

# KINKAID ASKS IF FARMS WILL RETAIN LABOR

## Shallenberger Also Has Question to Put in Regard to Calling Boys for Early War Service

Washington Bureau of The Bee. Washington, Aug. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Debate on the so-called man-power bill, extending the army draft age limits to 18 and 45 years, brought a large number of spectators to the house today.

During the speeches of Chairman Dent of the military affairs committee who presented the views of those favorable to the McKenzie amendment, which creates two deferred classes, one from 18 to 19, the other from 19 to 20, and making the 18-19 class to be called last, and of Representative Kahn of California, who is opposed to the amendment, interrogations were offered by several Nebraska members to certain statements of both Dent and Kahn.

**Depends on Boards.**  
Interrupting Mr. Kahn Judge Kinkaid asked: "Inasmuch as the government employment agency for the employment of farm labor fell short this year, one-third of the amount of farm labor required, does this bill allow the War department more latitude for making provision for the necessary farm labor than the present law?"

Mr. Kahn replied: "I feel confident that the various boards charged with the necessity for making regulations will do their full duty under the law and in accordance with the best interests of the people."

Referring to a remark of Congressman Kahn as to the part England has played in the war, Representative Shallenberger took occasion to say: "We expect to raise, as I understand it, 5,000,000 men by the action of this draft. How can he explain this situation, when England raised an army of 6,000,000 men in a country with one-half our population, before it took a boy 18 years of age?"

**Why Call the Boys?**  
"Is it an indictment of the courage of the men of America when, with a population twice that of England, we have to take those boys in order to make up an army of 5,000,000, when England raised an army of 6,000,000 men without taking a single boy?"

While Congressman Dent was explaining the attitude of the military affairs committee toward the War department, in amending the bill by putting in a deferred classification clause, he said it was not the intention of the department to call the boys until needed.

To this Mr. Reavis replied by asking: "It will not hurry the call of these boys to classify them, will it? They will not be called to the colors any quicker by reason of being classified under this bill?"

To this Mr. Dent replied that they would not.

## Hun Propagandist at Work Against Allies in Siberia

Vladivostok, Aug. 23.—German agents of which Vladivostok is full, have made futile efforts to hamper the unloading of transports. Twice they have called strikes of laborers engaged in the handling of stores. The transports, however, have been successfully unloaded by soldiers.

The German agents even have gone to the extent of approaching the men and attempting to dissuade them from participating in military activity for the restoration of the czar. In the absence of any control, the German agents and other agitators have had a free hand. They have sought to spread belief that the fact that American troops are still aboard their transports is due to mutiny and refusal to land. The attempt of the malcontents to bring about a strike has failed to materialize on account of discord in their ranks.

The enemy has two gunboats in active service on Lake Hangka on the upper Ussuri. They are manned by Germans and Red guards.

## Poles Make Many Demands Upon German Government

Amsterdam, Aug. 23.—A dispatch to the Frankfort Gazette from Vienna says the minimum demand of the Poles, submitted during the recent conference at German main headquarters called for the maintenance of the present frontier; the incorporation of certain Lithuanian territory as compensation for the cession of three Lithuanian districts in the government of the Suwalki; access to the Baltic, the neutralization of the lower course of the Vistula river and the railway along it; recognition of Danzig as a free port; the abolition of the present divided Austro-German administration of Poland; the transfer of the financial administration and government to the civil government of Poland; the increase of the Polish army to 200,000 men; the immediate calling up of one class of recruits, and finally the transfer of the regency to Archduke Karl Stephen, a cousin of the late Emperor Francis Joseph.

## Wireless System Planned; Japan to United States

Tokio, Aug. 23.—The installation of a new high-powered wireless system between Japan and the United States is actively occupying the Department of Communications.

The present Japanese high power station communicated direct with Hawaii. The proposed station will work with a station on the Pacific coast, the site of which probably will be near San Francisco, a distance of 4,600 miles. This will be one of the longest direct wireless services in the world. Details of the project will be announced soon.

**Commissions For Enlisted Men.**  
Washington, Aug. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—The following appointments in the United States army have been made: C. M. Williamson, Lincoln, Neb., major, adjutant general's department; Hele Haugen, Fort Dodge, Ia., Archibald L. McKellan, Ames, Ia., W. S. Reeves, Sibley, Ia., enlisted men to be second lieutenant engineers.  
Howard Armstrong, Omaha; Lawrence Gray Bonnet, Grand Island; Harry Wilson Gibson, Lusk, Wyo.; James S. Swetrigy, Marshalltown, Ia., enlisted men to be second lieutenants, quartermaster department.  
Carl Eberhard Carstena, Ackley, Ia., second lieutenant, chemical warfare service.

# BURGESS-NASH COMPANY

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Friday, August 23, 1918.

STORE NEWS FOR SATURDAY

Phone Douglas 2100.

## School Days! School Days! Dear Old Golden Rule Days

SCHOOL starts Tuesday, September 3rd, and in anticipation we inaugurate a series of special value offerings which will be most helpful to Mothers who are called upon to get the children ready.



### A Bit of History About Omaha Schools

The first school in Omaha was taught by Miss Julia A. Goodwill, the term beginning on July 1, 1855. One room of the old state house being utilized.

The building used as the capitol was designated by Governor Cuming, as "the brick building at Omaha City," indicating that there was probably only one brick building in Omaha at that time, located on the west side of Ninth street between Douglas and Farnam, and later occupied by the first general offices of the Union Pacific Railroad company.

This school remained in session until December 18, 1855, when Miss Goodwill was compelled to vacate the room for the assembling of the second session of the first legislature of Nebraska.

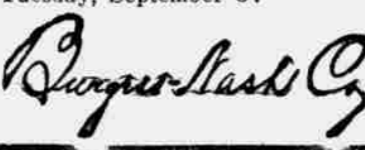
There was "little Latin and less Greek" in the school curriculum, but a taste for learning was inspired and a practical knowledge of reading, writing and arithmetic was acquired by the pupils.

Who can doubt that the wonderful progress of Omaha is largely due to the good sense of the pioneers who in reverence of learning built the first public school in 1853. It was a small frame structure of one room located on the southwest corner of what is now Jefferson square.

Children those days went to school clad in homespun woven by their mothers. The cloth was coarse, lacking the finish of the factory cloth of today, and the garments were extremely clumsy compared with the present day style and workmanship.

Nothing more closely parallels the progress of the city than the evolution of the coarse, ill-fitting suit of homespun into the fashionably cut, yet sturdy garments worn by Omaha school children today. And we, of the present day, cannot fully conceive the wonderful advancement of the Omaha public school system, which in a period of about sixty years is accredited with being among the foremost in the country.

And so it is with merchandising—from the pioneer ways of "barter and trade" it has advanced to a point where we are proud to offer you the service of a store whose motto is "greatest service to the greatest number." May we be of service to you in preparing the children for school, Tuesday, September 3?



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All work left before 12:30 ready next day at 11:30. Likewise all work left before 4:00, ready next day at 3:30.

- Brownie Box Camera: No. 2A, \$3.50. No. 3, \$4.50.
- No. 2 Cart. Premo Camera \$7.00
- No. 2 Auto Brownie, \$8.00.

We carry a complete line of fresh films, all sizes.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor.

Extra Special! girls wool serge Dresses from ages 6 to 14 \$7.95 Down Stairs Store

### THE School Girl's Corset

Is most important. If it is not the right style or properly fitted it may be the cause of untold suffering late in years.

We give special attention to the proper fitting of corsets for growing girls, featuring such splendid makes as: "Modart Lace Front," "Thompsons," "Warners," "Bien Jolie," "Successo," and "Ferris Waists" and corsets.

The morning hours, 8:30 to 11:30, are reserved for school girls and every garment fitted regardless of price.

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### The Answer to the School Shoe Question at \$2 to \$6



PROBABLY no more perplexing question confronts mothers than that of suitable shoes for their school children—shoes which will give satisfactory wear.

We have answered this question with a splendid stock of serviceable, comfortable footwear, built on lasts which insure comfort and allow the growing feet to develop naturally.

Our shoes are of all-leather qualities and can be depended upon to endure the hardest test to which your healthy boys and girls may submit them.

Don't worry longer over the question; bring the young folks here and let us fit them up.

Prices range, \$2.00 to \$6.00 the pair.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

### A Most Opportune Sale of Smartly Trimmed HATS

\$5.00

NEVER were styles smart or more becoming than the hats for fall, 1918. Never before this early in the season have we been able to show a clever style and give as good values as these are, at \$5.00. Don't hesitate to see these becoming styles at \$5.00.



**Lids for Kids**  
A most complete assortment at the low price of \$1.98 to \$7.00.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

### Suit Modes of the Times Coats Medium Length

\$25.00

WE feature a wonderful collection of the new tailored creations for Saturday, at \$25.00.

Some of the new fall suits have long coats and some short, but perhaps the suit with the medium length coat is the type predominating.

Of such suits we offer a great variety, and they unflinchingly arouse enthusiasm for their beautiful qualities and lines.

The materials are of weight ideal for immediate wear and of a quality remarkable in suits so modestly priced.



Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

### "C'mon, Fellers! It's Time for the Last Bell"

THAT will be the cry of many a boy Tuesday, September 3rd, and he will have to hurry to keep from being tardy. Here are some late specials, having arrived in time for Saturday's selling, but not too late for parents to take advantage of and at the same time practice economy.

Boys' School Suits, \$8.95

At this price we feature a remarkable value in boys' suits with one or two pair of pants. The materials are fancy mixtures, also military and Norfolk styles for ages 6 to 17 years.

Other suits for boys, at \$7.95 to \$25.00.

Boys' School Pants, \$1.50 to \$4

Splendidly made of blue serge, fancy mixture and corduroy, for ages 6 to 18 years, \$1.50 to \$4.00.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Fourth Floor



Boys' Shirts, 98c to \$2

Made with collars in plain blue chambray, black satin and fancy striped washable materials; sizes 12 to 14½, at 98c to \$2.00.

Boys' neckwear at 39c and 50c.

### Out Go These Smart SUMMER SUITS

At \$9.75

Garments that are Washable or can be Dry Cleaned—Extremely Reduced

THEY have served their purpose here and must give way for Fall and Winter garments. At the clearance price they are an exceptional buy for prudent men who can look ahead to the clothing needs of next summer.

The suits are splendidly made of a superior quality of kool cloth, in grays, tans, stripes and mixtures; wide variety of styles, measuring up to the BURGESS-NASH STANDARD in every way.

While practically all sizes are here, of course, you will not find all sizes in each style. But if your size is in the lot, you will miss a great opportunity if you fail to buy one or more of these suits at \$9.75.



Burgess-Nash Co.—Fourth Floor

### A Special Clearaway of Men's SUMMER UNION SUITS at \$1.00

EITHER knitted or athletic styles. The knitted styles are made of fine light weight cotton yarn in ½ or full length sleeves, ¾ leg or ankle length. The athletic styles are made of such materials as fine checked nainsook and cross bar madras. There's a big selection, and every man will find it greatly to his advantage to share in this offering.

Men's Night Shirts, \$1

Made of extra good quality light weight cambric and cotton crepe. Some are fancy trimmed, others are plain white; cut extra full and roomy. Sizes 15 to 20 neck. Exceptional values at \$1.00.

Men's Leather Belts, 39c

Salesmen's samples; in black, tan and gray. Every one an unusual value at 39c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor.

### Extra Special WOMEN'S Pure Silk Hose \$1.50

An extreme special—Women's pure thread all over silk hose, full fashioned, full regular made foot, white and a few colors. This is a special lot, perfect except for oil stains, offered Saturday at about half price, \$1.50 the pair.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor.

### JERSEY and Taffeta Petticoats, \$5.95

A choice assortment of the new styles to wear with the new tailored suits. All the new shades are represented, including navy, rose, Kelly, purple, tan, brown and flesh; also black and white and changeables.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

### ENVELOPE Chemise of Wash Satin, \$2.95

Also of crepe de chine, beautifully embroidered and lace or organdy trimmed. Lovely new creations that will appeal to you who like pretty things. Special for Saturday, at \$2.95.

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### Gene Stratton-Porter's New Novel "A Daughter of the Land."

A story of American grit—a book in tune with the earnest mood of the times. It is patriotic in spirit and emphasizes the tremendous importance to the nation of the lives of those who till the soil.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor.

### FONTANELLE Fabric Stationery, at 29c

Fashionable stationery for all ordinary social usages, in delicate shades of blue, buff, pink, gray and lavender; also a similar style in white. Put up in a box containing one quire, each paper and envelopes. Special 29c.

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### DRUG and Toilet Goods Specials

- Senerco tooth paste, 19c.
- Colgate's tooth paste, 10c and 25c
- Euthymol tooth paste, 22c.
- Daggett & Ramsdell's Cream, 29c.
- Milkweed cream, 89c.
- Pompeian night cream, 32c.
- Frostilla, 22c.
- Pond's cold cream, 42c.
- Spiro powder, 22c.
- Amolin Powder, 22c.
- Non spi, 39c.
- Judin de Rose powder, 39c.
- Wright's silver cream, 19c.
- Bathing caps, 29c.
- Milk of Magnesia, 44c.
- Jad salts, 54c.
- Williams' shaving soap, 7c.
- Lavoris, 22c.

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