OLDHAM TALKS OF LOYALTY TO NATION

Buffalo County Defense Council President Tells in What He Believes It Consists; No Twilight Zone.

Kearney, Neb., July 14.—(Special Telegram.)—The statement of the Nebraska Council of Defense, reflecting on the patriotism of German Lutherans of Nebraska, was taken to heart by the large settlements of German Lutherans, all American citizens, who reside in this county. They represent what is believed to be typical American citizens, a progressive element of community builders, loyal to the country to which they are indebted for their successes and ready to make the supreme sacrifice if called upon, by taking up arms against their mother

asked regarding the loyalty of members of the Lutheran church in Buffalo county in answer to a question whether any charges against citizens of that denomination had been made to members of the county replied:

Two Specific Instances. "Complaints have been in a few isolated cases of disloyal expressions from disloyal members of the Lutheran church and disloyal acts and expressions have been charged against

the governmen of the Untedt States.

"Since the representatives of the people of the United States in congress assembled, declared a state of war to exist between this government."

Perjury Trial Expected and the German empire, there has been left no twilight zone between loyalty and disloyalty to the great world conflict in which we are now engaged. There is no longer any

Either Patriot or Traitor. "Every man, woman and child in the United States is either a patriot or a traitor, and by their several acts, words and deeds they made their own classification. The foreign born citizens of this country have largely arrayed themselves in defense of the government. The meanest copper-haeds in the county are mostly of American and not foreign birth."

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State Fails to Obtain Henry Keller Property

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, July 14.—(Special.)—The state loses its case in its suit for possession of eighty acres of land in Adams county, the property of Henry Keller, diseased, according to an opinion of the supreme court, which affirms the decision of the Adams county, which had upheld the county court that Louis Keller, a brother of the diceased, was entitled to the estate. The state held that the property

had escheated to the public

Find Tubercular Cattle

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, July 14.—(Special.)—An
examination of the cattle at the Kearney tubercular hospital and the Hast-ings insane asylum by Dr. Anderson, state veterinarian, yesterday has disclosed that at the former institution eight cattle show tubercular symp-toms and at Hastings twenty-four give the same reaction.

Windstorm Does Heavy Damage South of Farnam

that thousands of dollars worth of with his certificate to show the aufarm property was destroyed by wind thorities. Ash is a grappler and pugilast night. Houses, barns, granasies, list with a carnival company, which windmills and implements were dam-aged. No one is reported injured and loss to live stock is considered small.

Farnam Citizens Give

Reception to Volunteers Farnam, Neb., July 14 .- It is estimated that between 600 and 700 people attended the reception given last night by the Farnam chourches for the boys in this vicinity, who volun-teered their services to the United States army and navy. Free ice cream and cake was served to all.

Lincoln Traction Wants

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, July 14.—(Special.)—The incoln Traction company, which has nade application to the State Railford application to be allowed to the state Railford and the state Railford application to be allowed to the state Railford and the state Railford application to be allowed to the state Railford application to be allowed to the state Railford application to the state Railford application at the armory Sunday Lincoln Traction company, which has made application to the State Railway commission to be allowed to charge a straight 5-cent fare instead of six for a quarter, hearing of which has been heard by the commission, it is understood will modify its appli-

annual report shows that he had on hand June 30 in the school fund \$24,-

yesterday at Seward.

The York County Red Cross chapter, at the close of business July 10, showed a total membership of 3,003 and a total membership fees of \$3,850.

The divorce case of Mary A. Duft her home here.

HOME FOLKS TO CARE FOR GUARD

Men of Fifth and Sixth Regiments Must "Board Around" in Small Towns During Mobilization.

Lincoln, Neb., July 14,—(Special Telegram.)—An officer from Fort Riley has been detailed by the War department to come to Nebraska and begin mustering in companies of the Sixth regiment, according to instructions received by Adjutant General Hall. He is expected to arrive in Lincoln Monday and will begin work probably the following day.

In mobilizing the companies of the Fifth and Sixth regiments, the War department has asked the people of the towns to assist as much as possible in housing the men from out of town. Members of the company liv ing in the cities will be allowed to sleep in their own homes, but on account of a lack of blankets, cots and other equipment, it will be neces-Judge W. D. Oldham, president of the County Council of Defense, when the government in husing the soldiers who live outside the home station.

The men will be allowed 75 cents per day for their meals, but it will be necessary for them to take them at restaurants because of a lock of cooking equipment. How far 75 cents will go these times everybody knows, consequently assistance from the home

folks will be necessary.

The companies of the Fifth will be twelve days at their home stations two ministers of this denomination, who reside in different portions of Buffalo county, but the very general the last few days will be "farewell the last few days will be "fa conduct and expression of the laity days" when the home folks may bid of this church in this county, has goodby to the boys, for when they been that of commendable fealty to reach the big mobilization camps

To Throw Light on Mystery Augora, Neb., July 14 .- (Special.) --An interesting sequel to the famous "Kronberg mystery," which held the center of the stage in county and district courts here for almost a year, is promised in a suit for perjury brought in the name of the nate of Nebraska against Fred Luff by Ros-coe R. Smith.

Luff was accused of having committed a muerderous assault upon Nels Nelson one night in October, 1914. Both are young unmarried men, who lived on a farm near the Hurricane Does Damage
In McCook and Vicinity
McCook, Neb., July 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Considerable damage was done in McCook and vicinity by a hurricane which passed over this section of the state last night about 10 o'clock, Part of the roof was torn off the Methodist church and the windows broken. The damage to the building is about \$1,000.

The high school building was damaged several hundred dollars and one section of the Burlington round house was unroofed. Many small buildings were wrecked and several large trees were blown down. Electric light and telephone wires were broken and the service interrupted to some extent.

Several farm houses were damaged and a number of barns were unroofed. Damage is also reported to grain and telephone wires were unroofed. Damage is also reported to grain and a content of the grain and the service of the county and the proposed marriage to her, and that the was, in fact, engaged to a Miss Mary Nelson of Council Bluffs at the time. He was bound over to the district court and acquitted after a warmly contested trial.

The perjury charge contains three counts, one based upon his alleged relations with Miss Nelson, one upon his denial of having proposed marriage to Miss Peterson and threat-ened her when refused, and one upon his denial of having proposed marriage to Miss Peterson and threat-ened her when refused, and one upon his denial of having proposed marriage to her, and that he was, in fact, engaged to a Miss Mary Nelson of Council Bluffs at the time. He was bound over to the distinct court and acquitted after a warmly contested trial.

his general disclaimer of any knowledge of the Nelson assault.

Mr. Smith, who signs the complaint on behalf of the state, assisted County Attorney Whitney in prosecuting

Luff has been working in Omaha for about a year past. He was brought to Aurora by Sheriff Howard Wednesday night, waived preliminary examination and was bound over to the district court, which convenes September 17. His father, Hans Luff, a retired farmer of Marquette, signed the bond for \$2,000.

At the conclusion of his former trial Luff filed a claim against the county for \$15,376 for false arrest, imprisonment and malicious prosecution. The claim has not been paid.

At the Hastings Asylum Notes From Beatrice

And Gage County Beatrice, Neb., July 14.—(Special.)
—Karl Geick, the young man who was arrested near Wymore on the charge of being a slackes, was taken to Lincoln yesterday, where he will be given a hearing before United States Commissioner Whitmore. Geick admits that he din not register, anr it is alleged that he left his home in Peoria, Ill., in order to escape the selective draft law.

Jack Ash, who was picked up here Thursday, suspected of having failed Farnam, Neb., July 14.—(Special Thursday, suspected of having failed to register, was released yesterday as south of Farnam this morning show his wife came from Superior, Neb., has been playing at Superior.

A demonstration and picnic will be given Company F in Furnace park at Wymore, Sunday afternoon. The new recruits from Sterling, Adams, De Witt and Corrland, with a band from each town, will meet in front of the Paddock hotel in this city Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and go to Wymore in automobiles. A picnic dinner will be served at 2 o'clock and patriotic addresses will be delivered by Captain Frank Crawford, Adam McMullen and A. D. McCandless.

August Emgler of the Lewiston vicinity died yesterday morning, from Five-Cent Fare for Time days ago. He was 62 years old and leaves three children, his wife having

will mobilize at the armory Sunday morning, after which they will march to Chautauqua park, where they will go into camp for twelve days.

Cation Monday by putting in a petition for a temporary restoration of the old 5-cent rate.

News Notes From York.

York, Neb., July 14.—(Special.)—
Addie R. Warnick has filed suit for divorce against her husband, William H. Warnick.

County Treasurer Metz in his semiannual report shows that he had on peace for a perio of one year. peace for a perio of one year.

928.37, and that he had on hand and in banks, all funds, \$83,877.14.

Harry C. Foster and Miss Mabelle granted certain lands and a decree of H. Culver of this city were married yesterday at Seward.

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The discrete and Miss Madell granted certain lands and a decree of divorce and the custody of LeRoy, the youngest child. Ethel B., a daughter, was given into the care of the plaintiff. Mr. and Mrs. Duff were married in 1896. The defendant resides in Custer country and the plaintiff makes

Nebraska Regents Will "Pass" This Time, But Keep Eyes Open

Lincoln, July 14 .- Indications to- versity and state official circles today night were that the Board of Regents There was a noticeable tendency of the University of Nebraska would toward the personal and some of the not at this time take action to remove assertions were of political nature, but university professors charged by the the generally expressed opinion was Nebraska State Council of Defense that conditions justified the council's with disloyalty to America in the war action.
and with having shown partiality for Prof. M. M. Fogg, teacher of jour-

It was made known, however, that summer school students at convocathe regents would henceforth be quick tion, urged all elements at the univer-A storm of discussion, statements, university.

Hastings Bar Association

Hastings, Neb., July 14.—(Special she will accept. Telegram.)—The Adams County Bar association last night gave a farewell Freight Rate Hearing banquet for John A. Lawler and E. E. Donelly, Hastings lawyers who have entered military service. The former has accepted appointment as judge advocate general of the Nebraska National Guard, and the latter as a the carriers for a fifteen per cent raise member of Company G, Fifth regi- in freight rates, has been postponed ment, has been recommended for the sixty days. officers reserve corps.

Judge Duncan presided as toastmaster and addresses were delivered by R. M. Tibbets, W. R. Burton and Judge Dorsey all on patriotic themes.

Dr. Olga Stastny Accepts Place on Committee

Lincoln, July 14 .- (Special.) - Dr. the woman's auxilliary as chairman it was learned oday. One white man stenographer has been given the place of the special naturalization commit-

held to an accounting for passivity ters now." Loyalty to the country, he that tends to give aid to Germany as said, demands "there shall be team work for the common cause at this

tee which will be comprised of women Bids Soldier-Lawyers Goodby the secretary, Miss Annie Miller, that

Railway commission on application of

The hearing was set some time ago for July 16, but the commission has deemed it best to set the hearing now for September 16.

Ten East St. Louis Men

Olga Stastny of Omaha, who was selected by the executive committee of investigating the race rioting July 2, \$125 a month and Miss Tillie Eppens,

of different nationalities, has notified

Put Off Sixty Days Lincoln, July 14.—(Special.)—The freight rate hearing before the State

Charged With Murder

STORM KILLS ONE

denials and denunciations swept uni- Laborer Meets Death When Hurricane Sweeps Over Lincoln County, Wrecking Buildings.

North Platte, Neb., July 14 .- (Spenalism at the university, addressing cial Telegram.)-A hurricane killed one man and shattered the buildings to take cognizance of "treasonable ut-terances" and professors would be statement that "the facts are our mas-night. Large trees were uprooted and and exhibit halls at the city park last 300 telephone wires were put out of commission. Plate glass windows in the business section were broken, hay stacks and silos at the state farm were blown down and poultry was killed.

The wind demolished a small shack on the Henry Weil farm west of

Manuel Ramirz, a Mexican, aged 35, was killed by the falling boards while asleep. His brother was thrown several feet and slightly injured. Gardens and small frame buildings around the city were demolished and some damage was done by hail.

Banking Board Clerk Becomes Omaha Banker

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, July 14—(Special)—Joseph V. Johnson, chief clerk in the office of the State Banking Board has resigned his position to accept the assistant cashiership of an Omaha bank.

East St. Louis Ill., July 14.—Four white men and six negroes are charged with murder in mittimuses \$1200 a year has been promoted to the

AT NORTH PLATTE How Are You Fixed on Shirts?

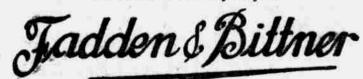
Our Semi-Annual SHIRT SALE Starts Monday, July 16th

All \$2.00 Shirts, \$1.45 — 3 for \$4.00 All \$2.50 Shirts, \$1.75 — 3 for \$5.00 All \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shirts, \$2.85-3 for \$8.50

All \$5.00 Silk Shirts, \$3.45 — 3 for \$10.00 All \$6.00 and \$6.50 Silk Shirts, \$4.65—3 for \$13.00 All \$7.50 and \$8.50 Silk Shirts, \$5.85-3 for \$16.00 All \$10.00 and \$12.00 Silk Shirts, \$7.85—3 for \$20.00

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One 22-inch Figured Yellow Silk Shade, \$6.50. One 20-inch Figured Yellow Silk Shade, \$5.50. One 18-inch Figured Chinese Silk Shade, \$15.00, for \$10.00. One 16-inch Figured Mulberry Silk Shade, \$18.00 for \$9. One 14-inch Mahogany Silk Shade, trimmings to match, \$7.

> Floor Standards, \$15.00 value, for \$7.50. Two Solid Mahogany Floor Standards, \$15.00 value, for \$10.00.

Two Black Enamel

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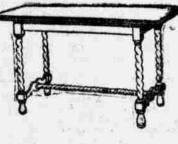
means more this year than ever before to those who eagerly seek choice pieces that are not everywhere available.

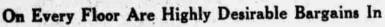
Unusually liberal reductions are here on every hand and the writer passing from floor to floor Saturday considered the items listed below worthy of special mention because of their extraordinary merit.



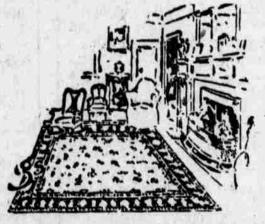








Fine Furniture



-- this Rug Sale

presents unusual opportunities for purchasing a standard rug at a generous dispatterns the weavers no longer manufacture on account of abnormal conditions are to be found in this sale in all sizes. See list below that indicates a few in room sizes:

\$59.50 Bundhar Wilton (wears like Special Remnants in Inlaid and Printed

Linoleums. Bring size of rooms.

Main Floor Right off the street where hundreds

of items are handy for inspection. \$50.00 Queen Anne Dresser, in brown mahogany\$37.50 \$33.00 Dressing Table to match..\$25 \$135 William and Mary Upholstered Sofa, blue velour \$69.50 \$90.00 Arm Chair to match. \$45.00 Adams' Combination Chair-Beds, values to \$60.00. \$22.50 \$57.50 Massive Colonial Serving Table,

Third Floor

Mostly Living Room Furniture \$21.00 Fumed Oak 36-inch Folding Top Combination Card-Library Table, Large Tapestry William and Mary Rockers\$22.50 \$44.00 Charles II Mahogany Desk, \$25 \$42.00 Old English Hall Mirror ... \$22 High Cane Back Arm Rocker, tapestry cushion seat, Charles II style, now \$70.00 Jacobean Oak Settee, denim up-

Arm Chair and Table to Match.

Fourth Floor Brass Beds, Mattresses, Springs, Reed Furniture for Porch and Sunroom.

\$28.00 Ivory Reed Magazine Rack, \$15 \$32.00 Ivory Reed Tea Wagon ... \$24 \$23.50 Ivory Reed Magazine Rack, now

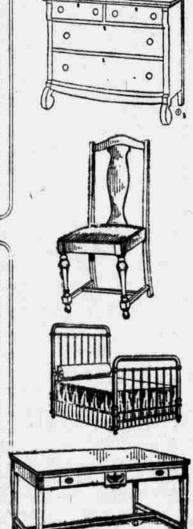
loose cushion, cretonne upholstery-full size, for brass bed. \$48.75
Full Size Brass Bed. \$8.75
Many other wonderful values in full

Fifth Floor

size brass beds.

Bedroom and Dining Room Furniture \$22.00 American Walnut Dressing \$35.00 Fumed Oak William and Mary Fumed Oak Dining Tables, specially priced at— \$12.50. \$17.50. \$21. \$26 Rich Mahogany Poster Beds, on sale.

at\$25.00





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serole, Pudding Dish, Mixing Bowl, six Custard Cups; regular \$1.50 set for 69¢ 2-qt. Sanitary Water Cooler 496 Special Demonstration of a Complete Electric Laundry Plant that can be installed in your home at a surprisingly moderate cost.

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