**AMERICAN SOLDIERS ARRIVE IN FLANDERS** AND GO INTO TRAINING

#### Soldiers Direct From U.S. to Fight Beside British in Effort to Check Huns' Advance to Channel; Newcomers Greeted Warmly by Veterans Bearing Signs of Battle.

With the American Army in France, May 17 .- Troops of the new American army have arrived within the zone of the agents. British forces in northern France and are now completing their training in the area occupied by the troops, which are blocking the path of the Germans to the channel ports.

Their commander already has commanded American then we will not get along. forces in the trenches on the French front.

#### GREETED AS COMRADES AND FRIENDS.

The British officers and men who are training the new force say the Americans are of the finest material and are certain to give a most excellent account of themselves.

British troops greeted the Americans not only as comrades in arms but as warm friends. On arriving within the British zone they were cheered lustily by the sons of Britain, many of of changes in the department." whom bore unmistable signs of battle.

The immediate result of greatest

with which American units have been brigaded will be given front line duty

in quiet sectors for a time until the Americans are seasoned to trench

warfare. Thereafter the divisions un-

doubtedly will be used wherever the course of battle takes them. The

BY HUSBAND OF

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would have a lot of respect for a

married man who would take you to

Chicago for a good time.' She said. 'Other people do those things and I

don't see why we can't."" It was at this point that Miss Lusk

leaped to her feet with the frantic denial which electrified the court

room. After staring straight at the

WOMAN KILLED

TRAINED NEAR FRONT.

zones. That is taken here to mean The last stages of their training before entering the line were begun almost as soon as they reached their destinations. From that point they could hear the rumble of the not-disthat they are being brigaded with their divisions in reserve and will get their final seasoning quickly through this close association with the vet-erans of Sir Douglas Haig's army. Unless a great emergency arises

tant guns. How long the American troops have been with the British, when the news that they are making their presence felt along the line may be expected, and where the homes of the men are cannot be disclosed. when the German assault is renewed, it is not regarded as probable that the American battalions will be employed on the front line for some

GO DIRECT TO FRONT. importance probably is that the bat-talion of British troops displaced in Washington, May 17 .- Evidence of e success of emergency measures bring American man power to the d of the French and British armies repelling the German drive came organization of new British divisions. to bring American man power to the aid of the French and British armies in repelling the German drive came today with the announcement that American troops had reached Flan-ders and gone into training behind the British lines there. Official re-ports were lacking tonight, but Sec-retary Baker and army officials ac-cepted press advices that the first contingent of the forces to be brigad-ed for training and operations with into shape for any work that may be assigned to them later. If the course of the German offensive permits the same practice followed in training General Pershing's original force probably will be carried out in Flanders. In that case, the divisions

ed for training and operations with the British army had arrived. Soldiers from General Pershing's army have been in line with the French and British front of Amiens for some time, but the decision to send additional forces from this counsend additional forces from this coun-iry direct to the British army was nade after the great German drive aunched March 21 was well under way. Less than two months has been required to get the first of these troops across the sea and into poroops across the sea and into po-ition. Nothing is available at the War de-

THE BEE: OMAHA, SATURDAY, MAY 18, 1918.

## President Wilson Lauds Nebraskan Who Gave His All to America POLICE TOLD BY **NEW CITY HEADS**

Washington, May 17 .- Linn F. | ment stationed at Pensacola, Fla. Hanson, a young Nebraska farmer, During the recent Liberty loan camwho decided his country needed him and therefore sold his property, Hanson as follows:

bought Liberty bonds, gave to the for the character of the houses on Red Cross and joined the army, has received a letter from President Wilson.

ning down bootleggers. "Every man is responsible for his beat. Don't come up and say there was a misunderstanding. I am backed Hanson had 240 acres near Wayne, Neb. Selling that and all his goods, he contributed \$3,800 to the Red Cross, by the entire city commission. I want co-operation of the police debought \$1.000 worth of Liberty bonds and gave \$1,000 to his church. He partment with every lawful agency to then joined the military service and unreservedly with the great country make this a decent city. I want you now is a member of an infantry regi- we all love and seek to serve." to co-operate with the military police. United States marshal and the state

CLEAN UP OMAHA,

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your beats. I want vigilance in run-

is notorious in this respect.

Mayor in Full Accord.

been, and hereafter, the police force

Saturday's Hours

for Shopping,

8:30 a. m., 6 p. m.

Long enough to assure you of prompt, courteous service.

Smith said to the policemen.

condition. You are responsible

We should strive to suppress auto speeding. Automobile thefts have Chief Dempsey to the department: reached such a stage that the city

"I don't think that a man in this department need be afraid to do his 'I think we will all get along niceduty. There are no strings tied on ly, but if orders are not carried out, you now. Obtain evidence against

"Courtesy of policemen help to give a city a good name. Don't alviolators and prosecute your cases fairly in court. Don't job anybody. The people of Omaha are fair and I low prisoners to get rough to the exhave found them so for 32 years. tent of inflicting injury, but use good judgment in the handling of pris-Don't favor anybody.

Commissioner Butler asked cooperation of the department in en-forcement of ordinances relating to "It is up to you men individually to enforce the laws and if you encleanliness of streets. force the laws and believe that 1 mean

Arrest 10 Alleged Vagrants. every word that I have said, we will get along fine; but if you don't en-force the laws, there will be a lot In continuance of orders issued to the police concerning the "cleanup' campaign morals squad officers arrested 10 alleged vagrants Friday

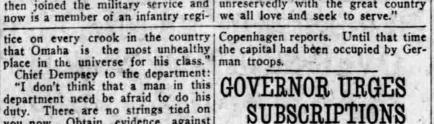
night. An ill-governed house was "As mayor I am in entire accord raided at 210 South Twelfth street with everything that has been stated and three women arrested. by Commissioner Ringer," Mayor It will be determined in police

court this morning whether charges of sedition should be made against "He voiced the sentiments of the entire city commission. We want to make Omaha the best city in the country. There should be no difthose arrested for vagrancy. It is a barbarism." general plea among vagrants that

'three days' work out of every week" ference between your ideas and those is enough for their physical main-tenance. Police are coping with federal of the city commissioners. None of the commission has friends to proauthorities and military police changing the vagrant's belief. tect or enemies to punish. We will forget the past, whatever it may have

Finnish White Guard Force,

and all of the municipal agencies will strive to make Omaha better. No 12,000 Strong, in Helsingfors policeman need fear of incurring the London, May 17 .- General Mannerenmity of any superior because he impartially enforces the laws. If any heim, commander of the Finish White and Central and South America was man here feels that he can not im- Guard, entered Helsingfors Thursday passed today by the senate and went partially enforce the laws, he should at the head of the 12,000 men, an Ex-resign at once. We should serve no change Telegraph' dispatch from crease the meat supply.



learned of all the circumstances of

your joining the military forces of the

United States, and I want to send you

this brief line to express my admira-

tion of the spirit which prompted your action and your whole course in

connection with leaving your farm and

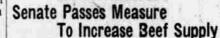
throwing in your fortunes entirely and

TO RED CROSS In a proclamation that has gone out to the people of the state. Governor Neville calls attention to the that Nebraska's share of the fact \$100,000,000 to be raised for the Red next Monday and the governor ex-

presses the hope that this state will go over the top, as it has in all former drives on stamp sales, Liberty bonds and Red Cross campaigns.

The governor, in his proclamation, speaks of the great sacrifices that the young men of this country are making "that we may live in a land and a world freed of autocracy and

The governor designated all of next week as a period for carrying on the Red Cross drive.



Washington, May 17.-The bill by Senator Sheppard of Texas to permit importation for immediate slaughter of tick-infected cattle from Mexico

German Party Leader FAMOUS ITALIAN Defeat Ahead, Asserts Berne, Switzerland, May 17.-In a speech before the Wuerttem-berg Diet, Herr Hausmann, one of the leaders of the progressive party, said that a fifth winter of

war was now inevitable. paign he took \$4,500 worth of bonds. President Wilson has written to Germans must make up their minds to face disappointment, he said, instead of obtaining the victory "Indirectly through a friend I have hoped for during the summer.

> Lumpy Jaw Victim Kills Himself, Cremating Body

La Crosse, Wis., May 17.-Suffering from lump jaw which he contracted while treating cattle, Lemuel H. Jones, veterinary surgeon of Melrose, committed suicide and cremated himself on his farm on French Island, across the river from here, last night. He left a note at the side of the pit explaining the motive for his act.

Jones sold his automobile yester day and informed friends he was going to La Crosse for an operation, but went to the island. There he dug a pit six feet wide and four feet death while testing an American-built deep. This he filled with alternate Caproni plane of the bombing type, layers of wood and coal and started a recently authorized for purchase by fire. At midnight he shot out his brains with a shotgun, toppled over into the pit and was burned to a crisp:

#### Congress May Defer

**Revenue Legislation** Cross is \$1,300,000. The drive to Washington, May 17.-Every effort is being made in the house to defer legislation at this session of congress. if possible.

It was reported today that Demo cratic Leader Kitchin, who is opposed to it has called on heads of all departments for detailed information of contracts.

The idea of the inquiry is to develop exactly just how money is being spent and what are the real needs of

Alleged "Peeper" Dies

**Of Bullet Wounds** Lincoln, Neb., May 17.-Walter D. Smoke, railway mail clerk, who was

shot three times Wednesday night by L. H. Carter, a local druggist, when Carter alleges, he discovered Smoke peeping into a bedroom window at the Carter home, died today. - Two operations were performed to remove the bullets and it was thought Smoke had a good chance for recovery but blood poisoning developed tary. The sessions related chiefly to and he died late this afternoon.

Death During Test of New Caproni Biplane on American Field. New York, May 17 .- Captain Antonio Silvio Resnati of the Royal Italian flying corps, who piloted the 10-passenger Caproni biplane from Washington to New York and back again recently, was killed at noon today at the Hempstead flying field.

FLIER KILLED IN

Captain Resnati Crushed to

**AIRPLANE SMASH** 

Resnati, who is one of the famous Italian military aviators, met his the United States government.

Investigation by army airplane of ficers, it was announced tonight, showed that there was nothing at fault with the construction or assembling of the biplane. A rough spot on the ground from which the flight started, the inquiring board said, slowed up the scent and when he attempted to make a turn the machine lacked sufficient momentum.

#### Mennonite Liberty Loan Sheep Sell for \$16,000

Yankton, S. D., May 17 .- (Special. -One thousand head of sheep and 100 head of cattle, taken in the third liberty loan drive from the Jamesville Mennonite colony, were sold at the sheep ranch near town. The sale went over \$16,000, with the sheep going to P. J. Conklin and the cattle to various

parties. At the annual meeting of Group 1, South Dakota Bankers' association, held here, with 75 banks represented of the First judicial district, J. A. Danforth of the Dakota National bank was elected president and D. E. Finnegan of the First National bank, both of Yankton, was elected secrebanking details.

THOMPSON, BELDEN & CO. A Day of Values in Toilet Articles French talcum powder, several odors, only 49c. Creme oil soap, Saturday only 8 1-3c cake.



**Remnant Sale of the Best Silks** 

For About One-Half Regular Prices

Partment to indicate the identity or numbers of the men in Flanders. It is possible, however, that the Na-tional army regiment reviewed re-cently in London by King George is included. The infantry and ma-chine gun units of the division to which that regiment was structed by HUSBAND O which that regiment was attached probably constitute this first Ameri-can force to appear in the Flanders theater.

Will Get Quick Seasoning. The men, it is noted, are described as being "in training" in the British

## The Weather

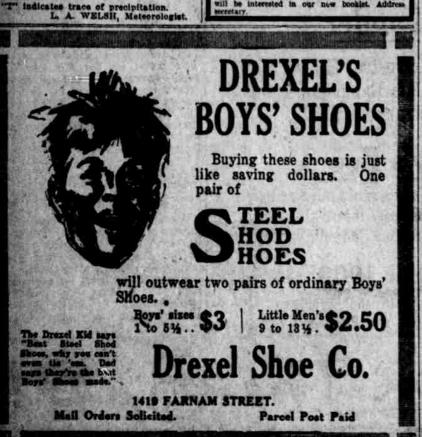
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such extensive variety. Collars of organdie, filet lace, pique and linen are favorites. Exclusive linen collars are trimmed with real Irish and Filet hand-made laces. Neckwear sets of cool organdie,

linen and pique. Smart fichu ruffling of organdie, fine net and georgette

with edges of white, rose and blue. There is a noticeable absence of sameness to Thompson, Belden neckwear.



### Newest Hats of Gingham and Organdie

So soft and dainty, some all white, others of checked gingham in combination with white organdie. A display more distinctively summery than any other of the present season.

Prices are reasonable, varying according to the quality which you may choose.

> \$7.50 and \$10 Upwards.

### No Recurrence **Of Such Values** Pumps \$3.95 A price occasioned by our

desire to dispose of short lines. In every respect they are good styles, fine materials, and the best of workmanship.

All Sales Final

Your choice of Pumps, bronze and in gray, dull kid, besides patent leather. Saturday, \$3.95



¶ From the plainest of tailored styles and simple wash blouses to the beautiful creations of lace and georgette nothing of note has been overlooked in forming this present extensive showing. ¶ Saturday many new styles will be ready and at every price there is satisfactory assortment of styles, fabrics and colors. ¶ When shopping spend a while seeing this attractive store



## Little Folks Headwear

The Blouse Store

Just as distinctive and individually attractivê, in their small way, as moth-er's. So many of them from which to choose. So dainty and lovely.

"Hand-made bonnets are wonderfully pretty with their white and colored embroideries and lace trimmings. Separate ties to match.

I Children's wash hats of plain white or embroidered pique, hats of Swiss, organdie and all-over embroidery with lace crowns and ribbon trimmings, 65c, in easy stages to \$3.50 and more.

Children's Wear - Third Floor

#### Women's Undergarments

Lisle vests, low neck and sleeveless, 65c. Silk vests, embroidered in at-tractive designs, \$2.95.

Mercerized union suits, fitted or wide knees, \$1.50. A complete display of underwear in all styles, qualities, materials

and prices.

#### **Brocaded Ribbons**

A very fine grade of brocaded and novelty ribbons that are fine for bags, sashes and millinery purposes. A large number of shades to please every taste. Prices are moderate.

## Thomson's Glove-

**Fitting Corsets** Take a world of comfort to-gether with an appearance of beauty and stylish grace and you have the real

Thomson's Glove-Fitting Corset. Many styles for your approval. \$6 and Less.

A sale of all short lengths and broken lines that have accumulated during the past few months of brisk selling. As the most favored numbers are first to sell, these remnants represent the most choice patterns in our stocks. Select a dress pattern or sufficient materials for summer blouses at these favorable prices.

## About Malf Price --- For Quick Clearance

#### Just a few numbers are mentioned to give some idea of the variety and values.

3 Yards Blue and White

Skirting, regular \$2.25

quality; remnant, \$4.25.

51/4 Yards Navy Foulard.	4% Yards Navy Meteor,	3 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>8</sub> Yards Novelty Skirt-
best \$2.50 quality; rem-	regular \$3.00 quality; rem-	ing, regular <b>\$2.50</b> quality;
nant for \$7.59.	nant for \$8.25.	remnant, <b>\$5.25</b> .
21/2 Yards of Skirting, reg-	4 Yards Pink Crepe de	5 Yards Belding's Satin,
ular \$2.50 quality; rem-	Chine, regular \$1.75 qual-	regular \$2.25 quality;
nant for \$3.49.	ity; remnant for \$4.15.	remnant, \$7.49.
4 Yards Tan Tussah, reg-	7 Yards Cope Crepe Taf-	83/4 Yards Black and White
ular \$3.00 quality; rem-	feta, regular <b>\$2.50</b> quality;	Foulard, regular \$1 qual-
nant for \$6.95.	remnant for <b>\$7.95</b> .	ity; remnant for \$4.95.
21/2 Yards Novelty Skirt-	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> Yards Navy Taffeta,	33/4 Yards Silk Gingham.
ing, regular \$2.50 quality;	regular <b>\$2.00</b> quality; rem-	blue and white check; reg.
remnant for \$3.49.	nant for <b>\$4.25</b> .	\$2.50 qual.; remnant, \$5.29.

4 Yards Natural Tussah, regular \$3.00 quality; remnant for \$6.95.

5 Yards Gray Crepe de Chine, regular \$1.75 quality; remnant for \$5.95.

# Fashionable Apparel for Summer

## An Unusual Display Saturday

Attractive things demand attention, distinction in dress is appealing, for so much is commonplace. It has been the pleasure of The Thompson-Belden Store to furnish a Ready to Wear service far above the ordinary, in that it better defines the season's modes to the continual satisfaction of an ever-increasing number of Omaha's well dressed women



Considered from the standpoint of quality, Thompson-Belden apparel is the most economical and far more satisfactory than the vast amount of ready-to-wear, whose sole appeal is price.

## Summer Dresses Are Charming

Dainty, cool-appearing frocks for warm weather wear. Fashioned of voiles, tissues and ginghams. Well made along the most interesting lines. \$10.75, \$12,50, \$16.50, 21.50.

# **Tailored Suits Find Favor**

The variety of materials and styles is too large to permit of description here. We would like, though, the pleasure of showing you the newest models at your convenience.

#### \$35, \$39.50, \$45, \$55

No extra charge for alterations on either suits or dresses.

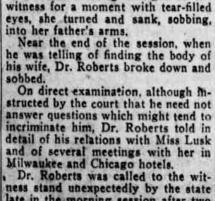
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Your Supply of Summer Underwear! How is it? There's no time like the present to stock up while everything is new and fresh; while we have plenty of every size. Union suits and two-piece garments, B. V. D., Mansco, Superior and Winsted.

Night Shirts and Pajamas. Most men will want new, cool ones for summer. Be sure to ask for the new slip-over style. They have no buttons and short sleeves. About the most comfortable warm-weather garment yet devised. Fabrics are cambric, muslin, nain-sook, madras, crepe, pongee and silk mixtures. Faultless, Universal, Brighton makes.

T Cravats of Every Con ceivable Color. Bats and fourin-hands, wash ties, light-weight silks, plain shades in crepes and grenadines. The hest assortment we have ever shown. One you'll enjoy looking over.

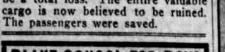
Manhattans, Unlike Other Shirts, bear the unmistakable stamp of originality in both texture and pattern. Dye-fast colors are but one of the superiorities of Manhattans. And here we have a boundless variety of the best looking shirts in silks, madras, mercerized and other distinctive summer weaves. \$2 to \$12. A step to the left as you enter



detail of his relations with Miss Lusk and of several meetings with her in Milwaukee and Chicago hotels. Dr. Roberts was called to the wit-ness stand unexpectedly by the state late in the morning session after two physicians had testified that Miss Lusk, from descriptions of her con-duct following the shooting, might have been insane at the time.

## Nelson Liner Aground;

Valuable Cargo Lost Buenos Aires, May 17.-The Nel-son liner Highland Scott is aground on the Brazilian coast, 60 miles north of Rio Janeiro, and is considered to be a total loss. The entire valuable



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LAKEWOOD. N. J. ner session from July to October. In tion for college for boys mishing presemment service. Military training horseback riding, land and w If you have a son from 15 to 18 interested in our new booklet. Add

