

QUEEN CITY OF NEBRASKA HAS BIG FACTORIES

Hastings, Third City of State In Population, Located In a Thriving Agricultural District.

Hastings, Nebraska's third largest city, known as the Queen City, was founded on April 17, 1873, with about 20 inhabitants. Only three women were among this sturdy group of pioneers who gave Hastings her start to a population of 12,000 to 15,000 in 1919.

Hastings is the home of the largest horse collar factory west of the Missouri river with an output last year, selling at \$1,685,000. Five cigar factories manufacture 11,000,000 cigars, selling for \$385,000; four brick yards, doing the second largest business in Nebraska. The Queen City is the home of the second largest foundry and iron works business in Nebraska and a grain bin and tank factory is the largest of its kind in the west. Hastings wholesale and retail business in 1918 was \$16,637,600.

Entertainment Facilities. Hastings has five banks with over \$3,500,000 deposits. As a convention city, it is unexcelled with its fine hotel facilities and many other features for entertainment.

Hastings has three moving picture shows, a modern opera house and a country club, with splendid grounds and three well kept parks containing from 20 to 80 acres each and a 30-piece municipal band, for the entertainment of her many guests.

Three hundred and sixty salesmen make their homes in the city, a Masonic temple, one of the most beautiful in the west has been erected. Grounds have been purchased and architects are planning a new cathedral to be built next year.

Hastings is an educational center. It is the home of state Synodical Presbyterian college with several hundred students; a Catholic academy with 75 girls enrolled; a musical conservatory; a business college with several hundred students. A Seventh Day adventist school, an intermediate school, five ward schools; a senior high school with 265 pupils enrolled; a junior high school, just completed, is the finest and best equipped school building in the middle west, with an enrollment of 495 students, costing \$300,000. Hastings is the home of 19 fraternal societies.

Municipal Improvements. Thirty-eight physicians, surgeons, oculists and dentists and 14 dentists practice in Hastings. It is the home of the Mary Lanning memorial hospital, the Nebraska sanitarium and a state insane asylum. Hastings has 30 miles of paving; 44 miles of water mains, and 30 miles of sewer mains. It is the best

Yellow Peril Is Industrial Belief of Sir Douglas Haig

By ROBERT WELLES RITCHIE.

(Staff Correspondent Universal Service.) London, June 28.—While the recollection of that cartoon of ex-Kaiser Wilhelm's, entitled "The Yellow Peril," still lingers in the minds of men a new pronouncement on the same subject comes from no less a person than Sir Douglas Haig, commander of Britain's armies in France for three years. What Wilhelm of Potsdam said with a crayon England's heroic fighter put in words—there is a yellow peril menacing the white races.

It was in the course of the ceremonies of installation as rector of St. Andrew's university that Field Marshal Haig delivered his rectorial address. Laying aside the baton of a director of armies, Sir Douglas assumed the robe of the seer of future world events and spoke of solemn conflicts which are to be found in every quarter of the globe, only awaiting the right conditions to burst once more into activity and cover the fields with harvests of armed men.

Among the more obvious of the existing possibilities of strife he cited the question of the yellow man, saying: "Perhaps newspapers and novel writers concerning themselves with the yellow peril have robbed it of some of its real claims to serious consideration in the interest of sensationalism. Yet it needs only a little reflection to understand that this problem is, in fact, a matter of the utmost seriousness, deserving all the thought that can be given toward its solution."

"I have been a witness to the work that was done by the Chinese labor

battalions brought to France during the war and can bear witness to its efficiency. The time must come when the Chinese will demand a place in the European and American labor market, competing with our highly paid labor and our infinitely higher standards of living. For instance, I have read that in certain parts of China the cost of raising coal to the pit-mouth is one shilling, sixpence (37 cents) a ton; compare that with our five shillings in England.

"Again, there's India with a population of over 300,000,000 souls. India already is beginning to turn toward social, industrial and political development."

Sir Douglas proposed a solution of what he believed to be the inevitable Asiatic problem which was far different from the kaiser's curative of terrorism.

Freedom the Solution. "The solution of this problem," he continued, "is part of the mission of the British empire in the world. In a word, this tremendous problem is only capable of solution by giving to all races, however insignificant, what we proudly regard as British freedom and justice, and thereby in the course of many years leveling them up to our own standards of life. Only in this way may international rivalries be confined within the limits of peace. Only thus may the tremendous pressure of economic competition be prevented from driving whole continents into war. Because of the realization of these facts I believe it was that something of the idea of an economic and industrial side of world life has been woven into the league of nations."

Every Scar On Face Was Badge of Honor

New York, June 28.—Carrying a tiny dog under one arm, a richly dressed girl, whose complexion was hidden beneath a coat of paint and powder, chanced to glance at an American officer whose face was frightfully pitted.

"Isn't it terrible that a man with a pock-marked face like that should be permitted to be an officer?" said she in an audible tone to another girl following her down the aisle.

Instantly a doughboy leaped to his feet, with: "Close your painted face, you half-baked little hussy! That captain led a charge through a barbed wire entanglement to drag a wounded American—back out of No Man's Land while you were feeding sugar to your dog with a spoon. Every one of those wire marks on his face is a badge of honor."

The girl was able to blush, even through her paint. Lighted city in Nebraska, having a municipal plant. Hastings, with an average rainfall of 27.3 inches an altitude of 1932, is one of the healthiest localities in the United States. Adams county, of which Hastings is the county seat, is the banner wheat producing county in the state of Nebraska.

Nix On the Shimmy Says Mayor—Censor

Philadelphia, June 28.—Shame on the shimmy. It's in disgrace in Philly, for a bill just signed by Governor Sproul making Mayor Smith censor of terpsichorean indulgences has gone into effect. Now Philadelphia's mayor is the best one-stepper and fox-trotter in the city and when he decides "nuff shimmy" that's about all the shimmy there will be.

The word having gone forth, a wake was held over the shimmy and a general celebration was in order before it was laid to rest.

Restraint was not present, so couples wriggled and wiggled and invented to their feet's content. Though it didn't die hard, it certainly didn't die quietly, for wave upon wave of contortion followed one another in quick succession.

From now on each dance hall must take out a license and Mayor Smith emphatically declares no license for the shakes. **Wheat for Allies.** Winnipeg—Fifteen million bushels of wheat, western Canada's residue from last year, will be ground into flour and shipped to Great Britain and its allies. The wheat will be purchased at \$2.24 1/2 a bushel, the fixed price, which will continue in effect this year.

DODGE COUNTY PROSPERS WITH LAND INCREASE

War Burdens Fail to Stop Increasing Dividends and Growth of Scribner First National Bank.

Scribner, Dodge county, Neb., is located in the fertile Elkhorn valley about 25 miles northwest from Fremont and about 60 miles from Omaha. It is a prosperous village of about 1,200 inhabitants surrounded by prosperous farmers and is one of the richest agricultural sections of the state.

The farm land has advanced each year until now the best improved farms are selling for \$300 per acre. The land is very fertile and has never experienced an entire crop failure.

The greatest advance in land prices has been within the last year. The people are contented and happy and look to the future with the assurance of continued prosperity. The First National bank of Scribner opened its doors for business in August, 1903, and each succeeding year has shown an increased growth until now its deposits are \$500,000 and its capital, surplus and undivided profits are \$60,000. While the last year has brought to the First National bank its share of the burdens incident to war and its share of the expenses of the government in this war, nevertheless, the past year has been a most profitable one for the institution.

The First National bank, while it has carried its quota of the government securities and supplied its customers with all the money they desired to meet their needs, has not had to rediscunt any of its obligations within the past year.

With the prospect for agricultural supplies needed under the period of reconstruction ahead of us the next year should be still more prosperous for both the people of the community and for this institution.

Ban on Jam Puffs. London—An official order of the ministry of food says that no more jam may be obtained until further notice for the purposes of the business of a pastry cook.

Folio Brings \$7,500. London—A first folio of Shakespeare which was auctioned off at Sotheby's rooms was sold for \$7,500. The folio was printed in 1623.

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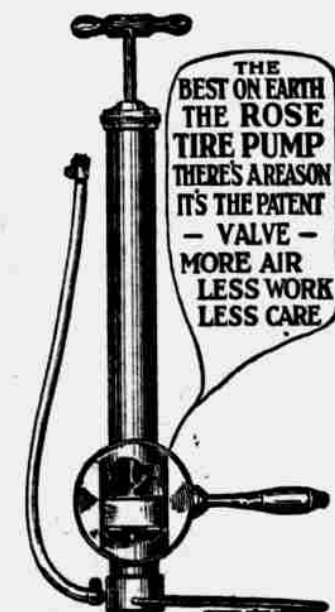
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