

OMAHA SALARIES DESTINED TO SWELL UNCLE SAM'S WAR PURSE UNDER INCOME TAX

Many High Paid Business, Professional and Railroad Men Here Affected by Clause Taxing Excess Incomes Above \$6,000 at 8 Per Cent; Lawyers Hardest Hit?

A goodly number of Omaha salaried and professional men will have to step up to the counter in response to the new income tax bill, particularly the clause which will tax at 8 per cent all excess income above \$6,000.

Yes, Omaha has quite a crop of men nowadays whose services are marketed at more than this figure—so many it would be hard to enumerate them all.

However, some of the well-known lawyers, surgeons and corporation presidents will have to fork over good sized checks to meet their surtax.

Just for example, Judge W. D. McAllister is reputed to have the largest income from his law practice of any man at the Omaha bar. Mr. McAllister probably will have to write Uncle Sam an annual check up to the thousands for his income from the law practice, which is reliably said to be between \$50,000 and \$100,000 annually.

Perhaps close in line among lawyers will come John Lee Webster, whose income is variously estimated, but who has at least two big retainers, that of the Water board at \$5,000 a year, and that of the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company at \$7,500 a year, to say nothing of a lot of others.

Lawyer Incomes Easy Prey.

It is just possible that the \$24,000 of Woodmen Circle money which went into the coffers of five Omaha attorneys during the legal battle over the supreme guardianship will have to be reported in to the tax boss of the federal government. Frank Gaines, Arthur Mullen, J. J. Sullivan, A. W. Jeffers and Halleck Rose are the attorneys on both sides, among whom this pot was divided. They all enjoy wholesome practices besides, which boost them far beyond the exempted \$6,000 annual income and bring them in the surtax list. Another lawyer unlikely to escape this new income tax is H. H. Baldrige, who is attorney for the Standard Oil company, the Midland Glass and Paint company, the Byrne-Hammer company and then handles a big private practice.

Then there is ex-Senator Norris Brown who, besides handling his own practice, is regular attorney for the Union Stock Yards company and the Pullman company.

Fran Ransom will also probably make his report to Uncle Sam, for, besides doing a big law business, he is legal specialist for the Union Stock Yards company and draws well for that service.

Such attorneys as John L. Kennedy and J. A. C. Kennedy will also fall over into the ranks of those from whom Uncle Sam will collect this surtax.

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MRS. NEFF IN CHARGE SETTLEMENT WORK

To Better the Social Conditions of Those Living in Packing House District of City.

Mrs. Maries A. Neff, in charge of social settlement work in Omaha, has been here two weeks. In that brief time she has changed the Settlement house at 2827 Q street, into a settlement home.

The place has been thoroughly cleaned, the walls tinted and a furnace is being installed. The basement is being converted into a gymnasium for boys, a library has been started, and there are some small chairs and low tables where the little tots may play games. The real wonder is on the second floor where a model home has been wrought. A big, clean kitchen where poor girls may come and learn to cook their own suppers, which they will serve in the model dining room, is one important feature of the home. There is a comfortable parlor and a model bedroom where girls will be taught how to make a bed properly.

This "Little Bit of Heaven," is down in the heart of the packing house district where a little bit of Heaven is sometimes sorely needed.

Mrs. Neff has only started her great work here. She is full of plans to make her work worthwhile.

Home for Old and Young.

"We must get this building painted so it will be more homelike, and I want to get the floors waxed so the young folks can come here and dance," Mrs. Neff said enthusiastically. "You see we shall have the children here from 4 o'clock until 12; and the older people from 8 until 12; and the fathers and mothers will come on Sunday."

Mrs. Neff came to Omaha from Cleveland, O., where she had charge of the work for the International Immigration bureau. She has conducted night classes for foreigners in To-

peka, Kan. She also served nine months in France as a Red Cross nurse in both the French and American ambulance corps. When questioned about the war she said: "It is heart-rending; so much suffering. Americans have so little realization of what war means. The war is too far from them yet. It really hasn't touched them. They are patriotic, but they are up in the air. They should get down to earth."

"I wish America would help Russia in its fight for democracy," continued the speaker.

Kerensky a Wonderful Man.

"Kerensky is a wonderful man," said Mrs. Neff. "My husband knew him well. They were of the same party. Kerensky is for the people and they are loyal to him. My only fear is that his health will fail. He has never been strong and the strain of his ceaseless work is telling on him."

"How many languages is it that you speak?" was asked.

"Several," was the casual answer. "Later Mrs. Neff admitted that she can speak seven languages and many dialects. She came to America from Europe when she was a young wife and she knows from her own experience the problems of the young foreigner in a strange land. She radiates personality and her charm is magnetic."

Miss Lorena Knowlton who has come to Omaha from the Cleveland, O. Foundation, will assist Mrs. Neff. Mrs. F. S. Hanna will have charge of the girls' work at the Settlement and Maurice Howard, the boys'.

Page County, Ia., Supports Bonds With \$600,000 to Start

Shenandoah, Ia., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Three hundred thousand dollars worth of Liberty bonds were subscribed by the committee of the west half of Page county at a banquet at the Hotel Doty Wednesday night when it was planned to sell \$600,000 worth of bonds. Half the amount was taken before actual solicitation began. Emmet Tinley of Council Bluffs addressed the meeting and T. H. Read of the First National bank presided.

See Want Ads Produce Results.

KELLY TO BE CALLED FOR A SECOND TRIAL

Exact Date to Be Announced This Week by Judge Rockafellow of the Iowa Court.

Red Oak, Ia., Oct. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Rev. Lynn G. J. Kelly, held in county jail here on the charge of being the Villisca ax murderer, will have a second trial, beginning probably within the next three weeks.

Judge J. B. Rockafellow will announce the date next week. He was asked by Attorneys A. L. Sutton and T. J. Hysham, on behalf of Kelly, to set the date for Monday, October 29, but County Attorney Oscar Weststrand, for the prosecution, asked that the date be a week later.

Kelly was tried here last month, the case lasting four weeks and resulting in a disagreement of the jury. Eleven voted for acquittal, T. C. Brown held out for "not guilty, because insane when act was committed."

Contention of Defense.

The defense contends that Kelly's insanity was caused by persecutions and houndings before the recent trial and that the minister has been the scapegoat to protect other persons.

The Iowa Protective association, otherwise known as the Kelly defense committee, is continuing its support of the defendant and the leaders of the organization continue their unswerving confidence in his innocence. Attorney General H. M. Havner is insistent that Kelly is guilty and that he will not abandon the prosecution.

Prices For Iron Pipe Double That of Year Ago

Bids on iron pipes for culverts submitted to the county board show that prices are in some cases double those of a year ago. The price range on the different sizes of pipe in 1916 was from 54 cents to \$3. This year the same pipe costs from \$1 to \$8.65, according to size.

Patriotic Meeting for Colored Soldiers Oct. 24

Colored people of Omaha will hold a reception Wednesday night at city hall to honor newly appointed colored officers from Fort Des Moines and to give goodspeed to departing drafted men who will leave October 27.

Speeches and music are planned by those in charge of the affair, who have expressed a desire to make the reception as democratic as possible.

Five colored second lieutenants have received their commissions. They are: William N. Johnson, Amos B. Madison, William W. Peebles, Harrison J. Pinkett and Edward Turner. Nebraska had five colored candidates for commissions at Fort Des Moines and each was made an officer.

Colored men of the draft who leave this week for Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kan., will be given a rousing farewell at this meeting.

Dairy People Surprise Maxey and Miss Brooks

Friday evening in the reception rooms of the Alamito Dairy company there was a surprise for George Maxey and Miss Minnie Brooks, whose marriage takes place in the near future. One of the features was a mock marriage. The evening was spent in dancing and at 10:30 supper was served. Many useful gifts were presented Mr. Maxey and Miss Brooks, including a set of silverware presented by the employees of the company. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames—C. F. Schwager, Fred Green, Henry Schwager, Messrs.—George Maxey, Arthur James, George B. Dyball, Roy Swartzel, Sherman Kelly, Dan Dugan, Crissey, M. H. Strohm, Horace Goshoe, Peta Shaverd, Misses—Minnie Brooks, Helen Schwager, Lillian Nelson, Ella McDonald, Sena Weyerman, Nell Nicholson, Messrs.—George Maxey, Arthur James, George B. Dyball, Roy Swartzel, Sherman Kelly, Dan Dugan, Crissey, M. H. Strohm, Horace Goshoe, Peta Shaverd, Misses—Minnie Brooks, Helen Schwager, Lillian Nelson, Ella McDonald, Sena Weyerman, Nell Nicholson, Margaret Francy, Hazel Swanson, Mabel Swanson, Mille Merchant, Caroline DeVoi.

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Jewish Organizations Have Election of Officers

Dr. Morris Taxson, recently elected rabbi of the United Congregations B'Nai Israel and Beth Namedresh Hagadol, will hold services every Friday evening, alternating between the two synagogues. There will be a choir of children's voices trained by the cantor, Mr. Fleisher, and the usual Friday night sermon by the rabbi. Dr. Taxson has established a Sunday school, the attendance of which is already very large. Confirmation classes will be held for the older children.

At a recent meeting of the rabbinical organization the following officers were elected: Jacob Gordon, president; Mendel Blank, vice president; J. Katelman, treasurer; Henry Montsky, secretary; Sol Brodkey, M. Kulakofsky, Louis Sieve, E. Meyers, B. A. Simon, Morris Rosenblatt, Dr. Sher, E. Block, Mr. Perlman, D. Lipsey, board of directors.



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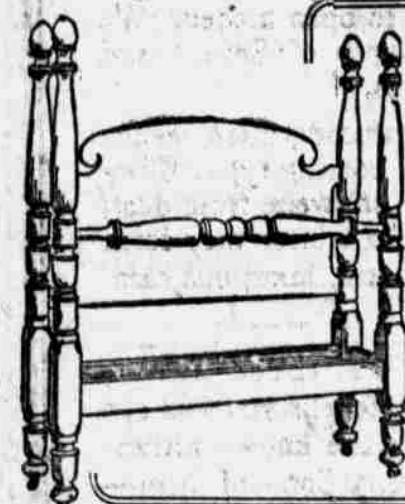
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