

### KENDRICK SAYS SHIPS HAMPERED ON THE ATLANTIC

#### Wyoming Senator Tells University Club Audience of the Many Restrictions Placed on Shipping.

Senator John Kendrick of Wyoming, speaking before the University club Friday noon, declared there is seemingly inexcusable hampering of the movements of ships on the Atlantic ocean. He was one of the senators who made a trip to the battle front in Europe recently.

"It is hard to see why the ships should be so delayed," he said, "when it is so important that every ship move with all possible speed. We were held in Liverpool four days after we were ready to sail on the return trip, before the admiralty gave us permission to go. And then we took a long course up near the coast of Iceland. And we selected such stormy weather that we couldn't drop our channel pilot and carried him all the way to New York."

"It is impossible to realize the horror of the submarine unless you have looked into the terror-stricken faces of women and children whom you are powerless to help. If any considerable number of Americans had seen the diving women and children of the Lusitania the declaration of war would have come then."

"An admirable thing is the bravery of the seamen, who, saved from a torpedoed ship, immediately got on another ship and braved the dangers with unflinching courage. It has even come to be rather a gambling game. There's a story of one young fellow who was drinking rather freely of champagne. 'I'm having it all charged to this ship,' he said, 'and she's going to be torpedoed.' The vessel actually was torpedoed and as he sat in the lifeboat he said, 'Well, I told you that champagne bill would be settled and it is.'"

"In spite of all that has been said of the food situation among our allies, we found from personal investigation that so far there has been no real suffering. Everybody has enough to eat though there is a shortage of sugar and a growing shortage of wheat."

Senator Kendrick declared that he always "considered a talk about the war as more of a joke than anything else, because it is all so tremendous that no one can say anything authoritative because no one can have a correct knowledge of all the facts or of even a considerable number of them."

#### Mills Ordered to Suspend At the 75 Per Cent Mark

Mills in this division which have already ground 75 per cent of their allotment of wheat for the year are required by the federal food administration to discontinue grinding immediately. All mills which have not yet ground 75 per cent of their year's allotment are required to shut down instantly when they have reached that figure.

Mills grinding on army and navy orders are excepted in this order. The mills may also grind local wagon wheat for domestic use.

The mills must also arrange their operation so that an equal quantity of their remaining wheat allotment will be ground in each month, March, April, May and June.

The mills in this section have already exceeded the grind of those in other sections, and an even distribution of milling activity requires that these mills suspend temporarily, and until the character of the future wheat movement is more fully developed. The food administration hopes to be able to list the order soon.

Mills having unfilled food administration export orders will regard such orders as in suspense until further advice.

The mill division is also issuing a call for 30 per cent of the March output of wheat flour of the mills of the country.

#### Boy Struck by Motor Truck; Say He Ran in Front of Car

Dominick Ananic, 6 years old, was struck and knocked down at Twenty-eighth and Leavenworth streets by a truck Thursday. The truck was driven by Charles Manahan, 3023 Larimore avenue, who said the boy became frightened at seeing a dog coming toward him, and leaped from the sidewalk squarely in front of the oncoming car. Manahan took the boy to Nicholas Senn hospital. His injuries are not serious.

### Brief City News

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

**Robt. C. Dressedow & Co.** stocks and bonds and local securities, 869 Omaha Nat. Bank Bldg.

**Booth in Shoe Store**—The Douglas shoe store has installed a private or thopedic booth, where women may go for foot comfort in privacy.

**Falls on Ice**—Mrs. Paul Hirsch, 2112 Burt street, suffered a fractured wrist when she slipped and fell on an icy sidewalk in front of her home Thursday.

**Fined on Liquor Counts**—Earl Collins and Earl Freeland pleaded guilty to bringing liquor into the state and were fined \$10 each by Federal Judge Woodruff.

**War Veterans Meet**—General Henry W. Lawton post No. 1, United States War Veterans, will hold its regular meeting February 20 at Memorial hall, court house, at 2 o'clock.

**State Bank of Omaha**, corner Sixteenth 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' guarantee fund of the state of Nebraska.—Adv.

**Error in Name**—In a story, Wednesday evening's Bee mentioned the name of Howard Goodrich as author of a complaint against the automobile bile spotlight filed with the city council. It should have been Howard Gillespie.

**Woman Slips on Ice Sidewalk**—Mrs. Paul Hirsch, 2112 Burt street, received a broken wrist when she fell on an icy sidewalk in front of her home yesterday afternoon. She was taken to St. Joseph's hospital where Dr. Duncan attended her injury.

**Contest Closes Monday**—The contest for a suitable slogan for the bureau of publicity of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce to use in soliciting the \$50,000 fund to advertise Omaha will close Monday. Slogans mailed in envelopes bearing the postmark of February 18 will be considered in the contest. A prize of \$10 is up for the winner.

**Fireman Hurt**—Harry Goth, fireman at engine house No. 3, will have to abate his athletic ambitions for a few weeks. Friday night he suffered a sprained wrist when he fell from flying rings which are part of physical culture apparatus used by the firemen at this house. Goth was trying some flying stunt he had observed in a circus, but he could not negotiate the revolution and maintain his hold to the rings.

**Fine fireplace goods** at Sunderlands.

### C. L. U. SUGGESTS STRONGER UNION

#### Members of Central Labor Union Speak for Stronger Organization to Assist Government During War.

Central Labor union meeting last night in the old Masonic building, Sixteenth and Capitol avenue endorsed a stronger organization of labor, especially in this crisis of the war.

T. P. Reynolds, president said: "The government is looking toward organized labor for concentrated help to force the war to an end. A more unified organization of labor can and would gladly assist the government in furnishing mechanics and other laborers."

Endorsement was given a bill in congress for an increase in pay to rural mail carriers.

Favorable remarks were made concerning the action of the teamsters' union in regard to teaching the 500 high school boys who have agreed to work on farms during the summer vacation, about the care and mastery of horses.

A protest was launched against Food Administrator Wattles as official of the street railway company for alleged "un-Hooverism" in permitting street cars, numbering between 15 and 25, to remain lighted in the car yards at Twenty-fourth and Vinton streets during the early morning hours.

General laughter was created when one of the attending guests of the meeting remarked:

"Wattles is surely Hooverizing coal on the Council Bluffs cars."

### City Officials File Answer In "Mayor's Automobile Suit"

Answers to James D. Murphy's suit for \$13,716 against City Commissioner Withnell and the city of Omaha for supplying Mayor Dahlman with an automobile and chauffeur have been filed in district court by the mayor and City Commissioners Hummel, Withnell and Jardine.

The defendants admit that the mayor's automobiles have cost the city \$13,716 to date, but maintain they believed and still believe the city of Omaha has ample right and full legal power to buy the machines and provide for their upkeep.

Murphy preferred his charges against the city of Omaha and City Commissioner Withnell particularly in a petition filed March 16, 1917, in which he accused Withnell of a willful gross extravagance in the expenditure of the public money.

### Woodmen of the World to Banquet Next Thursday Night

The Woodmen of the World local central committee is arranging for a membership banquet to be held on the eighth floor of the Blackstone hotel next Thursday night. Sovereign Commander Fraser will be toastmaster and on the speaking list will be Mayor Dahlman, A. W. Jeffers and Leo A. Hoffman.

Covers will be laid for 250 attendants. An entertainment program will be given. Colonel C. L. Mather, city manager, states that the membership of the order in Greater Omaha is 9,000 and a drive is on for 10,000.

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### D. D. D.


Sherman & McConnell Drug Co. That extra room will pay your coal bill. Rent it through a Bee Want Ad.

### State Agents Arrest Two Citizens of Greenwood

State Agents Buel and Kelly arrested two Greenwood, Neb., citizens yesterday for alleged violation of the prohibitory law.

The officers assert that several quarts of intoxicating liquor were found in possession of Earl Clymers, a wealthy citizen of that community. Arthur Stryder was the other one arrested.

They were turned over to Sheriff Quenton of Plattsmouth.



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The idea did not originate with me—it was given me by one of the first patients I did dental work for—several years ago—when my (then new) discovery of a safe, sure and dependable local anesthetic was being given its final tests.

I not only appreciated the compliment—but I saw the ADVERTISING VALUE of the name and I placed it on my office doors and windows.

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My name proved I had confidence enough in my claims of painless dentistry to identify myself indissolubly with it—but back of it all is the TRUE secret of the phenomenal success of my practice—viz,

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After years of practice, the name "Painless" still holds good to every patient who has had work done in my office—The name "Withers" is good as a bond at any Bank or Business house; and the title "Dentist" is respected (even if not liked) by every fairminded Dentist in this State.

Painless Withers, Dentist, means much to me—it means MORE TO YOU.

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### Omaha Boy Now Is Major In United States Marines

Major Albert E. Randall of the United States marine corps, Omaha High school graduate and foot ball star, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Randall, 820 Park avenue, on leave from the marines corps station at Mare Island, Cal. Major Randall was graduated from Central high

### John F. Letton Returns From Hospital at Rochester, Minn.

John F. Letton, president of the North American Hotel company, has returned from Rochester, Minn., where he underwent an operation at the Mayo Bros' hospital several weeks ago. He expects to be at his desk Tuesday morning at his office in the Bee building.

## CENTRAL

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Suite, as illustrated, William and Mary style, in old English oak. 60-inch Buffet and 54-inch Table and 6 leather seat Chairs.....	\$149.00
The Table.....	\$35.00
The Buffet.....	\$35.00
Same Buffet, walnut.....	\$42.50
Buffets in golden oak, 45 to 48-inch tops.....	\$17.75 to \$26.50
Buffets, same size, fumed oak, from.....	\$16.50 to \$28.00
Fumed Oak Buffet, 66 inches in length, solid oak, price.....	\$42.50
Odd China Cabinets, from broken suites, sharply underpriced, from.....	\$14.75 to \$30

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This Rocker in tapestry seat and back, mahogany..... **\$24.75**

Chair to match..... **\$24.00**

A genuine quartered oak, high back, wood seat Rocker, **\$4.50**

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Tripod Table, **59c**

This dandy little scale, weighs to 25 lbs. .... **85c**

A Hand Scale, with chains and weighing pan..... **19c**

Stenciled Grass Rug, in blues and greens, size 27x34 in..... **79c**

Mahogany Candle Stick and Silk shade, blue and pink..... **65c**

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Everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it, before breakfast.

To feel as fine as the proverbial fiddle, we must keep the liver washed clean, almost every morning, to prevent its sponge-like pores from clogging with indigestible material, sour bile and poisonous toxins, says a noted physician.

If you get headaches, it's your liver. If you catch cold easily, it's your liver. If you wake up with a bad taste, furred tongue, nasty breath or stomach becomes rancid, it's your liver. Sallow skin, muddy complexion, watery eyes all denote liver uncleanness. Your liver is the most important, also the most abused and neglected organ of the body. Few know its function or how to release the dammed-up body waste, bile and toxins.

Every man and woman, sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, to wash from the liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, the poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Limestone phosphate is inexpensive; any pharmacist will sell you a quarter pound, which is sufficient for a demonstration of how hot water and limestone phosphate cleans, stimulates and freshens the liver, keeping you feeling fit day in and day out.—Adv.

### Boy Scouts Attend Mass Meeting to Discuss Triumphs

More than 500 members of the Boy Scouts attended the mass meeting in the Chamber of Commerce rooms last night. This was the first annual gathering of the Boy Scouts of Omaha, and some of the accomplishments of the last year were discussed and plans made for a five-year campaign for members and money.

The Boy Scouts owe their rapid growth to the tireless work of the officers and to various organizations in co-operation.

Two thousand books were presented to the soldiers through the work of the Boy Scouts, 25,000 pledges to the thrift stamps were obtained by them, and by troop five alone, \$189,000 worth of Liberty bonds were sold in the last campaign, of which \$87,000 worth was sold by one member, Carl Diamond.

Troop five was presented with a loving cup by the Liberty loan committee, and Carl Diamond received six badges of rank and honor from the headquarters of the Boy Scouts, one of which was a lie certificate, the first one of its kind given out in Omaha.

### Comes From State Street In Chicago on Kay See Train

Charles Smith of St. Joseph, arrested Thursday by State Agents Buel and Kelly, testified in police court Saturday that he was taking a five-gallon can of whisky, wrapped in a sack, a suit case, shoe box and both pockets full of booze to a sick brother in Columbus, Neb. He said that he has been living on a farm in State street, Chicago, and had come from there on a Kansas City train. "You don't tell a very straight story," said Judge Fitzgerald, and fined him \$100 and costs.

### Street Railway Employee Injured in Fall at Barn

Theodore Hoeffeldt, employe of the street railway company, fell into a car pit while walking around a car in the car barn and fractured his hip. He was taken to the St. Joseph hospital.

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