

ENDRES' POLICY NOT FOLLOWED BY FALCONER

Instead, City Commissioner Aids Loan Drive by Giving Leave to U. P. Band Drummer.

"I would like to get away for 12 days to play in the Union Pacific band on a Liberty loan drive," said Frank Elias to his boss, City Commissioner Falconer.

"That's the first I have heard of this, but I am glad to have you go. We will get along and will take care of your work," replied Mr. Falconer.

Last April, Elias was working in the office of Treasurer Endres. He asked Mr. Endres for an absence of three days to play a drum in the same band, which went over the Union Pacific lines on a Liberty loan drive mission. Endres could not let Elias off, so he said, because of press of business in the office. After the matter was given publicity some of the attaches of the treasurer's office made conditions so unpleasant for Elias that he resigned rather than work in such an adverse atmosphere. When Elias resigned, Endres did not evince the same anxiety for his services as he did when he asked for three days to go on a Liberty loan drive. The Union Pacific band at that time was in a "pinch" for a drummer.

The Union Pacific band in which Elias will be drummer will leave on next Monday for a 12-day tour over the Union Pacific lines with 15 speakers to boost the Fourth Liberty loan campaign.

Welfare Board Starts Probe of Conditions for Working Women

Investigation of working conditions of women in commercial lines was started Wednesday in Omaha, as a result of a meeting of the Board of Public Welfare Tuesday evening. Numbers of women workers have been coming into Omaha recently, and they are still coming, and the board is determined to see that they are living and working under suitable conditions. T. H. Weirick, new superintendent, and his assistants, are making this investigation.

Two inspectors were appointed at the Tuesday night meeting for picture show and other amusements. These inspectors will wear plain clothes and their names will not be made public.

A committee from the board, consisting of Judge Howard Kennedy and Mrs. E. B. Towle, was appointed to confer with the city recreation committee in regard to the establishment of community dances and other public amusements. It is hoped to get the community dances started early in various parts of the city.

Nine Divorces Are Granted as Month Opens with Rush

The divorce mill started with a rush for the first of October, nine decrees being granted in district court Tuesday.

The decrees granted were: Mary Agnes Mossey from William M., on grounds of abandonment; Wanda Kirkpatrick from Louie, nonsupport; Elva V. Townsend from Lynne, nonsupport; Elvira Nicholson from William R., desertion; Maud Buckingham from Clinton, cruelty; Julia C. Dannels from William H., cruelty; Minnie Weinstein from Abe L., cruelty; Octa A. Reynolds from Linus E., abandonment; Edward R. Wilson from Lottie H., cruelty.

Examine Work of South Side Employment Bureau

R. B. Coolidge of Washington, D. C., senior examiner of the United States employment service, is in the city to see about establishing a community labor board whose duties will be to classify essential industries and to have charge of the distribution of labor.

He will visit the packing plants today with P. J. Doran, manager of the South Side employment office. The efficient work being done by this employment bureau is being recognized by the packing plants.

Big Guns to Shoot Out Liberty Loan Propaganda

Omaha will know the sensation of being under fire next week. Guns are to be placed on some of the downtown buildings where they will be shot with all the noise of which a cannon is capable, but the results will hurt nobody but the kaiser, for the shells will be loaded, not with shrapnel, but with Liberty loan propaganda. Details are being worked out by a committee of window display men under the chairmanship of E. J. Berg.



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Mothers, don't let your little ones suffer because of eczemas, rashes, irritations, itchings, burnings or chafings. Cuticura will afford instant relief, permit rest and sleep and point to speedy healing often when all else seems to fail. Bathe with water and Cuticura Soap, plenty of soap, dry and anoint with Cuticura Ointment. Super-cream emollients are too greasy, clog pores and irritate the skin, fretted mothers of tortured infants.

Write: Cuticura Free by Mail. Address post-card: Cuticura, Dept. 244, Boston. Sold everywhere. Price, 25c. Ointment 10c and 5c. Talcon 5c.

Expressmen Organize in Omaha as National Body Forms in K. C.

"The Brotherhood of Railway Expressmen" is the name of a newly organized local society, which starts off with a membership of 162 and expectations of enlisting 400.

The officers are: H. O. Richardson, president; D. W. Quinby, vice president; W. C. Leedom, secretary and treasurer; J. R. Abbott, N. H. Ogilvie and Oscar Preston, directors.

A national organization is being formed today in Kansas City, where the first brotherhood was organized two months ago with a membership of 600. There are local brotherhoods in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Denver, Lincoln, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Louisville and Atlanta.

From the ranks of 125,000 express company workers on trains and in offices throughout the country, the brotherhood expects to enroll not less than 75,000. An organizer will be sent from Kansas City to eastern cities.

Eligibility to membership requires not less than six months in the service and a record which may be approved. Labor matters which cannot be settled between employers and employees will be submitted to the National War Labor board for adjustment. The new brotherhood will have fraternal and social features and it is further announced that one of the chief purposes will be to promote closer relationship between employer and employees.

Neighbors Hunt Man Who Attempts to Assault Girls

A neighborhood man-hunt followed the attempt of an unidentified man to assault two sisters of James T. English, 525 South Thirty-first street Tuesday night. The two young women, Ruth, 21, and Anna, 20, daughters of the late James P. English, got off of a westbound Farnam car at Thirty-first street and walked south towards their home.

As they passed Harney street a man walking in front of them stopped to tie his shoe and as they started to pass he attempted to seize them both. They screamed and ran. One of the girls struck their assailant with a package she was carrying.

Neighbors flocked to the street and started a hunt. Their brother, a sailor, gave chase but the man escaped near Leavenworth street. A man walking south on Leavenworth was later detained by the excited neighbors but could not be identified.

Finding Marriage Illegal, Man Now Asks Annulment

John L. Van Cleave, in a petition filed in district court Wednesday, recites that he has discovered that he is not legally married to Irene Van Cleave, and he now asks for an annulment of the marriage, which took place May 4.

Mr. Van Cleave sets forth that Irene was awarded a divorce from Charles K. Strong in Sioux City on March 4, 1918, and that his marriage to the divorcee on May 4 was too soon, according to Nebraska laws. He states that they lived together until June 1, when they consulted a lawyer as to the legality of their marriage and were informed that the marriage was null.

FLOYD GIBBONS WILL DESCRIBE BATTLES OF WAR

Chicago War Correspondent Wounded in France Will Tell Experiences at the Auditorium.

In Omaha as herald of Floyd Gibbons, who is to give his talk on war conditions, as he saw them in his 14 months as a correspondent on the west front, is Harry Askin, a veteran theatrical manager.



FLOYD GIBBONS.

Mr. Askin contributes this appropriate bit of narrative in behalf of Mr. Gibbons' experience and achievements:

"Back in September of 1914, about five weeks after the war broke out, I had dinner at the Chicago Golf club with a party which included a Chicago editor of international repute. The talk turned to the cost of the war to American newspapers and like themes. Some of us commented upon the opportunity the war offered for a realization of the 'snappy,' resourceful, imperturbable war correspondent of fiction and the stage.

Passenger on Laconia.

"That realization is not coming out of this war," said the editor; and there was utter finality in his tone. He had his last innings of importance in the war with Spain. The European governments are afraid of him; and the United States will, if we get into the fight, be equally cautious. We shall get the war day by day in a sort of outline, with just such details as the censors care to let through. The American newspapers that do not send men to the front in Europe are going to save money!"

"Floyd Gibbons," continues Mr. Askin, "is far from being the only representative of American newspapers to prove that the editor was a bad prophet. One by one, all the nations at war save Germany, decided that the war correspondent

was a necessary person. It is difficult to discern what Germany gained by not swerving to the same point-of-view; for the American correspondents, who had the truth cut out of their stuff, while they were under German supervision, have, since the United States went in, returned home or gone to England, and have managed to get into print everything they were ordered to keep out by the German censors."

Mr. Gibbons will speak at the Auditorium Thursday evening, October 10. He has a great deal to tell; for his adventures began the night the Laconia was torpedoed, and he was in France within a day or two after the United States declared itself in the war.

Allege Jealous Wife Cut Woman Visiting Husband in His Office

Mrs. A. L. Kerr, 518 South Twenty-sixth avenue, was cut and severely wounded by Mrs. W. A. Hayden, 2624 Dodge street, when she was found with Mr. Hayden in his office, according to the police report at the central station. Hayden is general agent for the Stover Manufacturing company's Omaha branch.

All of the principals were arrested. Mrs. Hayden was charged with cutting with intent to wound. Hayden for investigation and Mrs. Kerr was booked as complaining witness.

Mrs. Hayden, according to police, walked unexpectedly into the office late Tuesday afternoon and found her husband and Mrs. Kerr. She is alleged to have "whipped out a knife and cut Mrs. Kerr across the throat." Police surgeons dressed the wounds at the central station.

Sams Would Exclude Miss Johnson's Name From Ballot for Own

Milton A. Sams, a Douglas county teacher, has filed a petition in district court asking that the court grant a restraining order against Harley G. Moorhead, election commissioner, to prevent him from including the name of Mabel C. Johnson as a candidate for county superintendent of public instruction on the November election ballot. He also asks a mandatory order directing the election commissioner to place his name on the ballot as a candidate on the non-partisan ticket.

Mr. Sams alleges in his petition that Mabel Johnson has never held a first grade county certificate, which is a qualification required by law. He alleges that he obtained enough votes at the primary election to make him eligible for the office at the November election.

Captain Adams Will Speak at Springfield Meeting

Capt. C. E. Adams, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, will be one of the speakers at the unveiling of the Lincoln and Douglas monument during the big centennial celebration at Springfield, Ill. Other prominent speakers, who will be on the program, are Secretary of the Navy Daniels, Lord Charnwood of England and J. B. Gareau, the famous Canadian historian.

Florence Telephone Exchange to Close; Numbers Go to Colfax

The Telephone company will close its Florence central office as soon as the distribution of its new October directory has been completed, which probably will be next week. All telephone numbers having "Florence" numbers will be transferred to the Colfax switchboard and given "Colfax" numbers.

A study of telephone traffic through the Florence central office convinced the telephone people that the service afforded north end subscribers could be bettered and labor and material saved by consolidating the two central offices.

Telephone officials say that those who wish to get Florence subscribers after the closing of that office must call the Colfax numbers in the new directory.

Freight Agents Forced to Seek New Quarters

With the discontinuance of the railroad city passenger and ticket offices and their merger into a consolidated office, freight men who occupied quarters with the city men have been forced to seek other quarters.

Traveling Passenger Agent Godfrey of the Missouri Pacific has gone to the fourth floor of the First National bank building, as has Assistant General Freight Agent DeGroot of the Great Western. John Melten, traveling agent for the Northwestern, has located in the headquarters offices on Farnam street. Traveling Agent McNally of the Rock Island has taken offices in the Ramge building and Harry Shields, general agent of the Washburn, divides his time between offices in the Ramge and the Grain Exchange buildings.

Twenty Thousand Acre Wheat Ranch Leased

A syndicate made up largely of western Nebraska men has leased some 20,000 acres of land on the Crow agency in Montana, having taken it for a term of 10 years. Of this tract, 10,000 acres are being broken up and being sown to winter wheat. All the available balance will be broken next spring.

In carrying on their farming operations on the Crow Indian lands the Nebraskans are using tractors in hauling the plows that are turning over the sods, working the men in shifts, running the machinery 24 hours a day.

The lease of the Indian lands is approved by the government and is on a cash basis.

United War Drive Offices Opened in Court House

The United War Campaign Activities now has an office in the court house in the office of the superintendent of instruction. The telephone number is Tyler 2286.

John E. Cogan has been made publicity director with the following committee under him: Chairman, P. T. Redmond, H. M. Thomas, A. C. Thomas, J. B. Henderson, Frank C. Buila and Mrs. T. R. Rutledge.

Charles A. Goss was named as chairman of the Speakers' bureau, and C. O. Bruce of Lincoln was appointed to route the speakers.

Federal Agent Will Report on Unionism of Firemen in Omaha

C. C. Shoff, conciliator for the United States Department of Labor, has returned to Washington, D. C., after having conferred with city officials and members of the fire department relative to unionization of the firemen.

Until Shoff's report has been acted upon by the government, it will not be known what recommendations will be made on account of his visit to Omaha. In the meantime all concerned will "sit steady."

Contagious Diseases Gain in Omaha During September

The comparative statement of diseases reported to health department for August and September is as follows:

	Sept.	Aug.
Diphtheria	1	2
Scarlet fever	9	2
Measles	6	8
Smallpox	19	12
Chicken pox	5	3
Typhoid fever	25	6

COUGHED THREE MONTHS

Relief in 24 Hours. Simple Home Medicine. Did It.

Mr. H. C. Hoot, chief operator, F. C. R. R., Birmingham, Ala., writes: "I tried your Mentho-Laxene for a cough and I find it the premier medicine for that ailment. I had a cough for three months and made me a syrup of your Mentho-Laxene and I got permanent relief in twenty-four hours, etc."

Mentho-Laxene is a richly concentrated mixture of wild cherry, Tolu, Grindelia, Menthol, Ammonium chloride, Cascara, etc., sold by good druggists in 2 1/2-ounce bottles. Mixed at home with simple syrup, it makes a full pint. A wonderful medicine, wonderfully cheap and guaranteed most effective for colds, coughs, catarrh, hoarseness, difficult breathing, etc.—Adv.

BACK LIKE A BOARD? IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

There's no use suffering from the awful agony of lame back. Don't wait till it "passes off." It only comes back. Find the cause and stop it. Diseased conditions of the bladder or kidneys are usually indicated by stiff lame back, wrenching pains, lumbago, sciatica, nervousness, sleeplessness, tired, worn-out feeling, pain in the lower abdomen. These are nature's signals for help!

Here's the remedy. When you feel the first twinges of pain or experience any of these things, get busy at once. Go to your druggist and get a box of the pure, original GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules, imported fresh every month from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Pleasant and easy to take, they almost instantly attack the poisonous germs that are clogging up your system and bring quick relief.

For over two hundred years they have been helping the sick. Why not try them? Sold everywhere by reliable druggists in sealed packages. Three sizes. Money back if they do not help you. Ask for "GOLD MEDAL" and be sure the name "GOLD MEDAL" is on the box.—Adv.

Boy Kicked to Death.

Kemmerer, Wyo., Oct. 2.—(Special)—His foot catching in a stirrup as he was thrown from his horse, the head of the 13-year-old son of George Beyda of Frontier, was pounded to a pulp by the heels of the frightened animal. The boy was dragged for several hundred yards before neighbors succeeded in stopping the horse, and a half-dozen spectators helplessly witnessed the tragedy.

A DINGY STORE can never hope to be more than a "dinky" business. For good lighting use Mazda Lamps. For sale by NEBRASKA POWER CO.

ATE LESS MEAT IF BACK HURTS

Take a glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys if bladder bothers you.



Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious disease.—Adv.

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HAS COME BACK HOME WELL AND HAPPY AS EVER

Tanlac Restores Health of Mother After Everything Else Failed.

"When my mother went home after a visit to me here for several months she was a well woman once more, and it was nothing but Tanlac that pulled her through after she had tried everything else we could get for her," said Mrs. Florence McAuley, of 2624 North Nineteenth street, Omaha, the other day.

"I really don't know what was the matter with mother," continued Mrs. McAuley, "but her health had been failing for the past two years and she was in a very badly run-down condition when she arrived at my house. She had no appetite at all and hardly ate enough to feed a chicken. Although I tried to tempt her appetite by fixing up all kinds of nice things for her, she told me I was wasting my time as she couldn't relish a thing. Even nourishing soups would upset her stomach terribly and only made her worse. What little she did force down didn't do her any good, for she lost all of twelve pounds and was getting weaker and thinner every day. She was subject to dizzy spells, too, and it made me uneasy for fear she might fall and hurt herself. Then her system was irregular and she was troubled with a complaint like dysentery that was dragging her down."

"She tried all kinds of treatments and medicines, but got no better. Finally I prevailed on her to try Tanlac a while, and it was the only thing that did her any good. By the time she had finished her first bottle her appetite returned and she could enjoy all her meals. Two more bottles straightened her out so she could eat anything she wanted, including soups, which she couldn't touch before. She sleeps like a child now and has regained almost every pound of her lost weight. When she left for her home in Iowa she said she was feeling better in every way than she had in years. Her wonderful improvement while taking Tanlac caused two other members of our family to try it, and it is doing them as much good as it has mother."

Tanlac is sold in Omaha by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., corner 16th and Dodge streets; 16th and Harney streets; Owl Drug Co., 16th and Farnam streets; Harvard Pharmacy, 24th and Farnam streets; northeast corner 19th and Farnam streets; West End Pharmacy, 49th and Dodge streets, under the personal direction of a Special Tanlac Representative, and in South Omaha by Forrest & Meany Drug Co.—Advertisement.

"The Army and the Navy Will Dig the Huns' Grave

BUT WE Must Furnish the Spade."

---Billy Sunday.

By Rev. William A. Sunday

Uncle Sam's Liberty war chest needs filling again!

We have the cash to fill it as many times as he lifts the lid.

There are only two horns to this dilemma—you are either a patriot or a traitor.

The men on the firing line and on the battleships have turned from business, home, mother, wife, children, and they stand ready to give their lives and shield with their bodies us who remain at home.

We are unworthy to be thus protected, if we do not do our utmost to sustain them.

We must be one in our determination to win this war. We are traitors to the cause for which they are giving their lives, if we do things here that make their efforts harder.

Life is not worth living unless there is something to live for. Life would not be worth living if that bunch of Heinies should win.

That is why they cannot win. That is why we cannot lose.

We will never stop until Germany dips her dirty blood-stained rag to the Stars and Stripes. It's a whale of a job we've tackled, but we can and must put it over. But you must help.

Don't whine. Don't knock. You can't saw wood with a hammer. Don't turn the hose on the fire; add fuel.

BUY A BOND AND KEEP IT