LINCOLN SAILOR IN FAVOR OF NEW CIGARET LAW

F. B. Jeffries Appears Before Medical Commitee; Has Smoked "Fags" Six Years and Can See No Ill Effects.

By a Staff Correspondent.

Lincoln, Feb. 6.—"I have smoked cigarets for six years and cannot see that it has had any bad physical effect on me," said F. B. Jeffries, a sailor of Lincoln, who appeared before the medical committee of the house in favor of the McLeod cigaret bill, in response to a question propounded by Chairman Foster. "I can burst the buttons off my coat now with my chest expansion."

Jeffries served in the navy and was one of a gun crew serving a 14-inch naval gun in the operations at Chateau Thierry, Soissons, Verdun and St. Mihiel, during the world war.

"I am in favor of this bill," said he, "because it makes it illegal to sell or give cigarets away to minors, yet legalizes the sale or gift to mature men like me. Under the present law I feel like a bootlegger or a criminal when I have to sneak into a cigar store or other place to buy a cigaret, or the makings."

"During the time I was in service I purchased cigarettes or material for them from the army canteen, through the government, purchased them too, from the Y. M. C. A., and had them donated to me by the the Salvation Army, the Red Cross and the Knights of Columbus. When shot and shell and high explosives made our posts hideous during battle at the front a cigaret was a solace to us and soothed us so that our nerves were strengthened. I have seen Red Cross nurses and ambulance drivers give cigarets to wounded men. The first question an ambulance driver would ask a wounded man, was: 'Where were you hit?' the answer would invariably be "give me a fag."

Judge W. W. Slabaugh of Omaha and Sam Whiting, an old resident of Lincoln appeared in favor of the bill. Both thought the proposed measure could be enforced because it would have the public behind it and would be a law that would be respected. The present measure, they said, was unforceable and created a disrespect for law in general because it could not be enforced and for this reason it made it possible for immature boys below the age of 18 years to get cigarets in any quantity.

Frank Judson of Omaha, chairman of the Nebraska Red Cross, sent a telegram asking the committee to give favorable consideration of the bill out of sympathy for the returned soldiers and sailors who had been encouraged to use cigarets by their government and the various war activities, because it was thought helpful to them and a comfort in time of war, and should be equally so in time of peace.

No person appeared in opposition to the bill and it was recommended by the committee that it be reported favorably and recommended to the house for passage.

Board of Osteopathic Examiners Hold Session

Lincoln, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—The State Board of Examiners of Osteopathic Doctors is in session at the Lindell hotel Thursday and Friday. Nine candidates were up for examination. The board is composed of Dr. E. M. Cramb, Lincoln, president; Dr. J. P. Young, Fremont, secretary; Dr. Byron Peterson, Omaha; Dr. F. F. McCracken, Beatrice, and Dr. W. L. Burnard, York.

Contest Right to Do Business Under Name of Old Firm

Lincoln, Feb. 6.—Right of P. F. Zimmer, who recently bought the old Columbia Fire Insurance company charter, to be granted a license by the state insurance board to do business under that name, is being contested at a hearing before the board by the Columbia Fire underwriters, which took over the business of the Columbia Fire eight years ago.

Price Fixing Committee to Disband on March 1

Washington, Feb. 6.—The price-fixing committee of the war industries board will cease to exist on March 1.

OBITUARY.

MRS. JACK LIVINGSTON died in Fremont Neb. Wednesday aged 50 years. She was prominent in Rebekah lodge circles, having served nine years as member of the home board of the Odd Fellows home at York. She was a past president of the Nebraska Rebekah assembly and organizer of the Nebraska Priscilla Flower mission, a club of young girls organized for furnishing flowers to the sick in hospitals. The husband and one sister in North Carolina are the close surviving relatives.

MISS MARGARET LONERGAN died at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. P. McCarthy, 5504 North Twenty-fourth street, Thursday. Funeral services will be held at St. Johns church Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

ESTHER KISEL, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs Burt Kisel, Holdrege, Neb., died here Wednesday of pneumonia. The body will be sent to Holdrege for interment.

FLASHES from FILMLAND
PHOTO-PLAY OFFERINGS FOR TODAY

A BOOK called "How to Be Happy Though Married" causes all the trouble in Enid Bennett's new picture, "Happy Though Married," which appears at the Strand today and tomorrow. Husband and wife are tickled to death with married life until Milly finds the book and then comes trouble. Then hubby throws fuel upon the flames when he announces the arrival of a beautiful Spanish friend. She can't speak English and Milly can't speak Spanish and the mixups that occur as a part of the rumpus cause audiences to roar with laughter. Miss Bennett proves to be a refreshing sort of screen humorist. In addition to the regular program there is being offered a United States government reel, "Wings of Victory," showing a great part of the aeroplane work of the army and navy.

George Walsh in "I'll Say So," which will be presented at the Muse today and tomorrow, portrays the doings of a young American athlete, who is refused admittance to the army because he is physically deficient—he has flat feet. George starts a small war of his own a little later when he gets on the trail of a German spy plot and puts the spies to rout, proving that there is nothing wrong with his head work and incidentally the athletic young star has one of the fastest movie 'fights' of the year in there as a part of the film.

Starting Sunday, February 9, the Orpheum will present Kinograms, the very latest addition to the great movie putout. Kinograms is a news weekly picture that will embrace on the screen news from all over the world. The following are some of the scenes and incidents that will be shown in Kinogram's number one.

Radio guiding troops return: Denouncement of Trotzky and Lenine, the first pictures of Russia's bolshevik dictators; Mabelle Gilman Corey's newest furs including her $75,000 imperial Russian sable coat; British troops standing guard in the Holy Land; California's dance revival, showing eastern society belles wintering in Los Angeles, flocking about Ruth St. Denis' studio; Samuel Gompers tries "Pot Luck" with Tommy Atkins; British soldiers riding back to "Blighty" in their iron turtles; kinogramed in somewhere, the famous French city; Department of Labor branches of employment bureaus in camps to replace discharged soldiers in industrial life and spectacular news pictures of the enforcement of the Indiana dry law on the Illinois state line.

Henry B. Walthall is appearing as the leading star in "A Still Small Voice," from a story based upon Christian Science.

Bessie Barriscale has so many good points that it cannot hurt her to mention one bad one. Bessie has an atrocious memory, in fact hubby Howard Hickman is her memory and often is heard to remark, "Don't tell Bess, tell me." Miss Barriscale's thoughts are all on her work, and though she will cheerfully promise to remember something, it is dollars to a doughnut she will promptly forget.

On the Screen Today

BRANDEIS—DOROTHY PHILLIPS in "THE HEART OF HUMANITY."
MUSE—GEORGE WALSH in "I'LL SAY SO."
RIALTO—FRED STONE in "UNDER THE TOP."
STRAND—ENID BENNETT in "HAPPY THOUGH MARRIED."
SUN—EVELYN NESBIT in "I WANT TO FORGET."
EMPRESS—FRANCIS BUSHMAN and BEVERLY BAYNE in "POOR RICH MAN."
LOTHROP—24th and Lothrop—NORMA TALMADGE in "THE HEART OF WETONA." BIG V COMEDY.
ORPHEUM—South Side—24th and M—CONSTANCE TALMADGE in "MRS. LEFFINGWELL'S BOOTS."
GRAND—16th and Binney—MARGARITA FISHER in "THE MANTLE OF CHARITY."
SUBURBAN—24th and Ames—BABY MARIE OSBORNE in "DOLLY'S VACATION." LEAH BAIRD in "WOLVES OF KULTUR" No. 11.
HAMILTON—40th and Hamilton—RUTH CLIFFORD in "THE CABARET GIRL."
BOULEVARD—23d and Leavenworth—BABY MARIE OSBORNE in "CUPID BY PROXY."

MUSIC

LUCY GATES, coloratura soprano, and the Trio de Lutece entranced a large, representative audience of music lovers to a veritable seventh heaven of musical delight, when they appeared last evening at the Brandeis theater under the auspices of the Tuesday Musical club. In spite of the many artistic recitals and musical affairs given in Omaha during a season the program last evening was an exceptional treat, and one which those present had in no way anticipated.

Miss Lucy Gates is a coloratura soprano of exceptional gifts. Her voice is powerful yet sweet and of most acceptable quality. Her range is of the widest, and throughout it her tones are as smooth and even as a string of pearls. Her technic is so assured that she does the most marvelously difficult things with her voice without the least effort, and her interpretations are at all times artistic. Her enunciation is not as understandable as one would wish, especially when it is English, from and American soprano, but words did not matter much, her voice was so satisfying a musical instrument, and every note and phrase was so perfectly clear musically.

A delightful element of novelty furnished by the rare combination of flute, harp and cello, but far above and beyond the novelty of the combination was the very poignant beuaty of the ravishing charm of the intermingling of the tone quality of these three instruments, a charm which in beauty of tone, color and artistic effect is almost indescribable. But it was not only the beautyof tone quality of this happy combination which enthralled the audience of last evening; it was more the satisfying art of the three players which breathed and vibrated through all thir work.

There was such a nicety of phrasing, such a care in tonal balance between the three instruments, and such a perfection of ensemble as to fill the soul of the listeners with an ecstatic joy. One hardly realized that such minute gradations of dynamics were possible to the flute and the harp, until last evening, when it seemed that no technical nor physical difficulty was allowed to stand in the way of artistic effect. The diminuendos and crescendos were iridescent in their clarity. Mr. Barrere makes the flute a serious solo instrument capable of great variety of tone and expression. Mr. Salzed knows the harp as Mr. Barrere knows the flute, and such exquisite pianissimos as he used at will, such smoothly shaded runs and fullness of singing tone, all these were ample evidence of masterly technic guided by musicianship.

Mr. Paul Kefer, the cellist, maintained the high standard of the trio, and the beauty of tone which he drew from his instrument was always satisfying, vibrant and artistic to a high degree.

The Trio de Lutece opened the program, with five "Pieces en Concert" by Rameau, that wonderful Frenchman of two hundred years ago whose music is as fresh today as the day it was written. In these, many little solos peeped out, sometimes in the flute, sometimes in the harp and sometimes in the cello part, always expressed with that clarity and balance which immediately won for the trio a high rank as responsive artists. Much of this music was contrapuntal, and at times melodies delightfully interwove themselves or followed each other in fugal or canonical discourse.

An encore, "L'Agaucante" by the same composer followed. "Danses pour la Duchesse de Milan," (XVI century) by Reynaldo Hahn, brought additional pleasure to the program, with varieties of rhythmic effects, and contrasts of style which made each one interesting. The "Courante" at the close was especially attractive. Another encore, this time, "Miaou" by Gabriel Faure, followed.

The closing number by the trio was the "Petite Suite" by Debussy, which was originally written for piano four hands, but which is especially grateful in this arrangement. The poetic charm of "En Bateau," the joyous "Cortege," a dainy minuet, and an atmospheric ballet, all reflected Debussy in his happiest vein, and brought the art of the trio again into its fullest play. "Serenade" by Glazzounoff, was the encore.

Miss Gates for her share of the program sang the aria "Una Voce Poca Fa," from the Barber of Seville, in which her remarkable skill in coloratura was given full display. She received a double encore, the first one being by request the aria from the "Coq Dor," by Rimsky Korsakoff. In this number the voice is treated in a most instrumental manner, and both the voice part and the accompaniment are full of modern effects. "The Pearl of Brazil" brought some beautiful duets between flats and voice and more admirable colorating work.

In her second group "Caro Mio Bien" was sung with a great beauty of sustained tone. The gem of this group was "The Rose Hath Charmed the Nightingale," by Rimsky-Korsakoff, which was repeated three times. After two smaller but equally delightful songs by other Russian composers, Miss Gates again responded with numerous encores, among them the "Cuckoo Clock" by Grant Schaeffer and "Sylvelin," by Singing. Miss Gates was accompanied in the arias by the trio, her voice blending most effectively with the instruments. Mr. Salzedo also proved himself a pianist of attainments in his interesting accompaniments, although he played many of them which were suitable to the instrument upon the harp. In the "Rose Hath Charmed the Nightingale" both cello and flute were artistically introduced in the exotic and ineffably beautiful music.

H. M. R.

Omaha Elks Lodge to Celebrate Thirty-Third Anniversary Friday

Omaha lodge No. 39 B. P. O. Elks, will celebrate the thirty-third anniversary of the order tonight.

A special program has been arranged and addresses by the following members, the oldest living are to be given: T. F. Godfrey, H. K. Burket, T. M. Orr, A. J. Van Kuran, Harry D. Reed and Irving F. Baxter.

As this anniversary also included Past Exalted Ruler's night, the following past officers relieved the present lodge officials of their duties during the meeting: Thos. B. Dysart, exalted ruler,; Dan B. Butler, exalted knight; Raymond G. Young, exalted loyal knight; Geo. F. West, exalted lecturing knight; James R. Dewar, secretary; W. P. Thomas, treasurer; Lysle I. Abbott, esquire; Rev. T. J. Mackay, chaplain; S. W. Smith, inner guard; Arthur C. Wakeley, E. C. Page and D. M. Vinsonhaler, trustees.

Following the official business, the officers for 1919-20 were nominated. A luncheon served in the club rooms, concluded the meeting.

Officer Thrown from Car He Believes Hauling Liquor

Patrolman Goss was hurled from the running board of an automobile he believed to have been hauling a consignment of liquor yesterday when he attempted to force the driver of the car to stop so the machine could be searched.

Are You Observing?

It has been observed that people who take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when needed soon get rid of their coughs and colds: and many of them recommend that remedy to others similarly afflicted. It is excellent.

OMAHA FORGER ROBS CONVICT BANK OF $200

Swindles Inmates of Penitentiary While Serving Sentence; Deficit Made Good by Chief Clerk.

From a Staff Correspondent.

Lincoln, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—By a clever and shrewd manipulation David A. Best, convict sent up from Omaha on a forgery charge, who was later employed as a trusty to keep books in the convict fund department of the penitentiary doing a $10,000 banking business for inmates, got away with $250 to $260, according to a statement issued by Judge Silas A. Holcomb, member of the State Board of Control.

Used Clever Plan.

Best, who was paroled December 30, and who is said now to be in Indianapolis, Ind., used methods, with the aid of confederates, that were "both clever and shrewd, and would do credit to a worthier cause," the statement says.

No earnings of prisoners or state funds were tampered with, according to the statement, but Best transferred funds from the "DD account," discharged men who had never called for their money, to the "spending account," checks on which are a common medium of exchange among convicts.

By this transfer the daily balances were correct, while the loose leaf ledger pages showing the individual transactions has been destroyed to hide traces of the deed.

Deficit Made Good.

The deficit has been made good by Chief Clerk O'Connell of the penitentiary, who is under bond and the official custodian of convicts' funds. The statement absolves Warden Fenton and O'Connell from all blame, since they exercised due precaution and diligence in protecting the funds.

"It is another cause where scheming and shrewdness will outwit the most cautious and prudent, and a fraud was perpetrated where it was thought the least possible," says the statement.

Best was received at Lancaster March 20, 1918.

Commercial League Players Stage Three Hard-Fought Contests

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.

Central Furnitures, 24; Nakens, 17.
Omaha National Banks, 21; Beddeos, 15.
Commerce High, 45; Independents, 8.

Hard fought games and the defeat of the Nakens by the Central Furniture quintet marked last night's contests in the Commercial basket ball league. The furniture men, led by Bromley and Bechtold, gained a two point lead in the first half over the clothier crew. A long basket by Phelps was the most spectacular play of the fray.

Lineups and summaries:

NAKENS.	f.g.	f.t.	P.	CENTRALS.	f.g.	f.t.	P.
Fixa, rf	1	0	2	Hansen, rf	2	0	4
Goodman, lf	2	3	7	Bromley, lf	4	0	8
Phelps, c	3	0	6	Bechtold, c	5	0	10
Dennis, rg	0	0	0	Wiegle, rg	0	0	0
Patton, lg	0	0	0	Price, lg	1	0	2
Bacon, lg	1	0	2				
Logan, lg	0	0	0	Totals	12	0	24
Totals	7	3	17				

Fouls—Nakens: Phelps (2); Central Furnitures: Hansen (3), Bromley, Bechtold.

BEDDEOS.	f.g.	f.t.	P.	OMAHA NATIONAL	f.g.	f.t.	P.
Usher, rf	2	1	5	Ritchie, rf	3	3	7
Klepser, lf	4	0	8	Lee, lf	4	0	8
Geisler, c	1	0	2	Morrison, c	3	0	6
Kooper, rg	0	0	0	Grow, rg	0	0	0
Russum, lg	0	0	0	Koran, lg	0	0	0
M.Ro'sek, rg	0	0	4	Hawkins, rg	0	0	0
Totals	7	1	15	Totals	9	3	21

Fouls—Beddeos: Usher, Klepser (2), Russam; Omaha Nationals: Ritchie, Lee (3), Grow.

COMMERCE.	f.g.	f.t.	P.	INDEPENDENTS.	f.g.	f.t.	P.
Mahoney, rf	11	1	23	Corenman	1	0	2
Kline, lf	2	0	4	Solig, lf	0	0	0
Rokusek, c	3	0	6	S. Corenm'n	3	0	6
Hathart, rg	0	0	0	Bogue, rg	0	0	0
Nicotera, lg	0	0	2	Sherman, lg	0	0	0
Snygg, c	3	0	6				
Bernstein, rg	1	0	2	Totals	4	0	8
Levinson, lg	1	0	2				
Totals	22	1	45				

Fouls—Commerce: Kline, Hathrat, Nicotera, Snygg (2); Independents: Sam Coronman and Bogue.

Officials—Verne Moore, referee; N. J. Weston, timekeeper and scorer.

Time of Halves—15 minutes.

Funeral of Council Bluffs Woman to Be Held in Home

The funeral of Mrs. Lena Rosenfeld, mother of Julius Rosenfeld, senior member of the Continental Furnitiure company of Council Bluffs, and Joseph and Harry Rosenfeld, prominent Omaha and Council Bluffs business men will be held this afternoon at the residence in the Bluffs.

Mrs. Rosenfeld was 69 years old, and had been a resident of Council Bluffs for nearly 30 years. The family home was at 222 South Seventh street. Death was due to paralysis after an illness of eight weeks.

Mrs. Rosenfeld was the widow of L. Rosenfeld, for many years prominent in the Council Bluffs business field. She never withdrew her membership from the Temple Israel in Omaha, where she became a member long before going to Council Bluffs.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rabbi Frederick Cohn of Omaha will have charge of the service. Burial will be in Oak Hill cemetery, Omaha.

Collins to Join White Sox.

Philadelphia, Feb. 6.—Eddie Collins of the Chicago Americans who enlisted in the marines and was stationed at the quartermaster's depot here during the war, has been discharged from the serivce, it became known today. He will join the White Sox when they go to their spring training grounds.

Basket Ball.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Feb. 5.—Cedar Rapids High, 40; Center Point High 7.

Today's Calendar of Sports.

Racing: Winter meeting at New Orleans. Winter meeting at Havana, Cuba.

Tennis: Annual meeting of United States National Lawn Tennis association at New York.

Boxing: Jeff Smith against Lee Houck, 10 rounds, at Baltimore.

AT THE THEATERS

ANNETTE KELLERMAN has returned to vaudeville and is to visit Omaha again. Miss Kellerman is booked at the Orpheum as the headline attraction for the week starting Sunday, February 16, according to a telegram from Martin Beck. During her engagements at the New York Hippodrome, Miss Kellerman developed versatility and there, as well as in the movies, has done a variety of stage work besides diving. Now she has taken her assortment of talents and fashioned a review for herself that is declared to be the triumph of her career. In this Miss Kellerman is assisted by Kerr and Weston and Jack Coogan. Miss Kellerman, of course, continues her diving, but also sings, dances, walks the tight wire and does many other things.

In "The Man Who Came Back," which opens its run of a week at the Boyd on Sunday night, is told the story of a youth who went from the top to the bottom—from a home of wealth, luxury and refinement to the uttermost depths of degradation, through drink, dance halls, opium dens, oriental vice and all the shame and humiliation that could befall him on the way, only to be redeemed at last through the awakening of his better nature, his desire for something he could not have unless he became a man. It presents the most startlingly realistic views of a Barbary coast dance hall, a Hong Kong opium den, a glen in the Hawaiian Isles and other episodes of the progress of this youth. The whole is played by a company that made New York sit up and take notice. The inquiry at the Boyd box office suggests it will have a successful stay here.

"The Unmarried Mother" goes along its even way at the Boyd, with the interest apparently as strong as it was at the start. The company is excellent and shows the care with which it presents each detail of the drama. The engagement ends with the performance Saturday night.

Of the current bill at the Orpheum the most laughable feature is the absurdity of Charlie Wilson as "The Loose Nut." One of the most charming elements of the show is the dainty fun of Grace Dunbar Nile, in the leading role of the one-act comedy, "Petticoats," and Agnes Berri and Irene Jonani, formerly members of the Boston and Chicago Grand Opera companies. Starting Sunday next "Kinograms," the newest addition to movie creations, screen gatherings of events from all over the world, will be a feature of the weekly programs.

Delegates to the Lumberman's State convention are taking the place of the State Hardware dealers (who have gone home) at the Gayety, where empty seats are at a premium at every performance of Comedian Dan Coleman and the Hastings show, the two final performances of which will be given today. Tomorrow matinee the curtain will rise on one of the biggest productions on the Columbia circuit—Dave "Snuffy" Marian and his immense company in "America's Best" which made such a hit at the Columbia theater on Broadway. Ladies' matinee daily.

Quite in accord with the enthusiasm that usually greets the change of program at the Eempress theater, the new show which opened yesterday was well received by a large audience. The Four Farmerettes, a quartet of pretty college girls, met with the approval of the audiences. "Extravagance," a comedy playlet offered by Phyllis Gilmore and Victor Brown and company is a gem of dramatic comedy. Nadell and Follette, introduce songs and comedy in a light nature and Van and Belle present an exhibition consisting of "Boomerang" throwing.

American Casualty List

The following Nebraska men are named in the casualty list sent out by the government for Thursday afternoon, February 6:

WOUNDED IN ACTION: PREVIOUSLY REPORTED DIED.

Hjalmer Gustav Halberg, Lyons, Neb.

WOUNDED SEVERELY: PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING.

Roy Yost, Harvard, Neb.

The following Iowa, South Dakota and Wyoming men are named in the casualty list sent out by the government for Thursday afternoon, February 6:

KILLED IN ACTION.

Velven C. Neff, Ottumwa, Ia.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Lloyd P. Chader, Slater, Ia.
Ernest H. Schmidt, Adair, Ia.

MISSING IN ACTION.

Rudolph Bankol, Roslyn, S. D.

WOUNDED: PREVIOUSLY REPORTED KILLED.

Frank L. Winders, Mapleton, Ia.

RETURNED TO DUTY: PREVIOUSLY REPORTED KILLED.

John O'Neill, Clear Lake, Ia.

KILLED: PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING.

Gehardt L. Mueller, Burlington, Ia.

WOUNDED SLIGHTLY: PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING.

Hugo Anderson, Colfax, Ia.

WOUNDED, DEGREE UNDETERMINED: PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING.

Peter Christoferson, Kimballton, Ia.
Ernest B. Nellis, Hartley, Ia.
Francis J. Spain, Boonesville, Ia.

Cicotte Signs Contract.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Eddie Cicotte, veteran pitcher with the Chicago Americans, signed a contract for the 1919 season tonight.

DEMAND VENUS 17 Degrees VENUS American Lead Pencil Co., New York

Meetings on Prophecy 7:45 P. M. every night except Saturday, in New Gospel Hall, 45th and Hamilton Sts. (Non-Sectarian.) Everybody cordially invited.

LUMBERMEN OF THE STATE ARE IN SESSION HERE

Delegates Prepare for Big Era of Building in This Section of the United States.

Preparation for a new era in building and public improvements is the keynote of Nebraska Lumbermen's Twenty-ninth annual convention, in session yesterday at the Hotel Rome.

"Our section of the country has rarely, if ever, had a brighter outlook for crops than now," said F. C. Krotter of Palisade, state president. "Prices of materials, although some what higher, are not high when compared with products of the farms and with the price of wheat fixed for this year's crop, we should enter into a prosperous year."

Promotion of building and needed public improvements curtailed during the war will help solve one of the greatest problems of the day, he said.

"Speed Up Building."

"Government officials repeatedly ask us to speed up school building, paving and public highway work. Each member on his arrival home should join hardware dealers, carpenters, masons, plasterers and all others interested in building to get them to boost for these improvemetns," Mr. Krotter urged.

Four hundred delegates are attending the convention, at which relief over the lifting of government restrictions on the lumber business is manifest. H. L. Laird of Minneapolis, M. R. Isherwood, representative of the National Lumber Manufacturers' association, and Dr. Stanley L. Krebs of Chicago, were out-of-state speakers.

Attended 27 State Meets.

C. E. Ketridge of Chicago, veteran lumberman, connected with the trade journal, American Lumberman, is one of the interesting visitors. "Ket" has attended 27 of the 29 annual meetings of the Nebraska association.

These meetings have alternated between Omaha and Lincoln since the association was started. E. W. "Ever Willing" Hurst of Grand Island, is behind a movement to insure one of the meetings for his town.

Visiting women were entertained at luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce by Omaha business men, Mrs. J. J. Dodds, acting as hostess. A movie party at the Rialto, followed by tea at the Omaha Athletic club at which Mrs. C. E. Walrath and Mrs. M. G. Colpetzer were hostesses. Delegates and their wives attended the Orpheum last night.

At this morning's session addresses will be made by J. R. Morehead, secretary of the Southwest Lumberman's association and Douglas Malloch of the American Lumberman.

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Albert Cahn 219 S. 14th St. **For Shirts** My Spring line now ready. Order Early to Insure Prompt Delivery.

30,000 Workers Adopt "No Beer No Work" Slogan as Standard

Newark, N. J., Feb. 6.—A "no beer, no work" slogan was announced today by representatives of 30,000 building trades workers, who condemned nation-wide prohibition and voted to ask the Essex trade council, comprising many thousand union men in Newark and vicinity, to start a movement for a strike throughout the state July 1, when the temporary wartime prohibition law becomes effective. The delegates favored manufacture and sale of light wines and beer.

Discussion of England's New Embargo is Halted

Washington, Feb. 6.—Senate discussion of new British import embargo, resumed today following yesterday's sharp criticisms, swung to defense of the British policy of protecting its industries, and the Weeks resolution, looking to a protest to England by the State department, was displaced and sent to the senate calender. Its further consideration will require a majority vote.

PHOTOPLAYS

RIALTO Direction of A. H. Blank TODAY O'NEIL'S CIRCUS

LAY-DEE-Z an' gentulmen! Let me have you at-ten-shun for just a mo-ment, before the big show starts in the main tent, while we inter-duce to you that famous acrobatic comeedyun, Fred A. Stone! Fred Stone is the famous original Injia Rubber man who can turn himself inside out without an effort—Just a moment, Fred, not yet—He can scratch his right ear with his left great toe and never strain a muscle. He will do all these things for you, and many others too curious to describe, in the concert after the big show, "Under the Top," all for one price of admission. I will not tell you all the wonderful, amazing, singular, curious, uncommon, surprising, astonishing, incredible things he will do, because you will not believe me if I tell you, nor will you believe you've seen 'em when he does 'em.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gayety Evngs. 25-50-75c-$1 Daily Mats. 15-25-50c
LAST TIMES TODAY 2:15 8:30
The Hastings Show Dan Coleman MUSICAL BURLESQUE
Tomorrow (Sat.) Mat. and All Week
Dave Marion and His New Show AMERICA'S BEST
LADIES' DIME MATINEE WEEK DAYS.

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SUPERIOR VAUDEVILLE
Matinee Daily, 2:15; Night, 8:15; This Week, Burt and Jonani; "Petticoats;" DeWolf Girls; Charlie Wilson; Lander Bros.; Knight and Sawtelle; Paul Le Verre and Bro.; Travel Weekly.
Matinees, 10-25-50c; Boxes and Stalls, 75-75c. Nights, 10-25-50-75c and $1.00.

EMPRESS
TWO SHOWS IN ONE
Phyllis Gilmore and Victor Brown and Company
Four Farmerettes; Nadell & Follette; Van & Belle; Photoplay Attraction—Francis X. Bushman in "Poor Rich Man;" Harold Lloyd Comedy; Pathe Weekly.

BOYD TODAY -All Week-
Mats. Daily—Ladies Only. Gentlemen Admitted Sat. Mat.
The Unmarried Mother
Mats.—25c-50c. Nites—50c-75c-$1.00
Next Week—Starting Sunday Night
WM. A. BRADY PRESENTS
The Gripping, Red-Blooded Drama
"THE MAN WHO CAME BACK"
SEATS NOW NIGHTS—50c to $2. POPULAR MATS—Wed. and Sat.—50c to $1.00.

Henshaw Cafe
Special Attraction
Carmen Hernandez, Spanish Nightingale
Every Evening
6 to 8 9:30 to 12:30
Also
WRIGHT'S HARMONY SEXTETTE

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LOTHROP 24th and LOTHROP
Today and Saturday
NORMA TALMADGE in "THE HEART OF WETONA."
Big V Comedy.

BRANDEIS Today and Sat. Afternoons Only At 1 and 3 P. M.
The Picture Beautiful
"Sirens of the Sea"
Featuring LOUISE LOVELY, CARMEL MEYERS AND JACK MULHALL.
Admission: Balcony, 15c. Orchestra, 25c

Tonight AT 9 P. M. ONLY PRIVATE SCREENING
The Greatest Photo-drama of All Time.
The Heart of Humanity
AUGMENTED ORCHESTRA. COMPLETE EFFECTS.
A Limited Number of Tickets Are Available for the General Public.
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NEWLYWEDS BEWARE
of advice; don't take the word of anyone, just you see
ENID BENNETT
—IN—
"Happy Though Married"
A most delightful comedy-drama. Also showing "Wings of Victory," showing Uncle Sam at work on "the eyes of war."
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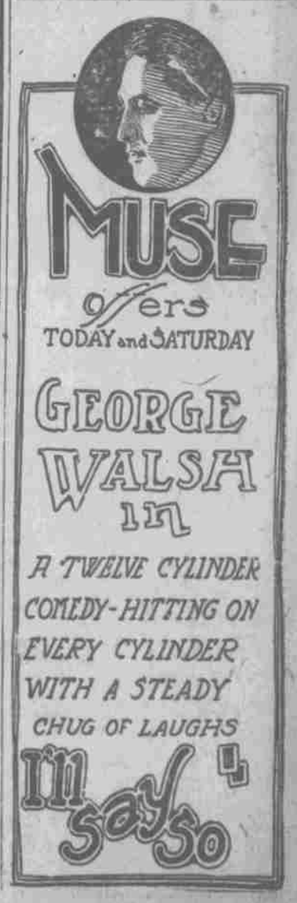
Presents
Today to Saturday
EVELYN NESBIT
And Her Son
RUSSELL THAW
in
"I WANT TO FORGET"



Vote on Federal Woman Suffrage Amendment to Be Taken by Senate

Washington, Feb. 6.—Arrangements for a vote by the senate Monday on the house resolution proposing submission of a federal woman suffrage amendment were made today informally between managers and opponents of the resolution. A vote before adjournment of congress now is regarded assured.

Champions of the resolution and its opponents agreed that, according to present polls and prospects, the advocates lack one vote of the necessary two-thirds majority.

At today's conferences arrangements were made for "pairing" of all absent senators."