

Lincoln Bureau of The Omaha Bee

PROFITEERING PROBE BY STATE IS EXPLAINED

and when the work shall have been completed, a full report will be published for the people. Meanwhile, I desire to thank you for having given me this opportunity to inform you of our efforts, and I commend you for your interest in the matter.

Lincoln, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—In a message to the legislature in answer to a resolution asking for information as to what the state had done as the matter of profiteering investigation, Governor McKelvin said:

"Bearing upon the activities of the state administration in conducting investigations related to the high cost of living, I am pleased to report to your honorable body that such investigations were begun in the practical cities of the state early in August. I have asked the attorney general, who, in co-operation with the secretary of the Department of Agriculture, has been conducting these investigations, to make a definite report to you of the progress thus far made."

"You are, no doubt, aware that since these investigations were begun, both by the federal government and the state, the price of hogs has declined about 25 per cent and the price of corn declined about 30 cents per bushel almost immediately."

"I should add that one of the remedies which will be applied is that which relates to the re-valuation for assessment purposes of city property. We are now procuring, through the department of finance, information regarding the rates at which rental properties are being let, and these will be used as a basis of valuation. We feel that through this source a decided benefit will accrue to all of the people of the state."

"You may be assured that this question is being pressed with much vigor and in such ways as seem most practical under the conditions."

Lift off Corns! Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.

Ethel Clayton's Beautiful Complexion. That splendid actress now appearing under the Paramount banner is famous for her beautiful complexion.

Skinner's the Best Macaroni and Spaghetti made of Durum Wheat GETS 28 EGGS A DAY NOW FROM 34 HENS

Why Lose Your Hair The Cause is Dandruff and Itching; The Remedy Cuticura

CLASS IN VOCAL EXPRESSIONS ADDED TO COURSE

University of Omaha Augments Oratorical Course to Suit All Classes of Students.

In the best colleges and among the highly cultured, vocal expression is taking its place alongside of science, philosophy and language. Its worth and refining qualities lie in selections from the best in literature. Colleges and individuals are coming to realize that vocal expression is a part of an education; that there is no true culture without power to express.

Vocal expression is educational and cultural. First, because it has to do with literature that contains and gives out relative and comparative values. It develops sequence and logical thought and perspective of speech. Second, it is educational because it develops valuable habits and overcomes bad habits. It enlarges the vocabulary, develops style in language, creates a love of literature and increases dynamic power. Third, it is educational because it has spiritual value. Vocal expression always acts under the idea that there is something good to be attained. It enables one to look on life with a broader vision; it teaches giving rather than taking; it responds to that which is higher and gracious; it helps cast off jealousies and ranklings; it develops gentleness, love and reverence.

Additional work is to be added to the special oratory course at the University of Omaha. It will be in the form of class lessons in voice, repertory, fundamental principles, practice teaching, Bible reading, conversation, story telling, applied physical culture, life study and classical, contemporaneous and modern drama.

This work is outlined to suit all classes, young or old, students or townspeople. The department will enroll any person for any or all of these classes. To those taking private instructions these classes are free.

Hastings Teachers Will Attend State Convention. Hastings, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The Board of Education voted to dismiss the Hastings city schools November 5, 6, 7, in order that the teachers may attend the State Teachers' association to be held in Omaha. The teachers will be paid for this time and the board urged that every teacher in the city attend and use their influence to put into operation the new constitution to be brought before the association.

Hastings College Notes. Miss Mary Sims, '18, who was secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at St. Louis, Mo., has been compelled to quit her work at home with Mrs. Sims at Champlin, St. Louis, Mo. She is looking after the church interests of the community. Miss Sims is also teaching at the Champlin school.

Miss Rilla Scherich, '17, who had intended to attend the Moody Bible Institute in Fall, has accepted the principalship of the Beemer schools and delayed her going to the institute for the following year. Miss Scherich taught very successfully at St. Edward during the past two years.

Announcements have recently come to the attention of the Y. W. C. A. of Miss Katherine Sartell of Worcester, Mass., to Harold Reule, class of '18. Miss Sartell, who has recently come to the Methodist church from University place, gave the students a much appreciated address on Tuesday morning. The returned students in Hastings college, now number 62. One day last week the Kappa Tau held an open meeting Thursday evening. The crowd in attendance was large, and the program much enjoyed.

Doane College. President J. N. Bennett went to Lincoln Friday to meet with the committee on the financial campaign. The new plans arrived Thursday and was set up in the auditorium. It is a beauty, and its tone satisfies the music faculty entirely. It was used for Friday chapel exercises.

Dean A. G. Hayhoe returned from the state convention of Congregational churches at Weeping Water. The P. A. T. freshman girls' society was launched this week by means of a handsome poster, the work of Mrs. V. S. Collett of Crete, and a meeting in Gaylord Hall parlor, where it was well attended. This society works all year for a gift to the college.

Miss Ella C. Hulse will arrive in Crete Saturday evening and will meet the missionary committee. She will address the students in chapel Monday morning.

Sugar Company Employee at Scottsbluff Killed in Fall. Gering, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Hilton Burke was instantly killed when he fell from a high platform at the receiving dump of the Gering sugar factory, striking upon a cement floor in the beet pit. He was 25 years old, and was married; few months ago to Miss Dorothy Fairbrother.

Eagle Boat Asks Aid. Sydney, N. S., Oct. 19.—American Eagle boat No. 41 is reported disabled off Canzo, N. S., and to have asked for assistance. Two tugs were reported to have been sent in answer to the call.

Traveling Salesmen



C. M. Jack, hardware salesman for the Paxton & Gallagher company, is seldom addressed as Mr. Jack. His full name is Charles McPharland Jack, but to his customers and even Mrs. Jack he is just plain "Jack."

Mr. Jack began his career as traveling salesman for a Sioux City firm about 10 years ago. Since he entered the employ of the Paxton & Gallagher company, six years ago, he has made his headquarters at Nebraska City.

By persistent effort and good salesmanship Jack has greatly increased the volume of business in his territory. He is not just an order taker, as his competitors would testify, but is a real salesman who combines a thorough knowledge of his "line" and an honest belief in the quality of goods which he sells, to best advantage.

In Nebraska City he drives a small, antique automobile which is equipped with but one headlight. It has gained the appellation of "one eye." He calls it that himself.

When it is running it makes curious sounds which can be heard in all parts of the city, but Mr. Jack doesn't mind that. "The thing runs," he grins, when he is urged to buy a new one, "what more do you want? Besides, my customers always know when I'm coming when I drive 'one eye.'"

Pumice Stone Deposit in Nebraska to Be Marketed. Gering, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Several thousand acres of land along the range of hills which divides Scotts Bluff and Banner counties, southeast of this city, have been recently leased by a mineral company. They intend to employ 1,000 men in trucking a volcanic ash deposit, known as Fuller's earth, or pumice stone, to the railroad for carload shipments.

"Cascarets" work while you sleep! When one of you gets bilious, headachy, constipated, if the breath is bad, stomach upset, or for colds, soreness, just take "Cascarets" to regulate the liver and bowels and all is well by morning. Switch to "Cascarets"—Cost so little!

School of Expression—University of Omaha. Two-year course, leading to diploma in oratory. Instruction in practical speaking, expression, voice building, conversation, story telling and dramatic art. Plays a specialty. Enroll now for immediate work. Wednesday and Friday afternoons, Tuesday and Thursday evenings. For information, inquire of Registrar or Dean, Corner Pratt and 24th Street. Phone Webster 4645.

Dancing at The Fontenelle. MONDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER TWENTIETH, MARKS THE OPENING OF THE DANCING SEASON AT THE FONTENELLE.

The Henshaw Hotel Announces the Engagement of THE NATIONAL ORCHESTRA and King of Saxophone Players AL WRIGHT

ASTHMA Why suffer? Dr. Keeney's Asthma Remedy gives instant relief. 25 years of success. 60c. at all drug stores. Avoid all substitutes.

WIFE THOUGHT DEAD, RETURNS AFTER 46 YEARS

Arrives Unexpectedly in Camden, Mo., to Find Her Husband the Father of 13 Children.

Richmond, Oct. 19.—After believing for 46 years that he was legally married, and after rearing 13 children, James J. Wainscott, wealthy land owner of this place, today faces the predicament of having two wives, one of whom he had thought dead for a half century.

A woman claiming to be his first and only legal wife, arrived unexpectedly here and as a result Wainscott is making a speedy effort to a divorce proceeding.

In the spring of 1869 Wainscott then a young man, went to Lone Jack, Mo., and married. But, according to his story, his wedded life was very unhappy, and in October of the same year he separated from his wife. He then settled in the town of Camden, Mo., and eventually met a young woman with whom he resolved to risk again the trials and tribulations of matrimony.

Filed for Divorce. Some time previously he had filed papers for divorce, according to his story told to attorneys. When he filed his petition for divorce summons to the trial was sent to his wife at the place where they had resided during their unhappy wedded life. The papers were returned with the information that Mrs. Wainscott was dead.

Recently a train from Kansas City brought Mrs. Wainscott No. 1 to Camden. Wainscott is an old man. She is his legal wife. Should he die she would obtain a share of his property—and he has been very successful financially. The woman claiming to be the legal wife of James J. Wainscott stated she was married to Wainscott in 1874. She registered at the Hotel Richmond at Denver, Colo., and was accompanied by Mrs. James Manley of Denver.

"I was only 14 years old when James Wainscott and I were married," said Mrs. Wainscott No. 1. "One day my husband went to town to get some thread and never came back. A few days later I read in Kansas City papers he had been killed in a railroad accident.

"In 1891 I was married again. I thought Mr. Wainscott was dead." While in Lone Jack she was told James Wainscott's sister was living in Camden. She took the first train to Camden, where she sought to hunt things up and go back to Denver and get a divorce. But he refused to pay the costs of a divorce and now Mrs. Wainscott will prosecute him.

Accepts Mandate. Wellington, N. Z., Oct. 19.—The house of deputies has passed the bill whereby New Zealand accepts the mandate for Samoa.

SPAIN WISHED TO ENTER WAR TO AID FRANCE

And Now King Alfonso Has Gone to Paris to Felicitate France on Victory.

Madrid, Oct. 19.—King Alfonso left Madrid for Paris at 10 p. m. Saturday.

The Diario and El Universal say that the visit is proof of the excellent relations between France and Spain and that it will give Alfonso the opportunity of paying homage to the bravery of France.

Paris, Oct. 19.—The Spanish ambassador, J. Quiñones Z. Leon, has gone to the frontier to meet King Alfonso.

The king of Spain wanted to come to the aid of France with his army at the outbreak of the war, according to a statement of Ambassador De Leon, printed in Le Journal today. The ambassador said the king called the French ambassador to the palace on the first day of the mobilization and said to him: "You may send to your eastern frontier the Eighteenth corps that guards the frontier of the Pyrenees. I will answer for our frontier."

Later on, during the dark days of August, the ambassador declared that Alfonso again took up the question with the cabinet: "I want, astride my horse, to go to the aid of France with all my cavalry." The cabinet De Leon asserts that the king made it clear to the king that the Spain of Charles V had become a constitutional monarchy.

"During the war we were not neutral," Senator De Leon said. "We could not admit this officially, but it is true."

The French newspapers, in commenting on Alfonso's visit, dwell on the king's role during the war pointing out that he intervened personally with Germany in favor of the 125,000 French and Belgian soldiers, about 8,000 British and more than 6,000 Italian troops; that he obtained the pardon of 19 persons condemned to death, and secured the repatriation of 70,000 deported civilians and 20,000 ill or mutilated prisoners of war.

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BRUNDAGE PUTS A "KICK" IN THE USE OF BAY RUM

Dixon (Ill.) Case Brings Opinion "Tonic" Can Be Sold But Not Carried on Hip for Beverage Use.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—It seems that in the little town of Dixon, Ill., some bibulous persons have been purchasing bay rum and drinking it, and raising Ned. It would appear that the stuff contains 58 per cent alcohol, and that it is on sale in certain drug stores.

Now, these tidings came to the attention of Attorney General Edward J. Brundage, through the medium of the state's attorney resident in Dixon, and Mr. Brundage was called upon to give his ideas in the matter. Likewise in the matter of individuals carrying a bottle of bay rum in their hip pockets.

Brundage's View. Mr. Brundage, after citing the law in regard to all these things, remarks: "It is a matter of common knowledge that bay rum is ordinarily used, and intended for use, for other than beverage purposes, and the definition which the act gives to the term 'intoxicating liquor,' clearly indicates that when a liquid is not potable or suitable for being used as a beverage its sale is not prohibited by the fact."

"The character and use of bay rum are well recognized. The possibility of an occasional different use does not change its recognized and established character. It is possible a man may get drunk on bay rum, but it is not true."

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AMUSEMENTS. GAYETY ALWAYS GOOD USUALLY GREAT. BRILLIANT MUSICAL BURLESQUE Twice Daily All Mat. Today Final Performance Friday Night. JOE HURTIG'S NEW SOCIAL MAIDS. With Fascinating Musical Varieties. INA HAYWARD Model Venus of Burlesque. And Funny Titled. BLUCH LANDOLF From the N. Y. Where He Made Millions Laugh. EXTRA—LULU COATES AND HER THREE CRACKER-JACKS High-Stopping Beauty Chorus.

DEAR READER: I've always said Miss Hayward is the "class" of burlesque prima donna and I think you'll agree with me. The New York Hippodrome was foolish to relinquish so fine a talent to a rival show. Miss Hayward is a real beauty and a real star. OLD MAN JOHNSON, Mer. Gayety. Evening & Sun. Mat., 25, 50, 75, 5c. Week Mats 15c and 25c. A Few Day Tickets 10c. AT ANY WORKING LADIES' 10c. AT ANY WOMEN'S TICKETS 10c. Baby Carriage Garage in the Lobby.

TONIGHT AND TUESDAY The Big Musical Spectacle "BRINGING UP FATHER" All new this visit. See Jiggs in Society. Wednesday and Thursday—Smyan Howe Traveling. Friday and Saturday—"Katcha-Koe."

but in no fair or reasonable sense is it an intoxicating or potable liquor. However, Mr. Brundage believes that "if it becomes reasonably evident to the seller that bay rum is coming into use as a popular tipple, such sale is a violation of the law. And what he says about the sale of bay rum, says he, can also be applied to the carrying of it "on the hip."

Army of Witnesses for Alleged Grafters' Trial. Chicago, Oct. 19.—With a great army of witnesses for both the prosecution and the defense the trial of S. C. Pandolle, head of the Pan-Mont company of St. Cloud, Minn., and 12 other officials and promoters of the company on charges of conspiracy to use the mails in a scheme to defraud will open in Federal Judge Landis' court Monday. Sale of stock in the company forms the basis of the charges.

In the indictments, which were returned several months ago, it is alleged by the government that more than 60,000 persons bought stock amounting to \$7,000,000 in the Pan company and only \$2,000,000 assets remain.

PHOTO PLAYS. MOON. A light to the finish between American and Bolshevik. A startling drama of the Great Unrest of Today. TODAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY. Special Attraction—11 ARTISTS—11 "NAVAL JAZZ REVUE"

Frank Keenan in "The World Aflame" RIALTO A. H. Black Marguerite Clark "WIDOW BY PROXY"

Shamb 10th & Douglas Jack Pickford "Burglar by Proxy" FATTY ARBUCKLE "BACK STAGE"

SON "6 Foot 4" STARRING William Russell Measuring up to its title. Bigger than the rest. MUSE DOROTHY GISH and OWEN MOORE "JORDAN IS THE HARD ROAD"

The Coat that Led to Romance. Archie, for all his millions, needed a coat, nor did he have money to buy one. A pretty pickle that, into which his bet had gotten him! He got his coat from a scoundrel, and there in its lining began the trail that led him to Romance, to a far country, to a beautiful girl and to dangers innumerable! Decidedly different is this new Pathé serial in theme and treatment. You'll call it great! George B. Seitz in Bound and Gagged. With Marguerite Courtot Produced and directed by George B. Seitz Written by Frank L. Smith Coming to leading motion picture theatres. PATHE Distributors