

Brief City News

Platinum Wedding Rings—Edholm. Lighting Fixtures—Burgess-Nash Co. Have Root Print It—New Beacon Press Metal Dies, Presswork—Jubilee Mfg Co. 35c Luncheon at Empress Garden. Collected at the Auditorium—During September the Auditorium receipts were \$525. Alleged Cruelty—Juergen Kroeger, suing Henrietta Kroeger for divorce in district court, alleges cruelty. Rummage Sale Thursday, October 11, at 5131 South Twenty-fourth street, for benefit of Social Settlements. Pioneers to Meet—The Douglas County Association of Pioneers will meet Thursday in the county commissioners' rooms at the court house. Carpenters to Buy Bonds—Carpenters' union No. 427, at a regular meeting Monday night, voted to invest from its treasury \$4,500 in Liberty bonds. Rally of Christian Laymen—Christian laymen of the Zion Baptist church will hold their fifth annual rally day Thursday, October 11th Rev. W. F. Bots, pastor. Farnam Street Opened—Farnam street at the Belt Line crossing, which has been closed for several weeks while the pavement was being covered, will be open this evening. Police Court Receipts—During September collections of fines, costs and bonds forfeited at central police station amounted to \$4,956, which was an unusual month's business. Announcement—The James Carr Electric company, who have the largest fixture display in Omaha, are discontinuing the fixture business because they find it impossible to secure new goods on account of the scarcity of material. They have been installing fixtures in the better class of homes. Here is a chance for someone to get real bargains in fixtures.—Adv. Fine Fireplace Goods at Sunderland's.

SOUTH SIDE

AUTO DEMOLISHED IN BAD COLLISION

Occupants Have Narrow Escape When Speeding Car Crashes Into the Automobile of Harry Rahm

Harry Rahm, La Platte, and a companion barely escaped death when an automobile in which they were riding overturned following a collision with another motor car. Rahm and the young woman were on their way home from a theater late Sunday night. Rahm started to turn at Twenty-fourth and Boulevard. Another car was coming down the street a block away, but before Rahm could turn his car around the racing machine overtook him and crashed into him. Rahm's car was tossed over like a feather. The young woman suffered contusions, but neither occupant was badly hurt. The car was completely demolished. The automobile that had done the damage did not stop; it continued its wild race south. One running board was ripped off of the car when it smashed into Rahm's car, and that is the only clue as to its identity. Rahm asserts that the car was being driven forty or fifty miles an hour.

Police Capture Drunk After Spirited Chase

Louis Jonscheit, Nineteenth and M streets, made a dash for freedom and jumped from the patrol wagon in which he and three other men arrested for drunkenness were being taken to the South Side police station Monday night. Officer Risk was out of the car and after the prisoner in a flash. Jonscheit fell down a high embankment. He rolled down about ten feet and landed in a pile of rubbish. He was knocked unconscious. The officers carried him to the patrol and took him to the police station. Dr. Allingham attended Jonscheit and ordered him taken to the South Side hospital. Tuesday morning Louis Jonscheit was fined \$10 and costs; Fren Jonscheit drew \$20 and costs; Alex Burness, 1722 Missouri avenue, host of the party, was fined \$10 and costs; Otto Welde, 4720 South Twentieth street, has frequented the police court so frequently that Police Judge Fitzgerald decided that it would be well for Otto to spend thirty days in the workhouse.

South Siders Think They See Car Line Extended

General Manager R. A. Blussler of the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company promised the city council committee of the whole to bring before his board of directors the matter of an extension from Albright, west on Harrison street to Fortieth street, or south from Thirty-sixth and Q streets to Harrison street. The city commissioners recommended the improvement and told members of the Giles Improvement club that it will be taken up next Monday, when a report will be expected from the traction company. The improvement club presented a petition with 1,327 signers.

Poland-China Awards Made.

Prizes for the champion Spotted Poland-China hogs were awarded at the National Swine show yesterday. George H. Kirkpatrick of Utica, O., acted as judge. The following exhibitors own the prize-winning porkers: A. S. Booco, Jeffersonville, O.; Bock and Shirk, Hempton, Ind.; J. D. Gates & Sons, Ravenwood, Mo.; E. R. McKeefe & Son, Ossian, Ind.; G. W. Reeves, Rushville, Ind.

Magie City Gossip.

Wanted—Two sales girls. Apply Wieg Brothers, 2408 N. 10th. Dr. Van Keuran has moved his office to 1823 1/2 South Twenty-fourth. Tel. No. 142. Telephone South 900 and order a case of Oms or Lactadon, the healthful, refreshing Home Beverage, delivered to your residence. Omaha Beverage Co. The Ladies' auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Elks will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Ratigan, 4208 South Twenty-sixth street, Wednesday evening. The Cornudo, recently organized by the young men of the Agnes parish, will give a card party and dance Thursday evening, October 11, at the Eagle home, Twenty-third and N streets. The Ladies' Aid society of the Grace Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. B. G. Smiley. Mrs. Smiley will meet the women at Thirty-sixth and Q streets at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Pacifists Abandon South Dakota Meeting Planned

Sioux Falls, S. D., Oct. 9.—Under a renewed threat of state officials today to prevent forcible meetings of pacifist organizations in South Dakota, leaders of the People's Council of America for democracy and peace precipitately abandoned plans for holding a state conference here Wednesday. William C. Rempfer, secretary of the state organization, however, in a statement scoring "Kaiser" Norbeck today, declared that the delegates would come here and hold a private meeting, at which future plans would be decided upon. The action of the pacifist leaders in abandoning the proposed meeting came after an announcement of Governor Peter Norbeck that every legal force of the state would be used to prevent the conference.

New England Treated With Soft Coal Shortage

Boston, Mass., Oct. 9.—James A. Storrow, fuel director of New England, told members of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts at a luncheon today that "more noise must be made at Washington" if New England is to get enough soft coal to keep its industries going.

Major Abbott Confers With Col.-Gov. Neville

Major Ray Abbott of the Seventh National Guard reserve left for Lincoln to confer with Governor Neville about military matters. It is whispered that in a few days there will be "big doings" in the ranks of the Seventh. Persistent Advertising Is the Road to Success.

Noted Speakers to Attend Women's Foreign Missionary Meeting

Delegates to the big annual convention of the Women's Foreign Missionary federation of the Methodist Episcopal church, which opens Wednesday at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist Episcopal church, are already arriving. Five hundred women, representing eight states, are expected to attend. The convention was last entertained in Omaha twenty-two years ago. Mrs. J. F. Boeye of Lincoln, the president, will be in charge of the workers' council, which opens Wednesday. The convention proper begins Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Special interest attaches to the report of Mrs. J. W. Fisher of Cleveland, chairman of the jubilee committee, which is raising a five-million-dollar fund to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of organization in 1919. Mrs. Fisher is a sister of Bishop Leonard and daughter of Dr. Leonard, who served as president of the church board for many years. Mrs. J. W. Bashford, wife of Bishop Bashford of China, and Mrs. Lucia Harrison of Pasadena, national superintendent of children's work, will also attend. Mrs. I. S. Leavitt has charge of local arrangements.



Mrs. J. F. Boeye

MANY WOMEN APPLY AS ELEVATOR CONS

Wives of Soldiers Apply for Positions in the Saunders-Kennedy Building Running Elevators. Thirty-eight women, young, middle aged, and aged, single and married, made application for the job of running the two elevators in the Saunders-Kennedy building Monday, in response to an advertisement for "ladies between 25 and 35, preferably married," to fill these places formerly occupied by men. "We have been flooded with applicants" said Alfred C. Kennedy manager of the building, "and they are still coming. Many of them are well dressed and intelligent women who under ordinary conditions would be the last to apply for such an occupation. One young woman told me that she was applying because her husband would be called in the next draft quota. Doubtless there are many others in the number who are up against the same proposition. The First National bank building has had a woman elevator conductor on night duty for some time. The Omaha National Bank building has had two women in training during the slack night shifts. "If the women can drive automobiles there is no reason why they can't run elevators," say the building managers.

SWINE GROWERS AT BANQUET BOARD

Sentiment Expressed Stockmen Willing to Do All in Their Power to Assist Country in Its Hour of Peril.

Members of the National Swine Growers' association held their second annual banquet in the exchange dining hall on the South Side Monday night. Two hundred exhibitors and other members of the organization and their wives attended. Due to the illness of President McCadden, who has become extremely hoarse through boosting for the Swine Show, E. C. Stone of Peoria, Ill., was toastmaster. As a conclusion to the program, President McCadden was introduced and spoke briefly notwithstanding his strained voice. He was greeted with a rising demonstration when his name was called. The swine growers are endeavoring to do all in their power to assist in relieving the meat shortage and all plans mentioned had this end in view. The plans of Food Administrator Hoover were heartily approved. E. Z. Russel of the Twentieth Century Farmer gave the principal address and explained briefly the plans as outlined by the food administrator for the upbuilding of the hog herds in this country and thus relieving the meat shortage in the world. He carefully explained the government's plan of insuring to every hog raiser a fair profit. Tagg Sees Shortage. "On the fifty-one live stock markets of the United States there is a shortage of 1,800,000 hogs since the first of the year," said W. B. Tagg, president of the National Live Stock Exchange. "During the month of August the decrease over last year was 800,000 head." He urged all breeders to increase their herds. He explained the so-called speculators in the Omaha yards and straightened out a misapprehension as to their mode of buying and selling live stock. N. M. Gordon of Chicago, who had charge of the student's judging contests, spoke briefly on what the future has in store for the swine grower. He is an ardent advocate of the boys' pig clubs and urged interesting the boys and young farmers in raising better swine. Robert J. Evans of Chicago spoke on the mission of the members of the swine growers' associations had before them. "We must enlist the aid of the 6,000 breeders of pure bred hogs," he said. Walter Head told of the interest the banker had in swine products. The Reese orchestra and Amphion quartet furnished music. President McCadden said: "Owing to the banquet of the association being held in the Exchange building last night and the complete space taken up by it, we were compelled to close the doors of the show to visitors. However, the doors will be open today and Wednesday for the convenience of those who were unable to attend during the previous days."

Welfare Board Reunites Many Warring Couples

Sixty out of seventy-six belligerent couples bent on obtaining divorces were reconciled and returned to their homes with the blessings of the Welfare board during nine months, according to the report of the family rehabilitation department at the meeting of the board Monday night. "In twelve other cases we have succeeded in securing a cessation of hostilities," said Mrs. Rose Ohaus, in charge of the department. A department for the parole and subsequent care of delinquent women brought into the police court was suggested. The final report of the municipal drying plants shows an income of \$111,700, with expenditures of \$91,940, leaving a balance on hand of \$19,760 in cash. The drying crates and fixtures valued at \$150, have been taken down and stored for next season. The dance hall at 3230 L street, operated by Pete Vorsnic, who was arrested and fined for selling intoxicating liquors on October 1, was unfavorably reported. The matter will be referred to the city commissioners as to the revocation of dance license.

Grand Secretary of English Free Masons Dies in London

London, Oct. 9.—Sir Edward Letchworth, grand secretary of English Free Masons, died in London today. He was 84 years old.

ENEMY PROPAGANDA OPPOSES CAMPAIGN

Pledge Card Campaign Stories Are Result of Activities of Enemies and False, Says Food Administrator.

"We have heard that the people of Nebraska are not patriotic," said State Food Administrator Wattles. "We are going to renounce that accusation when we get the returns of our food pledge campaign of October 21 to 28. Every effort will be made to get complete returns from the rural districts also, where we will have the school teachers working, sending cards home with the children to get them signed up. "The pledge is so planned that it adapts itself to the conditions in every home, and it is binding only in so far as circumstances in the home permit. "Pledging oneself to conserve foods does not mean that we will reduce so much the amounts of foods consumed, but that we will use the kinds which we can readily substitute for foods which are suitable to export. Those who sign the pledge will from time to time receive from the government literature containing recipes and directions for making nutritious and palatable dishes out of things they had not thought of using in that way before. The pledge involves no serious obligation to the government. Government Don't Want Food. "Someone has started the story that if you sign the card the government will then come and take your canned goods away from you, and all that kind of thing. That is the propaganda of the enemy and is not true. You simply pledge yourself to help as far as it is in your power by saving, and substituting in a large measure wholesome foods that cannot readily be exported for those which the government wants to export. A state-wide convention of the state food administration workers is called for Omaha Thursday-afternoon of this week. The meeting will be held either in the Brandeis theater or in the Hotel Fontenelle. All the state executive committee, the senatorial district chairmen, the county, township and precinct chairmen are to be here. Definite organization plans are being gone over for the food pledge card campaign.

Soldier Is Injured When Auto Plunges Into Stream

William Scott, 4112 Lafayette avenue, private in the Fourth Nebraska regiment, was badly cut about the face and shoulders Monday afternoon when an automobile he was driving dashed through the railing of a bridge near Elkhorn, Neb., and tossed him into the stream below. Mr. Scott was hurled clear of the car which made a complete revolution and alighted right side up across the creek which at this point is very narrow. Detectors Van Dusen and former Police Officer Pipkin found him and placed him aboard a train for Omaha.

Petty Larceny Charge Against Pioneer Dismissed

William Edwards, age 94, and a resident of Nebraska for sixty-three years, was arrested on complaint of an employe of Edwards' repair shop, charged with petit larceny. The complainant was a carpenter employed by Edwards and was alleged to have taken some lumber from the shop and had been discharged. He returned for his tools and was refused. Edwards was discharged in police court.

Danish Brotherhood Buys \$15,000 of Liberty Bonds

Supreme officers of the Danish Brotherhood are meeting this week at the Omaha headquarters in the Paxton block. The first resolution voted by the officers was for the purchase of \$15,000 in Liberty bonds and to recommend the support of the 315 lodges of the brotherhood in the United States in the Liberty bond campaign.

Pleads Guilty to Breaking Mann Act; Is Sentenced

L. A. Gerberding, who has been in jail here for several months, was taken to Lincoln where he pleaded guilty to violation of the Mann act and was sentenced by Federal Judge Munger to a year and a day in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. He brought Daisy Schneider from Milwaukee, Wis., to Minden, Neb.

GIRLS WIN A FEED BY GETTING A MAN

Chicago Youth Unable to Turn Them Down and Joined the Army on Their Request.

Six society girls put one over on Recruiting Officer F. B. Gibbs at the army recruiting tent on the carnival grounds one night last week. These young ladies had been assisting the countess of Kingston to sell shamrocks and noticed how the appeals of the recruiting officers next door fell on deaf ears. "We could do better than that!" they teased the soldiers. "I'll take you girls to supper if you'll bring in a man," answered Gibbs, thinking himself safe in making the promise. "At once the fair recruiting squad started out. In a miraculously short time they returned with a young man, whom they had persuaded to join the army. The young man, who was Harry Ryan, a stranger from Chicago, said he could not resist the girls' arguments and, on their promising to send him letters and comfort kits, he enlisted on the spot. That evening there was a supper party of six girls and the host was Recruiting Officer Gibbs.

Victim of Shooting Dies From Effects of Wound

It is reported that Joe Mobley, 63 years, who was shot and seriously wounded by his companion, Jesse Howard, a month ago at the Creighton garage, Seventeenth and Davenport, died at Saint Joseph's hospital Saturday afternoon from the effects of the bullet wound. Howard was released on \$2,000 bond pending the outcome of Mobley. He will be arraigned before court on a charge of manslaughter.

Advertisement for Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin. Buy Only True Aspirin. Refuse Substitutes. "The Bayer Cross—Your Guarantee of Purity". Includes image of Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin.

Advertisement for Burgess-Nash Company. "EVERYBODY'S STORE". Tuesday, October 9, 1917. STORE NEWS FOR WEDNESDAY. Phone D. 137. Millinery--Clever New Style Ideas Featured Here for Wednesday, at \$5.00. GREAT spreading hats inspired by the "Sammie" hats even to the dents in the crown. Others more like the French and British helmets of the great war's actual fighters. The martial note is most becoming. The colorings also reflect the war spirit of France, whence they come—dull horizon blues, battleship grays and the tans of the aviation service—all are here in a great profusion. You simply must see these lovely hats to realize our preparedness for this offering of hats at \$5.00. Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

Advertisement for Burgess-Nash Company. Continuing the Anniversary Sale for Wednesday in the DOWN STAIRS STORE. 36-Inch Fleeced Percale, at 14 1/2c. These Pretty New Fall Serge Dresses Wednesday, at \$5.95. Are By Long Odds the Biggest Values of the Season. AND you'll agree with us when you see the dresses, too. Made of all wool French serge, trimmed with contrasting colored piping, buttons and braid; come in navy blue, brown, black and maroon. Very special, at \$5.95. Organdie Waists At 19c. ANOTHER more-than-worth-while special for the Anniversary Sale, Wednesday. White organdie waists with colored collars, cuffs and tie, a waist at a price less than the collar alone would cost, 19c. Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store.

Advertisement for Burgess-Nash Company. Extremely Important Anniversary Sale of Enameled Ware for Wednesday. THIS sale was planned months ago, long before the present prices of enameled ware prevailed. It means a great money-saving event, in which quality and prices are featured. WHITE ENAMELED WARE. All white enameled oval dishes, 9-qt. size, 69c; 12-qt. size, 79c; 15-qt. size, 98c. All white enameled coffee pots, seamless, 1 1/2-qt. size, 65c. All white enameled Berlin kettles, seamless, with enameled covers, 6 and 8-qt. size at 75c. All white and blue and white seamless enameled Berlin sauce pans, with enameled covers. —3-qt. size, 49c. —4-qt. size, 59c. —5 and 6-qt. size, 69c. All white enameled seamless round roaster with cover, good size— at \$1.39. All white enameled seamless water pails, the 10-qt. size, at 65c. All white seamless dish-pans, 14-qt. size, special at 65c. EXTRA SPECIALS IN ENAMELED WARE. First quality gray enameled colanders at 35c. First quality gray enameled seamless dish-pans, 10-qt. size, 35c. First quality gray enameled seamless sauce pans, 6-qt. size at 59c. First quality enameled seamless Berlin kettles with cover, 8-qt. size, at 69c. First quality gray enameled coffee pots, 2-qt. size, 49c; 3-qt. size, special at \$1.59. Enameled straight sauce pans, all white with enameled cover, special at 65c. All white or blue and white enameled child's mug marked special, 15c. First quality gray enameled lipped sauce pans, 4 and 5-qt. size, at 29c. First quality gray enameled preserving kettles— 8-qt. size at 39c. 10-qt. size at 49c. 12-qt. size at 59c. First quality gray enameled seamless roaster with enameled covers, oval shape, family size, special at \$1.59. Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store.

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