HOW OMAHANS LOOK New Manager for General UPON PROHIBITION

### Are Greatly Interested in Wednesday Meeting of U. S. Senate on Outcome of Liquor Vote.

Omaha anti-saloon men and women are much interested in the press dispatches announcing that the United States senate is to vote next Wednesday on the national, prohibition amendment.

Attorney Elmer 'E. Thomas, who has long been identified with the fight against saloons, and who last fall managed the prohibition campaign in Douglas county, said:

"In my judgment, if they can get the amendment through congress it probably will be ratified by threefourths of the state legislatures necessary to make it effective. "If they had got around to it soon-

er and had passed it last year, we might be well on the way to having it ratified. Last winter we had thirtytwo dry legislatures in the country, and we needed only thirty-six. We in the next few years.

### Expects a Joker.

"As I understand it now, though, General Film company of this city, they have a rider of some kind at- when E. R. Pierson was manager. He tached, which makes it necessary that went to Denver as a salesman for the the three-fourths of the states ratify it within six years, or it falls of its own weight. Ordinarily the ratifica-tion of a constitutional amendment by "Of course, this means that we will connected with the Mutual Film cor-poration and then returned to the Gen-

have to work hard to get dry legisla- eral Film company. He is well liked tures in the various states for the next among exhibitors. session and for several sessions, probably until we obtain the necessary three-fourths ratification. The National Anti-Saloon league undoubtedly will work hard all over the country to accomplish this. We will certainly make a fight here for a dry legislature in Nebraska in order to get the resolution ratified in this state."

Billy Crutchfield, manager of the Crutchfield & Bloomfield place, 1122 Capitol avenue, said with reference to the proposed national prohibition amendment!

### Crutchfield Is Doubtful.

"I am not well enough informed on to whether they can get away with it. I do feel, though, that if they don't pass that law soon and if they make it good and bone dry in Nebraska, it will be only a matter of a short time women since beginning of Red Cross transferred to the South Side at the when Nebraska will be a wet state

again. "A lot of people are in favor of beer and light wines and if they continue to tighten up, these fellows will begin to squawk. "As for us fellows, of course we will

amendment from passing. We cer- crawl in any box.

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Here's a Man Who Likes

# HAPPENINGS ON THE SOUTH SIDE **Government Agents Purchase** Large Number of Horses for Artillery and Cavalry

Work. The South Side Mule and Horse company has sold 460 horses to the United States government. Fiftytwo of these have been sent to El Paso, Tex., where they will be used

for the heavy artillery and eighty-nine to Sparta, Wis., for the light artillery, forty-six horses were shipped to Fort Riley, Kan., to be used in the cavalry. Government agents will take only

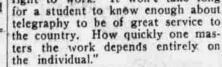
perfect animals. No gray horses and no mares are accepted. They must pass an examination as to weight, strength, height and endurance. The horses are all branded with the United States mark before they are shipped.

### **Class in Telegraphy at** Mr. Fred Solomon is now installed

Armour's Well Under Way as the manager of the local branch of and we needed only thirty-six. We might have worked hard enough to bring the necessary four over, at least in the next few years. The class in telegraphy which Ar-to pring the necessary four over, at least in the next few years. in it for the last six years. His first to war may serve their country in experience was as a booker with the that capacity is now well under way The instruments have arrived and excellent instructors have been ob-

tained. Some of the girls, anxious to receive instruction, have joined the class

R. C. Howe, general manager of Armour's said, "We mean to get right to work. It won't take long for a student to know enough about telegraphy to be of great service to



Police Captain H. Carey Has Long Service Record

Local Mercy Workers Pack Twenty-Three Boxes With **Hospital Supplies Ready** for Sending.

FRED SOLOMON.

Film Company in Omaha

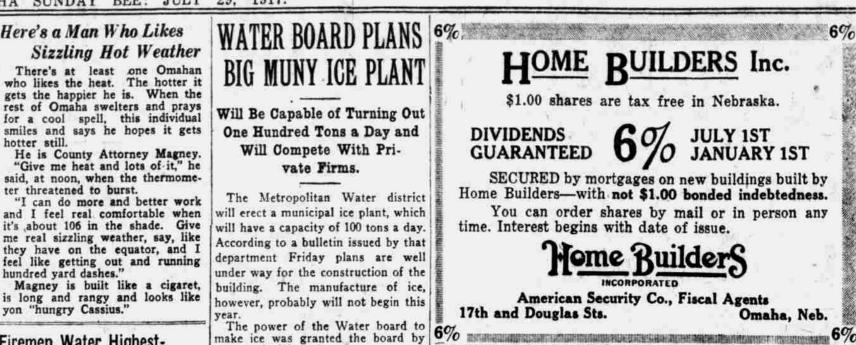
time, but he has been on the force Twenty-three big carefully made, continuously since 1906. He has a national politics to give an opinion as tightly packed boxes stand in the son, Leo, who has enlisted in the Red Cross packing room at the army W. Allen, who will be sergeant G. Baird Building. These boxes represent the work of scores of Omaha of the police force since 1908. He was

# work here in May. They contain time of the annexation. thousands of articles ranging in size Flag-Raising at Wheeler

Memorial Church Sunday As for us fellows, of course we will cent robes. All are neatly made, ac-work hard to get a wet legislature curately folded, firmly wrapped and the Wheeler Memorial church Sunhere, and they will do the same in other states to keep this national is no room for even a mouse to Up Our Banner." There will be a flag presentation and

but that rain was needed.

tainly will work hard here. "If they do pass it, though, and tighten up all over, there will be noth-ing to do but live up to the new regu-the new regu-ing to do but live up to the new regu-the new regu-the whole lot will be shipped. This the new regu-the new r



the last legislature.

"The cost of ice delivered in Omaha is now 45 cents per 100 pounds," the bulletin reads, "and there is every reason to believe that a material reduction in this charge can be obtained, eventually, through the construction and operation of a municipally-owned enterprise."

tel garden and when they noticed that The new plant will be constructed the excessive heat and hot winds of south and adjacent to the Poppleton yesterday were burning the \$9 potaavenue pumping station. Engineers and firemen of the pumping station toes responded with first aid. A line will serve both plants.

The municipal ice plant will be ca-pable of turning out 100 tons a day. It is said that it will compete with private firms, thus making ice cheaper to the consumer than at present.

### Moose Meet at St. Louis

Armstrong to Meet Winterble. Minneapolls, Minn., July 28.—Joseph J. Armstrong, St. Paul, will meet William Win-terble, Primgar, Ia., for the singles cham-pionship in the Northwestern Tennis associ-ation's tournament at Deephaven courts to-morrow. Armstrong defeated Henry Adams, 6-2, 6-4 and 6-2 in the semi-finals today, while Winterble won from Trafford Jayne, Winneapolis veteran by default Pittsburgh, July 28.—The biennial con-vention of the supreme lodge, Loyal Order of Moose today voted to hold the 1919 con-vention of the order in St. Louis.

The Most Likely Place in Omaha to Find a Brisk, Cool Breeze Where Is It?

JULY 1ST

**JANUARY 1ST** 

Omaha, Neb.

Bee Want Ads Produce Sure, Quick Results.



connected with the Mutual Film cor-**RED CROSS BOXES** 

AWAIT SHIPMENT Sergeant Carey, who will be cap-

tain of the South Side police force when Captain Briggs is called to serve in the machine gun company of the "Dandy Sixth," has been a member of the South Side force since 1902. He was off duty for a short

Firemen Water Highest-Priced Field of Potatoes Two hundred persons last night watched the watering of the highest-priced potatoes in the United States. Members of the fire department stationed in engine house No. 4 have be-

watered.

hotter still.

ter threatened to burst.

hundred yard dashes."

yon "hungry Cassius."

come interested in the Fontenelle ho-

Minneapolls veteran, by default.

lations. It's no good going to Canada or Mexico, for it is getting dry in some of those places, too. There are lots of places in Canada now where lots of places in Canada now where May. After much pondering on the the Republic. you can't get a drink of any descrip-tion. No, I've never been in Canada or Mexico, but I've got lots of boys here who have been, and I'm pretty well informed as to conditions there."

# British Wheat Acreage

## **Increased Six Per Cent**

London, July 28 .- In England and Wales the increased acreage in wheat, barley, oats and potatoes this year is 347,000 acres, or about 6 per cent according to the official returns published today, These figures do not include east. any allowance for the enormous efforts made by small growers regarding the results where of it is impossible to collect accurate figures. The official estimate is that "the

area of small cultivation has been quadrupled and this estimate probably is below the mark as the number of small vegetables gardeners in England plete the packing. and Wales has been increased by more than half a million and the displacement of flowers by vegetables Among them they raised \$144 out of has been general."

The figures published today conwhich stitute the first authoritative evidence chased nine complete outfits for inof the tremenduous agricultural efforts jured men. These outfits include which have been made throughout pajamas, hospital robes, a convalescent robe, handkerchiefs, a shoulder Great Britain.

scarf and similar articles. The con-The remarkable showing is attributed largely to the efforts of the war valescent robes are made of soft office in lending soldiers to work the blankets with light striped collars. land. Vaterland Ready for

## **Chandler Wants Many Aviators** Trained at Fort Omaha

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, July 28.-The big Ger-man steamer Vaterland, seized at New Washington, July 28 .- (Special Tel- York by the American government egram.)-Colonel Chandler, known in Omaha, when in charge of the will be ready for service shortly. Resignal corps at Fort Omaha, said to pairs to the ship have cost slightly Congressman Lobeck today that he less than \$1,000,000. More than half hoped Fort Omaha would be a great the German vessels taken over by the training camp for aviators, that con- United States have been repaired and tract had been let for housing 1,200 put on the seas. All those taken in and possibly 1,500 men, and new American continental ports will have plants were going to be built to solve been renaired in a few weeks. the problem of the air.

a result of investigations on Minneapolis Hotels Will both the eastern and western fronts in Europe by trained officers, Colonel Minneapolis, July 28.-Managers of twelve local hotels announced today Chandler said the hydrogen gas plant would be very largely augmented. Parts for the new plant being as-sembled in New York. that they will begin next week a pol-

## **Bakers Object to \$2** Minimum Price for Wheat

Washington, July 28 .- In a communication to congressional confer-ees on the food bill the war emergency council of the baking industry today gave notice that the \$2 minimum for wheat proposed by the bill will permit of no reduction the present price of bread.

The council urged that the price of wheat be left to the food administration and pointed out that only 5 per cent of the population of the United States was interested in a high price for wheat; 95 per cent was interested in a reasonable price for bread.

The council sees no immediate prospect for reduction in bread prices.

## Washington Youth First Accepted in New Army

Washington, July 27.- Harry Chapman Gilbert, 21 years old, son of a White House police guard, is the first man in the country to be accepted for service in the new na-tional army, having passed his phy-sical test and waived all claims for medicine ever made. I hope you will publish this letter for the benefit of others who suffer."

part of the women in charge it was decided that it should go for United Feed Prices Too High to States military relief in care of the Red Cross supply service, Chicago. The Omaha chapter is in the west-Shippers at the Omah market Friern division of the Red Cross which day from Pierce, Thurston and Bufreceives orders from the Chicago falo counties reported that the corn headquarters, hence the choice. crop in their sections of the state is

For "Allied Relief"

**U. S. Transport Service** 

**Have Meatless Days** 

will be stricken from the menus.

Charles Rutledge of Thurston county The alternative was that the hospital dressings and garments might said:

go to the department known as "Al-lied Relief" with headquarters in the coming season are not good. Hay and grain prices are too high." D. S. Pleak, who shipped from Oak-No information has come to workland. Ia., says that crops around there

good,

ers here in regard to the disposition of either class of relief. The boxes are exceptionally good. will be sent to the Chicago headquar-

Magie City Gossip. ters, since Omaha is in the western For Rent-5-room modern cottage. division. Mrs. O. C. Redick and Mrs. shades. 23d and H St. Telephone S. 2977. H. O. Edward. manager of Swift & Co., who has been very ill at the Nicholas Senn C. L. Burdick have worked until late

at night last week and Friday to comhosiptal, is recuperating. Telephone South 900 and order a case of Oma or Lactonade, the healthful, refreshing Home Beverages delivered to your residence. Omaha Beverage Co. One interesting box contains the contribution of the girls at M. E. Smith & Co. to the Red Cross fund.

Omaha Beverage Co. While John and Pete Gaughan, 2311 Q street, were at work Thursday, some one entered their residence and stole several things from their bedroom, Pete Gaughan had \$23 taken and John is minus four pint bottles of whisky and a watch and chain. The South Side Red Cross rooms at Library hall, Twenty-third and M streets, will open Monday, July 30. All women not already registered for Red Cross work are urged to identify themselves with some unit. Any information desired can be obtained by call-ing South 1567 or South 2577. Card of Thanks-We wish to thank sur the Red Cross society pur-

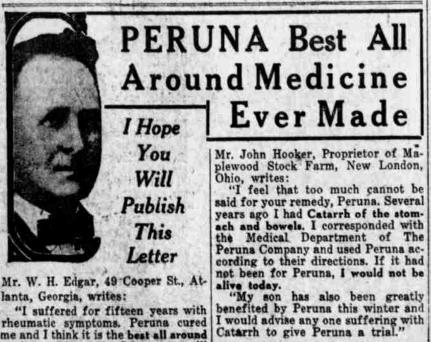
Card of Thanks-We wish to thank our kind friends and relatives, employes of Morris & Co. and the Omaha Fibre and Corrugated Box Co., the teachers and class-mates of the Jungman school, for their beautiful floral offerings at the loss of our belowed son and brother William-Mr. and William .- Mr. and beloved son and brother. Mrs. Jos. Prusha and family.

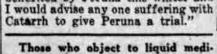
# "Get Knocked Cold." Advises

Boy to Perspiring Comrade Little Barney Drevich, the page boy at the Hotel Fontenelle, was talking to a "bell-hop" who was stealing a quiet rest in the hotel's service department, near an electric fan.

"Gosh, I'm so darn hot, I could sit here under this fan all day, if I didn't have to work," groaned the "bell-hop. "I sure am hot." hop, "I sure am hot." "Vell," answered Barney. "Better you should get up and did some of

that work, or the boss'll come along icy of serving no meat on two days an' knock you cold." each-week. Veal and fresh pork also Bee Want Ads produce results.





cines can procure Peruna Tablets.

