

# RED CROSS LAYS PLANS TO GIVE AID IN OMAHA

Propose to Have Dwellers in Apartment Houses Form Groups of Workers; Other Proposals Are Made.

Red Cross auxiliaries in all apartment houses is a measure to increase the number of women workers in Omaha, advocated by Mrs. C. T. Kountze, head of the woman's service bureau.

"There are at least 50 large apartment houses in Omaha in which a great deal of work could be done if the women would organize for the purpose. If there are no competent supervisors for surgical dressings among them, they can make hospital garments, the need for which is just as great," said Mrs. Kountze.

Women living in a group of apartment houses on Sherman avenue bordering the Strehlow terraces are the first to signify their desire to fall in with the plan.

**Organize Business Girls.**  
There is talk of organizing the business girls in the large office buildings for Red Cross work, but the difficulty to be met here is in obtaining enough supervisors and instructors for night work.

A movement to enroll more members of the large women's organizations such as the Omaha Woman's club and the Association of Collegiate Alumnae, both of which hold several departmental meetings a week, is on foot.

Visitors thronged the state inspection warehouse in the Haubens building between the hours of 2 and 6 for the "open house," arranged so that the public might view the work. Heads of departments showed the visitors through the different rooms where receiving, consoling and packing are being done. There was no let-up in the work through the afternoon, even while the "reception" was going on.

**Tag 12,000 Packages.**  
Twenty girls of the D. T. A. club spent three hours tagging 12,000 muslin bandage packages Friday night. W. L. Butler, C. A. Inman, Walter Campbell and Edward Goetz of the Marsh-Overland company volunteered their services to stencil 60 boxes.

Mrs. W. R. Clarke of Lincoln has been named assistant state instructor for surgical dressings with headquarters in Lincoln, for the greater convenience of women of the South Platte district. Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. J. O. Goodwin, state chairman, and Miss Marjorie Smith returned Friday from a visit to central division headquarters in Chicago.

The need for an automobile to carry supplies to auxiliaries on the Baird building was emphasized at a board meeting of Omaha chapter Friday. Gould Dietz is looking for some one who will donate a car.

## Property of Blaugas Company Ordered Sold

Federal Judge Woodruff has ordered the property of the Nebraska Blaugas company, Twenty-seventh and Boyd streets, sold under foreclosure to satisfy creditors to the extent of several hundred thousand dollars. The sale is to take place 20 days hence at the east door of the court house, provided the company does not satisfy its creditors before then. B. H. Dunham was appointed master to sell the premises and execute the court's decree.

The concern has been operated by a receiver, George P. Stebbins, for several months. The suit was brought in federal court by Allen W. Sleeper, who owns bonds of the company to the extent of \$180,000 and has advanced several thousand dollars besides toward the operation of the business. The Nebraska Blaugas company and 19 other corporations and individuals are defendants. The company makes gas plants for homes. It is operating now and will probably continue to operate even after its financial difficulties have been adjusted by foreclosure.

## Pastors Asked to Urge All To Attend Patriotic Rally

Colonel J. M. Banister issues the following appeal to the pastors of Omaha:  
"You are respectfully requested by the executive committee, of which I am chairman, to announce from your pulpits Sunday the Washington and Lincoln day celebration at the Auditorium on the evening of February 12. Please urge all members of your congregations to attend this meeting, which has been arranged by the patriotic societies of the city. The occasion will celebrate the birthday anniversaries of Washington and Lincoln and will also give evidence to the soldier boys in uniform that the whole citizenship of Omaha is standing back of them and is anxious to show appreciation of their work for Uncle Sam."

## Weather Clears and Heavy Snow is Melting Rapidly

According to the reports to the railroads, the weather has cleared all the way from the Missouri river to the mountains and bright, warm sunshine is the rule. The snow is melting rapidly. Temperatures out in the state started in at 8 to 30 degrees below zero, with the coldest in the central portion. Wyoming and Colorado temperatures are higher than those of Nebraska.

Railroads report a snowfall of one to six inches over Nebraska, with the heaviest down in the southwest section. There was little wind accompanying the storm and consequently little drifting, not enough to interfere with traffic.

## Army Needs Men Familiar With Handling of Horses

Army recruiting officers are making a special drive for the enlistment of men familiar with the handling of horses for service both in this country and in France. Remount stations in the United States report a great shortage of men to care for horses and the demand must be supplied immediately. Veterinarians are in great demand to care for the horses now being purchased for the remount depot.

Sunday, February 10, 1918

New Store Hours 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

BURGESS-NASH STORE NEWS FOR MONDAY

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Telephone Douglas 137

# Newness Is Creeping In Daily at Burgess-Nash

**Conservation Is the Word Of the Hour**  
All of us have been asked to conserve—to save meat, wheat, sugar, fuel, power and many other things. The blessing of an early and sure peace rests on what you, as a unit of red-blooded Americans, do in getting on without the large use of these various things which must be conserved. Now it has become necessary to save daylight also—because a saving daylight means the saving of artificial light, which in turn is a saving of power and fuel. By a ruling of the Fuel Administration the new store hours beginning Monday, have been scheduled—opening at 9 a. m. and closing at 6 p. m., Saturdays included. Then, aside from this, the lights in the show windows—the eyes of the store and possibly one of the greatest advertising assets, are not lighted at all—this to accomplish as best possible, the conservation of fuel. The shortened store hours brings changed shopping conditions—procrastination steals most of the morning hours before 10 o'clock—while noon finds the day half gone, with a dozen things left undone which should have been accomplished in the morning hours. These of necessity must then be crowded into the few hours of the afternoon. Get the habit and make the most of the morning hours. Instead of shopping in the afternoon, start from home at 8 or 9 o'clock, we'll be ready for you. Shop in the morning—conserve daylight and help the merchants help Uncle Sam.

**THURSDAY Is Valentine Day**  
You'll find here a splendid collection of the new ideas in a wide variety of selection and at a price range of 1c to 25c. Everybody enjoys receiving a valentine, and don't, by all means, forget the kiddies. Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

**The "Ask Mr. Foster" Travel Service Information**  
This office is maintained for your convenience, and whether you desire information about some near-at-home trip or are interested in a tour of South America or the orient, you will find here the very latest and most satisfactory data. The manager in charge of this office is prepared to plan the journey and to give information concerning all details—to relieve you of all worry—no charges or fees ever. Burgess-Nash Co.—Balcony, Main Floor

**Here's an Unusual Value in Taffeta Silks and Satins At \$1.69**  
WE say unusual value, because if we were to buy them on the market today, they would cost us practically what we offer them to you for Monday. The groups include pretty taffetas and satins, in smart stripes, plaids, checks and plain colors. Very desirable for skirts, dresses and suits, 36 inches wide, and very special, at \$1.69 a yard. Satin Charmeuse, at \$1.95 a Yard. In a pleasing range of shades for street and evening dresses. Browns, plum, navy, old rose, French gray, taupe, reseda, gold, pink, flesh, copenhagen, yellow, white and black. 40 inches wide. Very special, at \$1.95 a yard. Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

**No Need to Go South to Wear These Hats, \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00**  
YOU can stay right here in Omaha and wear these charming new creations—and feel smarter and better dressed than you did in your winter velvet. Particularly nice for immediate wearing is the new bright and shiny millinery—shiny straw—shiny ribbons—shiny ornaments, in fact, everything in keeping with the new season—Spring, the brightest and cheeriest time of the year. Such novel features, as: Pokes, Watteau Style, Short Back Effects, Dress Hats, Tailleur Hats, Street Hats. The creations are the very latest ideas just in from the east, and each depicts that characteristic of individuality and distinctiveness found, in Burgess-Nash millinery. Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

**New 1918 Spring Boots, Oxfords and Pumps Are Ready for Inspection**  
THE lasts and patterns are exclusive, and they will not be shown elsewhere in the city. For Dressy Street Wear. Imported Russia army tan vamps with warumbo buck cloth tops, perforated tip and vamps, light welt soles, two-inch Cuban heels. Brown French kid vamps with warumbo buck cloth tops, perforated tip and vamps, light welt soles, two-inch Cuban heels. Two-tone lace boots, brown kid vamp, dark golden brown kid tops. All black Russian calf, dull kid top, two-inch Cuban heels. All tan Russian calf, light welt soles, 1/2-inch Cuban heels. For Dressy Afternoon Wear. Silver gray kid. Moose brown kid. Military gray kid. Golden brown kid. Fawn color kid. Koko brown kid. Two-tone brown kid. All made with hand welted soles, two-inch kid covered heels, plain and perforated tips, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$13.50, the prices. Educator and Kinderkraft Shoes. For infants, children, misses and big girls, are the best wearing shoes made. Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

**OUR Soldiers' and Sailors' Shop**  
has been moved to the Third Floor at the landing of the elevator. Here you will find everything that the boys at the front or cantonment need and want, in wide and generous assortments; service flags, service buttons, shaving outfits, swagger sticks, French talking machine records, comfort kits, Red Cross kits, emergency kits, smoking sets, etc. Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor

**It's a duty and a necessity that every man, woman and child should buy War Savings Stamps. For sale at Information Desk, Main Floor.**

**BRING Your Films to Burgess-Nash**  
If you will bring your kodak films to us any day before 12:30, they will be developed, printed and ready for you at 11:30, the next. Likewise all films left before 4:00 p. m., will be ready at 3:30 the next day. We guarantee our work, too. Our stock of films is always fresh, you take no chance if you buy your films at Burgess-Nash. No. 0 Brownie camera, \$1.75. No. 2 Brownie camera, \$2.50. No. 2A Brownie camera, \$3.50. No. 3 Brownie camera, \$4.50. Kodak albums specially priced at \$1.35 to \$3.00. We carry Eastman kodaks exclusively. Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

**PLENTY of Yarns For Knitting**  
A recent shipment brought a splendid supply of knitting worsteds and silk and wool yarns so much in demand for women's sweaters. The newest shades are represented. Khaki Yarns, \$1.00. Khaki colored yarn suitable for helmets, wristlets, socks and scarfs, at \$1.00 a hank. Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor

**Golf**—Our driving net and putting course affords splendid opportunity to keep in trim. And there is no charge whatever. Burgess-Nash Co.—Fourth Floor

**If You Have a Thought of Economizing on Your Corset**  
DO it now! A dollar spent on correct corseting in time will save more than the proverbial nine. We have women in our corset department skilled in the corset art, and they will advise you how to treat your figure in order to obtain the very best results. Warner Corsets really form the backbone of our corset department—so confident are we of the permanent quality of Warner's Corsets. And, in these times, when we must search the market for dependable merchandise, to know that there is a manufacturer upon whom we can count for guaranteed service, makes corset selling quite worth while. Come in and be fitted to one of these new models that have arrived. Prices \$1.00 to \$6.00. Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

**Electric Washing Machines, \$75.00**  
"Quicker Yet" electric washing machines, dolly style, swinging wringer, \$75.00. Wash Boilers, \$2.19. Galvanized iron wash boilers, with stationary wood handles, No. 8 size, \$2.19. Wash Boilers, \$2.95. Copper bottom wash boilers, extra heavy tin, at \$2.95. Clothes Props, 19c. Clothes line props, 8-foot size, for 19c. Clothes Baskets, \$1.29. Willow clothes baskets, wood bottom, good size, special, at \$1.48. Clothes Hampers, \$1.19. Splint clothes hampers, medium size, with cover, special, at \$1.19. Ironing Boards, \$2.19. Automatic ironing boards, with stand, reinforced with steel brace, stands very firm and rigid, \$2.19. Clothes Line, 45c. Galvanized wire clothes line, 100-foot lengths, 45c. Clothes Lines, 25c. Cotton clothes lines, at 25c.

**This Is Baby Welfare Week**  
In the Burgess-Nash Infants' Wear Section  
An Occasion of Vast Importance to Mothers Who Want to Know More About Dressing Their Little Ones in the Most Healthful and Comfortable Manner

FULLY realizing that the interests of the baby are of first importance to every mother, we have planned this occasion as a source of helpful instruction—primarily to demonstrate the superior advantages of our infants' wear section. A Trained Nurse in Attendance. Mrs. Owens, a trained nurse, who has given years of careful study to the care of babies, will be here and explain and demonstrate how to dress the baby in the most healthful and comfortable manner. We want all mothers to come, and extend a most hearty welcome, not necessarily with the idea of buying, but we want you to know and appreciate what a great help we can be to you in supplying the accessories of the nurseries. Large numbers of Omaha mothers have the warmest praise for our admirable infants' wear section. Its entire energies can be devoted to providing the best apparel for the little folks from the earliest moment of their lives till they are six years of age.

**Vanta Baby Garments Featured**  
Mrs. Owens will explain the advantages of the Vanta Baby garments, showing why they are so enthusiastically endorsed by physicians and nurses everywhere. With Vanta garments, not a pin or a button is necessary to dress the baby from top to toe. A Pinless Diaper Pattern Will Be Given Free to Every Mother. Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

**His Majesty, the Baby, No Doubt Needs a New Carriage**  
AND it is with pride that we point to this display of carriages, collapsible carts and sulkies. Reed Body Baby Carriages. New and distinctive in design. The color combinations are most attractive, including old ivory, Nile green, gray and natural reed, with gears to match the body and upholstered in real corduroy. Some are equipped with reversible gears. Prices, \$22.50 to \$47.50. Sidway Collapsible Carriages. Space for pillows and wraps. Folds flat when not in use, and can be easily carried. Du Pont fabricoid waterproof hood. The springs are adjustable to baby's weight, protecting the spine from jolts and injury. Prices, \$19.00 to \$25.00. Sulkies Are \$5.50 to \$12.50. Characterized by roomy seats, high backs and excellent springs. All reed sulkies, hand woven of high grade genuine imported reed, good steel wheels with heavy rubber tires. Variety of colors, at \$5.50 to \$12.50. Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor

**Let Burgess-Nash Help With Your Laundry Work**  
We Feature Scores of Time and Labor-Saving Devices, Which Every Housewife Will Appreciate, Whether or Not She Does Her Own Laundry Work. Quality washing machines fitted with roller bearings, easiest operating hand machine on the market. Priced at \$13.95. Big Wonder Mop Outfit, \$1.00. Consisting of triangle shape cedar oil mop, 1 triangle shape polish, 1 dustless dust cloth and bottle cedar polish, 2 handles, for \$1. Floor mop, special, at 25c. Wringers, at \$4.95. "Horse Shoe" brand clothes wringers, warranted for 3 years, hardwood frame, 11-inch rubber rolls, for \$4.95. Clothes Pins, 7 Dozen for 10c. Hardwood clothes pins, at 7 dozen for 10c. Clothes Racks, \$1.25. High folding, 54-foot drying space, at \$1.25. Gas Plates, \$2.50. 3-burner laundry gas hot plates, at \$2.50. Wash Bench, \$2.25. Hardwood wash bench, holds two tubs, at \$2.25. Wash Boards, 39c. Extra wide, well made, special, at 39c. Ironing Boards, \$1.25. Basswood ironing board, with stand well made, for \$1.25. Water Pails, 35c. Galvanized iron water pails, first quality, 35c. Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

**"Mina Taylor" Dresses**  
For Home and Porch Wear Insure Comfort  
WHAT a comfort it is to be dressed in a garment that does not hinder you from reaching upwards without experiencing a tightening at the arms! What a comfort it is to wear a garment which permits freedom of movement of the body—a dress in which you will be at perfect ease at all times! Then let your next home dress be a Mina Taylor. These fine garments embody every essential of comfort. They are made large and roomy at every point where roominess is needed—through the waist, across the shoulders, at the arms, and through the hips. See the splendid assortment of Mina Taylor Dresses now on display on our Second Floor. You will find here a Mina Taylor that is just your size—in your favorite color—and it will have the little frills and fancies you usually add to home dresses when you make them yourself. From \$2.25 to \$5.50 Per Garment We Have Mina Taylor Aprons, Too, at 50c to \$2.50. Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

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Hardwood clothes pins, at 7 dozen for 10c.

**Electric Irons, \$3.45**  
"Gloria" electric irons, with detachable plug, full size, at \$3.45. Curtain Stretchers, \$1.29. Basswood curtain stretchers, full 6x12-foot size, special, \$1.29. Scrub Brush, 5c. Tampico scrub brush, good size, for 5c.

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