## OMAHA LIVE STOCK

Market Unchanged From Friday; Hogs Drop Another Quarter; Feeder Lambs Higher.

Omaha, October 13, 1:17. Receipts were: Cattle Hogs. Shtep
Official Monday 14.557 2.630 18.97
Official Tuesday 11.519 4.232 19.00
Official Wednesday 10.592 4.602 23.17
Official Thursday 7.861 4.979 21.99
Official Friday 2.241 4.877 4.61
Estimate Saturday 1.800 8.300 1.200 21, 90 4,613 1,200

Six days this week . . . 48.570 24.621 88.858 Receipts and dis esition of live stock at the Union Stock ya ds. Omaha, for twenty-four hours ending at 3 o'clock yesterday:

RECEIPTS-CARLOADS.

Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. H'r's Wabash 1
Missouri Pacific 1
Union Pacific 11
C. & N. W. east 27
C. & N. W. west 37
C. & N. W. west 57
C. B. & Q. west 50
C. R. I. & P., east 12
Chicago Gt. Western 12 Total receipts.... 56

DISPOSITION-HEAD. Cattle. Hogs. Sheep Swift and Company ..... Cudahay Packing Co...
Armour & Co...
Schwarts & Co...
J. W. Murphy...
Kohr Packing Co...
Swift, from Denver...
Cudahay City. 538 310 Cudahy, Sloux City..... From Wichita..... 388 Cudahy Packing Co..... 348 4.625 Totals ...... 388 Cattle-Receipts of cattle were rather

larger than usual for a Saturday, about 1,800 head, but the big bulk of these were censigned direct to local packers and there was little of any consequence on sale, the markt bing nominally unchange as compard with Friday For the week supplies have been fair, but show a decrease as compared with the first week of October of nearly 4,000 head. Trade has been very uneven and while dest-able stock of all kinds

pared with the first week of October of nearly 1,000 head. Tride has been very underward while destrable atock of all kinds shows very little change compared with a week ago the medium and common stuff of all kinds is selling around 15@25c lower, and very uncertain and irregular gale at that. No comfeds have been coming and supplies have consisted almost entirely of western tange cattle, with the quality of the offerings about the poorest of the season.

Volume of business in stockers and feeders has been airly liberal, but prices have been the most uneven of the season. Cattle that had some weight and quotably steady right slong, but trend of values was lower from stock that constituted the big bulk of the offerings. Outside of the good weight and good quality stock price are riceing fully 35c lower than a week ago, and yard traders will be compelled to carry over quite a good many cattle to next week.

Quotations on cattle: Prime heavy beeves, \$15.00 \$17.00; good to choice beeves, \$14.00 \$15.00; fair to good beeves, \$14.00 \$15.00; fair to good beeves, \$12.00 \$12.00; fair to good yearlings, \$14.00 \$15.00; fair to good to choice on mon to fair beeves, \$12.00 \$12.00; fair to good to choice on season to fair to good to choice on the samples disposed of were of the samples down to fair feeders, \$8.00 \$6.00; fair to good feeders \$8.50 \$6.00; fair to 48.00@12.00; bulls, stags, etc., \$5.50@1.20.

Hogs-Shippers bought a few hogs nearly steady, but did not take; enough to have much effect on the market, and when packers bought the bulk of the offerings it was at prices that were gnerally 25c lower than yesterday. Most of the sales were made at \$17.40@17.60, with an extreme top of \$17.90. Prices are almost \$1.50 lower than the close of last week.

Sheep—Sheep and lamb receipts this week have been the smallest in a good while, less than 90,000 head being offered. In the face of a break at Chicago fat lambs held up until the close. Friday, however, there was a big 25c decline and it is doubtful if the best killing lambs would tring \$18.00 now. Feeder lambs showed a firm to higher tendency all week and best light and medium weight kinds closed 25@40c higher, while plain and heavy kinds were a little hard to sell, but showed more advance than anything else, being as much as 50c@\$1.00
bigher. A spread of \$17.00 \$\tilde{D}\$18.60 is buying

CARLOT RECEIPTS.

Wheat. verything but culls.

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Fat sheep were a little stronger early in
the week and are closing fully steady with
a week ago. The call for feedre sheep has
been better and trend of the market has
been teward better prices, at least on the
desirable kinds. In no case are feeding ewes less than steady with a week ago, while some of the good ones are up as much as

\$1.00.
Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambe fair to choice, \$17.25@17.90; lambs. feeders, \$17.00@18.40; lambs. culls, \$12.00@18.50; yearlings fair to choice, \$12.00@13.50; wethers, fair to choice, \$11.50@12.50; ewes, fair to choice, \$11.50@12.50; ewes, fair to choice, \$10.50@11.25; ewes, breeders, all ages, \$10.50@17.50; ewes, feeders, \$7.50@10.50; ewes, culls and canners, \$5.00@7.00.

#### CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. Weakness in Receipts Brings Hog Prices Up from Early Slump.

Kansas City, Oct. 18.—Cattle—Receipts. 600 head; market steady; prime fed steers. 515,00@17.00; dressed beef steers. 515,00@15.00; western steers. \$8.50@13.00; cows. \$5.50@5.50; heifers. \$6.50@12.50; stockers. and feeders. \$6.00@13.00; bulls. \$6.60@7.75; chives. \$6.50@12.50.

\$5.50\$75.50; helters, \$5.00\$71.50; acception and foeders, \$5.00\$71.50; bulls, \$5.00\$775; calves, \$5.50\$913.50.

Hoge—Redeints 1,500 head; market lower; bulk of sales, \$17.25\$918.40; heavy, \$18.20\$918.50; packers and butchers, \$17.75\$918.40; light, \$17.00\$18.00; piga, \$15.00\$

Sheep and Lambs No receipts; market steady; lambs. \$17.25@1815; yearlings. \$17.00@13.50; wethers. \$11.00@12.75; eres. \$10.00@11.50. Stout City Live I triels Market.

thous City, In. Oct. 13.—Cattle—Receipts.

80 head: market weeks; heef steem, \$7.00

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@12.10; enives, \$7.00@11.50; bulls, s'are, No. 22.25.

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Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1.000 head: market steady.

#t. Louis, Mo., Oct. 13.—Corn—No. 2, 11.20; No. 2 white, \$2.07; December, \$1.12%;

May, \$1.65%. Oats—No. 2, 57% @58%c; No. 2 white, 52% @55%c. Elgin Batter Market. Eigh, III. Oct. 13.—Butter-Twenty-five

## Pretty Society Favorites Do Their Bit For War by Working in Father's Bank



Miss Elizabeth Davis

## GRAIN AND PRODUCE November, but has Red Cross work in her mind rather than settlement

spot on type quoted at ½c to Ic off, while spot on rye quoted at ½c to Ic off, while the figures on barley were unchanged. No. 1 rye sold at \$1.72 and the No. 2 at \$1.71½. No. 2 malting barley sold at \$1.27 and the

No. 3 at \$1.24@1.25.
Clearances were: Wheat and flour equal to 422,000 bushels; oats, 545,000 bushels. Primary wheat receipts were 1,781.000 bushels.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,781.000 bushels and shipments 575,000 bushels and shipments of 1,725,000 bushels and shipments of 1,101,000 bushels last year.

Primary corn receipts were 502,000 bushels and shipments 321,000 bushels and shipments of 351,000 bushels last year. of 361,000 bushels last year, Primary outs receipts were 1.978.000 bushels and shipments 1.744,000 bushels, against receipts of 1.442,000 bushels and shipments

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Chicago, Oct. 13.—Extreme scantiness of receipts railied the hog market today after a slight decline at the outset. Nearly all of the eastle and sheep that arrived went to packers direct.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000 head; market 100 32.03; 1 car (1 per cent dockage), \$2.03; 1 car (1½ per cent dockage), \$2.03; No. 3 red apring: 1 car (½ per cent dockage), \$17.25 018.40; light, \$16.40 018.55; mixed. \$16.75 018.70; rough. \$16.75 017.00; pigs, \$11.75 018.70; rough. \$2.07. No. 2 amber durum: 4 cars (1 per cent dockage), \$2.07. No. 2 amber durum: 1 car (1 per cent dockage), \$2.07. No. 2 amber durum: 1 car (1 per cent dockage), \$2.08. No. 2 durum: 1 car (1 per cent dockage), \$2.15. No. 2 amber durum: 1 car (1 per cent dockage), \$2.15. No. 2 durum: 1 car (1 per cent dockage), \$2.15. No. 2 durum: 2 cars (½ per cent dockage), \$2.05. No. 2 durum: 2 cars (½ per cent dockage), \$2.05. No. 2 durum: 2 cars (½ per cent dockage), \$2.05. No. 2 durum: 2 cars (½ per cent dockage), \$2.12. No. 3 durum: 2 cars (½ per cent dockage), \$2.05. No. 2 durum: 2 cars (½ per cent dockage),

white: 1 car, 57%c; 24 3-5 cars, 57c, No. 4 white: 11 3-4 cars, 56%c, Sample white: 1 car, 56%c; 11 2-5 cars, 56%c; 2-3 car, 56%c; No. 3 mixed: 2 cars, 57c; 1 car, 56%c; 1 car, 55%c.

Omaha Cash Prices—Corn: No. 2 white, 11.97% 22.00. No. 2 white, \$1.97% 22.00. No. 2 white, \$1.97% 22.00. No. 2 yellow \$1.85.01.86. No. 3 yellow \$1.86. No. 2 mixed, \$1.83.01.84. No. 3 mixed, \$1.83.01.84. No. 3 white, 57% 657%c. Standard, 57% 65% 65% 65%c. Barley: Malting, \$1.2061.26. No. 1 feed, \$1.68. @1.15. Rye: No. 3, \$1.71@1.71%. No. 3, \$1.70% 21.71%.

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Elizabeth and Menie Davis, beautiful society favorites, will go into their father's bank, the First National, to do their "bit" for war service. They are daughters of Frederick H. Davis. Elizabet's is a former Ak-Sar-Ben queen and Menie is known "as the prettiest girl in Omaha."

When the girls will start and what kind of work they will do has not been definitely decided, members of the Dav's family state.

Deserting society to heed the war Elizabeth and Menie Davis, beauti-

Deserting society to heed the war call is becoming general with Omaha girls. A friend of the Davis girls, Miss Louise Dinning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Dinning, and Mrs. Charles Turner are now in Paris awaiting call to service as Red Cross nurses. Miss Nami Towle is taking a pursing Naomi Towle is taking a nursing course in an Evanston hospital, and Miss Mona Cowell hopes to be called for ambulance service as soon as employing women for this work becomes more general.

Another friend of the Davis girls. Miss Gladys Peters, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Peters, instituted the new order of things by going into her father's milling offices last year. Miss Esther Wilhelm, one of the special maids to this year's Ak-Sar-Ben queen, worked last summer in the Orchard-Wilhelm store instead of going to a sun.mer resort. She is now

teaching Latin at Bellevue college. Miss Eugenie Patterson, daughter of D. C. Patterson, leaves today for New York, to go into settlement work for the winter. Miss Patterson has been active in the social settle-

Miss Anne Gifford, another attractive society girl, who has devoted much time to the social settlement ere, plans to join Miss Patterson in

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Gifford.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

German Political . dvices Indicating Peace Encourage Selling; Corn Closes Firm.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 13.—Sharp new breaks in grain and provision values today were offset only to a moderate degree by weekend covering on the part of shorts. Ideal weather for curing the corn crop did much to put the buils at a disadvantage. Corn closed firm, but %c to 1% %c net lower, with December \$1.12% to \$1.13 and May \$1.09% to \$1.09%. Oats finished a shade off to %c up. The outcome in provisions ranged from unchanged figures to a setback of \$1.45.

Freezing temperatures and clear skies furnished just the conditions to safeguard huge quantities of corn that warm wet weather might have been rendered unfit for use. German political advices suggesting an improved chance of peace tended further to encourage selling, and so too did Encourage Selling; Corn Closes Firm.

ther to encourage selling, and so too did certainly that present maximum quota-tions would not be altered during 1917. In addition, it was said, offers of new corn from the south were more plentiful and

from the south were more plentiful and cheap.

Big export sales of cats had a steadying influence on the oats market.

French liquidation on the part of holders smashed provisions as much as \$2.60 in the case of January pork, with lard and ribs carried down almost as far. Packers buying at the bottom levels brought about a late raily.

Cash Price—Corn: No. 2 yellow, \$1.960 tersion tersion to the dividend on People's Gas, which adversely affected that stock and allied utilities some 10 to 20 points.

Plans now well under way by the rail-trestate Commerce commission for higher freight rates coincide with the demands of a large proportion of railway employes for increased pay.

Jower money raies over flotation of the second Liberty loan were followed by an \$1.510.514; Beds:

Timothy, \$6.00 67.75; clover, \$18.00 622 00.

Povisions: Pork, \$41.50; lard, \$21.776

Futter—Unchanged.
Eggs—Receipts, 6,570 cases; unchanged.
Potatoes—Higher; receipts, 65 cars; Wisconsin, Michigan and Minesota, bulk, \$1,30@
1.40; same, sacks, \$1.40@1.45.
Poultry—Alive, unchanged.

New York General Market. New York, Oct. 13.—Flour—Easy; spring patents, \$11.15@11.45; winter patents, \$10.65 @10.90; winter straights, \$10.35@10.65.
Corn—Spot, quiet; No. 2 yellow, \$2.03; No. 2 mixed, \$2.00, c. i. f. New York.
Oats—Spot steady; standard 65 4c.
Barley—Weaker; feeding, \$1.10; maiting, \$1.4@1.48; California, \$1.40 c. i. f. New York.

York.
Feed—Stendy; western bran, \$36.50; standard middlings, \$41.50; oity bran, \$37.00, all in 100-lb. sacks.

Hay—Quiet; No. 1, \$1.10@1.25; No. 2, \$1.15@1.20; No. 3, \$50@\$1.06; shipping, 90

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Tailow—Strong: city special, loose, 16c.
Wool—Firm; domestic fleece, Ohio an
Pennsylvania, 65c. Pennsylvania, 55c.

Butter—Firm; receipts, 15.212 tubs; creamery, higher than extras, 45% 646c; creamery extras (52 score), 45c; firsts, 43% 644%c; seconds, 426 43c.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 17,712 cases; fresh gathered extras, 456 46c; extra firsts, 436 446c; respect and a 27% 636c.

444c; firsts, 40@42c; seconds, 37 % @3fc. Choese—Eany; receipts, 3,292 boxes; state fresh specials, 25% @26c; state, average run, 25@25%c.
Poultry-Alive, steady; chickens, 22c; towis, 24c; turkeys. 20c.

Local Stocks and Bonds.

## Continue of the percent dockage of the per BONDS—

Rooth-St. L. Cold Stor. 6's. 1921... 98 100
Columbus Lt. Ht. & Pew. 5's. 1924... 95 97
Cudahy Packing Cos. 5's. 1946... 92½ 94½
Grand Forks. 6 pct. w., 1927.... 5½
Onargo, Ill., Pav'g. 5s. 1919-25... 93 94½
Om. Athl club Bidg., 1920-22... 99½ 100
City of Omaha, Neb...... 4.85
Province of Alberts 5's. 1922... 94 94 70
Russian 5½'s... 1925... 159
Reseau Co, Ill. 5½'s d'ge. 1925
Swift & Company 5's. 1944... 95 95½
Wilson & Company 6's.... 98% 98%

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits. New York, Oct. 13.—Evaporated Apples—Scarce and firm; choice, 15%c; prime, 15c.

Dried Fruits—Prunes, strong; Californies, 9611%c; Oregons, 12% 614c. Apricots, firm; fancy, 20. Peaches, firm; standard, 10%c; choice, 10%c; fancy, 12c. Raisins, Little offering; loose muscatels, 7469c; choice to fancy, seeded, 8% 10%c; seedless, 9% 610%c; London layers, \$1.80.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 13.—Turpentine— Firm, 451/6; sairs, 153 bbla.; receipts. 176 bbls.; shipments, 565 bbls.; stock, 25,079

New York try Goods Market. New York, Oct. 12.—Dry Goods—Cotton roods and yarns here today were very firm. Trading was quiet because o fa short day

Kansos City Grain Market.



MISS MENIE DAVIS.

Prices Reflect Enforced Liquidation; Much Pessimistic Talk Regarding Railroad Dividend Policy.

Timothy, \$6.00@7.75; clover, \$18.00@2.50.

Povisions: Pork, \$41.50; lard, \$21.77@
000 in reserves of the federal bank for members' account, an increase of almost \$130.Butter—Unchanged.

Butter—Unchanged. 500,000 in reserves.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Oysters—Northern standards: Gallon, \$2,56; large cans, 58c; small cans, 38c. Northern selects: Gallon, \$2,50; large cans, 65c; small cans, 45c. Northern counts: Galcans, 42c; small cans, 28c. Chesapeake se lects: Gallon, \$2.20; large cans, 480; small patients is thought to be in a serious

ans, 32c.
Fish-Per ib.: Yellow ring perch, 16c cans. 32c.

Fish—Per Ib.: Tellow ring perch. 16c; salmon, red. 20c; pink. 17c; rellow pike, No. I. 15c; white perch. dressed. 16c; catfish. 21c; black bass. order size. 28c; medium. 23c; trout. No. I. 22c; tilefish. 14c; builheads, large and medium. 18c; red sneoner. 16c; haddock, 17c; halibut. fresh. 23c; frozen. 20c; black cod sable fish. 13c; cock bass. 21c; white, medium. 18c; large northern. 20c; pickeral. dressed. 12c; round. 11c; cropples, 10@18c; buffalo. dressed. 13c; carp. round. 10c; dressed. 12c; ling cod. 13c; native mackerel. 20c; herring. 10c; cod. eastern. 15c. Froze: Louisiana black bulls. immbo. 22.00; large. 22.50; medium. 31 75. Frozen stock: Catfish. medium or small. 15c; Baracuda, headless. 12c; western red anamer. headless. 10c; smelts. 12c; bluefish. medium. 12c; flounders. 12c. Rmoked fish: Kippered salmon. 10c-lb. beakets. 27.75; smoked white (lake fish). 10c-lb. haskets. 22.00.

Delicacles—Fresh crab meat. per gal.

Delicacies—Fresh crab meat, per gal. \$3,00; fresh hard crabs, large, per dos. \$2,75; fresh scallors, per gal. \$3,50; fresh cooked Leadless shrimrs, \$7,00; fresh peeled cooked Lendless shrimms, \$7.00; fresh peeled shrimms, per gal., \$2.25; shed ros, per pair, 50c; ros shad, each, 85c; blue points, per 100, \$1.25; Cotults, \$1.75; turtle mest. Ib., 10c; grass from lers, ner doz., \$3c; jumbo from lers, per doz., \$3:00; large from legs, per doz., \$2.50; medium from lers, per doz., \$1 75.

Receipts, fair; demand good on both prairie hay and alfalfa; market firm and Choice upland prairie hay, \$19.50 220.50; No. 1. \$17.50 218.50; No. 2, \$12.00 216.00; No. 2, \$2.00 212.00. No 1 midland, \$17.50 218.50; No. 2 \$13.00

No. 1 lowland, \$10.50@12.50; No. 2, 89.00 @10.00; No. 3. \$7.00@8.00 Chrice affaifa, \$25.00@24.00; No. 1. \$23.00 #24.00; \*\*andard, \$31.00@22.00; No. 2. \$18.00@20.00; No. 2, \$13.00@18.00. Oat straw, \$6.50@7.50; wheat straw, \$6.00

New York Money Market.

New York, Oct. 13.—Prime Mercantile
Paner.—54 654 per cent.

Sterling Exchange—Sixty-day bills.

\$1.714: commercial sixty-day bills on banks.

\$4.71: commercial sixty-day bills. \$4.764: demand. \$4.754: cables. \$4.76.7-16.

Silver.—Bar. \$64.0: Mexican dollars. \$50.

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Minneapolis, Oct. 12.—Flour—Unchanged.
Rye—\$1.7714.01.7814.
Barley—\$1.1001.26.
Bran—\$29.500.30.00.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, \$1.8601.88.
Oats—No. 3 white, 5714.05816.
Flaxseed—\$2.0914.

Duluth, Oct. 12.—Linseed on track, \$2.05%;
03.07%; arrive, \$2.05%; October, \$2.05%; asked; November, \$2.04%; December, \$2.25% asked; November, \$3.044 asked; May, \$3.03 asked.

Market Quotations on Omaha Produce Today

Following are the prices, wholesale and retail, for produce prevailing in Omahe today: Wholesele.

Butter (extra), round \$ .45 \$ 49 pound Butter (choice), pound .43 .47 pound Eggs (select), dozen. .42 .47 dozen .04 pound Applies (hand-picked). 

basket ...... .: 3 .40 6-1b. bkt 

## You Can Bring Soap to the Duryea Relief Fund to Be Sent to France

The Vascar club, which already knits | there-a few cakes may make all the with one hand while it rolls first aid bandages with the other, telephoning meanwhile to prospective Liberty thread, numbers 40 to 60; string and ound buyers and the like, has taken still another relief measure on its shoulders. It has decided that it can receive clothing and such for the French while absorbed in the above and a dozen other duties.

Therefore the Duryea relief fund has been taker over by the members and Mondays and Thursday will find them in room 618. Bee building, to receive articles for the people in northern France and Belgium.

"Almost anything" is the answer when asked what is needed. If you have any warm clothing-old fashoned though it be-shoes, mittens and gloves-bring them down and put them in the box going soon to France. taken to the Duryea fund room later. Besides this, that part of the country, Anyone wishing further information needs a thousand little articles any one can bring. There is great need of soap over

## WANT GENUNG TO PUSH HAVNER CASE

County Board of Montgomery County Asks That He Be Appointed to Aid Prosecution.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-Governor Harding has been asked by the Board of Supervisors of Montgomery county, to name Clyde L. Genung of Glenwood to prosecute Attorney General Havner in the case in which the attorney general is charged with illegally oppressing one or more witnesses in the Villisca ax murder case.

Cold Weather Prevails. Cold weather here last night sent the mercury down to 26 degrees and the cold weather continued today. Warmer weather is promised for Saturday. Snow was reported from Duhuque, Waukon and other points. Nearly an inch of snow fell in Kau-

New York, Oct. 12.—Prices reflected further, enforced liquidation in the four days of this week's stock market in every important branch, securities falling to or under previous low levels of the year, for which various reasons were assigned. The most logical of these was that new capital requirements of the government bear most heavily upon investors and holders of first-class socurities. There seemed little reason, aside from this, for the heavy offerings of slit-edged railroad shares.

In the prevailing mood of the speculative element much pessimistic talk was heard regarding the future dividend policy of railroads and industrial corporations. This was heightened by the unexpected suspension of the dividend on People's Gas, which adversely affected that stock and allied utilities some 10 to 20 points.

Plans now well under way by the railroads to throw their appeal before the Interstate Commerce commission for higher freight rates coincide with the demands of a large proportion of railway employes for increased pay. other buildings, but the fire did not

Recruits Have Pneumonia.

Twelve cases of pneumonia were reported from the base hospital at Camp Dodge today. Some discomfort is reported among the men in the barracks, which have not been fully equipped with furnaces. Each building now occupied has at leatst one furnace in it and officers of the medical department say that pneumonia is no more prevalent at camp than in an average community. None of the

condition. Farmer Declines Exemption. Clarke Everts, operating a 240-acre farm in Jefferson township, Henry

county, near Wayland, today returned his certificate of discharge granting him exemption from service in the national army, declaring he thought it his duty not to accept it. "I cannot feel just right over this matter unless I take my chances along with the rest of the boys," he wrote the appeal board. "So I will return my exemption. Place yourself in my position and decide it. If all married men were exempt I would feel right about it, but when they are taken along with the single men, I feel as though I was shirking my duty." The affidavit filed by the young farmer shows that he is operating a 240-acre farm belonging to his father. who is 98 years of age. This season he had seventy-six acres in corn, sixteen acres in oats, nine acres in wheat and 10 acres in hay. He has fed and sold since August, 1916, fiftyfour head of steers, 300 head of lambs and eighty-five head of hogs. He has been a farmer all his life, has been married four years, but has no chil-

Names Fuel Committee. State Fuel Administrator C. W. Webster today announced the names of the members of the local commit-

tee to put into effect the government's coal regulations in Des Moines. The members of the committee are: Mayor John MacVicar, L. C. Kurtz. S. C. Wymer. Simon Cassady and John Mulvaney. A state advisory committee and county committees for every county in the state are yet to be named. In a letter to the Des Moines appointees Administrator Webster declared that the chief duties would be to investigate complaints as to prices charges and if found not in accordance with Dr. Garfield's orders make recommendations to him. Further instructions were: "To report upon claims of dealers or others as to their inability to secure a supply of coal and if the claims are found justieoal and if the claims are found tustified we are promised relief from Washington. Dealers are allowed to charge the average gross profit they received during the year 1915 plus 30 per cent, but not more than they received in the month of July, 1917. If coal was sold at \$7 per ton and they not \$1.50 gross profit selling at \$7.50, they would be entitled to 45 cents extra, or a gross profit of \$1.95, providing their progt for the month of 1917, was not less than this. and in no case will profits be allowed over those of July, 1917."

Rigid Inspection at Camp. As a result of rigid food inspection now being instituted at Camp Dodge by the state food and dairy department, in co operation with the government, information was today filed in municipal court charging the firm of John Morrell & Co. with furnishing impure meat to the base hospital in charge of Leutenant Gilbert S. Brown. State Inspector M. E. Flynn and Major Cronk of the army had no sooner started on their inspection tour yesterday than they discovered what they declare was impure meat in the

tools- the thousand little things we accept as a matter of course. Pads of paper, pencils and candles are also

down on .he list. Almost eve. yone can bring in a few of the "notions" and so many say they have some clothing that would serve "if they only knew where to

Well, the Duryea relief fund is the place for these garments. Bring them down Monday afternoons and Thursday mornings to 6i8 Bee building. when some members of the Vassar club will be present to receive them. On other days they can be left at 320 Bee building, from which they will be

Anyone wishing further information may call Misr Mona Cowell, Harney 4250, or Miss Copeland, Central high school, for information.

hospital commissary department. Instructions were a once issued to the chefs and others in charge to watch all foods being delivered at the camp closely. A conference is to be held at the division surgeon's headquarters at Camp Dudge late today between state and government officials to go over the matter of tood and milk inspection and the p-oper protection of foods at the camp. State Inspector Flynn recommends that war at once be instituted in the camp against rats and field mice. He declares that unless this is done great damage will result from the horde of rays and mice which will descend on the camp when the granaries are established and the food supply inc.eased. He also rec-ommends close inspection against in-sects in the cereals and flour. The cooler weather 's driving the field mice into the barracks. But little trouble has been experienced from rats as yet, but the officers intend to see that they do not become prevalent. The state department has been invited to establish headquarters out at the camp for its inspection work in order to co-operate fully in all in-

#### spection work. Soldiers Won't Lose Out on Thrills of Fall Political Game

Washington, Oct. 13.-Citizen soldiers of the national training camp cantonments will not have to forego the privilege of attending political meetings this fall. Secretary Baker announced tonight that he had approved an order by Major General J. Franklin Bell, commanding at Camp Upton, N. Y., permitting political gatherings in camp under proper regulations and that the ruling would apply to all the camps. apply to all the camps.

The conditions are that there shall be no interference with the serious work of training the troops and that full equality of opportunity shall be given all political parties. It is understood also that General Bell's prohibition of disloyal utterances wil'

apply generally.

Where the state laws provide for taking the ballots of soldiers absent from their lawful voting places by state commissions or otherwise, such polling of the troops will be facilitated by the military commanders during

### the muncipal and state elections. Blackstone Charity Concert Delights Large Audience

The first of the series of concerts to be given by the Blackstone hotel for the Associated Charities was held Friday night and was a pronounced

Miss Myrna Sharlow, prima donna soprano of the Chicago Grand Opera company, sang several groups of songs, which were enthusiastically received.

Robert Dolejsi, violinist, accom-panied by Harold Yates, gave pleas-ing renditions of several beautiful selections. Mozart's "My Love is True," sung by Miss Sharlow, with violin obligato by Mr. Dolejsi, was especially fine.

The musical was held in the large ball room which the good-sized audi-ence comfortably filled. These concerts, which will continue during the winter, are unusual opportunities to hear good music, and the

#### proceeds go to a worthy charity. Oust Ann Arbor German Prof. for Pro-Germanism

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. '3.—The position of Dr. Carl Eggert, assistant professor of German at the University of Michigan, was declared vacant by the board of regents this afternoon, at the conclusion of an investigation into charges that he had made unpatriotic utterances. The charges were made by stu-

dents. Dr. Eggert has been connected with the university since 1901.

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# HELP FOREIGN BORN TO BECOME CITIZENS

Second Open Meeting Held at Which Speakers Give Explanation of Procedure to Be Followed.

Work of helping the foreign-horn living in this country to become, not only "naturalized citizens" of the United States, but Americans in thought and spirit went forward another step in Omaha, when the Americanization committee of the Commercial club held its second open meeting for the leaders of the foreign colonies of this city at the library Friday evening. J. W. Gamble, chairman of the committee, presided.

Iwelve Austrians were among hose present at the meeting. After her talks by Robert Switzler and J. M. Gue nett, pointing out the importance of taking out "second papers" and thus becoming fully naturalized citizens, these men were anxious to have it done and crowded about the speakers for intormation regarding the processes that must be gone through, Six of them already had first papers, but had "never had time and no money' to take out second papers.

Employers Can Aid.

It developed that time and money vere quite an item in becoming American citizens and both seemed .o e rather scarce among these hard working men.

"It requires three trips to the of-fice of the clerk of the district cours to take out second papers," said I. M. Gurnett of the legal department of the Federal Farm Loan bank. "These trips must be made in the daytime, that is during working hours, and when the men take this time off they are afraid they will lose three days' pay." Mr. Gurnett was for five years he agent of the government natural-

"The employers ought to encourage their men to take out full citizenship papers," he said. "In St. Louis, Kansas City and many other large cities the employers pay the naturalization fees and let the men know that they will not be "docked" for "ime taken out in getting their papers, Less than 10 per cent of the foreigners, who take out first papers in Douglas county, follow them through to complete naturalization with their second papers."

The next meeting of the Americanization bureau.

The next meeting of the American-ization committee will be held at the Commercial club, October 15, and all foreigners interested in this movement for American citizenship are irged to attend.

### Kaiser Wilhalm at Sofia; Eats Historic Bread and Salt

Amsterdam, Oct. 13 .- The German emperor arrived at Sofia, Bulgaria, yesterday, according to advices received here. He was accompanied by Prince August Wilhelm and Foreign secretary von Kuehlmann.

The emperor was received by the king of Bulgaria and with him rode through decorated streets to a triumphal arch crected in honor of the

imperial visitor. The burgomaster of Sofia, according to custom, offered Emperor William bread and salt.

## Moffat Receives French

Decoration for War Work New York, Oct. 13 .- In recognition of his service since the beginning of the war, in behalf of war relief for the allies, particularly France, John Mossat, executive secretary of the man of the National Allied Relief committee, has received the French "medaille d'academie," it was announced today. The decoration which was presented by Gaston Liebert, consul general for France in New York City, makes Mr. Moffat an of-ficer of public instruction in France.

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