

WOMAN'S SECTION OF THE BEE

Conducted by Ella Fleishman

Women in War Time

CONSERVATION NOTES

The excellent attendance at the meeting of the Conservation Council Tuesday, gives promise of great things to be accomplished this year. The monthly conference to be held the second Wednesday of every month, will be open to all women of the city. Matters of vital interest to home-makers will be presented. A feature and a clearing house, as it were, for all problems and difficulties that arise in the home.

The offering of prizes for compositions relating to conservation to the children in the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grades of the city schools has the sanction of the Board of Education. The topics and regulations governing this contest will be announced in the near future.

Mrs. R. E. Winkelman, chairman, has been asked to conduct a discussion of the latest news on conservation at each meeting of the West Omaha Mothers club. Miss Nellie Farnsworth spoke to the club Friday, on "Conservation of Energy in the Home." Every club in the city is urged to give some time to this important matter of conservation. Because we can have a little more wheat flour does not mean that the emergency is over. Conservation will have to be practiced for several years after peace is declared, until conditions once more become normal.

Classes Begin. Instruction classes have started in four districts. At Bancroft school, Mrs. George C. Biegerow, chairman, the class meets Thursday from 2 to 3 o'clock. Last week the general topic was sugar conservation. Thursday, meat substitutes will be considered and recipes given for full meal dishes. Tuesday, from 3:30 to 4:30 o'clock a class will be conducted at Saratoga school. Mrs. R. H. Fair, chairman. The subject will be sugar conservation. Friday, from 2 to 3 o'clock, classes will begin in the South Lincoln school. The subject, "Sugar Conservation," Mrs. G. N. Sears, chairman. The class at Windsor school will not begin until October 2.

Members will take charge of a conservation booth at the county fair. A different committee will serve each day. These committees will be announced by Mrs. Winkelman next week. Literature and recipes will be distributed freely and a "Food Facts Bureau, conducted where questions on conservation, food values and well planned meals may be answered. Every woman is urged to exhibit canned fruit and vegetables. Prizes will be offered and a special prize is to be given by the National War Garden commission for canned vegetables grown in war gardens. Reports should be sent to the chairman of the district concerning the number of cans that each person will exhibit, that the proper space may be allowed. New chairmen have been appointed as follows: Bancroft, Mrs. George C. Biegerow; 804 Bancroft; Saratoga, Mrs. R. H. Fair, 2435 Saratoga; Yates, Mrs. Don Lee, 131 North Thirty-fifth, and Farnam, Mrs. Henry Read, 2964 Harney.

On Tuesday, September 17, at 10 a. m., Miss Farnsworth will speak to the Visiting Nurse association aides on "Nutritive Diets at Moderate Cost."

WOMAN'S COUNCIL NATIONAL DEFENSE

Surveys of the housing and wages paid to Omaha women in industry are to be made by the Douglas County Council of Defense, women's committee, under the direction of Mrs. F. J. Birss. Mrs. Birss will have the co-operation of the state committee and the government employment bureau in this work.

Two assistants to Miss Frances Range of the health and recreation department were named at the executive meeting of the Defense Council held Friday in the city hall. They are Miss Etta Pickering, Y. W. C. A., general secretary, and Dr. Abbie Virginia Holmes.

The Americanization committee will pursue its English instruction to foreign women in conjunction with Red Cross units for the making of refugee garments, it was decided. Experienced organizers in four districts in which foreign settlements abound, will be employed.

Mrs. Charles Elguter, chairman of the committee on student nurses, reported two nurses already in army service, and 24 more qualified of the 230 enrolled in the recent drive.

Miss Marie Hoiness reports 54 Swedish women already naturalized through the work of her committee. Another class of 50 is now ready to begin their naturalization.

Mrs. Offutt Learns Her Son Was Killed Instantly in France

Mrs. Charles Offutt, 140 North Thirty-ninth street, has learned some of the details of the death of her son, Jarvis Offutt, who was killed in France. Mrs. Offutt received a letter from the head nurse of the British military hospital, where the body of her son was taken after his death, and from the chaplain who conducted the funeral services.

These letters stated that Jarvis Offutt met his death on the afternoon of August 13. He was killed instantly and taken to the British military hospital. The funeral services were held on the next day and he was buried in the cemetery adjoining the hospital. Mrs. Offutt does not know where this cemetery is located, nor how her son met his death except that he was killed instantly. One of the letters stated that more of the details would be written her by the commanding officer of her son's company. "But now that the great offensive is on and there is so little time for the men to even sleep," said Mrs. Offutt, "we can't expect to hear very soon. It is very comforting to us to know, however, that he was killed instantly and did not suffer."

Red Cross

Miller Park auxiliary has changed the day of meeting from Wednesday to Friday, the hours from 1 to 5.

Nebraska State Red Cross office will move October 1 from the Wead building to the second floor of the Farnham building, Thirteenth and Farnham streets. At the new location there will be more space.

State Director Judson has called a conference for Monday noon to discuss state matters pertaining to the first aid and home nursing departments. Those in attendance will be Director Judson, Dean Cutter, Miss Fuller, Miss Charlotte Townsend, Mrs. A. L. Reed, Miss Gladys Peters and Miss Margaret McGreevey of Lincoln.

Mrs. Clement Chase, Nebraska field secretary, is in Chicago in the different departments of woman's service to Central division. She will return to Omaha the last of September. During her absence she passed considerable time at Red Cross headquarters in New York and Washington.

Central high school's quota of 200 pads for the week have been completed and all is running nicely with the six classes in surgical dressings. The girls have volunteered for the work, but are receiving a half-point credit. They are directed by Mrs. George Voss, assisted by Selma Jerpe and Miss Olive Huntley. A room on the fourth floor is being used at present. About 100 girls are enrolled.

Mrs. Walter Silver, chairman, urges all surgical dressings units to meet on their regular days, as there is sufficient work for all.

Mrs. R. B. Zachary, chairman of cutting, announces the appointment of Mrs. Raymond Overmire as third assistant chairman. Three hundred shirts for baby layettes are now to be cut.

Parkvale auxiliary, Mrs. J. L. Gleason, chairman, during August made 50 suits of pajamas, 15 pairs of socks and two sweaters. The next meeting will be Friday in the Parkvale church, Thirty-first and Gold streets.

The Scottish Rite auxiliary, Mrs. Frank Stein, chairman, will not meet again until Wednesday, October 9, owing to the delay in receiving the September quota.

The Bemis Park auxiliary will not meet again until the first Wednesday in October.

Mrs. A. W. Jeffers, chairman of knitting, announces that of the 21,000 pairs of socks to be completed November 1 only 10,000 have as yet been finished. Of these 800 pairs were turned in last week, 126 of them having been made on the machines.

The salvage department is planning a big drive on old rubber during Ak-Sar-Ben week. People are asked to save and send in to the department anything from a rubber on a Mason jar to a tire from an automobile.

Mrs. J. E. Dodds, chairman of the Dundee Community auxiliary announces that a meeting will be held every Wednesday from 1 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. L. B. Smith, chairman of the Forty-fifth Street auxiliary, announces the unit will resume meetings Tuesday at 1 o'clock at McCabe Methodist church.

Swedish auxiliary will meet Wednesday this week from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., instead of Friday the regular day.

"Odds and Ends" team, composed of Jack Norworth, Henry Watson, Guy Dillon and Jack Coogan, shot against a team at the Omaha Gun club Friday, composed of Henry McDonald, Lt. Tracy H. Lewis, Roy Kingsley and George Redick. The match was sweepstakes for \$50 a side and winners to donate the fund to the Red Cross. Mr. Jack Norworth presented the \$50.

Miss Mary Manasek donated \$5 to Red Cross.

Public is warned against giving money or buying anything from anybody representing the Red Cross, who cannot present the proper credentials.

Mesco Red Cross auxiliary, composed of employees of the M. E. Smith company, had an immense cake made for Pershing day, which they auctioned off for \$48. Later Mr. Smith paid for the cake, so that the girls had the entire sum clear, which they presented to the Salvation Army fund.

Narcissus Red Cross chapter will meet Tuesday afternoon and evening at the city hall. Mrs. C. T. McPherson is chairman.

Mrs. J. E. Gibbons, chairman for Elkorn, sent a contribution to carry on the work of the Douglas county committee.

Some of the most exclusive of men's clubs in New York City are said to be considering a proposal to open the club membership to women.

Give Wife Adler-i-ka!

"My wife was pronounced incurable by physicians unless operated (complicated bowel trouble). I began giving her Adler-i-ka and she is improving and I mean to continue until she is cured." (Signed) J. H. Underwood, Marion, Ala. Adler-i-ka expels ALL gas and sourness, stopping stomach distress INSTANTLY. Empties BOTH upper and lower bowel, flushing ENTIRE alimentary canal. Removes ALL foul matter which poisons system. Often CURES constipation. Prevents appendicitis. We have sold Adler-i-ka many years. It is a mixture of buckthorn, cascara, glycerine and nine other simple drugs. Sherman & McColl Drug Co.—Adv.

Distinguished War Workers Here



MRS. HENRY P. DAVISON, New York; insert, MISS CLARA SPENCER, London. The Davison residence in New York has been given to the Y. W. C. A. for a hostess house for soldiers and sailors.

Mrs. Henry P. Davison of New York and Miss Clara Spencer of London will be two distinguished women visitors in Omaha this week. They arrive to attend the united war camp recreational drive conference of Nebraska workers to be held at the Fontenelle.

Mrs. Davison, wife of the head of the American Red Cross society, is herself treasurer of the Y. W. C. A. war council and active in other branches of war work. Miss Spencer is secretary of the world Y. W. C. A., and is in this country to recruit secretaries for overseas service.

BENSON

Charles J. Green of Plafonia, Neb., with his aunt, Mrs. P. A. Penoyer, while attending Central High school, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Welch and children have returned home from an extended eastern trip. Their son, Mershon, who attended Culver academy, is now at the Craighton home.

Mrs. Dr. Wilcox entertained at dinner Thursday for Mr. and Mrs. George Batell, who have gone to Erie, Pa.

Mrs. George Iradale has returned from Sioux City. The Methodist Ladies' Aid society social meeting to have been held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Harry Reed is postponed on account of the hostess having become ill with diphtheria.

Mrs. Mary White of University Place is visiting at the E. J. Whistler home.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Crews attended the Methodist conference in Lincoln.

Mr. Ed. Yarton is home from Miami, Fla., on a 20-day furlough from the naval training school. Mrs. Yarton expects to accompany him when he returns to his work.

Rev. A. J. McClung has gone to do Young Men's Christian association work at the naval training school at Chicago. Mrs. McClung is now visiting in Lincoln.

The King's Herald's gave a program and ice cream social Monday evening and on Friday evening entertained at "A Trip Through Yellowstone" at the Methodist church.

Mrs. William Butler has as her guests her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Kennedy, and small daughter from Wyoming. Mrs. Glen Bliss of Sidney, Neb., and Mrs. E. H. Cummings and daughter, who are on their way to Chicago.

Some were born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. H. Carls-bolt and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sherer.

The Woman's club held a meeting at the city hall Thursday for planning the program for the year. The club will meet Tuesday with the surgical dressings unit of which it will be a

Our Showing of New Fall Millinery

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Manufacturers Urge Omaha German Press Suspend Publication

The Omaha Manufacturers' association, at a meeting Friday, passed resolutions urging the suspension of publication of German language newspapers in Nebraska during the period of the war. The resolution also asked the Foreign Language Press, Inc., to dissolve and that the papers belonging to it secure advertising through the usual business channels. This association is composed of Swedish, Danish, Polish, Bohemian, Italian and German papers.

The Manufacturers' association also discussed the problem of securing houses for the war workers who are needed in Omaha industry at the present time. While there are plenty of houses and rooms in Omaha it is believed that the construction of large dormitories where the girls would be under some sort of supervision and where the prices for rent and board would be low, might be a good plan. The Ford plant at Sixteenth and Cumine streets, was mentioned as a building that it might be possible to secure for this purpose. W. J. Monahan, R. L. Wilder, Ross

Towle and Roy Byrne were appointed a committee to investigate and report on the situation.

Sues Street Car Company for Death of Her Husband

Mary Long, as administratrix of the estate of Russell J. Long, filed a petition in district court Saturday morning, in which she asks \$60,000 damages from the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company. She alleges that a street car struck an automobile in which Mr. Russell was riding at Thirty-third and Ames avenue on August 6, and that Mr. Russell was so severely injured in the collision that he later became insane and committed suicide on August 23.

Chamber of Commerce to Make Slacker Raid at Rooms

There may be a "slacker raid" on the Chamber of Commerce rooms soon to capture persons who are said to be making use of the privileges there without being members. A call has gone out to all members to carry their membership cards so they can show them when requested to do so at the rooms. The "slackers" will not be arrested, but will be urged to join the chamber, which is in need of members to take the place of those who have gone to the army and navy.

Advertisement for an eye specialist, including text like 'Doctor of Ophthalmology YOUR EYES' and 'Specialists' with a portrait of Otto J. Bradshaw.

Large advertisement for UNION OUTFITTING CO. featuring 'Handsome Fall Models In Suits, Coats and Dresses For Women and Misses'. It includes illustrations of clothing and a price list for various items like suits, coats, and shoes.