promises to be a great success. The committee had planned to crown the queen under the huge maples of the university campus, but this plan has been abandoned and the event will take place at Kountze park, two blocks from the school, at 7:30 p. m. A vaudeville show at the uni gymnasium follows.

Miss Clara Lindley has charge of the costumes of the queen and her maids, the school furnishing the costumes this year.

Ice-Bound Crews in Lake Superior Are Starving

Marquette, Mich., May 12.—Members of the crew of the freighter Munising, stranded for five days in an ice floe in Lake Superior, seven miles off shore, are starving, all efforts to get food to them have been futile.

Fear was expressed also that crews of four steamers, the Grand Island, Ishpeming, Barlow and Peter White, which after a vain attempt to rescue, were caught in the ice also and are in danger of starvation.

Sarah Bernhardt Greatly Cheered by Viviani's Visit

New York, May 12.—Rene Viviani, head of the French mission now in this country, today paid a visit to his famous countrywoman, Madame Sarah Bernhardt, who is convalescing after an operation. When he left the actress' room his face was wreathed in smiles. Madame Bernhardt seemed greatly cheered.

McAdoo Warns Everybody Must Do Bit to Save Loan

Washington, May 12.—Secretary McAdoo sounded a warning today that unless every person who possibly could "did his bit" toward subscribing to the liberty loan that it might fail.

"I have every confidence," he said, "that the loan will be fully subscribed, but the impression should not be permitted to go abroad that it is certain to carry unless it will."

ONE MAN TO SPEND BILLIONS IN U. S.

Agreement Being Drafted to Give Body of Perhaps One Person Power to Buy Everything for War.

Washington, May 12.—An international agreement, under which there will be placed in the hands of a small commission, possibly of one man, the purchasing power of virtually every dollar of the billion, to be lent the allies by this government and the additional billions which they will spend in this country out of their own income, is in process of formulation.

Draft of the proposed agreement has been left to Secretary McAdoo, who has already conferred with foreign envoys on the subject. Great Britain, France and Italy are understood to have signified their desire to enter such an agreement and other entente governments are likely to assume the same attitude.

The agreement would seek maximum efficiency, both for the allies and the American government for every dollar spent in this country for war purposes.

The commission would have the widest purchasing powers ever entrusted to any one body of men in the history of the world. It virtually would be a purchasing agency for all christendom, with the exception of the few remaining neutrals and the central powers.

It would eliminate entirely competitive bidding among the allies and this government for American products and would seek to assure 100 cents worth of value for every dollar spent.

The plan involves no fixing of prices, however.

Navy Near Full Strength Of Hundred Thousand Men

Washington, May 12.—The navy will reach its full authorized maximum war strength of 100,000 enlisted men Thursday if the recruiting ratio of the last ten days is maintained.

An official statement issued today shows that the service now has a total of 95,028 men the recruiting campaign inaugurated April 3, having produced 31,341 men up to date.

Bills pending in congress authorize the adoption of 50,000 more men or a total strength, including hospital corps apprentices and unorganized units of 195,000 men.

Brottem Collides With Car Of Dr. Gietzen and Is Arrested

Dr. C. H. Gietzen, 2223 Manderson street, was driving his auto west on Howard street last night near Fourteenth street, when he collided with a car driven by Roy Brottem, Rivard hotel. No one was hurt, but both cars were damaged.

Brottem was arrested, charged with violating the rules of the road. He is said to have been driving on the wrong side of the road.

Knights Templar of Omaha Stand by President Wilson

At their meeting Friday night, the members of Mount Calvary Commandry, Knights Templar, adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, the United States of America—our home, our country, is at war with a nation whose autocracy has thrown to the winds all principles of justice and liberty, and, in disregard of all law or Christian usage, is stretching Europe with the blood of thousands of patriots and innocents; Whereas, our country stands in arms, not for territorial aggrandizement or profit, but for the upholding of the principles of freedom and liberty and the putting down of rule by the sword of oppression; and

Whereas, it is most and proper in a time such as this that all citizens and organizations fostered, nurtured and living under the protection of the great flag that flies, irrespective of creed or political affiliation, but more especially this great order of Christian knights, which stands for all that is good, and whose forebears, the great

knights in the crusades of old, fought, bled and died for the upholding of sacred principles, should stand by, uphold and support, with firmness and loyalty unrestrained, the president of the United States, his senators and representatives in congress assembled, and all duly constituted public authorities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by Mount Calvary Commandry No. 1, Knights Templar of Nebraska, in its assembly in Omaha assembled, that we do stand by, uphold and support the president of the United States, its senators and representatives in congress assembled, and all duly constituted public authority, and that in this, our country's hour of need, we do hereby offer our services to the president for use in such line of duty as the capabilities, training and experience of its members may best fit them, knowing and believing that the cause is just.

Reach Tentative Agreement To Avert Great Coal Strike

Washington, May 12.—A tentative basis of agreement for averting a

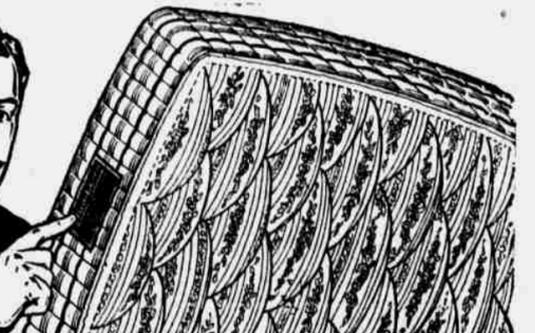
threatened strike of coal miners in the central Pennsylvania district was reached at a conference of representatives of both sides tonight with Secretary of Labor Wilson.

None at the conference would divulge details except that there would be no suspension of work. About 75,000 men had voted to walk out on May 15 and it is understood strong pressure was brought to bear by the federal government to bring the two sides together and prevent crippling of coal production in the national emergency.

The American Federation of Labor and the National Defense council were represented at the meeting.

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Nuxated Iron Should Be Used in Every Hospital and Prescribed by Every Physician

Says Dr. Howard James, late of the Manhattan State Hospital of New York and formerly Assistant Physician Brooklyn State Hospital.

It quickly enriches the blood, strengthens the nerves and puts most astonishing youthful power and vigor into the veins of both men and women. It often increases the strength and endurance of delicate, nervous, run-down folks 100 per cent in two weeks' time.

Opinions of Dr. Schuyler C. Jaques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, New York, Dr. A. J. Newman, and other physicians who have tested Nuxated Iron in their own private practice.

In a very interesting and instructive discourse on the great values of plenty of iron in the blood, Dr. Howard James, late of the Manhattan State Hospital of New York and formerly Assistant Physician Brooklyn State Hospital, said:

"A patient of mine remarked to me (after having been on a six weeks' course of Nuxated Iron):

"Say, Doctor, that there stuff is like magic."

"Previous to using Nuxated Iron, I had been prescribing the various mineral salts of iron for years, only to meet the complaints of discolored teeth, disturbed digestion, tied up, hardened secretions, etc., when I came across Nuxated Iron, an elegant, ingenious preparation containing organic iron, which has no destructive action on the teeth—no corrosive effect on the stomach, and which is readily assimilated into the blood and quickly makes its presence felt by increased vigor, snap and staying power."

"Iron is absolutely necessary to enable your blood to change food into living tissue. Without it, no matter how much or what you eat, your food merely passes through you without doing you any good. You don't get the strength out of it, and as a consequence you become weak, pale and sickly looking, just like a plant trying to grow in a soil deficient in iron."

"As I have said a hundred times over, organic iron is the greatest of all strength builders. If people would only take Nuxated Iron when they feel weak or run down, instead of dosing themselves with habit-forming drugs, stimulants and alcoholic beverages, I am convinced that in this way they could ward off disease, prevent it becoming organic in thousands of cases and thereby the lives of thousands might be saved who now die every year from pneumonia, grippe, kidney, liver, heart trouble and other dangerous maladies. The real and true cause which started their diseases was nothing more or less than a weakened condition brought on by a lack of iron in the blood."

"Thousands of people suffer from iron deficiency and do not know it.

"If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained. From my own experience with Nuxated Iron I feel it is such a valuable remedy that it should be kept in every hospital and prescribed by every physician in this country."

Dr. E. Sauer, a Boston physician, who has studied both in this country and abroad European medical institutions, was asked what he thought of Dr. Jaques' remarks. In reply, he said:

"I fully agree with Dr. James. There is no more iron. There can be no strong, vigorous men without iron. Not long ago a man came to me who was nearly half a century old and asked me to give him a preliminary examination for life insurance. I was astonished to find him with the blood pressure of a boy of twenty, and as full of vigor, vim and vitality as a young man; in fact, a young man he really was, notwithstanding his age. The secret, he said, was taking iron—Nuxated Iron had filled him with renewed life. At 50 he was in had health; at 46 he was careworn and nearly all in—now at 50, after taking Nuxated Iron, a miracle of vitality and his face beaming with the buoyancy of youth."

Dr. A. J. Newman, formerly House Surgeon, Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago, in commenting on the value of Nuxated Iron, said: "This remedy has grown through my own test of it to exceed any preparation I have ever used for creating red blood, building up the nerves, strengthening the muscles and correcting digestive disorders. The manufacturers are to be congratulated in having given to the public a long-felt want, a true tonic supplying iron in an easily digested and assimilated form. A true health builder in every sense of the word."

Dr. Schuyler C. Jaques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, New York, was also asked what he thought of Nuxated Iron. In reply Dr. Jaques said: "I have never before given out any medical information or advice, or published as I ordinarily do not believe in it. But in the case of Nuxated Iron I feel it my duty not to mention it. I have taken it myself and given it to my patients with most surprising and satisfactory results. And those who wish quickly to increase their vigor and strength, power and endurance will find it a most remarkable and wonderfully effective remedy."

The next to be consulted was Dr. Ferdinand King, a New York physician and Medical author, who said: "I have heard of Nuxated Iron in some respects I would go further. Dr. James has mentioned how foods lose their iron value by improper methods of cooking. In the most common foods of America, the starches, sugars, table syrups, candies, polished rice, white bread, soda crackers, biscuits, macaroni, spaghetti, tapioca, sago, farina, degenerated corn meal, no longer is iron to be found. Refining processes have removed the iron of Mother Earth from these impoverished foods and silly methods of home cooking, by throwing down the waste pipe the water in which our vegetables are cooked, have increased for another grade iron loss. Therefore, if you wish to preserve your youthful vim and vigor, your strength, power and endurance from iron deficiency in your food by using some form of organic iron—Nuxated Iron—just as you would use salt when your food has not enough salt."

NOTE—Nuxated Iron which is prescribed and recommended above by physicians in such a great variety of cases is not a patent medicine nor secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists and whose iron constituents are widely prescribed by eminent physicians everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black, upset the stomach, or on the contrary it is a most potent remedy in nearly all forms of indigestion, as well as for nervous, run-down conditions. The manufacturers have such great confidence in Nuxated Iron that they offer to forfeit \$100.00 to any charitable institution if they cannot take any man or woman under 60 who lacks iron and increase their strength 100 per cent or over in four weeks' time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. They also offer to refund your money if it does not at least double your strength and endurance in ten days' time. It is also guaranteed by the Sherman & McConnell Drug Co. and all good druggists.—Advertisement.

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