

Appeal Sent to Congressman for Government Assistance in Getting Cars to Ship Cattle From Country.

Washington Bureau, Of Omaha Bee, 1311 G Street. Washington, March 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-A well known banker in the North Platte valley, writing to Congressman Kinkaid, calls attention to the serious condition prevailing in the live stock and feeding districts of Nebraska, and, in view of the grave imminence of distressing financial losses to the feeding interests, ask if soemthing cannot be done to give the cattle feeders relief.

In Scottsbluff valley alone, according to Judge Kinkaid's correspondent, 25,000 head of cattle are on feed and at the present prices the feeders face. not only the loss of all their feed, but adidtional money and labor. Last week at Scottsbluff 40 cars

were ordered by feeders for cattle shipments but only three cars were received. This condition is intoleraable, says the banker, and if relief is not given soon feeders will be forced out of business.

Judge Kinkaid took up the question with the food administrator and railroad interests with a view of getting the prayed for relief.

"It is granted," said Judge Kinkaid, "that conditions are bad for cattle feeders especially.

"Prices on high quality cattle have been decreasing, with a poorer quality stable, or rising, because of the increased demand for the latter.

"It is not improbable, according to information received today, that the price of corn will be lowed, that the price of corn will be lower by the end of this month and with now only one advising as to prices. meatless day for beef and pork and all restrictions removed as to lamb and mutton, the difference may be felt.

"I told my correspondent that everything was being done to get cars and a modification of existing conditions.

GRAIN RESERVE VERY SHORT IN

Washington, March 6.-Reports Los Angeles, Cal., March 6.-(Spe-showing that nearly 50 per cent more eial Telegram.)-The engagement of States. grain has been hauled to western pri-mary markets during the last three a physician of Omaha and now a weeks than in the same period last member of the medical reserve corps year were made public today by the with the Twenty-sixth engineers, sta-tion of the medical reserve corps and the fact that they had been given careful instructions for the last 10 railroad administration. In spite of tioned at Camp Dix, Wrightstown, days. this great movement, however, the re- N. J., and Miss Betsy Thayer Mc- Con

WAR TIME POWER Head of War Industries Board Has Increased Authority Over Industries.



BARNARD M. BARUCH.

New York, Marchr 6 .- Reorganiz ation of the war industries board, with Bernard M. Baruch of New York as chairman and with vastly-increased total of 23,928. powers to control the output of American industry during the war, was announced today by President Wilson

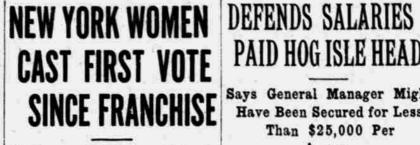
Final determination of all questions of priority in delivering to any de-partment of the United States government, and to all allies, is vested in the board and it is charged with

Much of the power is given to the chairman with the board acting in an advisory capacity, and he, the president says, should "act as the general eye of all supply departments in the field of industry."

Through the board it is proposed to eliminate all competition for supplies between the various depart ments and the allies thus meeting in a measure at least the demand in congress for centralization of power.

MIDDLE WEST Engagement of Miss McGuire And Captain Fricke Announced

THE BEE: OMAHA, THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1918.



"Baby Carriage" Brigade Plays Important Part in Congressional Election; Few Foolish Questions.

New York, March, 6-New York with government money on a comtotal of 78,192 in the four districts. They voted early, seeming to have made up their minds what they were going to do before they received their ballots, and they asked few "foolish women had their first chance to vote questions.

DEMOCRATS SELECTED. In all the districts the democratic nominees were elected over their republican opponents by comfortable The most surprising feamargins. ture was the fact that in the 22d district, which includes part of the borough of the Bronx, the vote cast for the socialist candidate exceeded by approximately 700 that given the republican nominee. The socialist

vote in other districts was negligible. The only other district which had woman candidate was the 21st. Mrs. Mamie Colvin ran on the prohibition ticket. Her vote was 328 out of a

WOMEN CAUSE INTEREST.

of the women who took the trouble to register so they could cast their Many Americans Dead as ballots were guided largely by the politics of their husbands or male relatives. All the districts are nor-

mally democratic. Election officials who had predicted

professed to have been pleasantly women acted more intelligently and ruary 24, from gun shot wounds. voted more expeditiously than the men. Many of the new citizens were accompanied to the polling places by their husbands and not a few of them

aliens and had registered without knowledge of the law which provides may have been born in the United septecemia.

Suffrage workers attributed the in- German Airplanes Fly Near

PAID HOG ISLE HEADS OMAHA ATTORNEY, Says General Manager Might Have Been Secured for Less Than \$25,000 Per

Annum.

Washington, March 6,-Salaries paid officers of the Hog Island ship yard by the International Shipbuilding corporation, which has a contract for building 120 fabricated steel ships

since they won the right at the polls mission basis, were defended before last November. It was significant the senate commerce committee tothat they cast 31,858 votes out of a day by Dwight P. Robinson, president of the corporation. He was the first of several officials who will present the company's side of the Hog Island controversy, and will continue his testimony tomorrow.

Were Vaulable Men.

Many of the yard's officers were employed by the Boston engineering firm of Stone & Webster before entering the employ of the International corporation, and Mr. Robinson told the committee that in the cases of such men the increased salaries they now receive represent what they would have been paid by Stone & Webster had they remained with that

Under questioning he said that pos-sibly the yard's \$25,000 a year general manager might not have gotten that much from the Boston concern, but added that all of the salaries were approved by the shipping board.

In justifying other salaries, including approximately \$2,000 a month to WOMEN CAUSE INTEREST. In none of the districts was there capable men could not be retained for any especial issue involved except less money. The publicity men, he that of party politics. Chief interest centered in "the baby carriage vote." paign to impress upon the public the The results indicated that a majority necessity for building merchant ships.

Result of Diseases Abroad

Washington, March 6.-Cadet George Phillippoteaux, New York City, died February 23, as the result that the advent of women as voters of an aeroplane accident, the War de- active member in many orders. would slow up the election machinery partment was advised today by General Pershing. Privates Edward B. surprised. Many of them declared the Crane of Malden, Mass., died Feb-These deaths from natural causes

were also reported: Corporals Max Loop, Saginaw.

Mich., pneumonia, and Earnest J. trundled baby carriages. A few Kinzler, Philadelphia, spotted fever, women were challenged because they Privates William W. Sullivan, Bidwere the wives of unnaturalized | deford, Me., scarlet fever; George W. Caldwell, Prosser, Wash., diphtheria; Charles A. Utz, R. F. D. No. 3, that a woman must assume the na-tionality of her husband, although she ward M. Baker, Brattleboro, Vermont,

Petrograd; Zeppelins Near cemetery.

London, March 6.- A Petrograd dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Control of the house of representa- company dated Monday evening, says

CALLED BY DEATH Women's Society Raises

One of the Best Known Lawyers in Nebraska Stricken With Paraylsis at 9 o'Clock Last Night.

ARTHUR BURNETT,

o'clock last night at his home, Farnam and Thirty-first streets.

For many years Arthur Burnett had been prominent in legal, business and social circles in Omaha. He came here in 1893 and associated himself with attorney H. C. Brome,

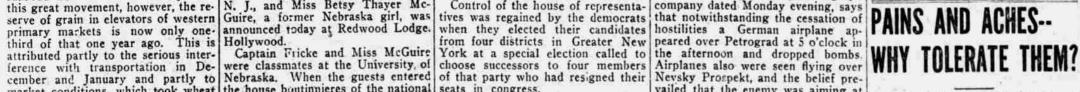


later forming the Brome, Burnett & Elick law firm. He organized the legal department of the Fraternal congress, and was general attorney for the sovereign jurisdiction of the Woodmen of the World. He was an holding membership in the Masonic Blue lodge, Nebraska lodge No. 1. Knights Templar, and Shriners, a member of the Elks, Ancient Order ot United Workmen, Maccabees, Happy Hollow club and the Chamber of Commerce and Commercial

His widow, Mrs. Lydia Wilkinson Burnett, three sons and one daughter, survive him. Two sons, Harry and Harvey, and his daughter, Lydia May, live in Omaha. The other son, Elbert, is an ensign in the United States navy. Funeral services will be held Thurs-

day afternoon at 2 o'clock at Burket's chapel. The body will be placed in a receiving vault at Forest Lawn

Active pallbearers will be: J. M. Sturtevant, Earl Stiles, Guy H. Fur-



ness, Frank Wilcox, John W. Cooper Crawford Man Accused and Charles H. Marley. Honorary pallbearers will be: E. G. McGilton, Frank H. Gaines, H. C. Brome, J. E. Fitzgerald, John T. Yates, Dr. E. Bradshaw, W. A. Smith, T. B. Dys-art, R. W. Patrick, M. M. Robertson, Behaet Compil and W. H. Bhodes Robert Cowell and W. H. Rhodes.

\$40,000 Benefit U. S. Aces

New York, March 6 .- The aviation committee of the National Special Aid society has collected \$40,000 worth of discarded jewelry, silverware and trinkets for the benefit of American aviators, according to Mrs. William Allen Bartlett, chairman of the committee who described the work of her Arthur H. Burnett died at 9 organization here today to the national league for woman's service.

St. Louis, Mo., March 6.-(Special Telegram.)-When Earl Bissick, 25 years old, a checker for the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad at Crawford, Neb., called at the post-office this afternoon for his questionnaire, he was arrested on a charge of robbing freight cars at Crawford. Bissick, who has consented to return to Crawford without requisition, is said to have admitted stealing thousands of dollars worth of merchandise by obtaining in advance bills of lading of certain consignments. After taking what he desired from the car, he says, he would mark the missing articles as a shortage in the shipment.

Of Box Car Robberies



We are glad to report that we have been remarkably fortunate in receiving our lines of merchandise during the last 60 or 90 days with much greater promptness than would seem to be the rule these days, with the result that our lines are very complete-at the present.

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TOILET GOODS You Know About	Coffee, Tea, Cocoa Week-End Specials, Thursday, Friday and
Colgate's Tock and 23c Tooth Paste 10c Stoc Malvina Cream Stoc Malvina Cream Stoc Mannen's Shaving Cream for Stoc Cucumber Benzoin and Almond Lotion Marking Kind in Tall Red Cans), package 6 Standard 50c per oz. 25c Mavis Talcum (the sweet smelling kind in Tall Red Cans), package 6 Standard 50c per oz. 25c Packer's Tar Soap for 25c Rubifoam for 19c 25c Rubifoam for 19c 25c Hay's Hair 14c 50c Melorose Powder 29c Olive and Palm Soap, occ \$1.50 Oriental Cream 9c \$1.50 Oriental Cream 9c \$1.00 Pinaud's Lilac Vegetable Toilet Water 69c 50c Madam Ise'bells Face 29c 50c Madam Ise'bells Face 29c 50c Madam Ise'bells Face 9c 50c Madam Ise'bells Face 9c 50c Madam Ise'bells Face	Saturday We shall offer what we believ is positively the greatest bargai ever afforded the householders o Omaha. A trial of the goods mer tioned below will prove this. 38c 1-lb. package Opeko Coffer roasted and ground, 39c 2 lbs. for
	Cigar Specials Thursday, Friday and Saturday Any 15c Cigar we sell 10c straight. Buy at any one of our five good Drug stores.
	Liver Pills for
kinds, 10c, 18c, 24c	25c Week's Break-Up- a-Cold for 140

8c

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from the elevators for milling earlier colors tied to which were cards with this season.

In the three weeks between Febru- were given to them. More than half, or 35,970,000 bushels were corn, as compared with 17,019,-000 bushels 'ast year; 21,529,000 bush els were oats, as compared with 11. 599,000 bushels last year, and 4,680,000 bushels were wheat, as compared with

the western district; 18,344 in the east. the press by Judge Silas A. Holcomb, ern and 6,384 in the southern. In the member of the State Board of Conlast 22 days 18,026 cars of live stock. trol. dressed beef and other perishables have been forwarded east from Chi- rative of the action taken by the board cago and 3,658 special trains of food have been dispatched east from Chicago and St. Louis, en route to New York, Philadelphia and Boston for ex- claim responsibility for any charges, port to the allies.

Charge Italian Silk Men Sold Product to Enemy

Rome, Tuesday, March 5 .- In connection with the scandals over the alleged sale of silks to the enemy three directors of a company for util-

izing silk waste have been arrested. The Popolo Italia gives the numbers of 14 railroad cars loaded with silk which were permitted to go to Chiasso as recently as the last week in February. From Chiasso, which is in Switzerland on the Italian frontier, the newspaper says, the cars undoubtedly reached Germany.

Ernest Wehling Arrested Again as Enemy Alien

Sioux Falls, S. D., March 6.-Er-nest Wehling, who was arrested here better than living corpses. The recently on a federal charge of threat- morale, however, is excellent and ening the president and released on everybody is happy despite bonds pending trial, today was taken years of acute suffering. into custody by federal officers on a "Corn is scarce and dear and other presidential warrant as a dangerous enemy alien.

Wehling is held in the county jail pending disposition of his case by federal authorities.

Shipping Loss Not Been

Offset Since War Began London, March 6 .- Sir John Ellerman, controlling owner of several teamship lines, speaking today at meeting of the Chamber of Shipsing, declared he believed he was ight in saying that the whole output if shipping in this country since the outbreak of the war was not enough to replace the losses by marine losses alone, leaving the losses by enemy action yet to be made up.

Afmy Orders.

Washington, March 6.-(Special "Tele-cram.)-Officers are relieved from duty at "amp Dodge, Iowa, and directed to pro-ceed to Fort Riley, Kansas. Officer of the list cavalry, astional army: Capt. Timothy Hist cavalry, national army: Capt. Timothy I. McCoy, infantry reserve corps; Edwin E. Bump, cavalry reserve corps; Daniel E. Nevins, cavalry reserve corps; Lawrence R. Bates, cavalry reserve corps; First Lieut Willis Kent, field artillery, national army; Frank J. Muikern, cavalry reserve corps; Becond Lieut. William B. Talbert, Jr., field artillery, national army; Raymond L. Marty, National Corps, Concerner, Server, field artillery reserve corps; George R. Stirrta, field artillery reserve corps; Joseph N. Rosenfeld, cavalry reserve corps; Lloyd

H. Shafer, cavalry reserve corps. Appointment of Private William Spencer Bowen, aviation section, signal corps, as second licutenant is announced. He is placed on duty and will report at Fort Omaha, Neb.

maha, Neb. Appointment of Shepard Dillingham as captain quartermasters' corps, national army, is announced. He will proceed to army, is ant Gamp Dodge

market conditions, which took wheat the house boutinnieres of the national seats in congress. the names of the betrothed couple

ary 11 and March 2, grain receipts at Miss McGuire has been physical in-western primary markets were 62,179,- structor for girls at the Los Angeles Miss McGuire has been physical in-Fitzgerald. 000 bushels in that period last year. has been set for the wedding.

Board c' Control Issues Statement in Geneva Case

Lincoln, March 6 .- (Special.) - A 13,573,000 bushels last year. Between February 11 and Match 2, 86,570 cars of grain were loaded in the entire country, including 61,842 in

> Judge Holcomb's letter is a narupon hearing recent statements of Miss McMahon.

Members of the board, he says, disevil or otherwise, made against the former superintendent.

It is directly stated that had Miss McMahon not resigned from her position when she did, the board would have conducted a full investigation of the whole scandal at the girls' home and most likely would have instituted action for her removal.

Jewish People in East

Starving, Says Mesage

New York, March 6 .- More than half the Jewish population of Jerusalem have died of famine and pesti lence, says a message received by the Palestine restoration fund commission through British government sources The message, made public by the

commission tonight, adds: "The remaining 30,000 look little three

commodities are practically non-existent. British soldiers are admired by all for their geneosity to the poor, among whom they often distribute their own rations and the British authorities are doing their best to feed the population.

Berger to Work for Peace If Elected to U. S Senate

Milwaukee, Wis., March 6 .- Victor Berger, candidate for United States senator on the socialist ticket today announced his platform in which he says among other things that if el ected he will demand and work for an immediate general and permanent peace.

Eighth German War Loan To Be on Five Per Cent Basis

Amsterdam, March 6 .- The eighth German war loan, to be issued March 28, says a Berlin dispatch, will consist of 5 per cent certificates and 41/2 per cent treasury bills. Both will be issued at 98.

Omaha Boy Reported III in Canadian Army

Ottawa, March 6 .- The casualty ist of the Canadian overseas contingent, issued tonight, contains the name of R. E. Lawrence, Omaha, isted as ill.

Persistent Advertising Is the Road to Success.

The successful candidates were: Seventh district, Kings county,

Submarine Destroyers

Medical Director of Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y. Send 10c for

bowels. Compound of May-apple, aloes and jalap. Keep the body clean

Let us show you how you can make that old gravel,

tin, felt or paper roof absolutely waterproof for

seven years at a nominal cost. Call Red 3235. Ask

Dr. Pierce's Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach. liver and

trial pkg. All druggists sell large package for sixty cents.

Roof Coatings

Eighth district, King's county, Wil-

Twenty-first district, New York | Civil Service Examination county, Jerome F. Donovan, to succeed Murray Hulbert. Twenty-second district, New York

and Bronx counties, Anthony J. Griffin, to succeed Henry Buckner. Veteran Senator Announces

Candidacy for Fifth Term

Washington, D. C., March 6 .- Senator Tillman of South Carolina, vetfifth term.

meal for a while, or until recovered.

inside as well as outside.

for Mr. Weaver.

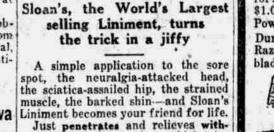
vailed that the enemy was aiming at Nicholas Station.

Sunday night Zeppelins were obohn J. Delaney, to succeed John J. served at Gatchina, 35 miles from Petrograd, flying toward the capital, but they were driven off by the anti-

For Nebraska and Iowa

Washington, D. C., March 6.-(Special Telegram.)-Civil service examination will be held April 3 for

postmasters as follows: Brady and Springview, Neb., salary, \$1.100 each; bioux Rapid, Ia., salary, \$1,700. Rural letter carriers appointed: Nebraska, Caliaway, Herbert L. Drum; Stedward, Stephen G. Green; Suthereran democrat of the senate and land, Dowey H. Johnston. South Dachairman of the naval committee, to- kota: Fruitdale, Wilder J. Marott; night announced his candidacy for a Hayti, Orville A. Hill; Lebanon, Charles M. Alexander.



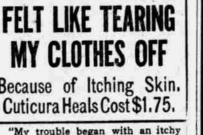
out rubbing. Clean and non-skin-stain-Generous sized bottle lasts a long, long time. All druggists. No increase in price, 25c, 50c and \$1.00.



Win the War By Preparing the Land, Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops.

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the U.S. and Canada—Co-operative Farming in Man Power Necessary to Win the Battle for Liberty. The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scareely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat can be sent to the allies overseas of wheat can be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada, rests the bur-den of supply. Every Available Tillable Acre must contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand must Assist. Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operations. Canada's Wheat Produc-tion last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the demand from Canada alone for 1918, is 400,000 Bushels. To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land, but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively

Submarine Destroyers Our destroyers and scout ships are waiting for the sudden attack or the deadly torpedo—the watch on the Atlantic is on the lookout for the first indication of hidden danger—it's a fight for life. For those leading a quiet life at home it is often the unexpected that hap-pens. It may be that we are mysteriously attacked by pain in our back or limbs, lumbago, "neuralgic" pains—shooting anywhere. Back-ache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorders, which means that the kidneys are not working properly. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in great abundance over points to destination and return. For parti-culars as to routes and places where employnent may be had, apply to



"My trouble began with an itchy sensation, and all of my body was broken out with pimples. The pimples were hard and red, at first, and then they began to turn to water and dry up. They were irritating and made me scratch all the time. I could not sleep at night, and sometimes felt like tearing my clothes all off.

"The trouble lasted about six weeks before I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I only used two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and three cakes of Cuticura Scap and I was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Carrie Jordan, 620 Presbyterian Ave., Madison, Indiana, June 18, 1917.

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