

Brief City News

Have Boots Print It—New season dress Metal dies, pressaw'k. Jubilee Mfg. Co. Elec. Fans. \$7.50—Burgess-Granden. Platinum Wedding Rings—Edholm. Try the noonday 35-cent luncheon at the Empress Garden, amidst pleasant surroundings, music and entertainment.—Advertisement.

Is Given Freedom—Judge Day, sitting in divorce court, freed Elizabeth Walker from Charles M. Walker. To Colorado for Vacation—C. B. Brown and family expect to leave July 4 for Colorado for a vacation trip.

Files Divorce Petition—Julia Cox is suing Vernon Cox for divorce in district court on grounds of alleged non-support.

Employees Subscribe \$585—Western meetings and all chairmen of comstate as soon as supplies arrive from national headquarters.

Goes on Vacation—Mrs. Abe Liebowitz and little son have gone to St. Joseph and Kansas City to visit relatives for a short vacation.

Files Bankruptcy Petition—Earl C. Griffin of Humphrey filed a petition in bankruptcy in federal court. His assets are \$750 and his liabilities \$1,472.

Charges Desertion—George L. Hall, suing Emma May Hall for divorce in district court, alleges desertion. They were married in Philadelphia February 19, 1901.

C. E. Reese Is Convalescing—C. E. Reese is convalescing in the hospital and is said to be doing as well as might be expected since his operation of some ten days ago.

Miss Mattson Back at Her Desk—Miss Gertrude M. Mattson, cashier of the Riggs Optical company, is again at her desk after an absence of five weeks on account of sickness.

Mrs. Druesedow Leaves Hospital—Mrs. Robert C. Druesedow has left the hospital after spending several days there following a slight operation. She was taken to her home on Georgia avenue and is getting along nicely.

Turn in Lemonade Proceeds—Three little girls handed in \$3 in pennies and nickels and dimes to Treasurer A. L. Reed, explaining they had made it at their lemonade stand in Dundee for the Red Cross.

Murry Buys New Home—P. P. Murry, chief clerk of the traffic bureau of the Commercial club, bought a new eight-room house at 1919 Binyon street of Charles W. Martin. The consideration was \$3,000. Mr. Murry with his mother and sister will move to this new location.

Save Your Appetites For Speedway Races

"Don't eat a bite or buy a cigar before you go out to the speedway for the automobile races on the Fourth of July," says Mrs. Howard Baldrige and the fifty or more women and girls who are working hard as her assistants in getting the Red Cross concessions ready for that occasion. With the aid of Mogy Bernstein and Bert Le Bron, who have proved themselves model assistants, the women are preparing the booths for the sale of ice cream, sandwiches, cigars and chewing gum.

Three booths have been constructed, one inside the auto pit and two outside, where society girls with a chaperon for each ten will vend the eatables. Mrs. Charles T. Kountze has charge of the booth inside the auto circle. From this booth and the others the groups of seven or ten girls will work among the crowds selling their wares for the benefit of the Red Cross. That is why they are asking their friends and acquaintances to eat nothing at all before they go, so that they can buy more from the Red Cross booths when they get there. Any man who deliberately buys his cigars before he goes to the speedway the woman have promised to blackball.

H. C. L. Not Due to Freight Rates, Says Rail Official

Charles J. Lane, general freight agent of the Union Pacific, has figured out that railroad freight rates cut but little figure in the matter of the high cost of living.

As an illustration of his contention that the freight rate is one of the minor items in the cost of living, he cites the fact that the rate on a pound of beef, live weight, from North Platte, into Omaha, is but one-sixth of a cent a pound. The haul is 281 miles.

Taking up the freight that is applied in connection with wheat that eventually finds its way into bread, Mr. Lane in using Big Springs, Neb., as a basis for his argument, says that the rate per bushel into Omaha, a distance of 350 miles, is .092 cents per bushel. One bushel of wheat, ground into flour, Mr. Lane says will make sixty-five 10-cent loaves of bread. The freight on enough flour to make one of these loaves, Mr. Lane figures would amount to one-seventh of a cent. He, uses other illustrations, showing that the flour rate from Seattle, Wash., 2,000 miles, amounts to but two-fifths of a cent for enough to make a 10-cent loaf of bread.

Object to Jurisdiction Of Court in Their Suits

Attorneys for Election Commissioner Moorhead and Mayor Dahlman, members of the registration board for selective army conscription, have filed special appearances in district court objecting to the jurisdiction of the court in the suits brought against them by Anton Benda and Stanley Stephan.

Benda and Stephan sued the election commissioner and the mayor district court to compel them to change the countries of their birth on their registration cards from "Austria" to "Bohemia." They alleged registration officials wrote in "Austria" instead of "Bohemia," over their protests.

Election Commissioner Moorhead and Mayor Dahlman contend they were acting for the United States government as members of the registration board, and therefore could not be sued in district court.

To Give Dinner-Dance In New Planning Mill

A dinner, a party and a dance combined will be given Saturday night by the Drake Realty Construction company in the new completed addition to the company's planning mill at Forty-first and Leavenworth streets. All the employees of the mill have been invited to this affair. At least 150 are expected. The new section of the mill will soon be ready to operate, as the structure is completed and the roof is being tarred now.

Persistent Advertising is the Road to Success.

NEW POLICE MACHINE GUN—Here is shown a new type of machine gun recently tested by New York policemen. The weapon can be attached to the rear of an automobile or other fast-moving vehicle and rapidly rushed to any point where danger threatens. It is both deadly and accurate and will, it is believed, prove a valuable acquisition to the department's equipment.



NEW POLICE MACHINE GUN

Heads Local Committee of the Commercial Club on Food Supply

T. F. Sturgess, editor of the Twentieth Century Farmer, has been appointed chairman of a special commercial club committee on food administration. The appointments are made by C. C. George, chairman of the executive committee of the Commercial club.

The full food administration committee appointed by Mr. George is as follows: T. F. Sturgess, chairman; A. C. Arend, Dr. B. W. Christie, W. H. Clarke, Ward Hildreth, G. W. Holdrege, R. C. Young, John L. Kennedy, J. I. Negley, S. M. Rosewater, W. H. Schellberg and W. E. Tagg.

The purpose of the committee is to co-operate locally with the program that is now being conducted nationally by Food Administrator Hoover. The meeting will be subject to the call of Chairman Sturgess.



Thomas F. Sturgess

TWO NEW COMPANIES FOR SIXTH NEBRASKA

Names Announced to Fill Up the Officers' List in the New Omaha Organization.

Two remaining companies to complete Omaha's battalion in the Sixth Nebraska volunteers have been designated by Major W. E. Steele of the general staff following a conference with the men interested in the Omaha organization. Officers for the new companies announced by Major Steele are Clint Brome, captain; W. D. McHugh, son of Judge McHugh, second lieutenant; Frank Whipperman, captain; George A. Benjamin, second lieutenant.

This completes Omaha's battalion. In addition to the four companies of infantry Omaha will also furnish a band, headed by Chief Musician Robert J. Webb.

Captain Brome is a graduate of Creighton college and a member of the Douglas County Bar association. He is a former National Guard officer, having served with Company I of the Second Nebraska regiment. His lieutenant, McHugh, jr., served with the Fourth Nebraska regiment on the border.

For two years he was a member of the famous Black Horse troop at Culver military academy. Captain Whipperman, head of the Omaha Concrete Stone company and president of the Midwest Concrete Users association, has secured most of his men from the north side. When the Third Nebraska volunteers was called to the colors Captain Whipperman enlisted with Company G of Wakefield and served during the war. His lieutenant is an employe of the smelting company.

Ministers to Preach On Food Conservation

Seven hundred and fifty-three ministers in Nebraska have been called up by the Bell Telephone company in the last few days and asked to preach sermons, Sunday, July 1, on the conservation of food.

This was done at the request of Herbert C. Hoover, national food administrator, who took this quick and practical way of reaching all the ministers in the United States.

Out of the 753 ministers called, only eighty-five declined to preach the sermon, most of them declining on the ground that they had little information on the subject. The Bell company has forwarded to Washington the results of its canvass of the ministers for the information of Mr. Hoover and the facilitating of further steps in this direction.

Two Sons of Farmer Burns Join Sixth Nebraska Band

Ray and Charlie Burns, sons of "Farmer" Burns, grand old man of the wrestling game, have enlisted in the Sixth Nebraska regiment now being organized.

Ray and Charlie are cornetists and have joined the band. Charlie has been made a first sergeant and Ray, a corporal. Ray is the oldest. He is 24 years old and Charlie is 22.

The "Farmer's" sons are sturdy young chaps, both are good wrestlers and should make good soldiers.

CACKLING HENS LEAD TO ARRESTS

Officer Wheelag Hears Noise in Auto and Finds Drivers of Machine Hidden in the Bushes.

Officer Wheelag, better known as the chief of police of Dundee, had his attention attracted to an automobile standing near the park in Dundee at 7 yesterday morning by the cackling of hens. On investigating he found the occupants of the automobile hidden under bushes growing in the park. Two men and two women were in the party. The men were arrested, but the women escaped while the men were being secured.

When brought to the station the men gave as their names Frank Hart, Enid, Okla., and Kent Dunlap, Wichita, Kan. The two women were later found in the rooms they occupy at Thirtieth and Pinkney streets. They gave as their names May Dwyer, alias Hart, alias Pipe and Helen Hale alias Mrs. Paul Ray.

Tell Different Stories.

When questioned as to their whereabouts all told different stories. Later they would admit that they had been lying and telling another. John Dunn, acting captain of the detectives, said: "I will admit that they are all lying, but we can do nothing with them until we trace the automobile they were driving, which I believe to be stolen. The fact that they have a Kansas and Nebraska license number both looks bad. Three dozen and eight chickens were found in the automobile, and if anybody had chickens stolen last night I wish they would come and identify them."

All, at one time, asserted that they had been living at 312 West Third street, Wichita, Kan., two weeks ago. Dunlap told that he had sent his wife to Kansas three days ago. The story they told most consistently was that they left here any time between 9 o'clock in the morning and 11 o'clock last night and went to Springfield, where they purchased the automobile. The engine, they say, stopped in Dundee and they went into the park to wait for it to cool. "I will gladly give a cigaret as a reward to anyone who can tell what they were doing from their story," said Dunn.

Mayor to Appoint Three Women to Attend Council

Presidents of Omaha woman's organizations have been in a quandary the last week over the appointment of delegates to the meeting at Lincoln Saturday of the Nebraska Council of Defense.

For the last three days they have watched their mail for instructions as to the appointment of delegates from their respective organizations. A few went so far as to select the delegates to be ready for the call when it came.

Finally when the postman failed to bring the expected letter, Mrs. A. L. Fernald, president of the Woman's club, telephoned the mayor to ask what she should do. Re-reading the letter he had received, he discovered that the delegates are to be state presidents of organizations and one delegate from each city, with the exception of Omaha, which will have three, to be appointed by the mayor.

Advertisement for 'Witching Hour' Chocolates, featuring an illustration of a witch and a box of chocolates.

Advertisement for Miller's Pains, featuring an illustration of a person in pain and the text 'FOR NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, NEURALGIA, DR. DAVIS' ANTI-HEADACHE'.

Advertisement for HOTEL PURITAN, featuring an illustration of the hotel and the text 'The Puritan is one of the most famous hotels in the world.' and 'HOTEL PURITAN, Corner of 16th and Douglas St., The Distinctive Boston House'.

Advertisement for 'How You Can Remove Every Trace of Hair' (Toilet Talks), featuring an illustration of a woman's face and the text 'A stiff paste made with some powdered delatone and water and spread on a hairy surface about 2 minutes will, when removed, take every trace of hair with it. The skin should then be washed to free it from the remaining delatone. No harm can result from this treatment, but be sure it is delatone you get and you will not be disappointed.—Adv.'

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. "EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Thursday, June 28, 1917. STORE NEWS FOR FRIDAY. Phone Douglas 137.

Friday in the DOWN STAIRS STORE

Advertisement for 'Trimmed White Hats at \$1.00', featuring multiple illustrations of women wearing various styles of hats.

Remarkable clearaway of Trimmed White Hats at \$1.00

IT'S a decisive clearaway, including large sailors, medium size and a variety of stylish, close-fitting hats. Made of milan braid and trimmed with flowers, feathers and ribbons; choice for Friday, at \$1.00. Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

- American prints, light and dark colors, at yard, 8 1/2c
Imported French voiles, 40 inches wide, Friday, yard, 17c
Staple dress ginghams, 27 inches wide, Friday, 12 1/2c
Wash goods, 27 inches wide, voiles, batistes, lawns, etc., yd., 9 1/2c
Men's 2-piece porous knit and balbriggan shirts and drawers 25c
Men's gauntlet canton flannel gloves, leather palm, pair, 25c
Men's athletic union suits, tropical cool cloth, for 59c
Men's knitted union suits, closed crotch, ecru color, 65c
Men's blue work shirts, double stitched collar, for 50c
Men's wash neckwear, tubular, reversible, panel stripes, 15c
Men's white and colored bordered handkerchiefs, full size, 5c
Women's summer dresses, sport and smock styles, at \$3.95
Women's sport skirts, sport stripes on white, at \$1.00
Children's dresses, ginghams, plaids, stripes, combinations, 59c
Women's sateen top petticoat, with silk ruffle, for \$1.95
Dress patterns of wash goods, 6-yard lengths, for \$1.15.
Women's auto hats, slightly mussed, Friday, choice, at 25c
Women's and children's handkerchiefs with colored borders, 3c
Sterling silver deposit sugar and cream sets, Friday, for 49c
Pearl beads, wax filled, barrel clasp, special, at 49c
Collar buttons, gold plated, sale price, Friday, 2 for 1c
Real linen torchon lace, also filet laces, at yard, 5c
Shadow val. laces, real cluny laces, etc., at yard, 10c
Swiss and nainsook embroidery edges, to 12 inches, yard, 10c
Embroidery on fine organdie, pink and blue edges, at yard, 5c
Cretone dresser scarfs, center pieces, all colors, braid trim'd, 19c
Package goods, including children's dresses, hats, coats, etc., at 1/2
Chinese slippers, hand embroidered in colors, at pair, 25c
Slightly soiled yarns, pink, blue, white, etc., skein, 9c
Embroidered pillow slips, in blue, yellow, green, rose, 48c
Children's ready-made dresses, stamped to embroider, 39c
Women's hose, black or white lisle, seamless, "seconds," pair, 12 1/2c
Women's union suits, fine white cotton, low neck, sleeveless, 35c
Women's and children's sample hosiery, cotton or lisle, pair, 23c
Women's voile or organdie waists, all sizes, Friday, each, 49c
Women's organdie and voile waists with attractive collars, 79c
Women's lace and embroidery trimmed voile waists, at 89c
Nottingham lace curtains, 36 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards long, 49c
Nottingham lace curtains, 40 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards long, pr., 98c
Colored voiles, 36 inches wide, for summer draperies, yard, 8c
White swiss with colored borders, edges trimmed, yard, 15c
Business envelopes, size 6 1/2, at 5c package, or 500 for 85c
Prayer books and testaments, greatly reduced, at 10c to 98c
Men's blue denim overalls, sizes 30 to 36 waist, at 59c
Boys' blue denim overalls, sizes 9 to 16 years, at 49c
Boys' wash pants, cool cloth, fancy tan mixtures, at \$1.25
Boys' wash pants, plain linen color, gray with stripe, at 50c
White mercerized poplin, 36 inches wide, 2 to 6 yards, at 19c
White madras for shirts, waists and blouses, 32-inch, at 19c
Table oil cloth, good grade, assortment of patterns, at 14c