

WHISKY MAY BE USED AS A CURE FOR INFLUENZA

City Commissioners Vote to Give Confiscated "Booze" to Hospitals for Use in Combating Disease.

Do you feel that old, pre-prohibition feeling coming on? Do you long for a good stiff drink of whisky?

Then, listen! Just call on City Health Commissioner Manning and tell 'im you feel the "flu" coming on, and he'll give you a bottle of whisky.

Hold on, read a little farther. This is what he would do if he undertook to do all that four of the city commissioners voted to let him do Friday morning. Commissioners Zimman, Falconer, Butler and Ure voted to release all the liquor held impounded in the city jail, for use of individuals or hospitals in fighting the "flu."

Commissioners Smith, Towl and Ringer voted against it as illegal. Commissioner Zimman made a speech in defense of the action and even admitted that he had violated the strict letter of the law recently in procuring a little whisky for the sick child of a man who appealed to him.

"I technically violated the law," he exclaimed. "Here I am. Arrest me if you like."

But nobody arrested him and the measure was carried.

But will Dr. Manning give out whisky to individuals who complain of feeling the "flu" coming on?

He will not. In loud and ringing tones he answered:

"This whisky is for the use of hospitals only. Not a single, solitary exception will be made in that, you may be sure."

So the thirsty need not call and try to stall. There is nothing doing.

F. J. Ramey Back on the Job; "Flu" Prevents Departure

F. J. Ramey who was to have left for Camp Kearny last Monday, but whose departure was deferred on account of the "flu," is back at his old job at the Wellington Inn, and will stay there until he receives further orders.

When Mr. Ramey was called into the service, the Wellington Inn company presented him with a fine gold wrist watch, and Manager Miller further showed his appreciation of his services by giving him a beautiful gold identification ring.

Capitol Lodge Calls Off Dinner Set for Monday

In compliance with the regulation of the State Board of Health and city physician, Capitol lodge, No. 3, A. F. & A. M., has postponed its regular monthly dinner scheduled for Monday evening, October 28. Members will please take notice.



SOME NEW VICTOR RECORDS

Will Cheer You Immensely
Here are some dandies
No. 18439

Baby's Prayer at Twilight
PRICE 85c
No. 18333

Over There
PRICE 85c
No. 18479

My Belgian Rose
PRICE 85c
No. 64729

Darling Nellie Gray
PRICE \$1.00
No. 18462

I'm Sorry I Made You Cry
PRICE 85c
No. 18429

Dixie Volunteers
PRICE 85c
No. 35663

Missouri Waltz
PRICE \$1.35
No. 64741

Send Me Away With a Smile
PRICE \$1.00

MICKEL'S



Corner 15th and Harney
Douglas 1973

South Side

Melady Asks Information About Fixed Prices on Hogs

The great decline in the price of hogs and the varying indifference of markets from the minimum price of \$18, which was reported to have been fixed by an agreement between the food administration and the packers in Chicago, has given rise to so much dissatisfaction that Gene Melady, of the commission firm of Melady Brothers, has written Louis D. Hall, specialist in marketing livestock and meats in the bureau of markets in Washington, asking where to draw the line on hogs.

When this agreement was reported to have been made between the food administration and the packers \$18 was to be the minimum for October in Chicago for good hogs, giving the purchasers the opportunity to buy hogs at any price and calling the big end of them "common." According to reports yesterday from Chicago, good hogs sold there from \$14 to \$14.75, with rough grades under.

This gives the hog producers in this territory the impression that hogs would sell on the Omaha market with the difference in freight between Omaha and Chicago, which would be 25 to 30 cents lower than the minimum agreed upon in Chicago.

Mr. Melady asks that the producer be considered in the fixing of the price if he is expected to stay in the business of producing hogs, and that some information be sent the local market concerning the fixed price agreed upon for the month of November, if there is to be any limit placed on the price.

Dealers on the Omaha Live Stock exchange say the conditions in the hog situation have never been as unsatisfactory as they are at present and feel that some arrangements ought to be made to protect the producer.

South Side Brevities

Mrs. Vincent Hrvak of Sarpy county, died Friday morning, October 25, in the Lord Lister hospital of Spanish influenza. She is survived by her husband and several children. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

A. P. Stryker, secretary and traffic manager of the Omaha Live Stock exchange, returned Friday morning from a business trip of several days to St. Paul, Minn., and Sioux City, Ia.

Real Winter Weather Strikes Nebraska as Rain Turns Into Snow

A touch of real winter sent Omahans shivering into their heavy overcoats Friday night. Cold rain, which was nearly snow, fell during the entire night, and the lowest temperatures recorded this fall prevailed.

Farmers about Gothenberg are rejoicing at 11 inches of heavy snow within the last 24 hours. A winter wheat crop of great abundance is now assured, and ground plowed for spring sowing will be in the best of condition.

Reports show an average temperature of about 32 degrees above zero between Grand Island and North Platte, Lincoln, Pacific, Western Union, and Postal Telegraph company connections are crippled between North Platte and Grand Island, but clear wires have been maintained west of North Platte to Julesburg, Colo.

Price of Potatoes at Retail is Cut by State Food Administration

The food administration has taken a fall out of the high price on potatoes. Food Administrator Wattles has held that effective at once, the retail price of No. 1 red potatoes to consumers shall be 2 1/2 instead of 3 1/2 cents a pound.

No. 1 white potatoes have been cut a cent a pound. The former price fixed at 2 1/2 cents a pound, present price is 2 1/2.

A grading has been made for No. 2 potatoes and the retail selling price fixed at 2 1/2 cents a pound. These prices are to maintain with all retail dealers and at the stores.

Brief City News

Lighting Fixtures—Burgess-Granden Have Root Print It—Beacon Press. Dr. F. J. Schieler has resumed practice.

Dr. Frank Simon, suits 713, Omaha National Bank Bldg.

Shirley Much Better—Robert D. Shirley, owner of the Muse theater, who has been very ill with influenza, is believed out of danger.

Tom English Has the "Flu"—Tom English, chairman of local exemption board No. 3, is ill at his home suffering from what is feared to be an attack of Spanish influenza.

Held for Selling Booze to Indians—Lillian Clay, negro woman, pleaded not guilty in federal court Friday morning to the charge of selling liquor to Indians. She was bound over to the next term of court. The Clay woman is said to be married to an Indian man.

G. W. Garloch Arrives in France—Mrs. George W. Garloch, 3704 Hawthorne avenue, has just received a cablegram announcing the safe arrival of her husband in France. Mr. Garloch was appointed one of the six men to have charge of the construction of permanent Y. M. C. A. buildings in France and England, and sailed from New York on October 7.

Alleges Assault—William Jackson, negro, giving his address as the Cummings hotel, was arrested and charged with assault and battery on the person of Miss Ella Davis, a negro employed at the Pontenelle hotel. Miss Davis alleges that Jackson attacked her Friday morning as she was entering the hotel, and inflicted deep wounds on her person with a knife.

Telephone Man Has "Flu"—William J. Brazel, chief clerk of the general superintendent of plant of the Nebraska Telephone, was taken to the Clarkson hospital Thursday suffering from a mild attack of the Spanish influenza. His home is at Harper's Ferry, Ia. While in Omaha he has resided at 3220 Poppleton avenue. Before coming here a year ago he was plant chief of the telephone company at Grand Island.

Five airplane roads at Grand Island.

COURT HOUSE MACHINE VENTS SPITE ON CARDS

Democrats Ignore Rules of the Game and Tear Down Mike Clark's Announcements as Sheriff Candidate.

The democratic court house machine has campaigned cards and placards and is making a systematic effort to tear down Clark's cards as fast as posted. It has been customary to put candidate's cards in the court house, but in the present desperate state of mind, the democrats are ignoring all the rules of "civilized political warfare."

Another bit of evidence of the workings of the democratic mind at this time may be observed and heard in the resort to epithets.

"Whom the gods would destroy, they first make mad," was a quotation used by a republican, while discussing the situation. "The democrats surely are mad. They are also disgraced, I never heard a man so berated by his own party as King Arthur Mullen is just now being excoriated. They charge Mullen with missing things up generally and they see nothing but defeat ahead. That is why they are mad at him. They are running around in circles. I don't like to laugh at folks in distress, but it's hard to keep from laughing at this situation."

Last chance yesterday for electors to correct their registrations in the election commissioner's office for the election in November. Likewise, it was the last day for first voters, not already registered, to have their names duly recorded in time to vote at this election. The commissioner's office was open until 9 o'clock last night.

Taxicabs Collide and Climb Steps at Harney Hotel Friday Night

A taxicab, belonging to the Omaha Taxi company, scaled six high stone steps and landed squarely in the entrance to the Harney hotel, Fourteenth and Harney streets, Friday night when it collided with another taxicab.

The Omaha cab was driven by Bernard Lesley, 2534 Davenport street, and the other car by Dan Sullivan, driver for the Central Taxi company.

According to Lesley, he was coming west on Harney when, in an effort to avoid Sullivan's car, which was going south on Fourteenth street, he headed for the Harney hotel entrance. Sullivan's car veered around and was also part way up the steps.

Sullivan had three passengers in his car, but all escaped uninjured. Neither car was damaged badly. Lesley and Sullivan were arrested and charged with reckless driving.

Discussion of Boundaries Starts Row in Conference

Philadelphia, Oct. 25.—With all its aims clearly defined the conference of the democratic mid-European union, which have been going on in Independence hall, came to an end today. Tomorrow a new liberty will be proclaimed here for these small oppressed nations, whose delegates declare that there must be an absolute freedom for all the races therein.

That nothing short of an absolute plebiscite can be accepted for the new states was declared today by Professor Masaryk, president of the council, who said there must be a vital minority representation, one that must be granted unrestricted rights.

Discussion of boundaries caused some discord among the delegates today and led to heated arguments and the threat of a Jugo-Slav delegate to withdraw from the conference after he had torn to shreds a small map showing the location of each nation's territory.

T. J. Farley, Ex-Omahan, Dies of Burns in Oklahoma

Thomas J. Farley, former Omahan, died Tuesday in Oklahoma City, Okla., from burns received in an explosion in the oil field Sept. 17. Mr. Farley was in charge of steel construction over oil wells. He was the son of Mrs. Sarah Farley of Omaha.

A brother, John, and the wife, Mrs. Thomas J. Farley of Chicago, arrived Friday with the remains. Two small children, John and Mary, two brothers, H. P. Farley of Seattle and Charles at Camp Funston and two sisters, Mrs. O. J. McGlynn and Miss Sarah Farley of the Visiting Nurses, survive.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Boy Severely Injured Playing at Roundhouse

Earl Selders, 12 years old, living at 3715 North Eighteenth street, received a severe wound in the abdomen Friday afternoon, while playing with his friend, George Poole, 3811 North Nineteenth street, at the Missouri Pacific roundhouse.

The injured boy was taken to the Swedish Mission hospital. His father, Frank Selders, is an employe of the Omaha Van and Storage company.

Hsu's Reconciliation Policy Ends Hostilities in China

Washington, Oct. 25.—Cable advices received today from Peking said the policy of reconciliation of the new president of China, Hsu Shih-Chang, already has met with considerable success. Hostilities have ceased and the leaders of the southwestern provinces, who have been opposing the central government at Peking, have sent delegates to confer with the new president. The progress of the conference, it is said, has been satisfactory to both sides.

ABDICATION OF KAISER DEMAND OF BERLIN MOB

Time of People Has Arrived, Liebknecht Tells His Followers; Cabinet Considers Wilson Note.

Paris, Oct. 25.—An enormous crowd assembled before the Reichstag building in Berlin yesterday calling for the abdication of Emperor William and the formation of a republic, according to a special dispatch from Zurich to L'Information.

Dr. Karl Liebknecht, the socialist leader, who has just been released from prison, was applauded frantically. He was compelled to enter a carriage filled with flowers, from which he made a speech declaring the time of the people had arrived. The German war cabinet considered President Wilson's reply at a lengthy session yesterday, according to the Frankfort Zeitung. It was decided not to answer at the present time, but to wait until it is learned what the entente's armistice conditions may be.

Turks Seek Peace.

Basel, Switzerland, Oct. 25.—(Havas)—Turkey will accept peace based on the principles of right and justice laid down by President Wilson, which the new Turkish government approves, the grand vizier, Tewfik Pasha, is quoted in a Constantinople dispatch as having stated in Parliament.

The grand vizier's speech was made on the occasion of the presentation of the new ministry to the chamber. He said the government would grant without delay to all elements not only political rights without distinction as to nationality or religion but the right to participate in administration of the country.

Another Belgian Loan.

Washington, Oct. 25.—With the addition of \$9,000,000 credit established by the treasury today for Belgium, that nation's total loans from the United States now amounts to \$180,020,000. The total for all the allies is \$7,529,746,666.



Now Is the Time to Buy That Fall Suit and Overcoat

Classy Suits that sell everywhere in Omaha at \$30.

Saturday, at \$20

A wonderful group of fine hand-tailored wool suits—every one cut in the New Fall Styles of extra quality fabrics—scores of nifty patterns and colors—priced Saturday at \$20.

Men's and Young Men's OVERCOATS

Worth \$20 Splendid all wool overcoats in a variety of up-to-the-minute styles, patterns and colors—many are silk lined—Saturday, \$15. Men's \$30 OVERCOATS Saturday at \$20.

Exceptionally attractive wool Overcoats in both the belted and plain back Models—nearly all are in the serviceable dark colors—choice of self or velvet collars—priced Saturday at \$20.

Boys' Good Cassimere Suits—Real \$10 Values

Suits that will prove unusually durable for school wear. Two pair pants; sizes 6 to 17; worth \$10; Saturday, \$7.48.

Palace

CLOTHING COMPANY

14 & DOUGLAS

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY

"EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Friday, October 25, 1918. STORE NEWS FOR SATURDAY Phone Douglas 2100

POTTED Ferns
5-Inch Pots, for 39c

Good size ferns in 5-inch pots, specially priced for Saturday, at 39c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

THIS Leather Case for Your Draft Card FREE for the Asking

WE had them made especially for your Registration Certificates—Genuine leather with celluloid transparency, and if you will come to our Soldiers' Booth on the Main Floor it is yours for the asking and with our compliments.

BURGESS-NASH CO.

Notable Values in Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses \$5.00

SATURDAY we will place on sale a new group of beautiful Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses that evidence the splendid achievements that result from intimate co-operation between manufacturers and retailers.

The values are most extraordinary, and made possible because of the many great economies that have resulted from the genuine thrift plan under which they were made and sold. To just one good store in each city is the sale of these Blouses confined, and, fortunate indeed are we to have been chosen as the store to offer them.

The materials are of a superior quality; the Blouses are cut on full generous lines; the styles are new, authentic, appealing. The charming simplicity of design, and the sturdiness of character that the times so much demand is the rare possession of each of these new models.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

Your Choice of Any Pair of Women's Patent Leather Shoes in Our Store Saturday \$3.95

EXTRAORDINARY to the extreme. The newest of a special clearaway effort of our entire stock of women's patent kid, patent colt and patent leather shoes.

The Saving Means From 1/3 to 1/2 on Every Pair

Included are:

- Women's patent vamp shoes with cloth tops, button style.
- Women's patent vamp shoes with kid top, button style.
- Light weight or turned soles, Cuban heels or Louis heels. The shoe buying opportunity of the entire season.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

Radical Price Reductions on Smartly Trimmed Hats At \$5.00

In Some Instances the Price is About 1/3 the Original.

The offering includes the greater portion of our stock, consisting of:

- large dress hats
- small street hats
- chic tailored hats
- dress evening hats

They're all new, fresh creations—not a one that has been in the house over two weeks—individual styles—no two alike—every one embracing that "differentness" which every woman recognizes in Burgess-Nash millinery.

The materials are the finest quality hatter's plush, velvets and satin clay, etc.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

Sale of Hot Water Bottles \$1.00

"KEEP the head cool and the feet warm," is the doctor's advice, and these hot water bottles will come in handy. They're known as factory seconds, but the imperfections are so slight that you can hardly detect them. The price is about 1/2, and every bottle guaranteed.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

Winter Coat

Saturday--Three Special Groups

\$25-\$29.50-\$39.50

THE advisability of buying your winter coat now is appreciated by every woman who understands merchandising conditions.

Many of the fabrics from which these coats are made will be unobtainable after their present supply is depleted; labor conditions are more unsettled all the time and consequently the cost of labor is higher.

We cannot urge too strongly the necessity of selecting your winter coat now.

- Coats of Wool Velour
- Coats of Kersey Cloth
- Coats of Pom Pom Cloth
- Coats of Burella Cloth
- Coats of Plush

—all beautifully lined and tailored in accordance with our rigid requirements, which give attention to such details as carefully made buttonholes, buttons sewed on to stay, seams deep enough to not pull out easily, fabrics chosen because of wearing qualities as well as style requirements.

The season's newest shades and black are represented.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor



Perfection Oil Heaters at \$4.95

WE have a limited quantity—don't know how long they will last and can't tell when we will get more or what the price will be. So if you want to save coal and keep warm this winter, better get yours Saturday. Smokeless and odorless. Saturday, \$4.95.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Downstairs Store



Fix Up the Old Car and Get Out Into the Open

DR. MANNING advises "plenty of fresh air—keep in the open as much as possible." Maybe a spark plug, a new tire or some other accessory will fix up the old car in running order so you can take the family out Sunday. These specials Saturday.

GAS PEP

Removes carbon, increases mileage at least 20%. Makes your engine run smoother and give additional power. Used and recommended by the largest auto users in the city. A \$1.25 box will purify 150 gallons of gasoline. Results absolutely guaranteed or money will be refunded after a 15-day trial.

- Champion X spark plug, special, 49c.
- Woods Everlock tire patch, 39c.
- Veedol heat resisting lubricant, the ideal oil for your auto, gallon can, 95c.
- Vulcan guaranteed inner tubes—30x3 size, at \$1.95. 30x3 1/2 size, at \$2.25. 32x3 1/2 size, at \$2.95.
- Ford electric tail lamps, complete with bolt and nut, also bulb, at 59c.
- Johnson's liquid wax, large bottle, at 89c.

Monitor

hand operated horns, complete with bell and nickel finish, \$1.95

