

# VON HINDENBURG ASSUMES BLAME FOR ACTS OF WAR

Inspired Kaiser's Proclamations to Soldiers He Wishes Allies to Be Informed Through German President.

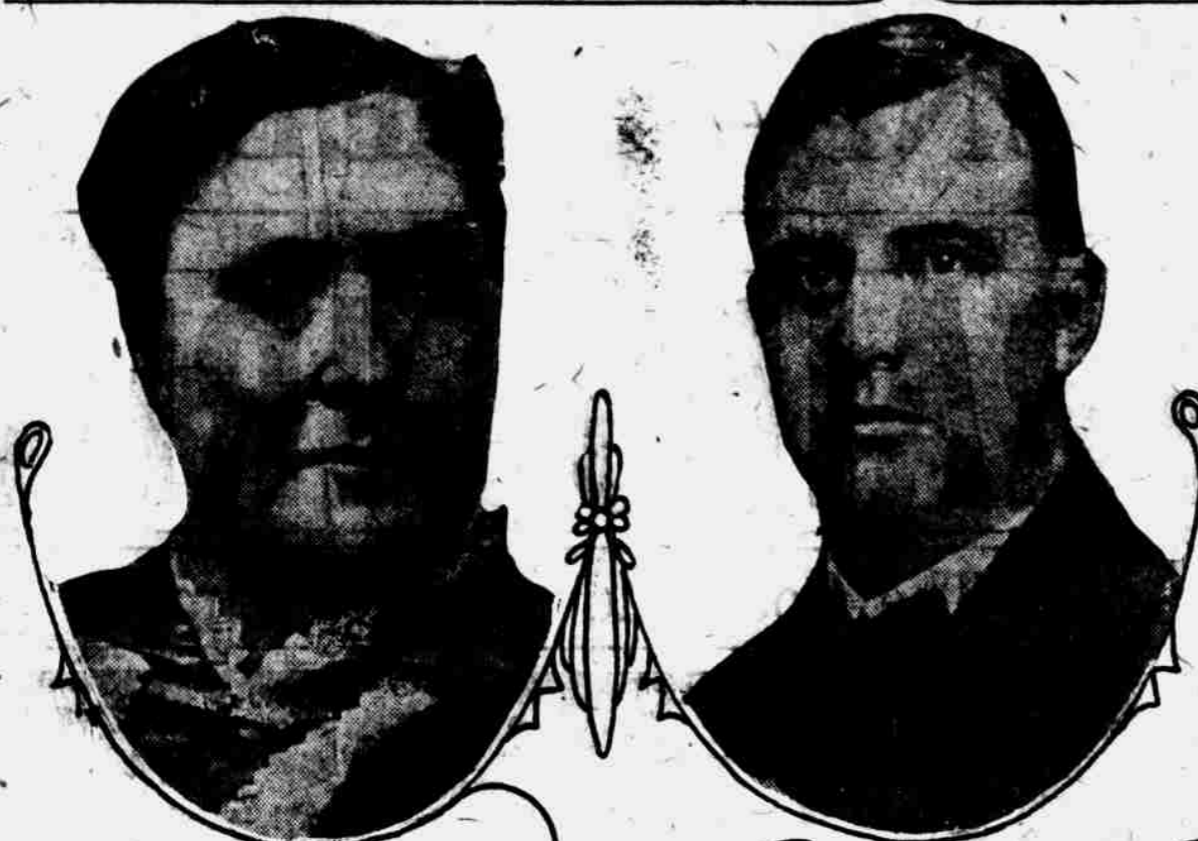
London, July 5.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg, former chief of the German staff, declares that he is responsible for acts of German main headquarters since August, 1916, and also the proclamations of former Emperor William concerning the waging of warfare. He asks President Ebert of Germany to inform the allies to this effect, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company.

The field marshal arrived in Hanover Friday, the dispatch states, and telegraphed the following message to President Ebert:

"The signing of the peace treaty gives me occasion for declaring that I am responsible for the decisions and acts of main headquarters since August 29, 1916, and also that all proclamations and orders of his majesty, the emperor, and king, concerning the waging of warfare were issued upon my advice and upon my responsibility. I beg of you therefore to inform the German people and the allied governments of this declaration."

The declaration by Field Marshal von Hindenburg that he was responsible for acts committed by the Germans and for proclamations of the former emperor is the second to be made by a German leader since it

## Principals in Emerson Murder Trial



Mrs. Kate Emerson

Roy Emerson

was officially announced that the allies purposed to place on trial political and military leaders of Germany for causing the war and for violations of the rules of warfare. The other leader who assumed responsibility for the acts of former Emperor William was Dr. Theobald von Bethmann-Hollweg, former German chancellor, who held office at the beginning of the war.



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### Ready to Try Iowan as Slayer of Mother

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Emerson had stated to several persons of Roy against her life, evidence developed that a blood-stained rag was found near the bottom of a barrel of waste on the second floor of the building in which the tragedy occurred, and Emerson was discovered to have sent a blood-stained suit of clothes to the cleaner to be cleaned. A blunt iron instrument bearing traces of hair and blood was also discovered on the second floor. Finger prints on Mrs. Emerson's arm were declared by physicians to have been inflicted before death.

Mrs. Emerson was last seen alive about 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the tragedy by friends who called at her place of business to visit her. No evidence has as yet developed as to any person seeing either of them from that time until just a few minutes before the discovery of Mrs. Emerson's body.

Charles Emerson, father of the man who will this week be placed on trial, died on January 10, last, after having built up one of the best undertaking businesses in the state. He was one of the leading politicians of the county and was a prominent member of several lodges, including Masons, Elks, Woodmen and Eagles. He had been twice president of the Iowa Funeral Directors' association and was one of the most influential business men of the city. Mrs. Emerson, too, was an active lodge member.

Will Ask Death Penalty.  
The state will attempt to prove by circumstantial evidence that Emerson killed his mother in order to get full possession of the estate, which, in addition to the business, included a farm, the estate having been left by the terms of the father's will jointly to Roy and his mother, and will ask that the death penalty be imposed for the crime.

Emerson vehemently denies his guilt, but the defense has not yet given any hint of the means, by which they hope to unravel the net of damaging evidence spun around the defendant at the coroner's inquest.

Cleveland Street Car Men Will Go on Strike Sunday  
Cleveland, O., July 5.—Following a meeting of Mayor Harry L. Davis, President John J. Stanley of the Cleveland Railway company and representatives of the Street Car-men's union, which resulted in a failure to agree on the men's demands for 12 cents an hour wage increase, union leaders announced that 2,500 motormen and conductors would go on strike at 4 o'clock Sunday morning.

Clearing House Banks Show Excess Deposits for Week  
New York, July 5.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week (five days) shows that they hold \$6,433,000 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$7,643,430 from last week.

## Visiting Nurses With Aid from Bee Readers Save Lives of Babies

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taught mothers how babies must be fed; how milk should be replaced with warmed-over coffee and sweet cakes and how necessary cool, daily baths were for every child. For not one of this kind of baby knew the cool contented feeling of a morning "talcum bath."

The work was not ended when they knew. Mothers gladly brought their babies to the stations for help, free of charge; they learned what food and care was; but neither last summer nor this do many of these same mothers have 22 cents for the milk, or 60 cents for ice to keep it sweet. Even daily baths are a lux-

ury when there are six and seven children and the mother works all the day.  
But Omaha herself helped. During these three months the Visiting Nurse association distributed 2,940 quarts of milk that The Bee fund for ice and milk had furnished for Omaha babies.

This year the same thing is happening. When Long's school opened as a baby station on the 24th of June, three stations were ready for summer work. This, with the Social Settlement and City Mission, care for children up to 2 years in all parts of the city. Had it not been for the influenza epidemic, the three would have been open during the entire year.

This year not one, but two, infant welfare nurses are caring for the mothers and babies. This year people are again giving to The Bee's ice and milk fund, which helps make it possible for the babies to have

what the nurses teach the mothers is necessary for each little summer baby to live, grow and develop whatever talent he or she may have brought into the world.  
And in this all seem interested, for a baby seems to speak an international language. We heard and understood the call from the pathetic, helpless babies in Armenia and Belgium and France. We pitied the grown people, but we helped the babies. And these are our own children.

"People would not believe that in Omaha, not five blocks from the City Hall, little babies have died because of their surroundings and lack of care," said Miss McCabe.  
"The world calls for fine men, who meet a standard, but before the man comes the baby. And between babyhood and manhood are proper living and care."

Strange as it may seem, no one really knows about a baby. It may

be the lovable, dimpled baby, the pink and white bassinet that has the gift the world most seek, but it may not. It is equally likely that within the hot, poorly furnished little baby lies a world treasure.

Within each and all lies the priceless treasure of life which are entitled to have. Life for a baby in summer heat depends on proper care and food. The frail baby spirit must be encouraged to withstand these months. Life and contentment depends on whether the months of July and August find these 1919 summer babies drinking cool, fresh milk. And for a great many the milk and ice depend on whether the bigger brothers and sisters of the city and country help the visiting nurses have the money to buy and distribute that which means life and coos and smiles to hundreds and hundreds of Omaha babies.

## The House of Menagh

Vacationists Are Stocking Up at the

July Clearance Sale

The House of Menagh Continuing Monday

Just a Note: The women who read the signs of the times see every indication of higher prices ahead, and are buying lovely serge suits—suits that will give them that well dressed look at the lakes and vacationing places, and will prepare them for the fall, when the other women will be paying four times as much for the same suits.

Saturday we fitted out a lot of our friends in serge and silk suits, as well as sending dozens away happy with bargains in delightful summer dresses.

For Monday we offer some more unusual values, beginning with

Graceful Summer and Fall Wraps at \$9.75

We wish there were more than 25 of these to offer, but too many other youthful women have wanted them, at prices many times this special one for the Clearance Sale.

Here are smart hip-length and three-quarter length capes, unlined, or half lined with pussy willow.

Boltvia	Serge	Light Velour	Tricotina
Roosie	Peanut Brown	Navy Blue	Wistaria
Tan	Taupe	Frych Blue	Morocco

## Beach Linens and Party Organdies at \$25

Here are a group of frocks that spell grace and youth in every line, colored in palest gold with touches of coral and embroidery, and in wild rose pink and white and lavender, frilled with dainty lace and ribbon. Frocks that call for the wide leghorn hat and a hammock in a shady yard or the center of an admiring circle on a summer hotel veranda. And when you buy one, you are saving enough money to buy the beautiful leghorn to go with it.



### Tailored Suits For Vacation Travel

Navy blue serge, not too heavy to wear in summer, yet just splendid for fall, models similar to the early advanced fall styles, just beginning to be sent out, are in a special offering for Monday, in two groups.

\$24.75 \$34.75

## Special Bargain Items for Monday

Vacation Gingham at \$4.85

White Wash Skirts at \$1.59 and \$3.89

Smart little frocks, just the thing for tennis, boating, picnicking, and beach parties.

Values up to \$12.50 in at this low price because slightly soiled. All sizes. Just a few of each.

### Requiem High Mass for Dead Soldiers and Sailors

Requiem high mass will be celebrated Saturday, July 12 at 9 a. m. in St. Cecilia's cathedral in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the diocese of Omaha, who died in service. The mass is celebrated at the request of the Isabelle club, an organization which was active during the war entertaining the soldiers and sailors and other war activities. Relatives of deceased soldiers and sailors are especially requested to attend the mass. The public is invited.

Come In Monday, July 7, and Save Money to Use on

## Your Vacation

Wonderful Values in

- Shirts
- Underwear
- Silk Hose
- Silk Ties
- Wash Ties
- Soft Collars
- Caps

A Real Sale of Real Merchandise

## Pease-Black Co.

1417 Farnam St.

Charles Edward Black—His Store

### Black Silk Hose

Every summer requirement has been anticipated—stocks are quite complete with all styles. These three numbers in black silk are particularly dependable.

Full fashioned hose, silk to the top, \$2.75 a pair.

Pure thread silk hose with lisle top and sole, \$2.50 a pair.

A beautiful black hose, silk to the top with white silk clocking, hand embroidered, \$4 a pair.

### Embroideries

Narrow edges and insertions to match, embroidered on Swiss, nainsook and cambric. Fancy edges for collars, in white and colors.

Beadings and bandings for belts and dress trimmings. Camisole embroideries of all kinds. Edges and insertions for dainty lingerie.

### Fine Sale of Girls' Slippers

A large assortment of broken sizes in strap slippers and pumps with low heels and medium round toes. Very attractive slippers in patent and dull leather.

Monday for \$3.65

### Embroidery Patterns

We have just received our Fall line of Royal Society packages, containing the following: Children's dresses, long and short

- Baby pillows
- Carriage robes
- Corset covers
- and combination suits, bloomers and pajamas of pink nainsook.

Art Department—Third Floor

Summer Hours:

9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Saturdays, 6 P. M.

### Toilet Articles

- Hair Brushes, 75c.
- Cutex Nail Sets, from 50c to \$1.50.
- Henna D'Oreal, \$1.25



### The Men's Shop

Shirts and Ties

Our assortment of silk shirts is practically as extensive now as at the first of the season, because we are constantly replenishing it. A large line of crepe de chine, broadcloths, jerseys, tub silks, and fibres in Eagle, Manhattan, and Earl & Wilson makes are on display.

Delpark's wash neckwear stands laundering. Tubulars or wide-neck ties are priced from 25c to \$1.

## BATHING SUITS



Wool Jersey suits for both women and children in amazing combinations of black, gold, rose, brown, green and blue. They are charming suits, made in ways that give the greatest freedom to the swimmer, as well as picturesque to the one who stays on the shore.

One lot of \$4.50 and \$5 two-piece mohair suits is especially priced—\$2.98.

Third Floor