

# RELIEF WORK IS BEGUN IN HOMER FLOOD DISTRICT

### Food Sent Each Day by Relief Train From Sioux City —Red Cross Funds Give Out.

Homer, Neb., June 5.—(Special)—Construction work here following the damage done by the floods from Omaha creek Tuesday morning was begun in earnest today. One hundred laborers from Sioux City arrived in a special train chartered by the Sioux City Chamber of Commerce to help in the work. Governor McKelvie has been advised by Mayor Allen for relief aid from the state.

clearing the city of the filth deposited by the flood, and moving back to their foundations the 25 homes which were moved by the high waters.

The local Red Cross chapter, which yesterday opened its office, has already expended the \$3,300 reserve fund for the purchase of food and clothing.

Hot meals are given three times a day to the men who are working in the streets, and to persons left destitute by the flood.

**Food From Sioux City.**  
Food for residents of Homer is brought in by truck and train from Sioux City. A special relief train over the Burlington railroad arrives at 5 p. m. each day.

More than 450 of the 750 residents of the town lost everything they had in the flood, according to the mayor, who is anxiously awaiting word from the governor in response to his appeal for aid.

**Bishop Shaylor Addresses Graduates at Fremont.**  
Fremont, Neb., June 5.—(Special)—Bishop E. V. Shaylor of Omaha was the commencement orator at the Fremont high school graduation exercises Friday night. Twenty boys and 45 girls received diplomas.

# Nurses of University Hospital Will Be Graduated With Students at Lincoln



Graduates of the University hospital will have their commencement exercises jointly with other classes at the State University in Lincoln tomorrow.

The commencement procession, which will begin at 10 a. m., will march to the St. Pauls auditorium. President Burton of Michigan university will deliver the commencement oration.

Graduates of the University hospital, left to right, are: Rita Elizabeth Eisenmenger, Alice Graham, Edith Josephine Stockham, Edith Sexton Martin, Ottilia Lucie Czaplak, Mary Elizabeth McHugh, Mary Sarah Fisher, Georgia Sylvia Dye, Blanche Orpha Nicola, who also graduates, was absent because of illness when the picture was taken.

# ARREST ANOTHER FOR KILLING OF TREYNOR FARMER

### August Sieck Held for Death of George Mikesell—Jim Harbour Released After Autopsy Today.

August Sieck, farmer living near Treynor, Ia., was arrested in Council Bluffs yesterday and charged with manslaughter in connection with the shooting Tuesday of George Mikesell, ex-convict, who died in Mercy hospital Thursday night.

Sieck was released on \$3,000 bond to appear for preliminary hearing next Friday, the day after the inquest, which is to be held by the coroner and county attorney.

Sieck admitted yesterday that he had a rifle with him when Mikesell was shot, and that he used it, but he said Mikesell fired at him first and that about 15 shots were fired in the battle which took place at the crossroads between Treynor and Carson.

with which Harbour was shooting was .32-caliber.

The county attorney stated yesterday that premeditated manslaughter will be fought out in the hearing, because of the fact that all three men were heavily armed.

The dispute arose over the payment of a bill of \$250 which Sieck claims Mikesell owed him for feeding a mare.

**Dimming the Light.**

It is possible to make a dimming device at home by frosting the headlights with a solution composed of epsom salts in a cup of water, a saturated solution. Simply paint the inside of the lens with this solution, which forms a frosting lasting several months. Or it is possible to make a permanent job of the frosting by getting what is known as "ground glass substitute" from a photographic supply house. This material is composed of ether and rosin, and glass once painted with it stays frosted practically forever.

**Maywood Will Celebrate.**

Maywood, Neb., June 4.—(Special)—An elaborate entertainment program has been provided in this city for Fourth of July celebration. Special arrangements are being made to care for motor parties who visit the city.

**Horseshoe Tournament.**

Fremont, Neb., June 5.—(Special)—A revival of the game of horseshoes is planned by the local Y. M. C. A., which will hold a city tournament soon.

The farmer still retains the leading place as the largest user of motor trucks, manufacturers rank second and retail merchants third.

# Daughter of Fremont Banker Is Victim of Another Girl's Act

Fremont, Neb., June 5.—(Special Telegram)—According to a telegram received from Frank B. Knapp, Fremont banker, his daughter's arrest on forgery charges at Denver, was caused by another girl using her name, and Mrs. Marjorie Knapp Easton has been released.

# Nebraska Friends Hold Meeting in Central City

Central City, Neb., June 5.—(Special)—The thirteenth annual assembly of Nebraska Friends is in session at Nebraska Central college, near this city. Representatives are present from Nebraska, South Dakota and Colorado. The following officers were elected: President, Homer J. Coppock, president of Nebraska Central college; recording clerk, Estella Carrell, pastor at Central City; reading clerk, Estella Foxworthy, Central City; announcing clerk, Ellis A. Wells, pastor of North Loup.

# Big Peach Crop in Sight.

A. M. Shubert, well-known fruit grower of Shubert, Richardson county, Nebraska, said yesterday that peaches would be plentiful this season. Shubert was in Omaha on business. The apple crop also looks good, Shubert said.

Of the first four teams in the National league, three of them represent the west. Perhaps Horace Greeley was right at that.

# HOWE COLLAPSES ON STAND AT THE SKINNER PROBE

### Tears Flow From Eyes of Deposed Manager as He Denies Charge of Conspiracy.

Lincoln, June 5.—(Special)—Tears flowed from the eyes of R. C. Howe, deposed president and general manager of the Skinner company, as he denied charges of conspiracy with "big five" interests at a meeting of the stockholders' investigating committee and the bureau of securities in the state capital building today.

# Hung Jury Probable in Lincoln Mann Act Charge

Lincoln, Neb., June 5.—(Special)—At midnight Friday the jury deliberating on the case of Ben Casey, charged with a violation of the Mann act, had failed to agree after being out eight hours. Casey was indicted by a federal grand jury, charged with transporting Mrs. Clara Hurt from Lincoln to St. Joseph, Mo., and other cities for immoral purposes.

# Wyoming Has Its First Bank Failure for Last 17 Years

Sheridan, Wyo., June 5.—(Special)—Bank Examiner Newlin Friday ordered the Bank of Arvada, a small town 40 miles east of here, closed today. He announced that a receiver would be appointed. This is the first incorporated bank in Wyoming to be closed in 17 years. Liabilities are estimated at \$55,000.

# Community Building and Library Planned at Arnold

Arnold, Neb., June 5.—(Special)—The Arnold Woman's Improvement club, the township board and the library board, are advocating a township library and community building. A committee has been appointed to collect plans, estimates of probable cost and other data relative to such an undertaking.

Claimed to be the largest in the world, Akron, O., has a garage to accommodate 3,500 automobiles.

# Find Body of West Point Man Drowned in Cloudburst

West Point, Neb., June 5.—(Special)—The body of Oscar Fisher, employe on the farm of Charles G. Keller, north of West Point, who was caught in the flood waters of Plum Creek Tuesday, was found in a deep hole in the Keller pasture.

To encourage all steps in relieving the overcrowding of street cars in Philadelphia, Mayor Moore is in favor of the operation of motor buses in that city.

# State Will Aid Homeless Caused by Flood at Homer

Lincoln, Neb., June 5.—Aid will be given by the state to citizens of Homer, Neb., whose homes recently were swept from their foundations by flood waters from a nearby creek. Secretary H. H. Antles of the Nebraska welfare department announced. It is planned to move the houses to higher ground. Meanwhile the homeless are being cared for by other residents.

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