

NEBRASKA IN GALA DRESS FOR PERSHING DAY

Business Houses Close to Permit All Citizens to Take Part in Celebration of the Anniversary.

Broken Bow, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Fifteen hundred school children and citizens, all carrying American flags, formed the procession that took part in Pershing's birthday celebration this afternoon. The program was given in the park to several thousand people. An address was made by Judge W. M. Morning of Lincoln, a personal friend of General Pershing. All business houses were closed and the square was decorated with the national colors.

Holiday at Capitol.
Lincoln, Sept. 13.—(Special).—General Pershing's birthday was quite generally observed by the state departments at the state house today, most of the offices giving the employees a full day off, while others were closed in the afternoon.

Parade at Kearney.
Kearney, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Pershing's birthday was celebrated in Kearney today with 1,000 people taking part in the morning parade. Among the service flags were many gold stars showing Buffalo county boys' supreme sacrifice. Archdeacon Geo. G. Ware presided at the patriotic meeting at the fair grounds in the afternoon where 3,000 people were assembled.

Big Time at York.
York, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—The birthday of General Pershing was celebrated in York this evening by a parade headed by a band and drum corps of the city and county officials, floats representing the Goddess of Liberty, Uncle Sam and General Pershing. The home guards, G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, mothers of soldiers and the senior and junior Red Cross were in the parade. Addresses were delivered by several prominent citizens of the county and a short sketch of the life of General Pershing was read.

Holiday at Norfolk.
Norfolk, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Business in Norfolk was at a standstill all day Friday, the residents obeying the request in the mayor's proclamation by celebrating General Pershing's birthday anniversary. Red Cross girls collected a small fortune for the war work fund by selling pictures of the nation's foremost soldier.

Beatrice Sends Birthday Greetings to Gen. Pershing

Beatrice, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—Mayor Hefelfinger, on behalf of the citizens of Beatrice, sent the following message to General Pershing, commander-in-chief of the American forces in France: "Birthday greetings from Beatrice. This city honors you and your command."

A number of farmers in Gage county yesterday began sowing their winter wheat crop. They report that the ground could not be better for seeding. A much larger acreage will be planted this year in Gage county than last.

Three thousand and seventy-six registered in Gage county yesterday for service in the army. The registration showed a slight falling off of the estimate made by the exemption board, which figured that the registration would reach about 3,500.

"Die Wacht Am Rhein" Is Taboo in Auburn Schools

Auburn, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—A high school student, while looking over a new text book that had been furnished him in the schools here, discovered a page on which was printed "Die Wacht Am Rhein."

He called the attention of the other pupils in the room to the hated song and there was a small sized riot. All of the pupils unanimously tore the offending page from the book and dared the school faculty to discipline them for it.

Members of the faculty, instead of showing offense, commended the pupils for their patriotic act.

Nemaha County Holds Big Pershing Day Celebration

Auburn, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—This has been observed as a public holiday in Auburn, and practically the whole of Nemaha county turned out to celebrate Pershing's birthday.

An immense crowd gathered in the county seat. Schools were closed and exercises were held under the auspices of the home guards. There was a parade by the home guards and by different patriotic societies and a program, with speech making.

Yellow Paint Spread Over Business Plant

Norfolk, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Yellow paint was daubed over the front of the Nebraska Metal and Iron company building Friday morning. The word "slacker" was written over the windows. The proprietors claim that business competitors are taking this means of ruining them.

Fremont Traveler Escapes.

Fremont, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Lee Martyn, well known Fremont traveling salesman, was a passenger aboard Burlington train No. 43 that was wrecked near Alliance Wednesday morning, according to a letter received by Mrs. Martyn. Mr. Martyn was in the smoker in which nearly all of the 14 persons were killed were riding. Persons occupying the seat in front of Mr. Martyn were killed, Mr. Martyn escaped.

Jefferson Registration.

Fairbury, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—The total of the Jefferson county registration Friday is 19,034. Twelve high school graduates between the ages of 18 and 19, of last year, have made application for admission to the Nebraska state university for military training.

State Rail Board Again to Clash On Federal Rate Order

From a Staff Correspondent.
Lincoln, Sept. 13.—(Special).—A hearing will be had before the State Railway commission September 20 on an application of the Nebraska Telephone company for authority to put in effect a raise in installation rates for telephones ordered by the Post-office department.

The State Railway commission questions the right of the postal department to interfere with state rates made by the commission and desires of know if there is any good reason for the raise.

The Nebraska company is joined by the Platte county company in the application.

Under the order of the postal department installation of new phones in Omaha will cost \$10 for resident phones and \$15 for business phones. The Lincoln telephone company has been notified unofficially by a representative in Washington that any interference with the order of

the postal department will be cause for legal proceedings by the government and has put in effect the postal department order. Heretofore the Lincoln company has made no charge for installation of phones. The Nebraska company has had a rate of \$2, so it is understood.

John Raymond Dead.

Beatrice, Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—John Raymond, who came here a few weeks ago from Savannah, Ill., to visit his mother, died today of typhoid fever, aged 36 years. He was engaged in the newspaper business there for years. He leaves a widow.

Dewitt Boy Wounded.

Beatrice, Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—William Wood of Dewitt was severely wounded in action in France, according to information received by his father, H. Wood.

Registration Under Estimate.

Kearney, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Buffalo county's registration of men between 18 and 45 went below estimates by 200, 2,559 men being registered.

Airplane Factory For Havelock Now Likely at Early Date

Lincoln, Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—A \$2,000,000 aircraft plant at Havelock is probably the next adjunct to the shop city, the Hebb Motors company, which has just completed its big manufacturing plant building for automobile parts, having offered the same to the government. The company plans, it is understood, have been favored.

Through Woods Brothers, who are interested in the Hebb factory, the government has become interested and if the matter goes through the plant will be equipped to manufacture training planes costing from \$7,500 to the high-priced Handley Page bombing planes. Engines for the planes will be furnished by the government and the work done on a cost-plus basis.

Woods Brothers have turned over 160 acres of land adjoining the factory for a training field.

LAW VIOLATORS GIVEN SENTENCE BY WOODROUGH

Federal Judge Imposes Penalty on Fred Taylor for Failure to Register at Chadron.

Chadron, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—In federal court before Judge Woodrough, Fred Taylor pleaded guilty to not registering and was sentenced to three hours in custody of Marshal Wright. He had already enlisted.

William Slade pleaded guilty and was fined \$100 for violating the interstate commerce laws. Henry B. Fallis was sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 within four months and be imprisoned 48 days in the Daves county jail from July 23. Charles J. Cissna was sentenced

300, and James Riggs 30 days in jail for having 16 gallons of liquor in their possession.

Carol O. Hagel, with 12 quarts of whiskey, was fined \$100. Jesse O. Everhart had 50 quarts of whiskey and was sentenced to 90 days in jail.

Injured in Auto Wreck.

Fremont, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—John Hinze, foreman of the Northwestern roundhouse, is at a local hospital probably fatally injured and Mrs. Hinze and C. H. Spiker, a local automobile dealer, are painfully cut and bruised as the result of an automobile accident six miles east of Fremont last evening. Spiker faces a charge of having booze in his possession. Nine quarts of whiskey were found under the wrecked car by Marshal Uterback of Arlington.

Pershing's Birthday at Fremont

Fremont, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special Telegram).—Pershing's birthday will be celebrated here tomorrow evening with a public meeting in the city park. Dr. E. D. Hull, pastor of the First Methodist church, will speak and the home guards will give an exhibition drill.

Hildebrand Will Speak Upon "Joy of Service"

Blair, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special).—T. J. Hildebrand, a member of the Bee soliciting force, will deliver an address on "Joy of Service" at Blair, Neb., Sunday evening, September 15. Mr. Hildebrand has a way of delivering this message in a happy forceful way and should be heard by all within reasonable range.

Airman Dies in Fall.

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 13.—Lt. C. R. James of Chicago was instantly killed and an enlisted man named Lantz fatally injured here today when their airplane crashed to earth in a spin. Lantz died shortly after the accident.

Dies in Military Camp.

Fremont, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Jay Wormwood, son of Ben Wormwood of Scribner, died at a military camp at Lafayette, Ind., according to word received at his home.

Bee Want Ads produce results. Try one and be convinced.

16th and Harney **Orkin Brothers** 16th and Harney

Wonderful Coat Sale

This sale is the result of a shipment of Coats from a manufacturer---from whom we buy thousands of dollars' worth of merchandise---with the message to create a Coat Sensation in Omaha. These Coats would be excellent values at a much higher price, but we are giving you the benefit of our wonderful purchase.

\$50
\$55
\$60
Values

\$ 35

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Values

\$ 45

Most of these coats are fur trimmed---fur collars---fur cuffs and collar---fur cuffs, collar and border. Also many models for the woman who wishes to wear furs with her coat.

Later it will be impossible to procure such wonderful coats at this price.

The materials are silvertone, crystal, bolivia, pompom, velvet, broadcloth, plush, velvet.

Out-of-Town Customers---It will pay you to attend this sale.

---No Garments Sent on Approval---

Sale begins Saturday, September 14th

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