

FRENCH GENERAL TELLS OF BATTLE FIELD OF EUROPE

No Reason to Despair, Message Brought to Gate City by Brigadier General Arthur Boucher.

A large audience, intensely patriotic, heard General Arthur Boucher at the Fontenelle Wednesday evening. The distinguished Frenchman, a hero of Verdun, spoke under the auspices of the L'Alliance Francaise and gave a detailed account of the battle of Verdun.

The general described at length the movements of this epoch-making battle, illustrating his talk with maps thrown on the screen. General Pettain and General Boucher are both students of an old war school, where they were taught the main role of a commanding officer was to save his men and this was done in the annals of the allies in this terrible battle, as in all others.

When history records this war the greatest element of its success will be the French private soldier, said the general.

He spoke of the renewed hope France had gained by America's entrance into the conflict and the brotherhood between the French and American soldiers. The general spoke in French without an interpreter, and he was loudly applauded.

Has Faith in Army. Apparently a hale and hearty Frenchman in the prime of life, the general astonished his interviewers by giving his age as 71 years, 10 years beyond the age limit for service in the French army.

"We should not be surprised," declared the general through his interpreter, "if the Germans make gains in certain places. An attack prepared as the present one cannot be stopped in a minute. Certain ground will be lost before the enemy can be hurled back on himself.

French Army Intact. "As long as the French hold together, even though some ground may be lost, there is no reason to despair. And I can tell you the French army is intact."

General Boucher—pronounced Booshay—said that with the aid of a few territorial troops, mostly old men, he drove the Germans out of Baillieu in October, 1914, but he admitted that the capture of this point is of advantage to the enemy.

Covered with Decorations. The breast of General Boucher's uniform blouse was covered with ribbons and decorations, none of which meant anything to the eye of the uninitiated, but were full of meaning when explained by the wearer.

In an inside pocket was carried the insignia indicating the owner as the commandant of the Legion of Honor, and on his coat was the war cross, with two palms and two stars, indicating the general has been cited four times during the present war. Another medal, that of 1870, indicated the wearer to have been a knight of the Legion of Honor at that time.

General Boucher will visit the stock yards and packing houses this morning and will be honor guest at luncheon at the University club. He will leave for Colorado Springs this afternoon.

Father Asks That Judge Compel His Son to Work. George Proksee, sr., 2519 South Seventh street, appeared in police court Wednesday morning against his son, George, jr., 20 years old, and asked the judge to "compel the boy to work, as he could do nothing with him."

George, jr., was arrested on a warrant sworn out by his father, charging vagrancy. A suspended sentence of 90 days was given the boy on condition that he go to work within 24 hours.

James Cosgrove on Trial for Illegal Possession of Liquor. James Cosgrove, formerly proprietor of the Hurry messenger service, is on trial in Judge Leslie's court, charged with unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor. Liquor was found December 20 in the office of the company, 1420 Capitol avenue.

Drive Notes. Robert J. Southard, 317 Grain exchange, has loaned the Liberty loan committee series of Italian bond posters. They are on exhibition at the Federal Reserve bank, Thirtieth and F, and the posters were sent to Omaha by Alfred Fowler, Genoa agent for the National City Bank of New York.

Herbert Quick may not appear in Omaha Saturday, according to advices from Kansas City.

An error was made in tabulating the Crane & Co. subscription. The firm's subscription was \$1,000 and the employees subscribed \$2,500.

The Fairmont Creamery company has subscribed \$100,000, but only \$40,000 of this appears to its credit in the Omaha list, the balance being made through branches in other cities. President J. H. Rushpon subscribed \$10,000 personally and bought \$1,000 worth of bonds for each of his three sons.

J. T. Wachob, chairman for Douglas county outside of Omaha, reports that the Americans of German descent in the county are loyal. In only two cases did it become necessary to call on the State Council of Defense. These men sent to Lincoln at their own expense and the complaints were disposed of when they subscribed for double the amount of bonds, which they would otherwise have been asked to take.

Sanders county has already over-subscribed its quota of \$79,296, reports Chairman F. E. White of Ashland. Some school districts doubled their quota and a few tripled it.

T. A. Anthony, Wausau, Neb., chairman of Knox county, reports passing quota of \$500,000.

Hall county's quota was \$213,500. The sales are \$202,000 to date. R. R. North of Grand Island is chairman.

Johnson county has over-subscribed by \$50,000. Its quota was \$212,500. H. S. Villars, Tecumseh, chairman.

The first report from Keya Paha county states that \$25,200 had been subscribed by Monday morning. The quota is \$25,200. S. Detrick, chairman, resides at Springfield, 30 miles from a rail line.

POLITICAL SHRAPNEL

The anti-administration nominees are still at sixes and sevens over the selection of a seventh man with which to fill their hand. They have seemed on six, as previously announced, and are discussing the availability of two nominees for the seventh place on their ticket. Indications are that the atmosphere will be cleared today. The consensus of opinion is that a full complement of seven anti-administration candidates would offer a better offensive than six. This combination will announce a platform and central committees during the week and expect to have two full weeks in which to promote their campaign.

Plumbers' local union No. 16 incensed Thomas Falconer for city commissioner.

Anti-vaccinationists are obtaining declarations of opinion from candidates. They promoted a slate for the primary and will have another slate for the election.

At the primary last week Mayor Dahlman received a vote of 7,497 out of a total vote of 19,047; his primary vote three years ago was 8,040 out of a total of 17,146.

Election Commissioner Moorhead announces special registration days as follows:

South Side, Saturday, April 20, afternoon and night. Benson, Saturday, April 20, afternoon and night. Florence, Friday, April 19, afternoon and night.

W. E. Baxter probably will be chairman of the campaign committee for the anti-administration forces.

The administration candidates are patiently waiting for the return of Mayor Dahlman Thursday, when "things will be popping," according to a city hall leader. The prospective lineup of the city hall ticket will be Dahlman, Hummel, Parks, Withnell and Jardine, with Reynolds as the sixth man and the seventh man to be Butler or Falconer. There are still rumors of disaffection within the ranks of the administration, but Tom O'Connor, generalissimo of the municipal incumbents, avers that when "Jimmy" gets home the boys will stroll in to see him, all right, all right. Commissioner Parks is willing to abide by whatever the mayor believes is best for the administration crowd.

One of the offensive tactics to be adopted by the administration forces against the anti is will be a propaganda of so-called liberalism. "Do you want the picture shows, base ball and other amusements closed on Sunday? We are opposed to such a policy," is the way the administration leaders are beginning to talk. They seem to have it doped out that the anti is for a closed Sunday and the lid on tight on week days.

Gives All His Money to Two Liberty Loans Then Enlists. Sixty men enlisted in the army at the Omaha recruiting station Monday. An average of 35 men a day have enlisted since the third Liberty loan campaign opened.

John Rooney, 40 years old, Madison, Neb., said to recruiting officers: "At the first Liberty loan drive I gave as much as I could afford; at the second I gave all the money I had left; and now, I can't give money, so I will give my services."

Rooney was accepted in the infantry.

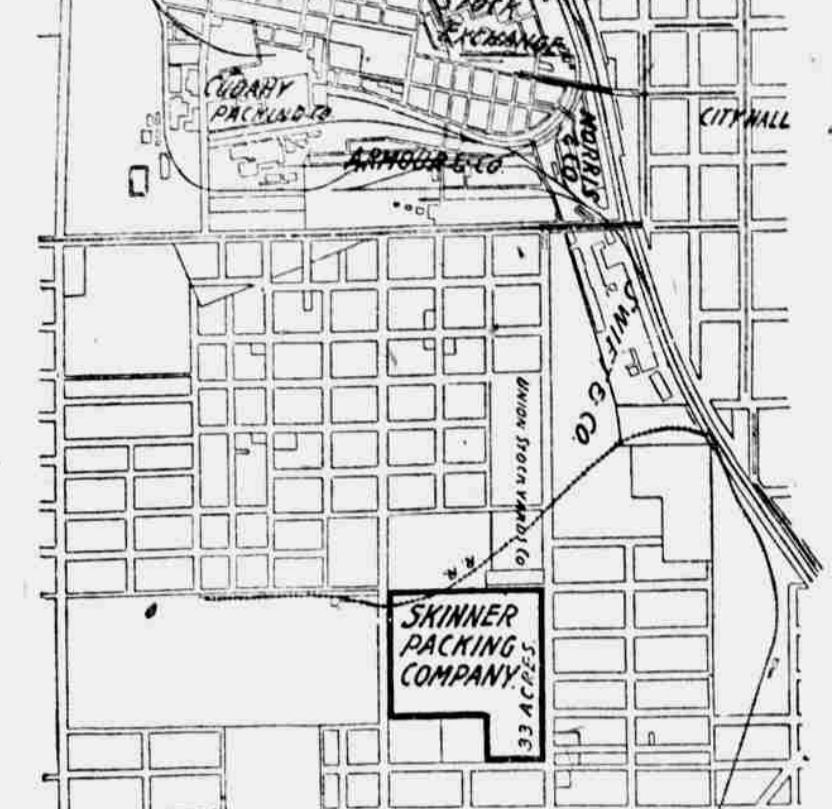
B. and O. Railroad Offices In Omaha Ordered Closed. L. G. Reynolds, commercial freight agent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, has received orders to close the Omaha office. Mr. Reynolds has been assigned to the position of commercial representative in the Pittsburgh general freight offices of the same road.

NEW ARROW COLLARS FOR SPRING. Cluett, Peabody & Co. Inc. Makers.

TELLS ABOUT A CHRONIC TROUBLE. Mr. John O'Brien, 659 N. 15th St., Philadelphia, writes: "I had been troubled for years with chronic constipation, until my whole system seemed poisoned, and I suffered with headache, languor, depression and general impaired health. I began taking Sulpher Tablets and got immediate relief. I am, after many months, still regular in habits, and thank you, and hope they will become known to thousands, etc." If your blood is bad, tongue coated, and you are constipated, with stomach and bowel irregularity, get a tube of Sulpher Tablets of your druggist right away. They are made of sulphur, cream of tartar and herbs—so don't accept ordinary "sulphur" tablets.

NUXATED IRON. Increases strength of delicate, nervous, and weak people in two weeks' time in many instances. Used and highly endorsed by former United States Senators and Members of Congress, well-known physicians, and former Public Health officials. Ask your doctor or druggist about it.

SKINNER PACKING COMPANY BUYS THIRTY-THREE ACRES FOR NEW PLANT



Two warranty deeds were filed Wednesday by which the Skinner Packing company took title free and clear of all encumbrance from T. J. O'Neil and wife and G. F. Beavers and wife to a 33-acre tract in South Omaha, lying just south of the present Swift plant. This is what was formerly known as the Ryan tract, Thirtieth street, on the west, West Y street on the north, Twenty-seventh street on the east, and West Madison street on the south.

Skinner Brothers have had this tract under option for some time. It is the tract on which the Skinner Packing company will build "Omaha's Day Light, Snow White Independent Packing plant."

Skinner Brothers state that the financing of the Skinner Packing company has progressed much more rapidly than they had anticipated; that the engineers of the company will at once start to work on this land, which will mean that within a short time grading and the actual construction of the plant will be under way.

Protesting Against Action Abolishing City Market. Protests are being made against the proposed action of the city commissioners in abolishing the city market, where individuals may go in the morning and buy fresh vegetables from the market gardeners. The city figures it is too expensive to maintain the market. This does not apply to the market across the street, where gardeners have stalls.

Flour for Allies Will Be Collected and Brought Here. Flour which is being turned back to the government in Nebraska will be handled through Omaha. The United States Grain corporation, of

which Mr. Neal is the head, will have it collected and brought to Omaha. The price is to be fixed by Mr. Wattle, Mr. Neal and A. J. Hunt of Kansas City.

No Blaze But Excitement Follows False Alarm at Hotel. Guests of the Keen hotel, Eighteenth and Harney streets, had visions of another hotel fire Wednesday noon when the fire department answered a false alarm at that building. A small flag which was being hoisted on top of the building became ignited by a cigarette in the hands of the man putting up the flag, but was quickly extinguished.

THOSE WHO CAME ACROSS

Subscription List of Third Liberty Loan.

Following are the subscriptions reported by the city committee in charge of the third Liberty loan bond sale. It is the fourth list given out and includes subscriptions turned in up to Saturday night:

- \$5,000—Lion Bonding company. \$10,000—Fairmont Creamery company. \$25,000—Western Newspaper Union, Fred Krug product company, Hyatt Elevator company. \$75,000—Studebaker Corporation of America. \$15,000—United States Rubber company, Wright & Wilhelm. \$10,000—Mrs. J. F. Coak, Maney Milling company, W. B. McKee, Mary L. McKee, George & Co. \$5,000—Mrs. Alice Mahan. \$5,000—Nebraska Book Loan company. \$7,000—United States Trust company. \$1,000—S. E. Gilinsky, Omaha Alfalfa Manufacturing company, J. A. Sunderland, Peter Rivis, H. Benson, Carmichael, G. L. E. North American Life Insurance company, R. B. Busch, Charles Bruening, Dan W. Gaines, W. C. Good, William H. Gorman, John Dwyer, Lehigh Portland Cement company, Browning-King company, Fairbanks-Morse company, J. H. Hughes company, Trimble Bros. \$4,200—Loose-Wiles Biscuit company. \$4,000—H. H. Fish, J. F. Twamley. \$2,100—Nebraska Seed company. \$2,000—John L. Kennedy, Joseph Barker, Kent & Burke, W. H. Chambers, Coal Hill company. \$2,000—Associated Manufacturers, H. F. and C. B. Wyman. \$2,000—M. E. Shaffer & Co., Omaha Crockery company, D. D. T. Tingler, D. M. Davis, T. E. Stroud, Henry R. Gerber, P. H. Gaines, C. L. Farnsworth, Jubilee Manufacturing company, Nebraska Shoe and Clothing House. \$1,850—Gordon Van company. \$1,750—Merritt & Brokerage company. \$1,600—Humm-Jensen. \$1,500—William Baird & Son. \$1,250—Mrs. George A. Roberts. \$1,100—Nebraska Seed company. \$1,100—M. A. Hall. \$1,000—Isaac C. Zornisky, Emil S. Hornmann, M. Irons, William Still, Henry S. Hastings, F. P. Childs, Crosby-Konieczka, Casey, Arthur R. Wells, W. B. Adair, George S. Parker, William L. Shearer, J. A. Douglas, J. Perlmutter, Robert S. Leavenworth, Mrs. W. A. Smith, Miss Mary Munchhoff, A. D. Marriott, Elliott B. Smook, Carman Department company, Lincoln Inn, O'Donnell Grain company, Helmer Nielsen, Drake-Wilhelm company, M. D. Copeland, Thomas Flynn, Mrs. J. A. Linderholm, Leonard C. Wright, H. J. Jackson, Parkersburg, W. Warren, A. L. Sutton, State Farmers' Mutual Insurance, Mrs. W. D. Mellich, E. J. Updegraff, William D. Young, E. J. Burkey, Mrs. Palmer Findley, Alice Allen, W. S. Blackwell, Elizabeth Fairfield, Wynne Fairfield, George M. Smith, Mrs. A. L. Sutton, Hulbeck F. Ross, Farmers' Union Stock exchange, R. P. Hamilton, Max Rosenthal, James F. Cooke, Burkle, Envelope and Printing company, S. A. Carlisle, Mrs. Roy Goldston, Anna Hamilton, H. W. Yates, Charles E. Walker, Gretchen Dighton, S. E. Hanna, Nellie E. McClanahan, Lloyd M. Shimer, F. W. Smylie, Honsa Farnure, Albert Koehnig.

Showing by Church. Church committee of the third Liberty loan in Omaha reports nearly \$750,000 in subscriptions. All denominations, representing about 30 churches, are represented. The following are the subscriptions:

- Woodmen of the World, by W. A. Frazer, \$415,000. Nebraska Telephone company, \$60,000. Gottlieb Store, \$30,000. Paxton & Galbraith, \$25,000. S. R. Hodges, \$20,000. C. B. Nash company, \$20,000. Wright & Wilhelm, \$15,000. Crane & Co., \$15,000. Updike Grain and Coal company, \$7,500. Jetter Brewing company, \$7,500. Credit Union, \$6,000. Crane & Co., employes, \$5,500. \$15,000—Omaha Printing company, Mrs. J. E. Crofoot, Mrs. W. F. Coak, C. E. Yost, W. A. Redick, N. M. Updike, Mrs. M. McClanahan, C. W. Hamilton, John Bokins, W. J. Coak, H. C. Sumner, M. D.; Katherine Dwyer, Chauncey Albert, Jr.; E. C. Bradford, G. W. Wattle, Mary E. and Arthur J. Mullon, Holy Sepulcher Cemetery association, Edward Updike.

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Sloan's Liniment KILLS PAIN

MILITARY BALL for benefit of company and athletic fund of the 17th Balloon Co., Fort Omaha FRIDAY, APRIL 19TH DE LUXE ACADEMY Rohan's Jazz Orchestra Admission 50c—Tickets on Sale at Beaton's and Merrill's Drug Stores.

Examine Nebraska Medics For Commissions in Navy. Eight members of the senior class of the University of Nebraska medical school, seeking commissions in the United States navy, were given physical examinations Wednesday morning by Dr. M. M. Ames, naval surgeon. He was detailed by the surgeon general of the navy, to come to Omaha for the work. Further examinations will be held later.

Alfred W. Gordon Goes East To Work for the Government. Alfred W. Gordon, president of the Gordon-Lawless company, left last night for Washington, where he was called by the head of the government ship building department. Mr. Gordon will have charge of department work in one of the Atlantic coast navy yards and will draw a salary of \$1 a year.

BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION. 6 BELLANS Hot water Sure Relief

EAT LESS MEAT IF BACK HURTS. Take a glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys if bladder bothers you.

CADOMENE GOOD FOR OLD PEOPLE. Read This Voluntary Letter.

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Makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.—Advertisement.

SAGE TEA TURNS GRAY HAIR DARK. It's Grandmother's recipe to bring color, luster and youthfulness to hair when faded, streaked or gray.

That beautiful, even shade of dark, glossy hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray or streaked, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

Don't bother to prepare the mixture; you can get this famous old recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients at a small cost, all ready for use. It is called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color and lustre of your hair.

Everybody uses "Wyeth's" Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it dardens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair has disappeared, and after another application it becomes beautifully dark and appears glossy and rustrous. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire dark hair and a youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—Adv.

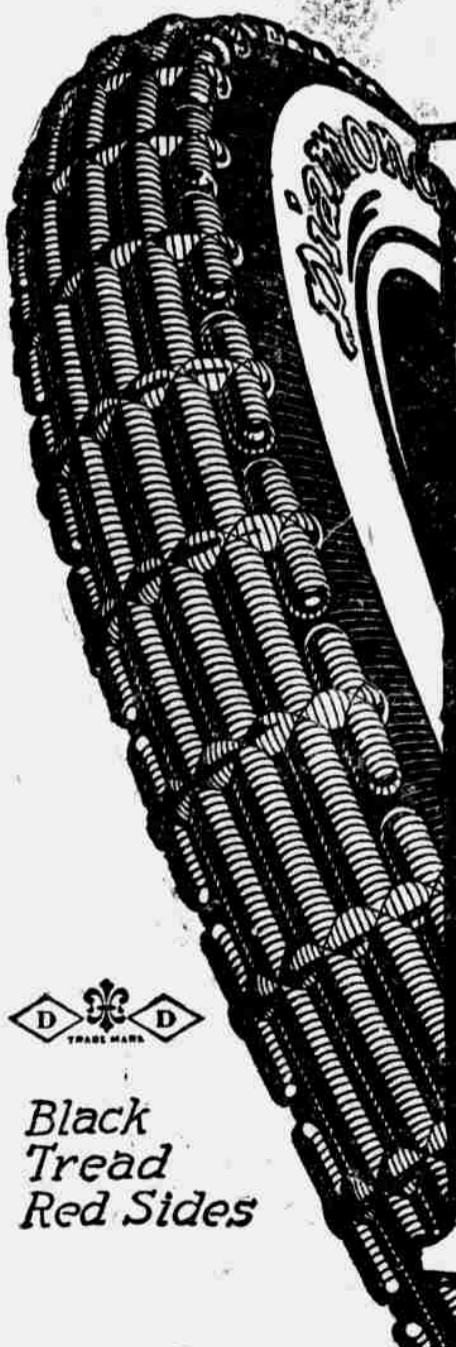
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"Seeing an advertisement about Cuticura Soap and Ointment I resolved to give them a trial. After using a few samples, I could tell that my face was better, and I only used one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment when I was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Ida French, Hammond, Ill., July 14, 1917.

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