

Nearly Every Known Language on Earth's Surface Spoken Here: Recent Cersus Gives Statistics.

Omaha is certainly a polyglot city. Evidence of this fact is shown in the latest language census, taken it the canvass of families of Omaha of ascertain the number of children of school age. It was found that nearly every known language is spoken here.

The canvassers found that there are 552 families within the environs of the city where the German language was spoken in the home.

With the 151 families speaking languages not listed, it is probable that the native tongues of every race of were shattered. people on the earth s surface can be heard daily in this city.

More Germans In West.

West Side school, with 200 families speaking English, had the largest number of German speaking families. families, came next with 80 German speaking families. Columbian, with 909 English speaking families prospoke any foreign tongue. Farnam district, with 1,500 English speaking "My dear sir: The president deepthat regard, as has Saunders, will 43-295 families.

tongue is spoken in more homes in convey to you and to every one con-Omaha than any other language. The cerned an expression of his grateful census shows there are 1,455 families thanks for your good wishes." in the city speaking this language. Brown Park district leads in the number of Bohemian families, there being 292 families who speak the Bohemian tongue and 35 who speak English is this district. There is but one German speaking family in Brown Park, also one family speaking Danish, four speaking Polish, four speaking Slo-vak and one Slovenian and 10 Serbo-Croatian.

## Many Bohemians Here.

In the Jungmann district 258 fami-lies speak English and 128 Bohemian, and in the Lincoln district, 487 fami-lies speak English and 130 Bohem-

There are 473 Polish speaking fam-ilies in the city, the largest number of these being in the South Franklin district, where there are 169 English speaking families and 122 Polish. Lowell district has 121 English speak-ing families and 102 Polish speaking

Of families who employ Dutch and Frisian tongues in their intercourse, there are only 46 in the city, and but two who converse in the Portugese tongue. There are 19 families in the city who speak the ancient Flemish

came enraged when Patrolman Lowry was killed by a Greek whom tried to arrest in a boarding ho.s at Twenty-fourth and N streets. the South Side. On the following Sunday inflam-

matory speeches were made to a crowd which had gathered, and in the evening the crowds became unruly and smashed up the windows and contents of all the Greek establishments they could find.

Says Railroad Shocked \$2,999 Worth of Nerves

Charging that his wife's nerves had teen shocked \$2,999 worth, Sam J. Leon, president of Leon's, a firm which controls several haberdasheries

about town, has sued the Burlington railroad for that amount. Leon alleges that in August, 1914, his wife, Marion Leon, was alighting ances against the Nebraska State in such a way and in an effort to supfrom a coach at the Burlington sta- Journal. He charges that paper with port that false idea. tion when the train started suddenly continually interfering with the work and threw her to the ground. She of the council. He says his statesays that she had been told by Bur- ment of the Nonpartisan lington employes that the train quotations from President Wilson's would not start for five minutes. As book was mutilated by the Journal she had spent only two minutes in-

in an editorial. side, bidding a friend farewell, she nat-Following is Mr. Metcalfe's verurally supposed that she had three sion of this controversy:

METCALFE CALLS

STATE JOURNAL

FOR MISQUOTING

Member of State Council of De-

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## Gross Misrepresentation.

the facts to the public.

Leon says that his wife's ankle was The Lincoln Nebraska Journal in an broken, that she was severely bruised about the body and that her nerves editorial printed in its issue of July 8th so grossly misrepresents the po-

night.

lead the reader."

**President Wilson Replies** To Omaha Loyalty Telegram lated by the Nonpartisan league that to mislead the reader."

minutes to spare.

The Fontenelle Park Independence the latter numbering 129, Castellar school, with 830 English speaking Wilson assuring him of the loyal Day Celebration association July 4 backing of all Omahans. H. C. Timme, president of the association. duced none within the district who has received the following telegram spoke any foreign tongue. Farnam in reply, signed by Secretary Tu-

ly appreciates the generous sentifamilies, and Field club district with ments of the message which you addressed to him in the name of the Next to English the Bohemian people of Omaha, and he asks me to

In my statement as printed in the

ment given to the press Saturday

having said that Dr. Manahan stated

that, "it (Nonpartisan league) would

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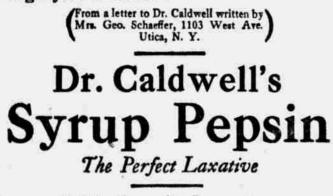
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Freedom,' which extracts presented,

the council thought, tended to mis-

The Journal quotes me as

"FEEL that I must write and tell you the great benefit I have experienced from using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I had always suffered from indigestion but since taking Syrup Pepsin I am no longer troubled in that way, and I cannot praise it too highly as a laxative."



Sold by Druggists Everywhere

Mr. Manahan stated that, "it (Non-partisan league) would also withdraw Amount to Libel from circulation the extracts from Woodrow Wilson's 'New Freedom,' which extracts presented as they were presented, the council thought tended to mislead the reader." Thus it will be seen that the Lincoln Journal in its effort to support the Nonpartisan eague and to embarrass those who are trying to render service to our country deliberately in its editorial omitted from its pretended quotation of my statement the important words "as they were presented."

In the Nonpartisan league's "war are, and we know that our president program and statement of principles" our government was falsely described as being under the control of the Richard L. Metcalfe of the Ne- worst sort of influences. Then the braska State Council of Defense has league in its literature used quota-

> saving: combined capitalists and manufacturers of the United States."

There are many other quotations met that "considerable public curioslong the same line, seeking to make ity" which the Journal tries to create t appear that our government is with respect to that objection. ruled by bad influences. The state | The Journal further gives false incouncil objected to the circulation of of the Nebraska State Council reason that, in the language of my

I ask the press of Nebraska to present The Journal expresses surprise that a mutilated passage from my state-

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newspapers of the state I said that ment of Woodrow Wilson himself, charged with seditious utterances, and much of its literature was branded in the same way. It is absurd therefore to say that these charges were with-We object to that statement and to drawn.

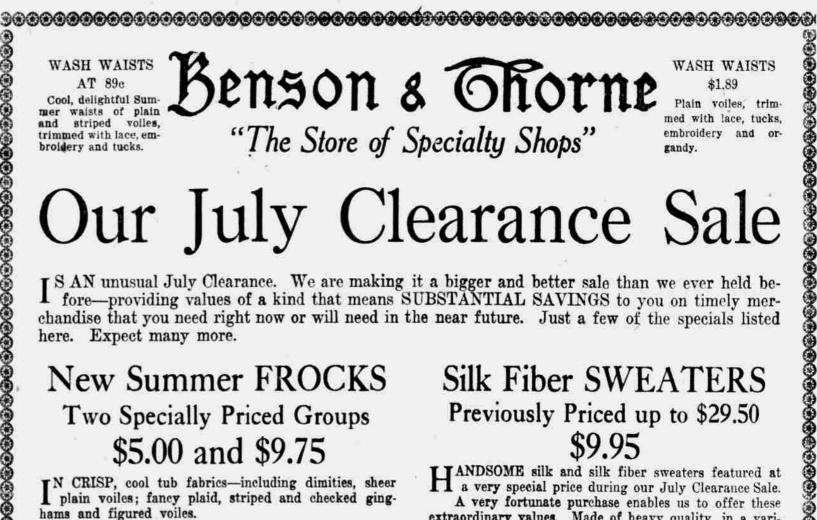
other statements "presented as they The state council has never attemptwere presented" by the Nonpartisan ed to interfere with the meetings of league for the reason that they the league, although it has insisted amount to a libel upon our country hat there should be no secret meetand upon our president and give supings, and it has advised them that port to the country's enemies and enhere are some localities in the state couragement to those who are seekwhere the local feeling against the ing to stir class hatred at the time eague is such that it is not wise for when all our people should be united. them to attempt to hold meetings We know that there is profiteering, there

and we are much more opposed to it The Journal says that the council than Nonpartisan league organizers 'has abandoned its untenable attitude." The simple facts are that the is exerting his best efforts to destroy Nonpartisan league brought suit to rethat profiteering. But to say at this strain the State Council of Defense, time that a combination of selfish and then after a hearing it dismissed men are "masters of the government the suit upon its own motion, volunof the United " States" is a charge given the press a statement of grieve tions from Woodrow Wilson's book which cannot with propriety be circu- tarily stating that it would comply with every suggestion which, at Mr

If the Lincoln Journal editorial had Manahan's request, I made in open For instance, in the league's litera- not mutilated my statement, omitting court. There was no abandonment by the state council of any position it "The masters of the govern- the statement itself would have ex- has taken. The only thing abandoned ment of the United States are the plained why we objected to the circu- was the Nonpartisan league's suit, and lation of the extracts from Woodrow a lot of paid and imported organizers Wilson's book, and would have fully that have been making war activities more or less difficult in Nebraska.

The Lincoln Journal concludes its editorial with the words, "It is an amazing incident." It uses those ference, when it says: "This means words in referring to its own misrepthese statements at this time for the that the charge of disloyalty hereto- resentation of the facts. Nothing fore lodged against the organization could be more "amazing," however, of Defense with respect to the extracts statement, "presented as they were from Woodrow Wilson's book circu- presented, the council thought, tended withdrawn." Is officially than the persistent and continued ef-Neither the state council, nor any the Lincoln Journal.

It is not true that "the masters of of its representatives, has withdrawn That paper continually interferes the time of the missing auto. the government of the United States any charges they have made against with the efforts of an official body are the combined capitalists and man- the league or its organizers. The that is rendering service to the counany one would object to the circula-tion of the words of the president of those statements, "presented as they against the rank and file of the mem-give support to influences that offend with him. The boys were held in the the United States, and then it prints were presented," amount to an indict- bership. Many of the organizers were the patriotic sense of Nebraska.



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hands of the enemy, in defense of world democracy, suitably enscrolled, framed, and the memorial placed on the east wall of the Farnam street entrance to the city hall. This will be the first step taken for a memorial to Omaha heroes who fall in this noble cause, and will be temporary in its nature as it will be replaced at some time at the close of the war to a permanent tribute in some form.

## Arrested for Auto Theft 15 Minutes After Car Stolen

To Enscroll the Name

of Russell G. Hughes

Mayor Smith was instructed by council, in session Tuesday morning,

to have the name of Russell G.

Hughes, first Omaha boy to meet his

death in France, March 17, at the

on City Hall Memorial

Midge Babcock, 1140 Eighteenth street, 16 years old, and Clayton Carlysle, 1718 Dodge street, 14 years old, were arrested early Tuesday morning on a charge of theft of a Ford automobile from the Nebraska Service garage at Eighteenth and Nicholas streets. Motorcycle policeman Sheehan picked the boys up with the car at Twenty-second and Pinkney streets about 15 minutes after the theft had although Sheehan was ignorant at

Babcock told the policeman that he had rented the car for \$2 and that matron's department at the city jail.

forts on the part of a newspaper like been reported to the police station

lated during the war. ture Woodrow Wilson is quoted as the words, "as they were presented,"



