

Prices Will Jump Next Spring Says Omaha Traveler

U. S. Must Feed and Clothe World, Given as Cause by Max Orkin After Trip Abroad.

There's nothing like taking a trip to other parts of the world to make one see the advantages of the United States, Max Orkin, an Omaha capitalist, declares after four months spent in touring the Orient.

Japan Is Dead.

"If people will put on their thinking caps they will see that America has to feed and clothe the world, and that we can't fail to have prosperity. But you know how it is if somebody hollers 'fire'—if the people walk out calmly no one is hurt, but if they all get frightened and run many will be hurt."

China Farmers Stricken.

"Crop failure has hit China, and we will have to send some of our grain there. I went through Shanghai, where the drought was comparatively light, but even there the poverty and hunger was beyond description. The government is floating a loan to buy food from America."

Full of Fight.

"The newspapers in Japan are full of fight," he said. "If the country was a democracy, war might come, but the national treasury is depleted, and there probably is no real danger."

Former Victims of Constable See Him in Role of Parson

Garbed in a coat, long and mournful, and a hat that was won in Bryan's last campaign, Constable George McBride, of Justice of the Peace Collins' court, portrayed the role of a Swedish minister Friday night at a South Side theater to the uproar of hundreds who listened to his quips.

Farm Hand Takes Poison; Is Found Dead in Hotel Room

William Wedgewood, 45, farm hand of Decatur, Neb., was found dead in bed in his room at the Northwestern hotel, Sixteenth and Webster streets, yesterday by a chambermaid when she entered to make up the room.

Launching of Good Ship Omaha Delayed Ten Days

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 4.—(Special Telegram)—Launching of the scout cruiser "Omaha," scheduled for today, has been postponed until December 14. Miss Louise B. White of Omaha, chosen to christen the cruiser, arrived here last night. She expressed disappointment at the postponement, but said she was glad of the opportunity to visit on the coast during the week.

Child Saving Institute Receives Bequest in Will

The Child Saving Institute will benefit to an estimated amount of \$10,000 from the estate of the late Pauline Steimetz, 2313 1 street, whose will was filed in county court yesterday. After bequeathing about \$10,000 to relatives, she leaves the residue of her estate to the Child Saving Institute.

Americanization Pageant.

The subject of immigration and America's obligation to the immigrant will be presented in pageant form at the First Christian church, Twenty-Sixth and Harney streets, Sunday night at 7:30. The subject of the pageant is "The Melting Pot."

Complaints Filed On 6 Restaurants

Sale of Cream Containing Less Butter Fat Than Law Requires, Charge.

Formal complaints charging the use and sale of cream containing less than 18 per cent butter fat as required by law were filed in Central police court yesterday against six Omaha restaurants.

Wilson Undecided on Delivering Message

Washington, Dec. 4.—President Wilson has informed congressional leaders that he will receive on Monday the committee to be appointed by the senate and house to notify him formally that congress is in session and ready to receive communications from him. He has not, however, made known whether he will deliver his annual message in person, as was his custom before he was taken ill more than a year ago.

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Would Stop Gambling

The bill will stop gambling in wheat, corn, cotton and other farm products, said Senator Capper. "It will eliminate the wheat pit and the blackboard. It will put out of business the thousands of wire houses and bucketshops . . . by making it impossible for gamblers and speculators to deal on boards of trade."

"The bill undertakes to preserve the legitimate 'hedge,' but cuts out all gambling and manipulations." Farmers, dealers and manufacturers buying or selling grain of cotton for actual delivery would not be restricted by the proposed law, Senator Capper said.

Owners Escape Tax

Sellers of grain, grain products and cotton, who at the time of sale would be owners of the "actual physical property" and traders regularly engaged in growing, dealing in or manufacturing and registered with the internal revenue bureau would be exempt from the 10 per cent tax. Such traders, however, would be limited in their dealings to three times their actual transactions during the preceding year, and would be required to report all dealings to the internal revenue bureau.

In a statement outlining his bill, Senator Capper declared that only about 1 per cent of "future" trading in grain and cotton was bona fide. Millions of dollars were lost by farmers, as well as speculators, in the recent bear raid on the grain markets, Senator Capper declared, asserting that consumers as well as producers were the victims.

Campfire Group Guardians Needed

22 Vacancies In Newly Organized Bodies—Guardians Association Elects Officers.

Twenty-two guardians are needed immediately for newly organized Campfire groups," said Miss Louise Guy at the monthly business meeting of the Campfire Guardians' association held in the Campfire headquarters, 23 Patterson block, Friday night. Of the 38 guardians of active groups in Omaha, only seven were present at the meeting.

During the month of November 49 groups were visited by Miss Guy or

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At the meeting Friday evening the guardians formally adopted a symbol for the Guardians' association and discussed the Christmas work to be done by the girls. All groups will co-operate in making toys and candy for the Riverview detention home, dresses for the Associated Charities and will take an active part in the selling of Red Cross health seals. Each girl doing this work will receive a special honor.

\$200 Stolen From Office

Indorsed checks for \$100 and \$100 in currency were stolen from the office in the feed store of F. H. Foggy, 8022 North Thirtieth street, Friday afternoon, according to police reports. The thieves left no clue.

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- Stokes Wonder Book of the Bible . . . \$3.50
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 - Child's Christ Tales75
 - Little Star-Gazers . . . 1.25

- #### Children's Books
- Raggedy Andy . . . \$1.35
 - Little Boy Blue . . . 1.50
 - Child's Garden of Verse . . . 75c 1.50
 - Raggedy Man—Riley . . . 2.50
 - Bird's Christmas Carol90
 - Doctor Dolittle . . . 2.25
 - Tiny Hare and His Friends . . . 1.00
 - Sandman Stories75
 - Burgess Bedtime Stories . . . 1.00
 - Burgess Old Mother West Wind . . . 1.20
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 - Turnkettle Series75
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 - Overall Boys . . . 1.00

- #### Series of Books
- Rover Boys . . . \$.85
 - Tom Slade65
 - Tom Swift65



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 - The Crimson Patch . . . 1.75
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 - Elizabeth . . . 1.75
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 - Kewpie Primer—Illustrated by Rose O'Neil . . . \$1.00
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 - Billy Whiskers . . . 1.50
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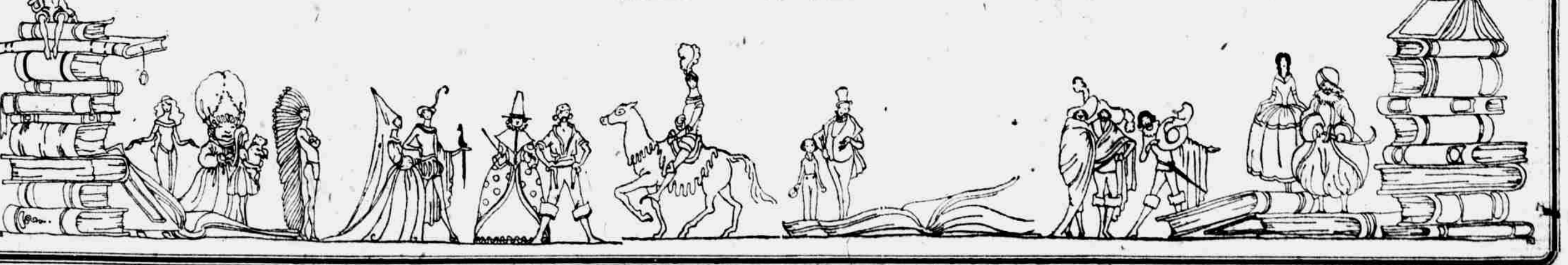
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