

# TWO-THIRDS OF CITY'S QUOTA IS SUBSCRIBED

### Victory Bond Sales Reach \$6,025,000 at Noon Monday; Drive to Continue Until Mark Is Passed.

Omaha at noon yesterday had subscribed to \$6,025,000 of the Fifth Liberty loan notes. This is about two-thirds of the city's quota of \$9,171,550.

Hopes expressed early last week that the city would "over the top" easily in the first week of the drive and that the drive would be all completed and "put on ice" before last Saturday, were not realized.

The workers are fully confident that Omaha will "over the top" long before the official end of the drive for the Fifth Liberty loan, which is May 20.

"We are going to keep right after it," said Sam Burns, head of the 600 men workers in the city. "Naturally it's a harder pull this time with the war excitement gone. We will go back over the ground and try to get those who have taken to take more and to get new subscribers. Omaha will not fall down."

The plan is to continue the steady work of soliciting, to maintain the daily noon program on the court house square and to have occasional parades and "stunts" though these will not come every day as during the past week.

The flying circus was the big stunt in the drive yesterday. Airplanes flew over the city, though the clouds which were said to hang within 600 feet of the earth interfered with the flying exhibition.

## Nebraskan Directs Journalism Course Among U. S. Troops

Prof. M. M. Fogg, formerly professor in charge of the school of journalism at the University of Nebraska, is directing a course of journalism among members of the American Expeditionary forces at Beaune, France.

This feature is for the benefit of American soldiers who want to improve their spare time by developing their newspaper and literary talent.

A number of men who have been identified with metropolitan newspapers in this country are assisting Prof. Fogg.

## Mystic Order of Bagmen Organizes at Hastings

Hastings, Neb., April 28.—(Special Telegram)—Oasis Guild, Ancient Mystic Order of Bagmen of Bagdad, has been instituted here by Hastings Council No. 109, United Commercial Travelers of America, the twenty-first to be formed in the United States. The following officers were installed by Imperial Ruler John T. Reese, Sioux City:

Great ruler, J. C. Lee; viceroy, R. A. Eckstrand; prime minister, F. A. Mitchell; master of ceremonies, Frank Fouts; chief of guides, Clyde R. Ratliff; captain of guards, Stanley Gay; caliph, J. M. Jordan; clerk, E. B. Cook; Hastings; inside gatekeeper, F. E. Wisser; Holdrege; outside gatekeeper, H. A. Smith; Hastings.

## Made First League Secretary.

Paris, April 28.—President Wilson, in his speech explaining the league of nations, said that Sir Eric Drummond of Great Britain had been named as the first secretary general of the league.

## AT THE THEATERS

"CHIN CHIN" has not taken on a shop-worn look or deteriorated in any particular. The scenes are as attractively staged as they were at the Globe theater, New York, where the play was first made known, and this the only company is just as large and well trained in its duties. The story deals with the adventures of a young American girl, who is touring China with her father. In an old Chinese shop, she meets Aladdin of the wonderful lamp. By its magical properties, he becomes a prince of China and makes life very pleasant for the girl until the lamp is stolen by a thief, who also abducts the youthful globe trotter. The pursuit of the thief, and the recovery of the lamp and the girl make up the rest of the tale. "Chin Chin" opens at the Brandeis tonight.

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"The Woman Intervenes," with Florence Roberts portraying the title role. Distinguished acting is a rarity. For this reason, especially, is the work of Miss Roberts deeply relished. Her personation in this play is done in the light comedy manner, with a sureness of effect delightful to see. The current bill offers a variety of popular features, one of the most pleasing of them being the dancing act in which Sheila Terry is featured as the star.

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## FLASHES from FILMLAND

THE rumor that "production has quieted down" of the film studios" is scarcely borne out by the number of companies active at Universal City. A dozen directors are busily engaged in turning out serials, five and six-reel features, two-reel westerns, comedies and animal subjects.

Having completed "Wolves of the Night" with William Farnum and "The Spite Bride" with Olive Thomas, Irene Rich is acting in a picture with Gladys Brockwell.

Hazel Daly, in "The Little Rowdy," has a comedy drama of boarding school days.

Alice Joyce is to appear in "The Third Degree," a picturization of the famous stage success of that title.

Peggy Hyland has finished another of those comedy dramas for which she has become famous. This latest picture featuring dainty Peggy is titled "Miss Adventure," and besides an abundance of comedy it contains a number of situations which, it is said, will thrill even the most blasé picturegoers.

Director Richard Stanton, who is staging "Checkers," the film version of the famous racing play, recently got a new light on life in New Jersey. Laborers digging a hole in rear of the Fort Lee (N. J.) studio for the foundations of a huge set Stanton had ordered ran across an enormous cask. When it was opened the cask was found to be full of whisky. Further investigation revealed that provident Jerseymen living near the studio had laid away a little stock against the coming of July 1.

For the first time in her motion picture career, Mary Pickford worked all night in "Captain Kidd, Jr.," after having put in a full day of eight union hours—during the filming of the scenes showing the digging for the supposed treasure on the Butterfield farm. A portable electric light generator was transported to the farm and scenes which were expected to take only a few hours occupied the company for the entire night. But the little star was at the studio a few hours later.

## Newsboys Who Carry Bee Are Guests of Yiddish Play Company

An army of Bee newsboys greeted Mme. Thomasefsky and her Yiddish comedy company last night at the Brandeis theater on the occasion of the final performance of the Omaha engagement. Every Yiddish boy who carries a route, or cries his wares on the streets, was there, the guests of Harry Graceman, The Bee street circulator.

Mr. Graceman reserved a section of the playhouse for his party and attended the show with his boys. The Woodrow cafe presented each boy with a box of candy.

Blacklists Abolished. London, April 28.—The foreign office announces the abolition of all trade blacklists from April 29.

## Hold Funeral Services for Mrs. Happy Brenner Here and at Neb. City

Funeral services for Mr. Happy Theodore Van Wyck Benner, daughter of the late United States Senator Charles H. Van Wyck of Nebraska and divorced wife of Fernando Benner, New York, who died from poisoning Friday, were held at Nebraska City at 2:30 Monday afternoon.

Services were held at the John W. Steinhart residence. The divorced husband, the 15-year-old son, Van Wyck, and Mrs. Benner's maid, Hansine Svensen were present at the services.

All the pallbearers were residents of Nebraska City. Numerous friends of the deceased woman attended the last rites. Flowers in profusion covered the casket.

Interment was in the Wyuka cemetery at Nebraska City.

The funeral services held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at Stack and Falconer's chapel, Thirty-third and Farnam streets, in Omaha, were conducted by the Rev. J. Frank Young, pastor of the Westminster church. The services were private, the only persons attending were Mrs. Benner's son, Van Wyck, J. W. Steinhart and Myron Learned.

## Two Men Bound Over to Grand Jury for Bootlegging

Arthur Harris and Sam Ziegmann of Omaha, both charged with a conspiracy to violate the Reed amendment, waived preliminary hearing Monday before United States Commissioner Neeley in the federal court and were bound over to the grand jury.

These men are said to have shipped ten gallons of whiskey and ten gallons of gin in trunks from Kansas City to Omaha.

Harris, who first gave the name of Lowrey, was released on \$5,000 bond, and Ziegmann was released on \$2,000.

## Another Woman in Case, Says Mrs. Shelton; Asks Divorce

C. Floyd Shelton of Omaha was sued for divorce by his wife, Gertrude Shelton, in district court yesterday.

She charges that for four years, he has been living with a "certain woman" at various addresses in Omaha, and that this woman has been known as "Mrs. Ethel Shelton."

The Sheltons were married in Lincoln, Neb., in 1907. Mrs. Shelton says her husband has an income of \$300 a month or more and asks for divorce and alimony.

## Federal Employees to Hold Annual Ball Wednesday

The Omaha branch of the National Federation of Federal Employees will give its first annual ball Wednesday evening at the De Luxe hall, Eighteenth and Douglas streets.

Plans have been made for the entertainment of a large number of federal employees and their friends. William Tracy of the quartermaster's department and J. J. Johnson of the bureau of animal industry, South Side, are in charge of entertainment.

## HOW TO JUDGE A WOMAN BY HER HAIR

There is real common sense in just noticing whether the hair is well kept to judge of a woman's neatness, or good taste. If you are one of the few who try to make the most of your hair, remember that it is not advisable to wash the hair with any cleanser made for all purposes, but always use good shampoo. You can enjoy the very best by getting some canthrox from your druggist, dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. This makes a full cup of shampoo liquid, enough so it is easy to apply it to all the hair instead of just the top of the head. Dandruff, excess oil, and dirt are dissolved and entirely disappear. Your hair will be so fluffy that it will look much heavier than it is. Its luster and softness will also delight you, while the stimulated scalp gains the health which insures hair growth.—Adv.



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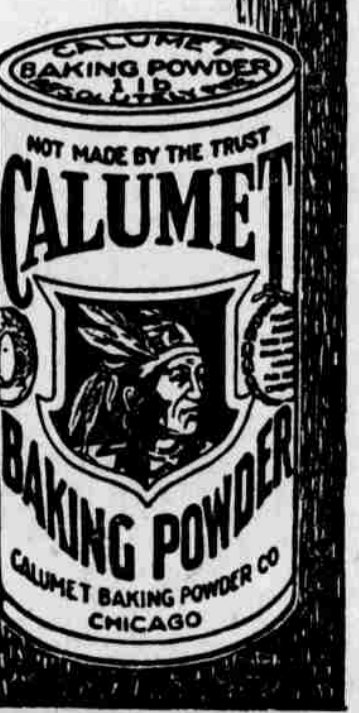
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Exhibit Head of General Blanquet at Vera Cruz

New York, N. Y., April 28.—The head of General Aureliano Blanquet who was killed in a small engagement with federal troops shortly after he landed in Mexico to act as chief lieutenant of Felix Diaz's revolutionary movement, was exhibited to the public in Vera Cruz, April 16, according to Francisco Bebadillo, secretary to the general manager of the Bank of London, in Mexico City, who arrived here today.

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