

# NEVILLE TO RESIGN AS GOVERNOR; TEN KILLED IN LONDON AIR RAID

## RESIDENTS OF BRITISH CAPITAL ARE LEARNING TO ACCEPT ATTACKS CALMLY

Hail of Bombs Brings Death and Destruction; Nurses and Wounded Soldiers Victims of Raid on British Hospitals Behind Lines in France.

**BULLETIN.**  
 Paris, Oct. 2.—The German city of Frankfurt-on-the-Main, Stuttgart, Treves and Coblenz, were bombed last night by French aviators in retaliation for German aerial attacks on French cities.

**AGAIN BOMBARD HOSPITALS.**  
 British Headquarters in France and Belgium, Oct. 2.—A German airman has dropped bombs on two hospitals behind the British lines. Three British nurses and some wounded soldiers were killed.

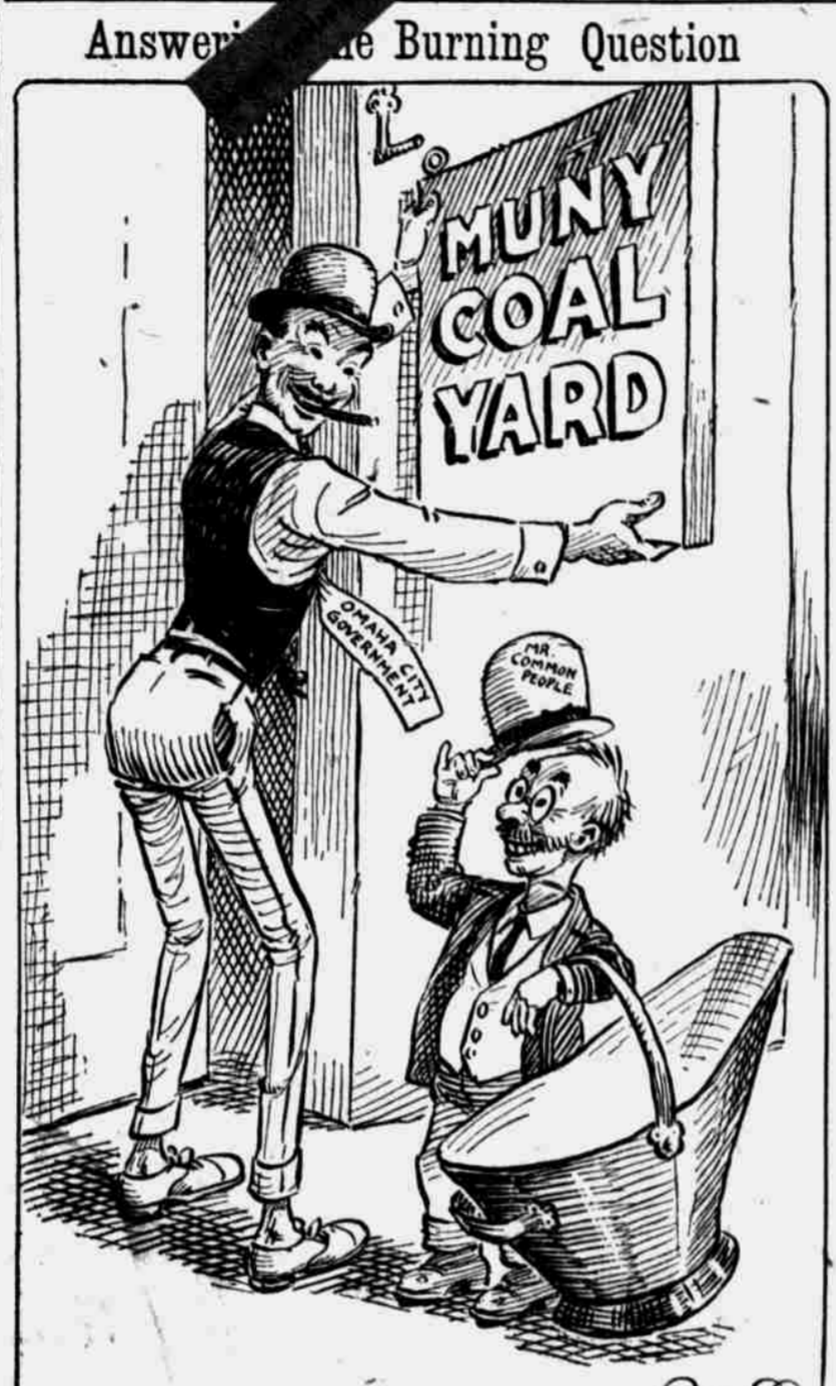
**STANDING STRAIN WELL.**  
 London, Oct. 2.—In last night's air raid ten persons were killed and thirty-eight injured.

## GERMANS RUSH HELP TO THE ITALIAN FRONT

Success of General Cadorna on Bainsizza Plateau Threatens Serious Rout for the Austrians.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Alarmed by the success of the Italian drive over the Bainsizza plateau, Germany is withdrawing large numbers of Austrian troops from France and from Galicia and Bukovina and rushing them to the Italian front to meet the renewed offensive of General Cadorna. Official dispatches received here from Rome today say the second phase of the great battle is about to open.

Petrograd, Oct. 2.—Russian advance detachments in the Riga region yesterday broke through the German lines and pushed forward for a distance of one mile, says the official statement issued today by the Russian war office.



## KING AK-SAR-BEN MAKES TRIUMPHAL ENTRY TONIGHT

Wearing Only Crown in World Unthreatened by Democracy, He Appears Before Subjects in Mighty Pageant.

"Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown," may in truth be said of European monarchs, but can not be said of King Ak-Sar-Ben XXIII, nor of his line of predecessors who have ruled over the kingdom of Quivera with gracefulness and kindness.

With a world at war, with Europe a veritable cataclysm of carnage and woe, King Ak-Sar-Ben sits upon his throne, "monarch of all he surveys," loved by hosts of loyal subjects who have journeyed to Omaha, the chief of the seven cities of Cibola to pay homage to their great ruler.

**Enter Kingdom Tonight.**  
 With his crown sitting steadily upon his head, the king will make his triumphant entry this evening in connection with a mighty electrical pageant appropriately entitled, "The Triumph of Democracy."

## SPEAKERS BEGIN TALKS BOOSTING BIG LOAN TODAY

Sale of Liberty Bonds to Be Pushed by Speakers in Theaters, Movies and Public Places.

Speakers for the second Liberty Loan drive will begin their four-minute talks in Omaha tonight on the streets, in the theaters, movie houses and other public places. A meeting of the committee on speakers was held yesterday. Mayor Dahlman announced that every city commissioner would canvass his department thoroughly to sell Liberty bonds.

John F. Flack, reported the building and loan companies well organized for the drive and announced that the big state-wide meeting of these organizations will be held at Hastings next week, at which time some decision will be reached as to how much the building and loan companies of the state will subscribe.

## Urges Buying Bonds

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E. C. Calvin found that he could not serve on the committee which is soliciting the big interstate corporations for subscription, and in his place G. H. Holdrege has been appointed.

Mr. Kennedy spoke also on the Liberty loan drive. "Don't think you are sacrificing anything when you lend the government your money," he said. "Don't balance pennies in the destinies of humanity are at stake. This war has shown us that character is a greater thing than coin and manhood more than money."

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Piper McLadd with his battery of bagpipes, marching up and down the hall entertained the club with Highland ditties. At the close of the luncheon the diners, standing, sang "God Save the King," in honor of their guest followed by the national hymn.

## Giant War Tax Bill Goes to President

Washington, Oct. 2.—Congress tonight sent the great war tax bill to the president for his signature, the senate following the example of the house and adopting the conference report without a record vote. The bill was in the making four months, and it levies more than two and a half billion dollars additional taxes.

## 3D CONTINGENT NATIONAL ARMY FORWARD TODAY

Indications Favor Immediate Examination of Remaining Seven Million Registered Men.

(By Associated Press.)  
 Washington, Oct. 2.—The third contingent of national army men will begin moving tomorrow to the sixteen cantonments, where approximately one-half of the 687,000 selected men called out by the president already have been mobilized. Quotas now ready to leave home vary greatly, ranging from 17 to 40 per cent of the full state quota, with a general average of between 20 and 25 per cent.

Modifications of previous quota plans was necessary because of the conditions at the cantonments and the availability of equipment.

**Deficit of Men Certain.**  
 Definite figures are still lacking as to the number of selected men to be transferred to the national guard aviation service, medical corps or other branches of the army that will have to be filled up to war strength. It is certain, however, that the men remaining at the camps will not be sufficient to fill the sixteen national army divisions to full strength.

Secretary Baker indicated today that no decision had been reached as to when a second call will be made. There are many deficiencies to be filled-up in the first draft, physical examination of the selected men by army doctors at the camps having resulted in many objections.

**Remainder May Be Examined.**  
 Decision of the war department on the suggestion that the remaining 7,000,000 registered men be examined immediately and classified for service in order that they may have knowledge of when to expect a call to the colors and arrange their affairs accordingly awaits action by congress on the war deficiency bill.

Secretary Baker said today that of some thirty-five governors who had been asked if they believed it was expedient to proceed with the examination of all registered men, only two had opposed the plan. Those who did so on the ground it would make too great a demand on the time of the examining boards, virtually all the members of which are serving without pay.

**Men Assemble Today.**  
 Three contingents of men from Douglas county selected for the national army will leave today for Camp Funston.

Men in the First and Second divisions will leave at 8:32 a. m. on the Missouri Pacific, by way of Kansas City. The quota from the Third division will leave at 10:55 this evening on the Burlington.

The First district men assembled at headquarters, Twenty-second and Ames avenue, at 2 p. m. Tuesday they were organized and received their first lessons in drilling from Henry F. Meyers, clerk of the board. Mr. Meyers was captain of the Indiana militia at Porto Rico during the Spanish-American war. He can get a bunch of raw recruits into shape in less time than anyone in Omaha, is the belief of all who have watched him.

The first division will be in charge of Hugh C. Robertson, as captain, on the way to Camp Funston. Mr. Robertson was exempted because he has a wife and child, but returned to the board and asked to be allowed to go. He is a well known attorney of Omaha and has had four years of military training at college.

**Guests of Mile Club.**  
 The men of the First district were at dinner last night at 7:30. The Commercial club had a committee there and presented them with cigars and cigarettes.

Wednesday at 6 a. m. the selected men will meet at the headquarters of the local board and take cars to Sixteenth and Farnam. They will be met by the Kilties band and the pipers will precede them to the station.

Third district men will assemble at the office of C. C. Redwood at 10 p. m. and march to the Burlington station. They will entrain at 10:55. Roll calls will be held at 10 a. m. and 5 p. m. in order that the necessary instructions may be given. Identification badges will be distributed at the headquarters in the Patterson block.

The Second district from the South Side will assemble at the city hall at 6:30 a. m. and take street cars for Omaha. They will join with the First district at Sixteenth and Farnam streets and march to the train accompanied by the Kilties band.

## EXECUTIVE WILL COMMAND 7TH GUARD REGIMENT

Appointment Is Made by Edgar Howard, Acting Governor, During Neville's Absence on Official Business at Washington; Confirms The Bee's Story; Formal Announcement.



Keith Neville GOVERNOR WHO BECOMES COLONEL.

## \$50,000,000 IN OPENING DRIVE LIBERTY LOAN

Expect Amount to Be Doubled Before Day Closes and an Average of \$125,000,000 Daily.

New York, Oct. 2.—Just how many millions of dollars were invested in Liberty bonds yesterday when the campaign for subscriptions to America's second war loan was launched in New York could not be learned early today, but is variously estimated at from \$25,000,000 to \$50,000,000.

**HALF IN NEW YORK.**  
 While a large oversubscription is hoped for, the campaign managers are taking no chances of a failure to place at least one-half of the \$3,000,000,000 issue in the New York federal reserve bank district.

Posters that both invite and demand subscriptions are everywhere and the network of committees, constituting a vast army of workers, are organized to carry the meaning of the loan into every home in the district.

**Officials Elated.**  
 Washington, Oct. 9.—Treasury officials were elated at the returns pouring in from all parts of the country indicating that the appeal to raise \$3,000,000,000 for the second Liberty loan is meeting with an enthusiastic response from the public.

Governor Keith Neville has accepted the colonelcy of the new Seventh Nebraska regiment and will go to the front.

He will resign as governor of Nebraska as soon as the Seventh is mustered into service, but until that time he will continue to serve as chief executive of the state.

Officers of the Seventh have been urging the governor to accept the leadership of the regiment and as this gave him an opportunity to carry out his desire to enlist in the nation's service he decided to accept.

**HOWARD'S APPOINTMENT.**  
 The governor's appointment as colonel of the Seventh was made by Lieutenant Governor Howard, while he was acting as governor, at the time Governor Neville was in Washington on official business.

Lieutenant Governor Howard will now become governor of Nebraska, through the regular order of succession.

"I shudder to think of becoming governor of Nebraska," is the way the lieutenant governor expressed himself some months ago, when The Bee called attention repeatedly to the possibility that the governor would resign to enter the army.

"I am tired of this job of being governor anyway," is what Governor Neville said several times to his close friends. "I would rather be in the army."

During the organization of the "Dandy Sixth," Governor Neville pondered long over accepting the colonelcy of that regiment, which, it was well understood, he could have had.

**Six Years at Military School.**  
 Governor Neville, who is 43 years old and the youngest governor in the United States, has had six years schooling at St. John's military school at Annapolis, having graduated there in 1905. While at the school he was recognized as a captain in the school regiment. He is known as one of the best rifle and shotgun shooters in Nebraska and has won a number of trophies at state shooting tournaments.

**Governor in Omaha.**  
 Governor Neville arrived in Omaha Tuesday afternoon to inspect his new command. He visited at the Ak-Sar-Ben carnival and upon his arrival at the gates of Omaha's festival grounds he was greeted by a colonel's salute of ten guns by members of the "Lucky Seventh" recruiting squad stationed there.

Local officers of the "Lucky Seventh" will endeavor to have the governor-colonel take command of the troops in the daylight parade Thursday afternoon.

Just how long it will be before the Seventh is mustered into service is not known, but as the regiment is rapidly being recruited to war strength, it is thought likely the time is not far ahead.

**GOVERNOR'S STATEMENT.**  
 Governor Neville made this statement:  
 "Responding to wishes, expressed by letter, of a majority of the total number of officers of the Seventh regiment that I accept the colonelcy, Governor Howard, during my absence from the state, issued me a commission as such.  
 "I believe that the government should in this emergency realize 100 per cent on the expenditures of past years for the training of men at military colleges and similar institutions maintained wholly or in part by the government as well as at the various schools, and since the written request

**Fire Destroys Valuable Foodstuff in Stockholm**  
 Stockholm, Oct. 2.—More than 2,000 tons of provisions, fodder, maize, oil cakes and other supplies were destroyed today by fire in storehouses near Stockholm. The loss, which amounts to more than one million crowns, will be felt severely, particularly as it probably will be impossible to replace these materials under the existing import restrictions.

## Laff and the World Laffs With You

And that's what Ak-Sar-Ben's for. And to be sure that everyone will enjoy their full measure of laffs THE BEE has arranged to project FREE Motion Pictures of BILLY WEST The Funniest Man on Earth

On the Farnam Street Side of THE NEBRASKA CLOTHING COMPANY BUILDING  
 Tuesday and Thursday Evenings between 8 and 9:30.  
 Wednesday, starting at 7:30.

## The Weather

For Nebraska: Fair; warmer.  
 Temperatures at Omaha Yesterday.

Hours.	Deg.
7 a. m.	55
8 a. m.	56
9 a. m.	56
10 a. m.	56
11 a. m.	57
12 m.	57
1 p. m.	57
2 p. m.	57
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## Bill Reaches Senate

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With few dissenting votes, it was ordered reported favorably. Leaders plan to bring it before the senate tomorrow and hope to secure its passage within two or three days.

## Two Brigadier General Assignments Announced

Washington, Oct. 2.—The following were among assignments of brigadier generals announced today at the War department.

General Lucien G. Berry, Sixth field artillery brigade, Camp Denham, Fort Sill, Okla.

General James A. Irons, One Hundred and Sixty-sixth depot brigade, Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash.

## Hard Coal Users Have a Hard Problem to Solve

Now it is the users of hard coal who are protesting, especially those householders who prefer the comfortable base burner for heating purposes.

Because eastern manufacturers can purchase hard coal for their furnaces cheaper than they can ship in the soft variety and because of the increased demand for fuel, there is only a limited quantity of anthracite being shipped out of the eastern fields. Consequently that class of citizens that has invested in base burners is apt

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## To Get Keys to City

The king will tarry in front of the city hall long enough to permit Mayor Dahlman to present his majesty with the keys to the city.

Thousands of people from the land of Quivera have journeyed hither in vehicles on rails and on rubber tires. It might be said that "all roads lead to Omaha," but that expression having been used last year in a similar connection, it will not be used this year.

After the king ensconces his royal embonpoint in a royal boudoir to subjects and on Thursday and during the remainder of the week will be

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