

AMERICA FIGHTS AGAINST RULE OF BRUTE STRENGTH

Dr. F. W. Gunsaulus in Lincoln Day Address Tells Vast Audience What Kaiser Stands For.

"The United States of America was born, a mighty protest against mere power and brute force," said Dr. F. W. Gunsaulus of Chicago, orator of the evening for the big Lincoln day celebration which filled the Auditorium Tuesday with eager patience.

"The nation was born as a protest against brute force, and her history shall not end until we have proved that mere brute force never settled anything."

"Humanity is being crucified today. Belgium and Serbia are the hands through which the spikes have been driven. The spear that has stabbed the heart of humanity is the old Roman spear of Caesarism, or kaiserism, for Caesar is the Roman word for kaiser, and kaiser is merely the German word for Caesar. Today we stand in the presence of a great suffering humanity."

Great Crowd Attends.

"Never can we, and never will we, accept any kind of peace until we know that Germany has been decisively beaten."

The Auditorium was filled. The crowd was estimated at between 6,000 and 7,000. On the first floor standing room was in demand and in the rear and along the aisles. All desirable seats in the balcony were filled and many stood.

Colonel J. M. Banister presided. The Forty-first Regiment United States Infantry band furnished dashing, patriotic music. The invocation was given by Rev. Edwin Hart Jenks. A quartet sang numerous selections and Colonel F. A. Grant of the quartermaster department, and George H. Merten, local attorney, made brief remarks. Albert Haberstro drew rounds of applause by singing "My Soldier" to the accompaniment of the Forty-first Infantry band. Judge Lee Estelle read Lincoln's Gettysburg address. Captain C. E. Adams, representing the Grand Army of the Republic, made a fiery address to close the meeting.

Francis A. Brogan read a resolution of greetings to President Wilson which was unanimously adopted. It pledged the sympathy and support of the audience to the president and renewed the pledge of lives and fortunes to the cause. "We urge that the war be prosecuted until a victorious peace shall be established in the world," the message concluded.

A telegram of greetings from General George H. Harries from South Carolina, was also read.

Obituary

MRS. WILLIAM REDGWICK, 1719 Georgia avenue, died at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at Birchmont hospital. The funeral will be held at the home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, interment at Fort Lawn cemetery. She is survived by her husband and daughter, Alice.

Brief City News

Have Root Print It—New Beacon Press. Lighting Fixtures, Burgess-Granden. Acquire in City, \$450 Up—Get a garden quick. Doug. 2947.

Robt. C. Druesedow & Co., stocks and bonds and local securities, 850 Omaha Nat. Bank Bldg.

Thrift Lessons taught by Nebraska Savings & Loan Ass'n insure 5 per cent dividends in January and July. \$1 starts an account. 211 S. 13th St.

Failed to Register—Frank Bobe was arrested in Sioux City for failure to register for the draft. He was brought to Omaha and placed in the county jail.

Employees Guests at Ball—Employees of the Union Outfitting company were guests of the concern at a ball at the Hotel Castle Tuesday night. Several hundred couples attended. Prizes were awarded to the best dancers.

State Bank of Omaha, corner Sixth and Harney streets, pays 4 per cent on time deposits; 3 per cent on savings accounts. All deposits in this bank are protected by the depositors' guaranty fund of the state of Nebraska.—Adv.

Personal Efficiency Class—The Young Men's Christian association has organized a class in "Personal Efficiency" for dormitory men. This class, under the direction of Lloyd E. Harter, will meet each Monday evening, and continue for a period of six weeks.

The War Tax Service Bureau will help you solve your income tax problems and prepare your return upon which you are assessed. You may be entitled to exemptions and deductions of which you are not aware. 805 Omaha National bank building. Tyler 220.

Fine fireplace goods at Sunderlands.

Detectives' Watchfulness Prevents Elopement

The failure of a second and yet unidentified soldier boy to keep his secret appointment on time near the Douglas street bridge last night, coupled with the vigilance of Officers Lahey and Baughman, foiled elopement plans and caused the detainment of Louis P. Cibirello, private of company 161, Camp Funston, and Pearl Shoyer and Opal Kiplan, girls 14 years old, living at 3621 Avenue A, Council Bluffs.

Louis is a Chicago boy, but chose to spend three days' furlough here with his pal, an Omaha boy and also a soldier at Camp Funston.

The girls and Cibirello were waiting at the bridge for the second soldier to bring civilian clothing, when their suspicious actions attracted attention of the police.

Florence Dwellers Declare Hitchcock Is Not Loyal

S. W. Smith and 49 citizens of Florence yesterday signed a paper which was forwarded to President Wilson. It contains the following:

"Senator Hitchcock's action does not represent loyal Nebraska. We do not want to be 'Russianized' by the disloyal intrigue in this country today. You have our sympathy and support in using extreme measures to stamp out this influence."

Von Hertling to Reply to President Wilson's Speech

London, Feb. 13.—Count von Hertling, the imperial German chancellor, an Exchange Telegram dispatch from Amsterdam says, intends to answer President Wilson's message in the Reichstag next Tuesday.

Persistent Advertising Is the Road to Success.

GERMAN PAPERS SEE LITTLE GAIN IN RUSS PEACE

Declares Teutons Must Still Guard Frontier; Chaos Will Continue as Formerly; Understanding Necessary.

(By Associated Press.)

Amsterdam, Feb. 13.—The German press appears quite unable to regard Trotzky's announcement of a state of peace between Russia and the central powers with any feelings of satisfaction.

The Berlin Zeitung Am Mittag thinks that the old chaos will continue and that therefore it will be necessary to continue to safeguard its frontier, both from a military and diplomatic viewpoint.

The Berlin Tageblatt says: "We have peace with Russia because there is no Russian army, but it is a peace devoid of any solid basis and without agreement. The quadruple alliance must now, as heretofore, strive after a definite settlement in eastern affairs which will facilitate the establishment of peaceful relations with the Russian peoples."

Last Call For Registration Of German Enemy Aliens

Washington, Feb. 13.—Unnaturalized Germans who do not register with the police or postmaster by tomorrow night will be subject to internment for the war, the Department of Justice explained today in a final warning to those subject to the registration. The time was extended from Saturday to allow the enrollment of farmers in the west who could not get to town during the bad weather of last week.

Committee Favors Reavis Resolution

Washington, Feb. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—Committee on military affairs of the house has favorably recommended for passage the resolution of Congressman Reavis directing the secretary of war upon the admission of an enlisted man or officer of the United States army to an army hospital in continental America to notify by telegraph the nearest relative of such enlisted man or officer of such admission and the condition of his illness.

Clash Between Finns and Russ on Alands, Imminent

Copenhagen, Feb. 13.—A dispatch to the National Tidende from Malmo says Finnish civil guardsmen from Nystad have crossed to the Aland Islands, where an engagement with the Russians is imminent.

Even Cupid Patriotic; Peddles Thrift Stamps

Washington, Feb. 12.—Sending of thrift stamps as valentines is suggested to the public in a resolution introduced today by Representative Lunn of New York. The plan originated in Schenectady, N. Y., and has been approved by the thrift stamp bureau.

Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. **BURGESS-NASH COMPANY.** Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

"EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Wednesday, February 13, 1917. STORE NEWS FOR THURSDAY. Phone D. 137.

Madam, All Petticoats Are Not Alike

Before You Buy Another Petticoat Make These Comparisons:

YOU are mistaken, if you think all petticoats are alike. And you will do yourself an injustice if you buy another petticoat without knowing wherein the difference lies. That's why we ask you, for your own sake, to make these comparisons.

Compare the Waistband

Pick up any petticoat at the waistband. See how the elastic is attached. Only on the



will find elastic sewed through and through in such a way that you cannot stretch it to more than one-fourth its total length. All other elastic waistbands must "go dead." Only the EPPO waistband maintains its elasticity for years.

Compare the Placket

Note how the plackets are made. Compare others with the EPPO. Note that the EPPO placket is made in one continuous piece to eliminate any chance of ripping. See how the EPPO placket is reinforced with an invisible strip of canvas to prevent the glove clasps from tearing out. See how convenient is the side closing at the front.



Look at the Bottom

The braid-protected bottom, which is exclusively an EPPO feature, will meet with your instant approval. No danger of the edge of your petticoat becoming worn or ragged, while the rest of the garment is perfectly good. This is one of the features of which we are especially proud.

Other Considerations and Comparisons

Consider the niceties of EPPO construction, the workmanship of the seams—they're made to wear—not merely to hold the garment together for a limited time.

The two clasps at the top of the placket are not absolutely necessary—simply additional precaution against accident.

So it goes through every detail of their manufacture—no skimping—always a little better than seems absolutely necessary.

That's why we are willing and proud to sew our label in the waistband to identify it from other petticoats—and that's why we ask you in fairness to yourself, to compare it with others.

Try on an EPPO—see how beautifully it fits—how conveniently it fastens. Note the splendid materials and exquisite designs—then make your choice.

EPPO petticoats are made in best quality taffeta, jersey tops, all jersey, messalines, wool jersey, and a wide variety of cotton materials. 50 shades from which to select.

Special Display and Demonstration of EPPO Petticoats On Our Second Floor

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

"Baby Welfare" Week

Is of Great Importance to Mothers

LET MISS OWENS show you how to dress the baby in the most healthful and comfortable manner.

Miss Owens is a trained nurse, who has given years of careful study to the care of babies and she will explain and demonstrate to you all that a mother should know regarding the dressing of her little ones.

Vanta Baby Garments Featured

Miss 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.

We want all mothers to come, and extend a most cordial 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.

A Pinless Diaper Pattern Given Free to Every Mother.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

Use a

Standard

ROTARY

For Your Spring Sewing

THE first signs of Spring find women sewing and in order to secure the quickest and neatest results great care should be taken in selecting the sewing machine.

In buying a Standard Rotary Sewing Machine you will find that you have bought the easiest and fastest running Sewing Machine on the market.

A machine that will sew with either one thread or two. Burgess-Nash are the exclusive agents for the Standard Rotary Sewing Machine and on the Fourth Floor you will find as large an assortment of styles and prices as you will find anywhere.

Thursday Specials

Four drawer golden oak Standard Rotary (new), \$39.00
Six drawer golden oak auto lift, \$22.50
White Rotary (used), \$18.00
White Rotary (used), \$15.00
Standard Rotary tailoring machine (new), \$38.00
A Free Sewing Machine (used), \$12.00
A floor sample full cabinet, \$35.00
One full cabinet (new), \$60.00.

Easy Terms of \$1.00 Down and \$1.00 a Week.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Fourth Floor

An Open Letter to the Men of This Town:

I'm the most critical man in town when it comes to dress, and I'm mighty proud of the distinction.

My friends tell me that I am too particular. That may be, but when I buy wearing apparel, it simply must be right.

Take shirts for instance. I'm a decided crank on them.

Attractive patterns and color effects compel my attention, but it takes more than a "nifty" looking shirt to make me buy.

I want to know the make-up of the garment—to learn its workmanship from top to bottom. Then if it's a quality garment I buy without hesitation, because I know the shirt will give me satisfaction.

By a quality garment I don't mean merely a "good" shirt. The shirt must be right—that is, it must combine all the essentials of comfort, style and long wear. It must fit right, yet have the roominess to permit freedom of movement. That is what I call a quality shirt.

Any merchant in this town who can show me a shirt that will come up to my requirements will get my patronage—and it will be liberal.

I'm just a trifle reserved to mention my name in public at this time, and I hope there will be no objection to my signing a nom de plume.

Wesley Brunner

Thursday in the Down Stairs Store

Women's Waists, 69c

A special lot of waists, many styles of new sheer dainty materials, also solid colors and fancy striped effects, many beautiful designs to select from, at **69c**

Wash Laces, 25c

In wide flouncings, bands and edges, linen cluny laces, and imitation filet, 6 to 12 inches wide, a yard, at **25c**

Corset Covers, 15c

Good quality muslin, trimmed with lace or embroidery, all sizes, slightly soiled or mussed. Very special, at **15c**

Extra Special!

Women's High Shoes, \$2.45

SEVERAL hundred pairs of women's shoes, short lines and odd pairs left from all of staple lines have been transferred from our Second Floor to the Down Stairs Store and will be placed on sale Thursday at the very special price of **\$2.45.**

The lot includes:

- Women's button and lace, patent colt shoes.
- Women's button and lace gun metal calf shoes.
- Women's button and lace black kid skin shoes.
- Goodyear welt and turn soles with low and high Cuban heels.

Your choice Thursday at **\$2.45** a pair.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

Children's Dresses, 59c

Gingham plaid and solid colored gingham dresses and madras cloth dresses, also broken lots of ladies' aprons, skirts and dresses, the entire lot priced at... **59c**

Girls' Middies at 49c

Girls' and misses' plain white and fancy colored middies, many materials in red, blue, pink and striped collars and cuffs; Thursday, at **49c**

Women's Gowns, 59c

Muslin night gowns, prettily trimmed with lace and durable patterns of embroidery; mostly small sizes, at **59c**