

Agreement Reached on Settlement of War Contracts of Billions

Washington, Feb. 4.—In a partial agreement reached today by senate and house conferees on the legislation for validation and settling of informal war contracts aggregating about \$2,750,000,000, the senate managers yielded and struck from the bill the plan for an appellate commission to pass upon awards of government officials.

SAVE YOUR HAIR! A SMALL BOTTLE STOPS DANDRUFF

Every bit of dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out. Try this! Your hair appears glossy, abundant, wavy and beautiful.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scourge.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or outlet counter for a few cents, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, and an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful. —Adv.

COLDS INTERFERE WITH BUSINESS

Dr. King's New Discovery relieves them and keep you going on the job.

Fifty continuous years of almost unflinching checking and relieving coughs, colds and kindred sufferings is the proud achievement of Dr. King's New Discovery. Grandparents, fathers, mothers, the kiddies—all have used and are using it as the safest, surest, most pleasant-to-take remedy they know.

Sold by all druggists everywhere. 60c and \$1.20. Keep Bowels On Schedule. Late, retarded functioning throws the whole day's duties out of gear.

Don't Catch Cold with Salfo-Quinine

Salfo-Quinine is a powerful, efficient remedy for colds, influenza, and other ailments. It acts quickly and effectively.

Aged People Suffer

And Weaken Their Vitality by Constipation, Liver, Kidney and Other Irregularities.

Sulphur Tablets, a Mild, Efficient Formula, Gains Wide Popularity in Recent Years.

A "young" woman, seventy-seven years old, writes: "I am taking Sulphur Tablets, and I think they are a splendid remedy for constipation. I am seventy-seven years old and have tried many remedies but have found none as effective as this. I am recommending them to all my friends suffering from the effects of constipation. They are not only laxative, but a fine tonic also. I feel much better and stronger since I began to take them. Sincerely and gratefully yours," (Mrs.) Ellen A. Bennick, Cambridge, Mass.

Sulphur Tablets (not sulphur tablets) are composed of sulphur, cream of tartar and the fine extracts of roots and herbs, and are surely suited for children or adults to overcome the ills that follow a tormented liver, constipated bowels and inactive kidneys. Headaches, backaches, dizzy spells, pimples, rash, boils, nervousness, all follow the train of irregular elimination of impurities. A week's treatment will please and gratify the most skeptical. Sold by leading druggists everywhere at 60c per tube. —Adv.

NO PROSPECT OF DROP IN PRICE ON HARDWARE

Retail Dealers of State Hold Convention at Castle Hotel; Charles Shahan of Kearney President.

No decided drop in prices of hardware articles is anticipated by the retail hardware dealers of Nebraska, who are holding their eighteenth annual convention, from February 4 to 7, inclusive, at the Castle hotel, in this city.

Prices will not drop until conditions in this country and in Europe become more stabilized seems to be the opinion prevalent among the hardware men. Though government restrictions on the output of hardware articles have been lifted the retailers can see no immediate prospect of a decline in prices. The opposite may even take place, according to many of the dealers, because of the increased competition for raw materials which the lifting of restrictions will bring.

Charles Shahan of Kearney, one of the best known hardware dealers in the state, is the president of the association. Fred W. Ebinger of Plainview is the first vice president, while L. W. Waldorf of Western, Neb., is the second. Nathan Roberts of Lincoln is secretary and W. C. Klein of Millard is treasurer. The men were elected to their respective offices in the 1918 convention held at Lincoln.

More than a thousand paid members are on the association's books and soon every retail hardware dealer in the state will be a member of the organization, according to Secretary Roberts.

Mayor Delivers Address. The convention was opened Tuesday morning by Mayor E. P. Smith, who delivered a short address to the members on their opportunities and their responsibilities.

The hardware exhibit at the auditorium is one of the most complete ever presented. George H. Dietz is in charge of the exhibits. The exhibit ranges from recently patented pipeless furnaces, which furnish heat in the winter and act as ventilators in the summer, to the latest in pocket knives.

Ninety exhibitors show their wares in the auditorium. Governor S. R. McKelvie will address the convention today on "The Needs of the State."

BREAKS A COLD IN A FEW HOURS

First dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" relieves all grippe misery.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages; stops nasty discharge of nose running; relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Don't accept a substitute. —Adv.

Ends Stubborn Coughs in a Hurry

For real effectiveness, this old home-made remedy has no equal. Measure and carefully prepared.

You'll never know how quickly a bad cough can be conquered, until you try this famous old home-made remedy. Anyone who has coughed all day and all night, will say that the immediate relief given is almost like magic. It is as easy to prepare, and really there is nothing better for coughs.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, the most reliable remedy for throat and chest ailments. To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" with directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

The New Vision of Women

In Europe women still wash their linen on the stoves in the nearby streams. American women have passed thru that stage, thru the age of home appliances to the time when they have seen clearly their emancipation from this form of toil.

They now send their wash to the Evans-Model, the big American Power Daylight Laundry, and they have learned that it is in the long run more economical.

EVANS-MODEL The Big Daylight Laundry. Telephone Douglas 243

AT THE THEATERS

STUART WALKER'S production of "The Book of Job," produced at four tented matinees last spring, will be repeated at both evening and afternoon performances at the Punch and Judy theater the week of February 17. It called for a bold man to find in the Bible the very text of a play to be seen in a theater just off Broadway," said the Outlook of March 26, 1918. Mr. Walker used the King James version as text without alteration, and a modern audience found him a human figure, his friends human figures—not ancients concerned with ancient problems, but men of all times. The revival will duplicate the original production, with its impressive lighting, scenery by Frank J. Zimmerman and special music by Elliot Schenk. George Gann will again be seen as Job—a personification of dignity, restraint and power.

One of the most elaborate and pretentious of modern melodramas will be presented at the Boyd next week, when William A. Brady's "The Man Who Came Back" will be given its first Omaha showing. The company has been in St. Louis and Kansas City, following a long stay in Chicago, and has duplicated its New York success wherever it has been shown. In both the Missouri towns it stayed two weeks and extra matinees had to be played to satisfy the demand for seats.

"The Unmarried Mother" is attracting even more attention at the Boyd on its return engagement than it did last summer when first shown here. Daily matinees are affording the women folks, who are interested in the question, an opportunity to see this strong presentation of the point.

Charm, dainty caprice, roguish whimsicality are attributes of Grace Darby Nye, who is seen to advantage this week at the Orpheum theater in the one-act comedy, "Petticoats," by John B. Hymer. Nye is the only one of the bill to reach a high plane of artistic merit. Others of distinction are the grand opera vocalists, Agnes Berri and Irene Jonani, who have come to the vaudeville stage after having won wide recognition as singers while members of the Boston and Chicago Grand Opera companies.

It would appear that the Knights of Columbus and the B. P. O. Elks brotherhoods are vying with each other in an effort to determine which organization shall send the largest number of its members to see Dan Coleman and the Hastings Show, at the Gayety this week. Dan being equally popular with each group. Attendants at the State Hardware Dealers' convention is also materially swelling the crowds desirous of hearing Dan's songs and "After the First of July," which never receives less than a half dozen encores. Ladies' matinee daily.

A popular bill holds forth at the Empress for the last time today headed by Elsie Williams & Co. in a comedy sketch, "Who Was to Blame?" Another pleasing feature is "Camilla's Birds," an aggregation of Australian Cockatoos who give a wonderful exhibition of bird intelligence. Ernest Hiatt's parodies on the popular songs prove the comedy of the bill. Some splendid song numbers are introduced in the comedy singing and talking act offered by Harry Sullivan and Ruth Meyers.

Disappearance of Borin Mystery to His Family

No word has been heard from Charles S. Borin, manager of the Borin Grain company, 408 North Nineteenth street, who has been missing since last Thursday. Mrs. Borin, his wife, is distracted over his disappearance. Upon her return to Omaha from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Borin learned that her husband was missing.

"No doubt he is on a business trip," she said. "Be he left no word about where he was going." As yet, police have not been notified of Mr. Borin's disappearance.

Mr. Borin's stenographer at the office in the Grain Exchange building declared she did not know where her employer went. "Mr. Borin has been away since Thursday," she said, "and I don't know when he will return."

She declined to discuss his business matters.

Gayety Theater Raises \$1,000 for Father Flanagan's Home

The \$1,000 goal set by Manager E. L. Johnson of the Gayety theater for Father Flanagan's Home for Boys has been raised. "We will raise at least \$1,200 and from that on up to the sky," said he.

Dan Coleman in Harry Hastings big show and his corps of play girls kept a constant jingle of money flowing into the coffers of the boys' home. Father Flanagan at each evening performance gives a four-minute talk telling of the aims and ambitions of the home. It is strictly nonsectarian.

IN THE DIVORCE COURT.

Ira J. Kitchen has asked the district court to set aside a decree of divorce granted to his wife, Helen, on the grounds that she has not bestowed proper care toward a 6-year-old daughter. The wife was awarded a decree of custody of a child and \$28 per month, on December 26, 1917. The husband pleads that subsequent events entitle him to a divorce. They were married in Bastrice, November 13, 1916.

John Webb alleges in a divorce petition that his wife, Elizabeth, deserted him March 26, 1915, when she went to Milwaukee with a male boarder of the Webb household. The husband states in his petition that shortly after his wife's departure he has hoped that she would return and be a dutiful wife. He now seeks a decree of divorce.

Nellis Stein is charged with infidelity by Edward P. Finn, who has applied for a decree of divorce and custody of a child. They were married in Rolfs, Ia., October 9, 1906.

Ruth against Marshall Stalop is the title of a divorce action in which the husband is charged with extreme cruelty. Mrs. Stalop asks for a decree of divorce and custody of a child.

New Postmasters. Washington, Feb. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—Postmasters appointed: Eva O. Swartz, Walker; A. Callahan, Hall county, Nebraska; vice Ralph V. Lewis, resigned. Raymond Schultz at Kyrie, Washington county, D. C.; vice Otto Chier, resigned. Dennis C. Fowler at Waller City, Wyoming; vice Aaron M. Young, resigned. James W. Schott at Waller City, Wyoming; R. D.; vice Margaret B. McKim, resigned.

MORE OFFICERS ARE LIKELY TO BE GIVEN GAFF

Ringer Says That Graham and Franks Are to Be Suspended if Investigation Warrants Such Action.

Trial of Chief of Detectives John Briggs and Detective L. L. Wade, charged with misconduct in office, was set for next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock before the city council. Police Commissioner Ringer yesterday asked to have the trial set for a week from Wednesday. While the vote of the commissioners was being taken on this it was discovered that it will be February 12, a legal holiday, Lincoln's birthday. Mr. Ringer then suggested the next day.

"That's the 13th; it's unlucky," said Commissioner Butler. "It'll be unlucky for somebody," remarked Mayor Smith. "Let's have it this week and get it over with," the mayor suggested. "Why not have it Friday, the same day as Danbaums' trial?" Mr. Ringer thought there might not be time for the three hearings in one day, and Saturday was finally agreed upon.

Many Witnesses. "It will be necessary to summon a large number of witnesses and we don't want to call them twice," said Mr. Ringer.

Suspension of two more detectives may come at any time. These are J. H. Graham and Fred Franks, accused of beating and kicking, without apparent reason, a colored prisoner, John Aytech, whom they arrested at Eighteenth and Webster streets last Friday. Commissioner Ure saw the arrest and witnessed the alleged beating.

He made a formal report to city council yesterday and it was referred to Commissioner Ringer for investigation. "The affair is already being investigated," said Mr. Ringer.

Aytech also wrote a letter to city council which was read. He alleges that Detective Franks struck him behind the right ear as he was getting in the patrol wagon. Then he says Franks struck him in the stomach and both officers beat him so that he pretended to faint. He was "pushed around" when he arrived at the station. Aytech lives at the Warden hotel, Sixteenth and Cuming streets.

"If the investigation warrants the action, I shall suspend Franks and Graham and they will have a trial before city council," said Commissioner Ringer.

Commissioner Towl Tells Pupils About New South Side Park

Commissioner Roy Towl, speaking before an enthusiastic audience of South High school pupils yesterday afternoon, discussed the construction of an athletic park for the use of the high school. The park will be located in the vicinity of Twenty-second, between L and M streets. A deep hollow marks this location. Mr. Towl proposes to fill this in in the course of the next three months. The estimated cost is \$5,000.

A base ball diamond, and perhaps a foot ball field are among the possibilities of the field, South High athletes have long felt the need of a place to practice outdoor sports. It is hoped a foot ball stadium will eventually be erected about the field.

South Side W. C. T. U. to Hold Jubilee Meeting Thursday

The South Side W. C. T. U. will hold a jubilee tea at the home of Mrs. L. C. Banner, 3008 South Twenty-third street, Thursday afternoon. An interesting program has been arranged. Rev. C. F. Holler, who has always taken a very active part in W. C. T. U. work, and who was a candidate on the Prohibition ticket for vice president of the National Convention at Columbus, O., in 1908, will give the principal address. Mrs. Claggett, president of the Douglas county division, will tell of the midyear conference. Miss Bess Lavery will give a reading. The Misses Evelyn Vore and Lucette Bliss will render a guitar duet, and Mrs. Roberts will sing a vocal number. The public is invited.

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Charles William Webster Carries on War of His Own

Charles William Webster, black, met his Waterloo last night. With a sample of a machine gun in one hand and a razor in the other, he disturbed the tranquility of a Hanson park car at Twenty-fourth and Cuming streets. Charles also carried a "jag."

"Ladies an' gemmen, ah'm jes goin' ter hab a'll waw ob mah own, right heah," Charles yelled brandishing the weapons.

He did. Road Officer Hensley of the Street Railway company did all the fighting. Upon hearing the screams of women in the car, Hensley jumped on and Charles collapsed.

Omaha's Popular Priced Shoe Store

In a Few Days Our First Shoe Sale

In Our New Location Will End. This gigantic sale of high class ladies' boots, which has afforded the women of Omaha unprecedented opportunities of saving, will not be duplicated in many months to come. Plan to attend this sale in its closing days—it comprises our regular high grade merchandise at sharply lowered prices.

Ladies' All Gray Kid Leather Boots, 10-inch tops, leather Louis heels; sizes 2 to 8, AA to D \$6.95

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Ladies' All Brown Kid Leather Boots—Leather Louis heels; sizes 2 to 9, widths AA to D \$6.95

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Ladies' All Brown Kid Military Brown Boot—9-inch top, wing tip; sizes 2 to 9, widths AA to D; sale price \$5.95

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New Spring Oxfords and Pumps

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Shoe Market

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Information Regarding New Classes of Long Distance Telephone Service

In accordance with the order of the Postmaster General of the United States, under whose direction the telephone companies are now being operated, new schedules of rates for long distance telephone calls became effective January 21, 1919.

The rate for any particular class of service may be obtained from the long distance operator. The principal changes made are that different rates apply for various kinds of calls—that is, there is a rate for "station to station" calls, another rate for "person to person" calls, for "appointment" calls, etc.

The "station to station" service is the cheapest and quickest form of long distance communication. It is furnished at a lower rate than other classes of service because it requires a minimum amount of work on the part of long distance operators and "ties up" the wires for a shorter period than when a particular party must be summoned to the telephone.

The different classes of service furnished are explained following: "Station to Station" Service

The "station to station" rate applies when a distant place is called without asking to talk to a particular person but to anyone at the telephone designated. Such calls must be made either by giving the telephone number wanted or the name or address under which the telephone is listed. If the calling party asks to talk to a particular person the "person to person" rate, which is higher, is charged.

The basis of all charges on long distance telephone calls under the new regulation is the "station to station" rate. This is determined by the air line distance between toll points and is uniform for the same distance throughout the country. The rate is computed for the initial period of conversation on the basis of 5 cents for each six miles up to 24 miles and 5 cents for each eight miles beyond that distance.

"Person to Person" Service When a toll call is made, specifying that conversation is desired with a particular person and the connection is established and conversation held with that person, the "person to person" rate applies.

As this service requires a greater amount of operating effort, the rate for such calls is about one-fourth greater than the "station to station" rate.

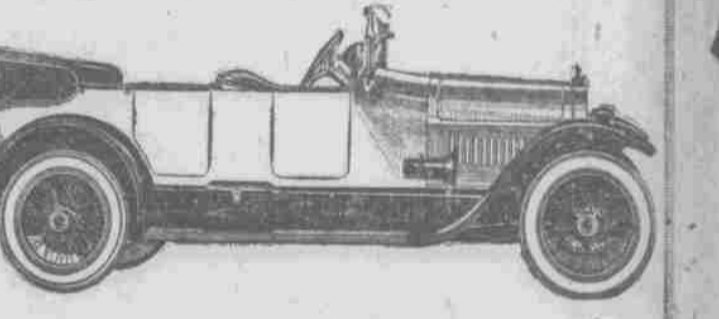
No "person to person" call is accepted, where the "station to station" rate is less than 15 cents.

The "report charge" applies when a "person to person" call, an "appointment" call or a "messenger" call is made and the particular person desired is not in or will not talk, or when an exact telephone

Only "station to station" service is furnished for short distances. No other class of calls may be made between points where the "station to station" rate is 5 or 10 cents. The lowest "person to person" rate quoted is 20 cents, the minimum "appointment" rate is 25 cents, the minimum "messenger call" rate 25 cents and the minimum "report charge" is 10 cents. The minimum "station to station" rate is 5 cents.

On "station to station" calls, where the rate is 25 cents or less, an initial talking period of 5 minutes is permitted. For longer conversations an additional charge will be made. On "person to person" calls, "appointment" calls and "messenger" calls the initial talking period is 3 minutes.

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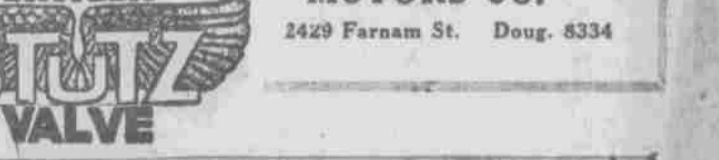


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