

FARMERS RALLY TO SUPPORT OF LOAN CAMPAIGN

Men From Country Districts Big Subscribers; Elk City Man Buys \$50,000 Worth of Bonds.

The farmers of Douglas county have come to the rescue of the Fourth Liberty loan campaign. If they continue to subscribe at the rest of the school house meetings as they did last week, they will carry Douglas county across the \$11,000,000 county quota.

With about half of the county meetings already held, the farmers have subscribed about \$400,000 and they are expected to take about \$7,000,000 in all.

One Douglas county farmer, Mark B. Turner of Elk City, subscribed to this loan in a manner to make some of the rich city people "ashamed of themselves." Mr. Turner, when called on by the soliciting committee, astonished them by calmly saying:

"Guess you can put me down for about \$50,000 worth."

And while the committee were gasping and stammering their appreciation and praise, Mr. Turner still further astounded them by pulling out his check book, sitting down to a table and, after hunting for a pen and ink, writing out a check for \$50,000 and handing it to them.

Mr. Turner's subscription is bigger than the two next largest subscriptions combined both of which were made by Omaha men.

"Don't think I need any praise," said Mr. Turner. "Guess I know a good investment when I see one. My money is safer with Uncle Sam than anywhere else and it's drawing good interest and helping win the war. I'm satisfied."

Million Dollars Short.

Up to last night Omaha had subscribed approximately \$9,500,000 which is about \$1,000,000 short of the city's quota. It now appears that the folks in the county outside of Omaha will oversubscribe on this loan and leave Omaha about \$750,000 still to bring the whole county over the quota. The drive closes officially on October 21. The local committee is preparing for a hard tussle during this week to raise the additional money.

"The men of limited means and most of the larger firms and corporations have made satisfactory subscriptions," announced Sam Burns, chairman of the city selling committee. "But there are many persons and firms who could take from \$1,000 to \$20,000 who have taken less."

W. J. Coad's rating committee spent considerable time yesterday in preparing a list of prospects from which it is expected to raise the \$750,000.

Million Looks Big.

"We are so used to talking billions these days, that a million dollars looks small," said Mr. Coad. "But it looks awfully big at the tail end of a campaign. We have got to dig up 750 subscriptions of \$1,000 each, or 750 \$1,000 each, or 7,500 of \$100 each, or their equivalent. It is going to be some job, but we'll do it."

"The farmers of Douglas county deserve a lot of credit," says E. F. Folda, state secretary. "There is not a banker in Omaha, myself included, who has subscribed as liberally in proportion to his means as the farmers of Douglas county are doing. When seven years ago we brought before the Council of Defense the papers had big headlines, but he who laughs last laughs best. The farmers of the county are going to have the laugh on the business man this time. If it wasn't for the farmers' subscriptions Douglas county would not have raised its quota."

The army of 1,500 women and 500 men, coming to the city for the bonds, will be on the line this week with no sign of let-up, at least until the quota has been reached. Members of the Bee editorial staff yesterday started a "buy a second bond" movement under direction of Archie Donovan. They marched to the Liberty bank, across the street, and each signed up for an additional bond.

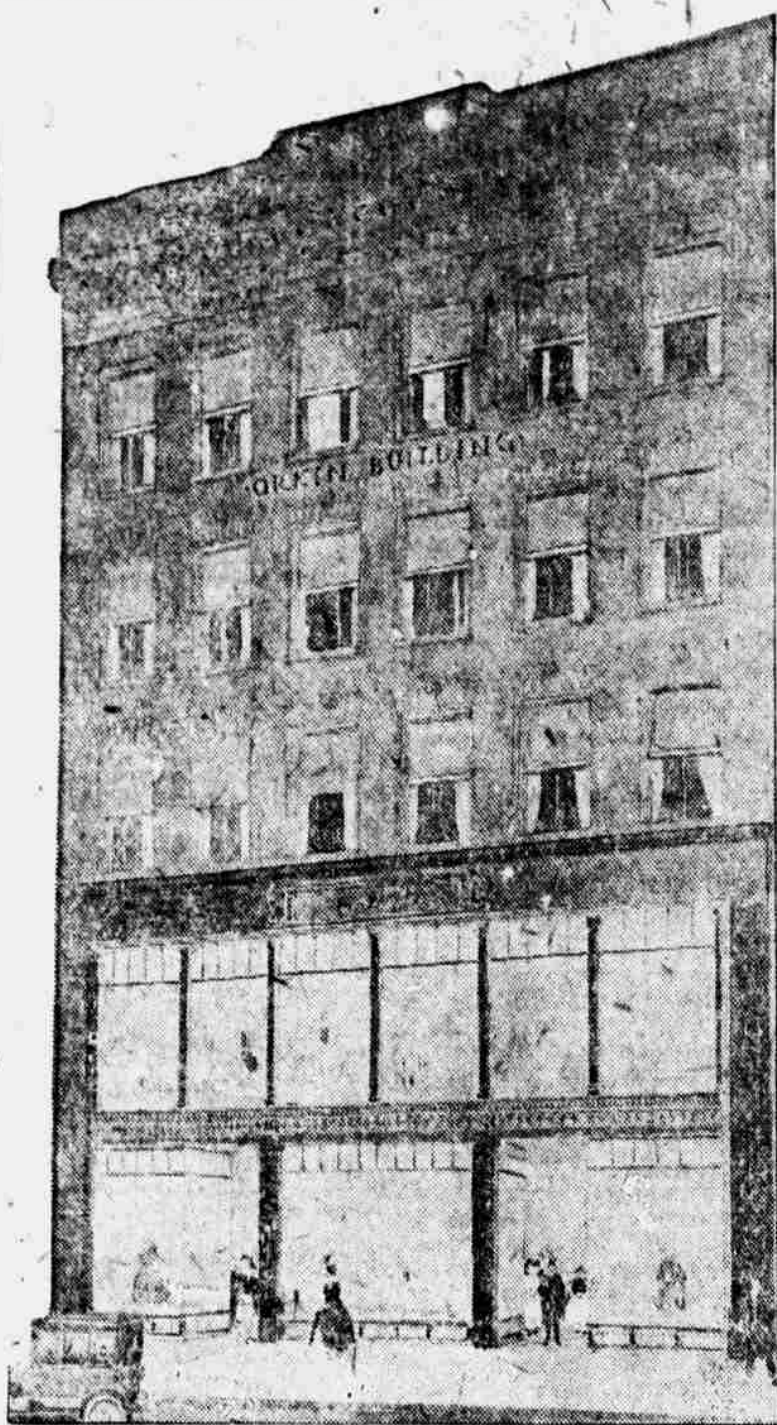
Walter Hines Page Returns from England in Critical Condition

New York, Oct. 12.—Walter Hines Page, retiring American ambassador to Great Britain, arrived here today from England, critically ill. He is suffering from heart disease. From a steamship he was brought ashore on a stretcher and removed to a hospital.

Two Autos Stolen.

A Ford touring car, the property of Dr. Merchant, 2114 Lake street, was reported stolen from his garage at the above address, Friday night. The Union Fuel company, 209 South Eighteenth street, also report a Ford roadster missing from in front of the above address last night.

Orkin Bros. New York Store



This new store, one of the Orkin Brothers' chain of stores, is located at 27-31 West Thirty-fourth street, New York City in the heart of the retail district, and will be ready for occupancy about December 1. When completed it will be one of the largest specialty stores in the city.

This store, operating in conjunction with the other Orkin Brothers' stores in Sioux City, Lincoln and Omaha, is representative of the kind run by the firm. These stores

stand as a monument to the high business ideals which the management has always endeavored to maintain. Their policy, a rigid determination to deal honorably with their customers, to show only the newest and best merchandise and to price goods fairly and render faithful service is typified in these stores. Owing to the failure of the contractors to complete their work as promised the opening date has been changed to the first week in December.

Loyal Woman Buys Bonds; Hun Husband Leaves Her

"Is that a man or a woman?" asked F. S. Howell at the Burlington round house in Gibson Friday afternoon, when he made another bond drive at this railroad center.

"That is a woman," replied the foreman. The woman was in femininals and had aroused the interest of Mr. Howell by subscribing for a \$100 bond and paying cash.

She gave her name as Mrs. Mary Cehler, 1926 South Eleventh street, and told Mr. Howell her husband sold their farm for \$8,000 several years ago and departed for Germany between days, leaving her to care for three children.

"Loyal to America. My husband was for Germany and I was for this country, and that is the way it stood. We could not agree and he could not make me change my mind, either."

The woman, who is about 40 years old, explained that her oldest daughter expects to be graduated soon and is qualifying for a position as teacher.

Coal Commission Tangle Nets Red Cross Sum of \$22.23

The mercy fund of the Omaha Red Cross was enriched Friday by \$22.23, received from David Cole, chairman of the Douglas county fuel committee.

Before the federal fuel administration assumed control as a war measure the Gunderson Coal company of Omaha bought a car of anthracite coal from the Donoho Coal company, also of Omaha. The car of coal was not delivered until after the fuel administration took control.

The Donoho Coal company charged a commission on this car, which it had purchased from the mine, and which was permissible before Mr. Garfield's appointment

as fuel administrator, but which was not permissible at the time the coal was delivered.

The matter was taken up with Washington and the Donoho company ordered to refund the commission charged to the Gunderson company and the Gunderson company directed to pay the amount to Mr. Cole.

In accordance with the practices of the fuel administration, the refund was turned over to the Red Cross, it not being practical to distribute the amount among consumers who had purchased the coal in small quantities.

This is the second time the Omaha Red Cross has benefited in this manner.

New Pierce-Arrow Engines Meet War Utility Demand

War time demands for greater utility and added economy in passenger automobiles are met by the new Dual Valve Six car recently announced by the Pierce-Arrow Motor Car company of Buffalo. This is being proved by the cars which already have been delivered and are in service.

Although there is a gain of 40 per cent on maximum horsepower and 30 per cent in the efficiency of the new double-valved engine, the

gasoline consumption is decidedly less. In fact, a gallon of gasoline in the Dual Valve Six will yield 11 per cent more mileage than in the model which it supersedes.

In bringing out the new series, with the highly perfected six-cylinder type of engine, the Pierce-Arrow company more than kept its promise given three years ago. At that time, in July, 1915, the company issued a statement that no radical change would be made for at least 18 months. The adoption of the dual-valved engine was decided upon by the Pierce-Arrow engineers after many months of experimentation only because they were convinced that it marked a decided advance.

Williams Held on Charge Of Passing Forged Checks

Charles Williams, 2819 North Twenty-seventh street, was arrested Friday night and charged with being a fugitive from justice, and with forgery. It is alleged Williams has passed forged checks on the Myers-Dillon Drug company and other Omaha firms. He is wanted on like charges in Poncha, Neb., and Sioux City, Ia.

Accused of Peddling Dope.

Clarence C. Green, a cook, living at 2840 Grant street, was arrested with two and one-half ounces of morphine in his possession, Friday night. It is believed that he has been peddling dope about the city for some time.

GALE SWEEPING FLAMESTOWARD CITY OF DULUTH

Brookston Burned and Cloquet With 9,000 Inhabitants Practically Surrounded by Forest Fires.

Duluth, Oct. 12.—Fanned by a fierce gale, the forest fires south of here are sweeping as far as Spooner. The flames have not entered Duluth yet, but home guard forces and volunteers in automobiles have gone to surrounding districts to assist residents in escaping from the fire zone.

Brookston, a village of 600 persons, north of Cloquet, was practically destroyed by fire today. The population was rushed by special trains to Cloquet. No casualties were reported.

This fire has now swept toward and practically surrounded Cloquet, a city of 9,000 population.

New Carburetor for Fords Aids Starting, Saves Gas

A new kind of carburetor, which is said to increase the mileage at least 50 per cent, and to make starting in winter as easy a task as in summer, is announced to Ford users in Omaha and this territory.

It is called the U. and J. carburetor, and the principle in its construction different from other carburetors, it is explained, is the utilizing of the force of gravity. It has a special aluminum manifold, hot air stove and adjustable dash control, but is entirely devoid of springs, valves, dash pots or moving parts other than float and throttle.

The U. & J. Carburetor company, 311 North Eleventh street, which handle the new carburetor, stated that it makes the engine start easily in zero or colder weather without spinning, popping or need of warming up with hot water; gives faster pick-up, more power and cuts gasoline expense nearly in half. It is made only for Ford cars.

Visiting Nurses Ask Help Of "Flu" Victim's Neighbors

Mrs. W. J. Haynes of the Visiting Nurses' association is making an especial appeal to neighbors of families stricken with Spanish influenza to assist the nurses by spending part of the day with the sick. It is impossible for the nurses to give proper attention to all of the afflicted due to the calls made on local nurses by the government for service in cantonments.

It is also desired by the Visiting Nurses that in severe cases where the afflicted are unable to receive prompt attention that neighbors notify the association that they may send nurses to care for the families. A little assistance by neighbors will greatly relieve the strain on the nurses.

Burlington Employee Injured in Slip Off Engine

Joe George, employe of the Burlington railroad, suffered a badly bruised back and possible internal injuries when he slipped and fell from an engine which he was coaling at Fifth and Jackson streets, Saturday afternoon.

He was taken to St. Catherine's hospital, where his injuries were attended by Dr. Smith.

Presbyterian Synod Meeting Is Postponed

The meeting of the Presbyterian Synod of Nebraska, which was to have been held in the First Church of Lincoln, October 15 to 19, has been postponed indefinitely on account of the outbreak of influenza. The meeting will be held later on, and due notice will be given when the new dates are selected.

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Another Frank Message to WOMEN OF OMAHA

Last Sunday, in these columns, we printed a frank message to the women of Omaha regarding factory employment.

We said candidly that there was a crisis in the labor situation in plants like our own, working on war contracts for the United States Government.

We also said we hadn't realized before how little the public understood the work—or the working conditions—of women employees in shops like those of M. E. SMITH & CO.

As we said before, the fault was very largely our own that such a belief prevailed—we should have corrected it long ago. We did not appreciate the fact that this idea of wages ranging from \$4 to \$6 per week was working injury to the entire city—and even to the nation.

WOMEN WORKERS IN OUR PLANT EARN

\$15, \$18, \$20, \$24, \$26 and Even \$30 Per Week

These are facts, backed by our payrolls. We do not say every woman can make \$30 per week, but we do say, without hesitation, that any energetic, ambitious girl can make at least \$15 per week in our shops, and many are making well up to \$30.

Many women who are not compelled to work by force of circumstances, accepted places with us the last week. Almost without exception they expressed surprise at the size of the plant, and at the working conditions and the rate of pay.

What Is Your Impression of Factory Work? Compare It With These Facts

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