

AMERICAN LINE TO EXTEND 100 MILES ON FRONT

Material and Supplies Moving Forward on Schedule; Organization of First Field Army Progressing.

Washington, March 9.—With men, material and supplies moving forward to General Pershing in full accordance with the prearranged schedule, the War department has taken up the organization of the first field army, the largest tactical unit used in modern warfare.

Until General Pershing has under his command a complete field army, no further organization of fighting units will be started.

It was originally the intention of the department to form the "typical" field army by combining three army corps, but it is understood that this plan has been abandoned for one which calls for five or six.

The army troops include also the great artillery reserve of 8, 10 and 12-inch guns, both of fixed emplacement and mobile type, the anti-aircraft guns and the other units which the commander-in-chief is given to throw against an enemy offensive.

Under the six corps field army plan auxiliary troops numbering more than 300,000 would be required, each army corps having about 30,000 and the field army 130,000.

While it should be stated that no definite plan of organization has yet been approved, it is known that General Pershing has expressed himself in favor of the larger unit.

G. C. Porter Submits More Figures on Sugar Situation

G. C. Porter, Omaha attorney, who has interested himself in an investigation of the price paid western Nebraska farmers for sugar beets, as compared to the price paid for the refined sugar at the Nebraska factories, has come forth with some more figures which he has sent to State Food Administrator Wattles.

Former Fremont Man Escapes Death by Bomb

Fremont, Neb., March 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Tom Fahey, for several years foreman of the Northwestern roundhouse at Fremont, now superintendent of a large shipyard at Newark, N. J., narrowly escaped being killed when a bomb was thrown into the compressing room of the shipbuilding plant.

Professor of Horticulture Goes to Kansas University

Says Potato Situation Not as Gloomy as Represented

Lincoln, Neb., March 9.—(Special.)—The potato situation in western Nebraska is not as gloomy as it has been represented, according to Prof. R. F. Howard of the state university and secretary of the Nebraska Potato Improvement association, who has just returned from an inspection trip throughout the potato section.

There are still 200,000 to 300,000 bushels of potatoes awaiting shipment, of these 75,000 to 100,000 bushels are worthless, owing to dry rot, scab, frost and bruises.

At present potatoes are moving out of the district very fast," said Prof. Howard. "Three weeks ago 500,000 bushels were reported to be held at Merrill alone. In a talk with growers throughout the entire section and at several meetings I learned that there are not more than 300,000 bushels that have not been shipped.

The potatoes are being moved rapidly, although at Kimball they are holding back a little for lack of adequate transportation facilities. At one town, however, I counted 27 teams hauling potatoes for shipment.

Christian Congregation Will Build New Church

Aurora, Neb., March 9.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the men of the First Christian church Thursday night it was decided to build the superstructure of the church this year. A committee was appointed to secure required change in plans and obtain estimates. Subscriptions amounting to \$6,000 were received.

Sheridan County Boosters Plan New "Potash" Highway

Ellsworth, Neb., March 9.—(Special Telegram.)—A meeting of the taxpayers of southern Sheridan county held here today to promote the "Potash Highway" brought men from Healdland, Antioch, Lakeside and Bingham. It was the unanimous opinion that preliminary work must begin at once in order to determine the benefits of tourist and business travel this summer to Sheridan county's potash plants.

Prof. Otto Wirsig Heads Schools of West Point

West Point, Neb., March 9.—(Special.)—Prof. Otto A. Wirsig of Brock has been elected superintendent of the West Point city schools, at a salary of \$1,600 a year. He succeeds Prof. C. Ray Gates, who leaves this city for Columbus, after a two-years' successful term.

Food Administration Buying Nebraska Beans

Kimball, Neb., March 9.—(Special.)—P. H. Stewart, county agent, has arranged with growers here to dispose of \$13,000 worth of pinto beans to the government. The food administration is buying the beans.

News Notes of Ogallala

KANSAS AGGIES TRIM HUSKERS IN SPEEDY GAME

Manhattan Men Gain Strong Lead Early in Contest and Keep on Going; Freshies Win, Also.

Lincoln, March 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The Kansas Aggies trimmed Nebraska, 26 to 17, in the second game played here this afternoon before visiting high school athletes.

The Aggies piled up a big lead in the first half, 19 to 3, that the Huskers were unable to overcome, although Dr. Stewart's proteges made a hard fight of it and outplayed the Aggies in the second half.

Following is the summary: NEBRASKA (17) G. F. T. P. P. Jackson (Capt.), 2 0 1 4 Schellenberg, 1 0 0 0 Hubka, 0 0 0 0 Phillips, 0 0 0 0 Stromer, 0 0 0 0 Spear, 0 0 0 0 Reynolds, 0 0 0 0 Gerhart, 0 0 0 0 Mudge, 0 0 0 0 Totals, 2 0 1 4

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Freshies Win Also

The Kansas Aggies freshmen also triumphed in their game with the Husker first year men. Young Meyer was again a big factor in the Kansas victory. Following is the summary: NEBRASKA FRESHMEN G. F. T. P. P. Wray, 1 0 0 0 Kaer, 0 0 0 0 Potter, 1 0 0 0 Bekins, 1 0 0 0 Beller, 0 0 0 0 Totals, 3 0 0 0

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Benson & Thorne "The Store of Individual Shops" Pronouncement of Spring. Please allow us to extend to you in this printed form a very cordial invitation to view on Monday, March Eleventh, our extremely interesting Displays of the New Fashions for Spring and Easter wearing. We feel we have scored a distinct achievement in assembling so broad a gathering of the correct modes of the Season. The Displays will not alone be of a distinctive character, but will afford you the rare opportunity of viewing, in one visit, the modes we have selected for your approval and which have been sanctioned by Fashion Authorities. The special displays will embrace practically every Shop in the store. Music by the Blackstone Salon Trio from 3 until 5 p. m. Come!

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