

NOTHING COULD STOP THE YANKS. SAYS SHELDON

Secretary of State Historical Society Returns from Visit to French Battlefields.

By a Staff Correspondent.
Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special) The Yanks fought with a spirit which was invincible, said A. E. Sheldon, director of the Nebraska legislative reference bureau and secretary of the State Historical society, who returned today from the battlefields of France where he has been collecting material on Nebraska's part in the world war for the archives of the state.

BREAK A CHILD'S COLD BY GIVING SYRUP OF FIGS

Cleanses the little liver and bowels and they get well quick.

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and indigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

He was in the capacity of a newspaper correspondent, which accorded him all the courtesies of the profession and enabled him to collect some exceedingly valuable material.

Doughboys Swim River.

The capture of Dun, an important stronghold on the east bank of the river, was effected while he was there. American doughboys swam the river at night, climbed the bank and drove the German pickets, but a heavily fortified hill bristling with machine guns still remained to be taken. It was not attacked directly, but other troops were sent across the river outflanking it on both sides and the Germans were forced to withdraw from their strategic stronghold.

"The best tribute to the American soldiers' prowess," said Mr. Sheldon, "is that the troops went forward day by day under such conditions and with German artillery fire covering all of their movements. Nothing could stop the Yanks."

Visted All Fronts.

Mr. Sheldon visited practically all of the famous battlefields and picked up a large amount of material from the Somme battle-grounds and at Ypres. He spent eight days traveling from Ypres, Dixmude and Passchendale, to Armentieres, La Basse, Bapaume, Lens, Arras, Douai, Lille, Cambrai, San Quentin and Peronne.

Most of this country is still deserted he said, and hardly recognizable as having ever been inhabited by human beings. The city of Lens, with 100,000 people, is in ruins, with scarcely a building standing. In front of Ypres for a distance of 20 miles long and seven or eight miles wide the entire area, Mr. Sheldon said, looked as though some giant golf player with a mammoth putting stick had chopped up the soil until one could not find a space large enough to sit down upon which did not show the effects of high explosives.

Christmas with Nebraskans.

Mr. Sheldon did not get to spend as much time with the Nebraska boys as he desired. He found them well and happy. He was present at the Nebraskans' Christmas day celebration at Saarburg, where the Huskers were with the army of occupation. Nearly a thousand Nebraska boys were there with the 355th regiment from Camp Funston.

Abuse, Congratulations And Flowers Sent to Bill

Admirers of Former Kaiser Send Birthday Presents Which Undergo Double Censorship.

By Associated Press.
Amerongen, Sunday, Jan. 26.—William Hohenzollern on his 60th birthday tomorrow morning, will have received many flowers sent by German admirers in Germany and Holland. Since Friday bouquets have been arriving in great quantities from school girls and former supporters in Germany.

Concert Raises Criticism.

Much adverse comment has been heard in Holland regarding the proposed concert which was to have been given Saturday in the castle in the precinct of the former emperor by the Amerongen church choir. It was reported the concert would be given in honor of the emperor's birthday.

Lives Humdrum Life.

The outcry was so great that the concert was abandoned. The former emperor as yet knows nothing about the matter.

Nation's Boy Power to Be Organized to Meet Farm Labor Shortage

To call in the "boy power" of the nation in the coming spring labor shortage is the purpose of the presence in Omaha Tuesday of Edwin S. Shortess, national field director for the United States Boys' Working Reserve.

The veil which up to this time has hidden William Hohenzollern's daily life from the public has been lifted slightly and shows that he employs his day in the humdrum fashion usual among country gentlemen who do not frequent society.

Always Has His Nap.

After lunch the former German ruler occasionally takes a short nap, after which he gives himself to writing or dictating to his private secretary, a former officer. Tea is served in the English style at 5 o'clock and then the reads until dinner at 8 o'clock, after which there frequently is music in the parlor.

The former emperor never wears uniforms nowadays, although many uniforms, including those of all the German guard regiments, and several general's outfits were brought across the frontier when he left Germany. The exile wears civilian clothes made by the local tailor at Zeist.

No Use for Dinner Plate.

Those who have not noted the gradual change in the former emperor's appearance scarcely recognize him in the elderly civilian with short, whitish vandyke beard and somewhat thinned gray hair, which, however, still is in good condition considering his age.

Enormous quantities of baggage were brought across the frontier when the former emperor fled, but many trunks are still unopened. Little use is made of the silver dinner set for 25 covers which also was brought along.

The former emperor, it is said, is beginning to realize the change in his position with the departure for Germany of many of the attendants who had been with him for long periods and to whose presence he had become accustomed.

Public School Enrollment is Larger Than Ever Before

Omaha public schools opened their new semester today with a very large enrollment, estimated to be larger than ever before. The fine weather brought out an especially large attendance in the kindergartens which received a large number of new 5-year-olds.

M'KENNA BOUND OVER FOR THIRD TIME IN MONTH

Confessed Auto Thief is Held to the District Court Under Bail of Two Thousand Dollars.

William McKenna, confessed automobile thief, was bound over Monday morning for the third time this month on a charge of grand larceny. He waived the preliminary hearing in police court and was held for the district court on a bond of \$2,000.

L. C. Jones, said by the police to be one of the ring-leaders in a gang of automobile thieves was named in the same complaint. He also waived the same complaint. He also waived Jones was arrested Saturday by Police Chief Eberstein. Both men were alleged to have stolen a car owned by C. J. Tumulewicz September 28, 1918.

Police are making an effort to have McKenna held in the city jail despite the state law which requires that prisoners awaiting trial on a state complaint be taken to the county jail.

A mittimus commanding McKenna's removal from the city prison and his delivery at the county jail was made out.

Chief of Police Eberstein, who was present at both hearings asked Judge Fitzgerald to order the detention of both men at the police station. Judge Fitzgerald said he had no right to make such an order.

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To Address Ministerial Union Following Sermon in Which Rev. Leavens Criticises Attitude.

Following the sermon delivered Sunday morning to the congregation of the First Unitarian church on the women's detention home by the Rev. Robert F. Leavens criticizing Mayor Ed P. Smith's antagonistic attitude towards the management of the women's detention home, the mayor has agreed to address the Omaha Ministerial union next month.

Victor Rosewater to Speak on the League of Nations

Victor Rosewater, editor of The Bee, went to Sioux City yesterday to present the subject of the "League of Nations" with the Sociological club, which is the principal discussion club of that city.

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While the invitation extended the city's chief executive did not designate a subject, Mayor Smith declared that among other things he would talk on the detention home. "I am going to tell the Omaha ministers some things they do not know," he said. "I shall bring to their attention some things which by all means they should know."

Mayor Smith had no comment to make on the sermon of Rev. Mr. Leavens.

Asked if Police Commissioner Ringer had made a report on the investigation of the charges implicating several policemen in accepting bribes in connection with their duties at the detention home, Mayor Smith declared that Commissioner Ringer had failed to comply with the arrangement to advise him of the results of his probe.

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