

BIG RECRUITING CAMPAIGN NOW ON

Business Men Boost Move to Send Employes to Front, Assuring Them of Positions When Service Ends.

A drive for 700 army recruits has been started by Captain James McKinley, of the Omaha recruiting station. The number is Nebraska's quota of the 70,000 men needed to fill all regiments to war strength under the president's recruit week proclamation.

Omaha business men have assured Captain McKinley that they will do everything possible to aid in the national campaign, which has been set by President Wilson from June 23 to 30, and is to be known as "recruiting week."

During the same period the army makes its drive, recruiting officers of the Sixth Nebraska regiment plan a campaign for 600 men to recruit the proposed Omaha battalion of that regiment to the required strength.

Omaha business men are backing both campaigns. It is the hope of the guard that a brigade of three regiments of Nebraskans may be formed to be taken into the army at the same time.

Gordon W. Wattles, of the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company, informed Captain McKinley that he would give preference to any of his men who enlisted upon their return from war and that they would also retain their pension privileges. About 400 uniformed street car-men are subject to draft.

To Make Up Pay. The Guarantee Fund Life association through its president, J. C. Buffington, has promised not only to re-employ its employes who enlist, but during the period of the war service will each month make up the difference between government pay and the compensation they now receive.

M. R. Murphy, general manager of Cudahy Packing company, has informed his employes that upon returning from war their old positions will be open to them, and in fact wherever possible they will be given better ones and their names enrolled on the roll of honor for advancement whenever the opportunity occurs.

Omaha is expected to furnish 400 men between the ages of 18 and 45 to make up an Omaha battalion for Captains McKinley and Firth returned from a week's tour through Nebraska Saturday.

The Sixth Nebraska Volunteer regiment. Approximately 100 men have enlisted, and the big drive on recruits will start today. Twenty-eight companies in the state have applied for admission into the new regiment.

Eight towns have practically been decided upon. The four remaining infantry companies will come from Omaha.

During the big drive this week the slogan to be used was taken from Governor Neville's recruiting proclamation: "Join now, don't wait to be drafted."

Bohemians in Line. Bohemians of Omaha of military age are called upon to offer their services to the United States and not wait to be drafted, in a letter sent out by Philip A. Risch, cashier of the Western Paper company, and a leader of the young Bohemians of this city.

Mr. Risch has tendered his services to Governor Neville and is now organizing a company, largely of Bohemians for the Sixth. Gerald Duffy and Paul Coad are organizing a company of Irish lads for the same regiment. These two companies are expected to be mustered in with the Omaha battalion.

Fireman Seriously Hurt When Truck Hits Street Car. Fred Fitzpatrick and Al Clinchard, both members of fire truck company No. 4, were injured while responding to a fire at the Platter Lumber company, Forty-sixth and Farnam streets, Monday morning when their truck collided with a west bound street car at Thirty-eighth and Farnam. Fitzpatrick suffered a sprained hip and serious internal injuries, while Clinchard's arms were both badly lacerated.

Company No. 4 is located at Twenty-seventh and Jones streets. Dr. Callahan was called to care for the men.

Wedemeyer Family is Doing Its Bit for Nation. With the father of the family in the service as a commissioned officer in the quartermaster's corps, one son at West Point and another preparing to leave for Honolulu to serve Uncle Sam, the Wedemeyer family is doing its bit.

A. A. Wedemeyer is an officer in the quartermaster's corps and on June 10 his youngest son, Albert, left Omaha for West Point. Yesterday Frederick M. Wedemeyer, another son, enlisted in the Second infantry band, which is now at Honolulu. Mr. Wedemeyer, sr., was at one time leader of the band his son has joined.

Prussian Soldier Held For Unpatriotic Talk. John Grebert, who says he was formerly a soldier in the Prussian infantry, was arrested by United States Marshal Flynn on instructions from Washington. Grebert was arrested several weeks ago, but was released. He is charged with violation of Section 12 of the president's proclamation which deals with the activities of enemy aliens of the United States. He is alleged to have made speeches in South Omaha that were decidedly not patriotic. He is in the county jail.

Three men, Florentio Jasson, John Ras and Bessie Hardon, were arrested at Alliance for failure to register.

STORE HIDES AS PRICES ADVANCE

Account for Large Stock on Hand on Ground that Tanners Refuse the Long-Hair Product.

Omaha packers have been storing hides while the price of leather shoes and all other leather goods has soared to an almost prohibitive figure.

Packers admit that the number of hides on hand now is far above the average at this time of the year. The packers give various reasons for this condition.

Unusually heavy killing of cattle, refusal of tanners to buy the winter hides because of long hair on them and a possible combine among the tanners to force prices down are some of the reasons mentioned by the packers for the large number of hides on hand.

"My firm has about 50,000 hides on hand at present," said one packer. "This is about 10,000 more than usual. However, the number is about in proportion to the take-off, as the killing has been unusually heavy this season. They are being held in storage only the required time to cure them."

Another packer said: "The large number of hides in the cellars of the Omaha packers is due to the fact that the tanners and leather dealers are trying to buy them at about 5 cents below their real value."

Tanners Turn Bear. "These hides were put down on a certain basis and the sale of the beef was based on prices at which the hides were put down, which was reasonable at the time. While we have no conclusive proof, there was every indication that the tanners had 'got together,' as practically no bids could be obtained for a couple of months and bids received were usually 4 to 5 cents per pound less than previous sales."

"The result was that the packers had to hold the hides, notwithstanding that they offered to make concessions of 2 to 3 cents per pound. This question can be investigated and I will guarantee that these are practically the facts."

Regarding the storage of hides, H. O. Edwards, general manager of Swift & Co., said: "We have no more hides than usual in proportion to the take-off at this time of year. However, we have a good stock because the killing has been heavy and the tanners are slow in buying the long-hair winter hides, which are dirty, harder to handle and have a greater shrinkage than the short-hair hides."

F. E. Ames, sales manager for Morris & Co., said: "We don't deal in or store produce, and the cause for the high price of hides is the general war demand for leather in supplying harness; also the big demand for leather in the automobile industry. Storage has nothing to do with the price."

R. C. Howe, general manager of the Aurora Packing company, said: "We have 4,500 pounds of butter in storage—just on-fifth of a car, and 2,527 pounds of poultry, and we would not have that much, only it is necessary to supply the local trade."

"Regarding the storage of hides, we are selling them as fast as they are taken off, with the exception of the late winter hides, which the tanners don't want on account of long hair, dirt and shrinkage."

Six More Gasoline Drivers Arrive in Omaha for Races. Six more gasoline speed demons arrived in Omaha today. They are Baby Pete Henderson and Tommy Milton of the Duesenberg team, Omaha Toft, who pilots the Omar Special; Andy Burt, who drives the Erbes Special; Jerry Mason, who tools an Ogden, and Billy Taylor, whose mount is the Newman Special.

Andy Burt is a new entry. His entry arrived in the mail this morning and Andy Breezed in a few minutes later.

Jerry Mason will drive the Ogren instead of Otto Henning. It was first thought Henning would pilot the Ogren, but a change was made. Henning may drive one of the Mercers. Henderson and Milton were accompanied by their mechanics, Ed Miller and Kurt Hitke, and expect to get out on the track within a day or two.

The Hudson crew also arrived today. Jack Gable, Harry McGrath and Barney Newgaard make up the crew.

Billy Taylor's arrival was a surprise. Taylor has not signed an entry blank for the local race, but he blew in this morning unannounced and brought his car with him. He hasn't signed yet, but it is presumed he will do so.

Blind Man Has Rent Money Stolen Out of His Hand. "I done had three dollars and six bits in mah hand waiting to pay the rent so the old women would not have to come in from the kitchen, judge, and Waters said to me, 'Let me look at that money.' I let him have it and he didn't come back." This was the story told by John Williams and his wife, colored, 1506 Webster street, in police court this morning. Williams is entirely blind and his wife has lost the use of one eye.

Clifford Waters, 919 North Twenty-second street, accused of the theft, testified the money was given him to buy liquor. He was fined \$20 and costs.

Another Complaint About The Willow Slough Dump. Complaint has been made to the city commissioners against a city dumping establishment along Willow slough, northeast of Carter lake and close to the new lakeside driveway. Cottagers along the lake state that the dump is frequently afire and that noxious smoke fumes detract from their interest in life. The drainage from this dump is said to be contaminating Carter lake.

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Do You Believe in Me? H. M. THOMAS, Manager Strand

CHICAGO COUNTESS' SHATTERED ROMANCE—In a Chicago court Countess Gizycka, formerly Miss Eleanor Medill Patterson, told a story of neglect and unhappiness on the lonesome estate of her husband, Count Joseph Gizycka, that decided Judge Charles M. Thompson to grant her a divorce. She married the count in Washington in 1904.



COUNTESS GIZYCKA & DAUGHTER.

CHURCH SERVICES AMONG THE TREES

Unitarians Meet in Elmwood Park, Where the Annual Church Dinner Precedes the Sermon.

In a grassy natural amphitheater in Elmwood park, the congregation of the First Unitarian church held an outdoor services Sunday between sundown and dark. Henry Cox played a cornet solo and also played the accompaniment for the hymns. Miss Hazel Evans sang a solo.

"A Healthy Religion" was the subject of the sermon by Rev. Robert F. Leavens, the pastor. "Jesus Christ was a church-going man," said Rev. Mr. Leavens. "It is written 'On the Sabbath He went, as was His custom, into the synagogue.' But during all the days of the week, Jesus taught and preached in nature's cathedrals, by the shores of the lake, on the banks of the river, in the vineyard, in the wilderness."

"His words were full of illustrations drawn from nature. He speaks of the birds, of the air, the lilies of the field, the grain of mustard seed, the sower and the seed which must be put into the ground and die before it can produce the best that is in it."

"Jesus was a man who joyed in nature. There must have been a wonderful sunlight in His own nature. If there wasn't why did the people flock in multitudes to see and hear Him?"

"Getting close to nature is not the whole substance of getting close to God. Many things are done in beautiful surroundings on Sunday that do not make for the good of the people. But a solemn communion with God in the beautiful surroundings that God has given us constitutes the most perfect way to worship and praise Him."

"Learn from these strong and graceful trees the true strength and symmetry of the Christian life. Learn from the songs of these birds, the songs that are always in the heart of a true Christian. Learn from the sunshine the light and joy of a Christian life. Learn through all nature the great secret of nature and of the universe and of eternity and of your own development. That secret is growth."

There was just enough daylight left when the last hymn was sung to allow the words to be distinguished. And this hymn, like the rest of the service, was in accord with the surroundings. It was "Abide With Me, Fast Falls the Eventide."

The services were preceded by the annual church dinner of the congregation.

NEBRASKA PIONEER DIES AT BENSON HOME.



FRANK J. BEEICK.

Frank J. Beeick, aged 68 years, a pioneer resident of Nebraska, passed away Saturday at the Nicholas Senn hospital, after an illness of several months. He was born in Berlin, Germany, November 22, 1849, and at the age of 6 years came to America with his parents and one sister and a brother, locating at Omaha in 1856. The early years of his life were spent in freighting between Omaha and Columbus and other local points in Iowa and Nebraska. In 1874, at the age of 25 years, he took up farming, locating seven miles west of Benson, where he spent thirty-three years, retiring in October, 1907, when he and his mother moved to Benson, residing at 2610 North Fifty-seventh street, where he has since made his home. He is survived by one brother, Albert Bleich, of Elgin, S. D., and thirteen nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held from his home, 2610 North Fifty-seventh street, Benson, Tuesday at 2 p. m., with interment at Mount Hope cemetery.

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LASTING PEACE IS TO REST WITH GOD

Father Stagno Predicts Continuation of Struggles Until World Listen to the Holy Spirit.

"So long as the world refuses to listen to the voice of Christ through the lips of His successor here on earth, there will be war," said Rev. Michael Stagno, Sunday in a sermon at St. Patrick's Catholic church.

"On account of his fidelity to Christ, Peter was made the head of the apostles and the visible head of the church. Christ promised Peter that he would be the rock upon which the church would be founded, and because of his faith in the Son of God, he would be the earthly vicar of Christ," said Father Stagno.

"He that hears you hears Me, and he that despises you despises Me," said our Lord to Peter, and yet when the potentates of this earth sought to establish world peace, they would not even consider the visible head of the church, the vicar of the Prince of Peace, as a party to their councils. He was refused a seat in their conferences, and because they despised God by dismissing His successor and the head of His church, all have learned the horrors of war."

God Only Can Legislate. Father Stagno pointed to the fact that it was Pope St. Leo, who saved Italy from Attila, king of the Huns, and that Nicholas V mediated often between Germany, Hungary and Italy. He reminded his parishioners how Leo XIII was chosen as arbiter between Spain and Germany in their dispute over the Carolinas.

"Popes as far back as the year 440 and down to the present day have served as the apostles of peace," said Father Stagno. "Man must be guided in his relations to other men, not by a human law, but by something super-human."

"God Himself is the only being who can effectually legislate for his creatures and this he does through our holy father, the pope."

Dr. Ferdinand King, New York physician and Medical Author Says: EVERY WOMAN EVERY MOTHER EVERY DAUGHTER NEEDS IRON AT TIMES

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NOTE: NUXATED IRON recommended above by Dr. Ferdinand King can be obtained from any good druggist with an absolute guarantee of success or money refunded. It is dispensed in this city by Sherman & McConnell Drug Store and all good druggists.

BOY SCOUTS MAKE TALKS IN CHURCHES

Young Men Appeal for Red Cross Funds in Windup of Great Campaign Over the City.

Boy Scouts made more than twenty talks on Red Cross work at churches Sunday. At All Saints' church, following an appeal for subscriptions by Gordon McAuley of Troop No. 9, more than \$300 was raised.

Scouts will continue their work until 5:30 o'clock this evening. Executive Scout English says that a number probably will be kept busy the remainder of the week calling at homes where persons were out when Scouts made their first call. This latter work will not be handled through the Scout office, but through the Red Cross local chapter headquarters.

H. Carlberg, Troop No. 31, is leading Scouts with the number of pledges turned in so far. His total is 121. Gordon McAuley is second with 109 and William Howard with 91. In the total number of pledges turned in by troops, Troop No. 9 is far in the lead with 511. Troop No. 31 is second with 362 and Troop No. 10 with 218. Other troops in the order of the number of pledges turned in are: Troop No. 1, 166; Troop No. 6, 161; Troop No. 7, 154, and Troop No. 8, 144.

Labored All Night and Caught Nothing, Text of Father Rigge

"We have labored all the night and have caught nothing," was the text chosen by Father William F. Rigge for his sermon yesterday at St. John's Catholic church. He likened man's position to his enemies to God's position to human beings, when they are inimical to Him, or in the state of mortal sin.

Eastern Trips via the NORTH WESTERN LINE. These fares are for round trip tickets from Omaha, on sale daily June 1st to Sept. 30th with return limit of 60 days from date of sale, but not to exceed Oct. 31, 1917 and provide for liberal stopovers en route. Fares from adjacent points are correspondingly low. Circuit Tour Fares: NEW YORK, one way via Buffalo, the other via Washington, \$58.50 to \$62.10; BOSTON, one way via Montreal, the other via Buffalo, \$57.50 to \$64.10; BOSTON, one way via Buffalo and Albany, the other via New York, and Washington, \$64.65 to \$69.15. Direct Route Fares: Alexandria Bay, N. Y., \$45.45 to \$46.95; Bar Harbor, Me., \$59.90 to \$62.81; Boston, Mass., \$54.80 to \$59.10; Buffalo, N. Y., \$50.90 to \$42.41; Burlington, Vt., \$50.90 to \$51.50; Chautauque Lake Points (N.Y.), \$41.10 to \$41.10; Detroit, Mich., \$35.10 to \$35.10; Halifax, N. S., \$61.60 to \$63.91; Montreal, Que., \$45.20 to \$55.51; New York, N. Y., \$55.80 to \$59.10; Niagara Falls, N. Y., \$42.41 to \$42.41; Portland, Me., \$52.80 to \$59.10; Portsmouth, N. H., \$52.90 to \$55.21; St. John, N. B., \$56.00 to \$59.61; Saratoga Springs, N. Y., \$49.15 to \$51.50; Toronto, Ont., \$40.10 to \$42.41. Let our experienced representatives arrange all details of your trip. It will save your time. It will relieve you of all the petty things incident to railway travel. 7 DAILY TRAINS Excellent Double Track All-Steel Equipment Automatic Safety Signals CHICAGO & NORTH WESTERN RY. For tickets, reservations and full information—Phone Douglas 2740 or write or call on us at 1401-1403 Farnam St., Omaha.

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