

LUTHERANS TO MAKE DRIVE FOR WAR WORK FUNDS

Omaha Headquarters of Western Territory in Campaign for \$750,000 for Soldiers and Sailors.

Omaha is headquarters of the western territory in the drive of the Lutheran church for \$750,000 for soldiers' and sailors' welfare work, which was decided upon at a meeting of the national Lutheran commission in Pittsburgh two weeks ago.

Rev. Luther M. Kuhns of Omaha has been appointed western director and will have charge of the drive in this territory, which comprises the states of Nebraska, South Dakota, Idaho, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Missouri and Kansas. The amount to be raised in Nebraska is \$19,000.

Drive Begins February 18. The campaign begins Monday, February 18, and continues one week, ending Tuesday, February 26.

The budget includes the following items: Equipment for chaplains, \$25,000; camp pastors' salaries and expenses, \$400,000; assistance to churches near camps, \$40,000; work in France, \$50,000; building of huts, \$125,000; song books and service books to be given soldiers and sailors, \$35,000; care of the wounded and emergency, \$25,000. This amount is the minimum required for 1918.

The members of the Nebraska committee and including the different Lutheran bodies in this state, with Rev. Mr. Kuhns, chairman, are represented as follows: The Augustana synod, by Rev. A. T. Lorimer, president of the home mission board of the Nebraska conference, and Rev. E. G. Chalmers, pastor of Immanuel church. Ninth and Cass streets; the general synod by Rev. Dr. Yerian, president of the Nebraska synod, and Rev. Dr. Swihart, pastor of Grace church, Omaha; the United Danish Lutheran church by Rev. I. Gertsen, vice president of that general body; Rev. M. T. Jensen, secretary of the Nebraska conference of the United Danish church, Fremont, and Rev. H. Berthelsen of the Pella Danish Lutheran church, Omaha; Rev. M. W. Halvorson, official representative of the Norwegian Lutheran church of America, Omaha; Rev. V. S. Jensen, official representative of the Danish Lutheran church in America; and Rev. Paul Buehring, president of Hebron academy, official representative of the joint synod of Ohio, Hebron, Neb.

Hold Special Services. On Sunday special services inaugurating the campaign will be held not only in the Lutheran churches of Omaha, but in the Lutheran churches throughout the United States. Already large gifts are reported in the east and the success of the campaign is assured.

Every Lutheran body in America is co-operating in this campaign. It is the biggest thing the Lutheran has ever undertaken in this country. It has the endorsement of President Wilson, who writes: "I learn of the service planned by the Lutheran commission for soldiers' and sailors' welfare with a great deal of interest and need not assure you that it has my best wishes." Governor Neville of Nebraska says: "I assure you that it is indeed a pleasure to give my most hearty commendation to the work you are endeavoring to accomplish. I wish you every success."

Auto Crash Results in Fines for Both Drivers

E. J. Brewer, proprietor of a garage at fourteenth and Grace streets, was fined \$7.50 and costs in police court on complaint of Billy Bullard, 700 North Fortieth street, who charged Brewer with reckless driving. Bullard's car and a car driven by Brewer collided at 2:30 Sunday morning at Eighteenth and Yates streets. Both cars were badly damaged. Bullard later identified the car Brewer was driving as the one which had been stolen from him December 13. Evidence showed that both cars were traveling at an excessive rate of speed and Judge Fitzgerald fined both Brewer and Arthur Bauer, driver of the Bullard car, \$7.50 and costs each.

Rail Men Co-Operate to Make Farmers' Week Success

Railroad men are co-operating with the food administration in an effort to make "Farmers' Repair Week" a success. They are sending word to all their Nebraska agents to get in touch with the farmers in their respective localities and urge them to devote the days of the week named to looking over their farm machinery and see that it is put in good condition for the work of the coming season. The food administration has designated the week, March 4-9, as a period when the farmers of the United States should overhaul their farm machinery and put it in perfect condition for use.

Ice in Prime Condition for Skating; Rinks Crowded

The recent thaw, followed by freezing weather, has resulted in putting the ice in prime condition for skating. The ice on the lake in Miller park is as smooth and clean as a sheet of glass, and the same is true of Carter and most of the lakes within the city limits. Boys and girls are taking advantage of the improved condition of the ice fields and they are covered with skaters.

Federal Officers Raid House and Find Morphine

Federal officers made a raid on a house at 1517 North Twenty-first street and arrested Marie Jeffries, colored, and Juanita Wilson, who says she is half Indian. They are charged with selling morphine. Officers say they captured plenty of evidence.

Drop Charges Against Girl Who Threw Coffee on Rival

Charges of assault and battery, preferred against Mrs. Lena Turpin Alfreds, 2815 Dewey avenue, when she threw a pot of boiling coffee on Agatha Zimmerman at a dance on January 25, were dismissed in police court Friday for want of prosecution.

STEEPLE JACK TRIES TO CLIMB EIFFEL TOWER



RALPH E. MONSON

Ralph E. Monson of York, Neb., famous throughout the United States for his daring as a steeple jack, recently received his commission in the United States flying corps. Mr. Monson boasted to a friend that if he passed the examination for the flying corps he would climb the Eiffel tower in Paris as soon as he arrived there. Arriving in Paris, he immediately set about to fulfill his boast and was quite a way up the tower when he was promptly stopped by the excited gendarmes and sentinels, who thought he had taken leave of his senses.

Snow Fall Ceases and Wind Dies Down; Goodby Blizzard

The blizzard was short lived, according to morning weather reports to the railroads. Out in the state the snow ceased falling early Thursday night and the wind died down. Railroad reports indicate temperatures of 20 degrees above in the southwestern portion of Nebraska to 6 below in the northwest, Chadron being the coldest.

In South Dakota it is frigid, Winter reporting 12 degrees below, with 6 to 8 degrees below all through the Black Hills country.

Out in Wyoming it is warmer, reports indicating temperatures of 16 to 32 degrees above zero.

Railroad men estimate the snowfall over Nebraska during the last two days at four to six inches. There was enough rainfall with it to hold it in place and for this reason there was not enough drifting to interfere with the operation of trains.

Chamber of Commerce Seeks Membership Total of 2,500

The Omaha Chamber of Commerce wants 2,500 members. It now has 2,150. A campaign to increase the membership to the desired mark will start February 25. J. T. Dysart is chairman of the membership committee. More than 100 members have volunteered to work in teams to hustle in the new members. A list of 1,500 prospects has been compiled and the hustling teams will solicit each of these.

The chamber has found that other cities have larger memberships in proportion to population than Omaha, and the local organization has determined it shall lag no longer.

Alien Enemies Will Have to Call for Registration Cards

Alien enemies will have to call in person at the council chamber in the city hall to receive their registration cards. The cards will be ready February 20 and may be obtained from that time until February 28. All registrants must appear at this time and obtain their cards, as the office will be closed after that time. The office will be open from 11 a. m. to 8 p. m. No cards will be delivered before February 20 and under no circumstance will cards be mailed to registrants.

Elmer Beddeo Returns From Buying Trip in East

Elmer Beddeo of the Beddeo Clothing company returned Thursday from a three weeks' buying trip in New York and other markets. Mr. Beddeo placed large orders for new spring apparel for his credit clothing store and will have a more comprehensive stock this year than in any previous season.

Rev. Luther Kuhns to Speak at Iowa Patriotic Meeting

Rev. Luther M. Kuhns, director of the western territory in the national drive of the Lutheran church for \$750,000 for work among soldiers and sailors, will go to Stanford, Ia., where he will deliver the principal address at a big patriotic meeting in the Lutheran church Sunday night.

Six-Hour Sentence for Failure to Register

Georgé Leonard of Grand Island was sentenced to six hours in jail by Federal Judge Woodrough on the charge of failing to register. He showed that, according to his mother's statement of his birth, he was a year younger than he actually was and therefore thought himself under draft age.

Muny Guards Attend School of Instruction

More than 30 members of the Muny Guards are attending officers' school in the city hall each night in an endeavor to obtain commissions in the muny army, which will mobilize during the summer. Captain Richard Wood of the high school cadets is instructor.

Audubon Society to Hold Annual Meeting Saturday

Members of the Audubon society will meet at the public library Saturday night for the annual election of officers. Miles Greenleaf will describe some new birds he has found in his wanderings. Dr. Solon R. Towne, president of the Audubons, will preside.

Friday, February 15, 1918.

BURGESS-NASH STORE NEWS FOR SATURDAY

Telephone Douglas 137.

SATURDAY at BURGESS-NASH Till 6

Just Out of Their Tissue Wrappings

Pretty New Tub Silk Blouses Specially Priced at \$1.95

YOU'LL appreciate this offering for Saturday, the styles are the very latest and the values are unusual.



The blouses are of tub silk of a superior quality, in flesh color, white, rose and majze. Frilled jabot, tucked and lace trimmed models. Roll or sailor collars, and the new, square cut effects. Every blouse is fresh and crisp, just out of their tissue wrappings.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

Women's Fiber Silk Boot Hose Featured Saturday at 50c

BLACK fiber silk boot hose, with garter tops and seamless foot, special, at 50c per pair.

Black or white, full fashioned with regular made foot and double garter top, at 50c.

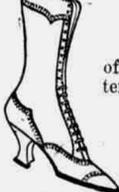
Women's Cotton Hose, 25c. Women's cotton hose, black or white, with double garter top and seamless foot, special, at 25c a pair.

Children's Cotton Hose, 25c. Children's fine ribbed white cotton hose, very special Saturday, at 25c a pair.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

The New Early Spring Boots, Oxfords and Pumps Are Ready

And we want you to see these new models.



For Dressy Afternoon Wear. There will not be shown the great variety of colors as heretofore, but the lasts and patterns are different.

The correct colors for spring include: Silver gray kid. Golden brown kid. Covert color kid. Mahogany brown kid. Mouse brown kid. Two-tone brown kid.

Prices \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$13.50.

For Street Wear. Imported tan Russia and black calf skin. Two-tone Russia calf skin and kid vamp with war-umbo buck tops, Cuban heels. Oxfords and pumps of tan Russia calf and black kid skin, with the new straight Cuban heels, light welt soles.

Educator and Kindercraft Shoes for infants, children, misses and big girls, are the best wearing shoes made.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

CUT Flowers for Saturday

Everybody loves flowers, and our cut flower section is abloom with the beautiful.

Carnations, 3c. Fresh cut carnations, assorted colors and white, at 3c each.

Violets, at 19c. California violets, 50 in a bunch, for 19c.

Spring Flowers of all kinds, tulips, jonquils, fresias, sweet peas and roses, at special prices.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

WOMEN'S Union Suits, at 69c

Fine white cotton with low neck, and sleeveless with cuff or trimmed knee, at 69c.

Union Suits, 95c. Women's union suits, extra sizes, band tops, low neck and sleeveless, fine white cotton, knee length, special at 95c.

Athletic Suits, \$1.50. Women's low neck and sleeveless athletic union suits, made of nainsook, knee length, priced at \$1.50.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

There's a Charm You'll Like About

These New Dresses For Spring Wear, at \$29.50 and \$35.00

EVERYTHING points to an unprecedented dress season, and in anticipating it, we have given especial attention to the little details which make the dress from Burgess-Nash "different"—individual and distinctive in style—a feature every woman seeks who gives a thought to her wearing apparel.



The materials are jerseys, serges, and taffetas, with smart braidings, embroideries and plain tailleur models. The colorings are navy, tan, brown and the most favored shadings for spring.

The styles are the Redingate and Eton models—straight lines and coat effects.

Dresses for street and afternoon wear.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

Mr. Man! You'll Hunt a Long Time Before You Find Better Suit Values Than These at \$21.50

THERE'S a wide range of materials, including plain serges, good staple styles that will be desirable for the coming season. All reduced for Saturday, to \$21.50.

Every garment possesses all the points there are to a suit—thorough satisfaction with the way they fit, the way they're made and the way they look and wear—splendidly tailored throughout. In style and fabric everything that is new is represented. The tailoring shows the master touch of America's greatest designers. All sizes represented, from 33 to 46.



Juvenile Suits and Overcoats

Middy, Norfolk and military models, blue serges, shepherd plaids and fancy mixtures; for ages 2½ to 8 years, \$4.95 to \$12.00.

Boys' New Spring Suits, \$7.95

For ages 6 to 17 years, single or double breasted models, in all the latest patterns, made with belt and patch pockets, at \$7.95.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Fourth Floor

Boys' New Khaki Suits, With Knickerbocker Pants, \$5.00

Good-looking new spring models, in the military or khaki color, with belt all around, patch pockets with flaps and military buttons; for ages 6 to 14 years, at \$5.

THE New Hats Call for a Veil

In fact, women who would be smartly dressed, must wear a veil. Our stock is very extreme, embracing the newest styles and effects, circular drape veils in taupe, black, purple, brown and navy, at \$1.00 to \$3.50 each.

Veilings, 25c to \$1.50

Fine French mesh veilings with embroidered motifs and dots of chenille, small patterns and plain meshes. The colors are taupe, brown, purple and navy, also black, at 25c to \$1.50 a yard.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

Drugs and Toilet Goods

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| Pebeco tooth paste, 29c. | Soul Kiss cream, 29c. | 4 oz. pure glycerine, bay rum and rose water, 19c. |
| Orchard white, 34c. | Racarna toilet water, \$1.00. | 16 oz. peroxide, 30c. |
| French ivory manicure pieces, 19c. | Lavoris, medium, 44c. | 1 lb. epsom salts, 20c. |
| French ivory combs, special, 29c. | Lavoris, small, 22c. | Rubber Goods |
| Page's talcum powder, 12c. | Cocoa hard water castile/soap, 9c. | 1 lot of 2-quart seamless hot water bottles, guaranteed, \$1.25. |
| Jap Rose talcum, 13c. | Peroxide soap, 9c. | 1 lot 2-quart bottles, \$1.50. |
| Babcock's coryolis talcum, 19c. | Lana oil and butter-milk soap (Graham's), 8c. | 1 lot 3-quart bottles, \$1.75. |
| Williams' talcum powder, 13c. | 1 quart denatured alcohol, 59c. | 2-quart combination water bottles and syringes, \$2.95. |
| Himckle's pills, 100 in a bottle, 19c. | 4 oz. olive oil, 25c. | Rubber gloves, 49c. |
| | 10 oz. olive oil, 50c. | |
| | 20 oz. olive oil, 90c. | |
| | 4 oz. peroxide, 10c. | |
| | 8 oz. peroxide, 20c. | |

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

Burgess-Nash Down Stairs Store

SMART New Spring Hats, \$1.75



Chic models of straw and satin, also crepe combinations. There's a score or more of clever styles from which to make your selection, and the price is \$1.75.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store.

Women's Taffeta Silk Skirts for Early Spring, \$6.50

DAME Fashion says taffeta silk is the correct fabric for skirts for spring. We offer a special selection for Saturday, at \$6.50.

Each reproduced from a higher priced model, finished with pleats, wide belts, pockets and button trimmed. The colors included are rose, and navy, besides black; specially priced, at \$6.50.



Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

Extra Special! A Sale of Men's Fine Shoes at Less Than Cost to Make, Saturday at \$4.85

THE biggest and best values in men's shoes we have been able to offer for a long, long time.

Every pair made this season, no job lots or old styles. Ten different lasts from which to choose and a shape for every foot; included are:

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| Genuine black calf skin, English last, heavy single oak tan soles. | Genuine black calf skin, button. |
| Genuine black calf skin, Rinex soles, rubber heels, they outwear two pairs of leather soles. | Genuine black calf skin, wide toe last, Rinex soles, rubber heels. |
| Genuine black calf skin with tan Russia top, English last, heavy single oak soles. | Black kid skin, modified English last, best oak tan leather soles. |
| Genuine black calf skin blucher, cut high toe last. | Tan Russia calf, lace, medium found toe last. |
| | Tan oil grain Munson's army boot, heavy single sole. |

Men's Dress and Work Shoes, at \$3.85

A clearaway of all the men's lines left from the season's selling.

- Men's tan Russia calf, English last, neolin soles.
- Men's black calf skin, English last, rubber soles.
- Men's heavy calf oil grain, heavy soled work shoes.
- Men's black calf, English last, oak tan soles.
- Men's patent colt, button, cloth top, dress shoes.

All reduced to \$3.85 pair.



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