

Big Boost Sought For China Famine Fund This Week

Americans Urged to "Pick a Pal in China for a Day" As Means of Affording Relief Quickly.

From coast to coast and from border line to border line, Americans who respond to the most urgent call yet issued by the American committee for China famine fund will "pick a pal in China for a day" this week. This period will be known as "China famine week," in direct response to cablegrams from the American committee in Peking urging increased subscriptions with which to purchase food to keep starving Chinese farmers and their families from devoting growing acres during the next several weeks. Recent cables also advised that all funds received have been expended for supplies which will have been distributed and consumed by May 1.

Although the American committee contemplated no drive in the customary sense, a season of special appeal was decided as obligatory because of the messages of imperative need.

According to the national committee in New York, local committees in practically all sections of the country have responded and will join in the "China famine week" activities.

Churches of many denominations, which already, through the American committee or their mission boards have contributed more than \$1,500,000 will be specially active next Sunday. In addition, fund committees and other organizations through their members, will, figuratively, pick a pal in China for a day, the thought in the background being that each person responding to the call will send to the China Famine Fund, in care of W. Dale Clark, treasurer, Nebraska committee, Omaha National bank, what each would spend on a friend in one day, thus saving one or more victims of what has been described as the worst famine in history.

The president of China recently added his appeal to that of the American committee in a cable in which he detailed the critical situation which will exist during the next several weeks intervening before the audiences in the last week by Alfred S. Sze, the stuy minister from China to the United States, who headed a flying corps of speakers which visited middle, western and eastern cities in the interest of the famine fund.

Vernon Munroe, treasurer of the China famine fund, announced that nearly \$3,600,000 had been subscribed directly through the American committee up to last night. Workers for the fund express the hope that this sum will be doubled during a "China famine week." In addition to the total already recorded, the churches and the American Red Cross have each forwarded \$1,000,000 to their workers in the famine areas.

Mayor Makes His Final Plea in Campaign at University of Omaha

"The engineers promise that \$500,000 of the money spent on the bridge will go to local labor," asserted Mayor Ed P. Smith at the University of Omaha yesterday. The university chapel was crowded with outsiders who wished to hear Mr. Smith's last speech as mayor.

"The Dodge street cut is the second largest street grading improvement ever put through in the United States," he said, speaking of the work of Roy N. Towle's department of parks. "The paving of Dodge street will be finished by July 4."

"When Towle's plan for widening Twenty-fourth street is carried through, Twenty-fourth street will be the finest thoroughfare in the middle west."

"Due to the beneficence of Harold Gifford, the work of the planning board, and the vision of Roy Towle we shall have a river drive better than anything west of the Berkshire hills."

"You can start from the Atlantic and go to the Pacific on the Lincoln highway and the only place you have to pay toll is Omaha," asserted the mayor. He argued that the free bridge would enable Omaha to secure more trade from western Iowa.

Vigilance Committee To Hunt Cattle Thieves

White River, S. D., May 2.—(Special).—The vigilance committee, which was organized recently by ranchers in the vicinity of Wood and business men of that town, already has about 60 members and has inaugurated a campaign to rid this section of the Rosebud country of horse and cattle "rustlers" who have been unusually active during the last few weeks.

Members of the vigilance committee will assist officers in running down "rustlers" and in prosecuting them after they are captured.

Fairbury Woman to Head Schools at Steele City

Steele City, Neb., May 2.—(Special).—The school board has hired Mrs. Sminia of Fairbury as superintendent of the school for next year. Mrs. Sminia is principal of Central high school in Fairbury, where she has been in charge for the past four years.

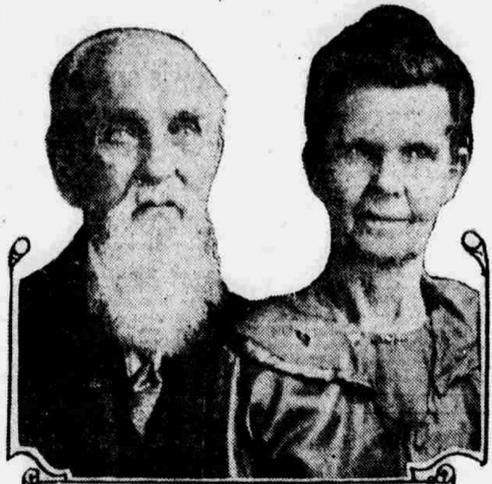
Iowa Editor Will Publish Mason City Transcript

Broken Bow, Neb., May 2.—(Special).—The Mason City Transcript, one of the oldest weekly newspapers in Custer county, changed management May 1, George F. Morley, formerly editor of the Record at Traynor, Ia., having purchased the plant of J. F. Peebles.

Deaths and Funerals

Edward F. Pope of the Pope Drug company died Sunday at his home, 2155 Dewey avenue, after three months' illness at the age of 34. He is survived by his wife, Mary, a son, Franklin; his sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pope; a sister, Mrs. Ralph Beckley; and his brother, J. S. Pope, who lives in Fairbury. He had lived in Omaha since 1908, when he came here from St. Paul, Neb., and entered the drug business with his brother.

Iowans Celebrate 62d Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Reed

Surrounded by all of their living children, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Reed of Perry, Ia., recently celebrated their 62d wedding anniversary at the family home. Mr. Reed is now 83 and his wife, 77. They are the parents of nine children, 29 grandchildren, 49 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. There have been but five deaths in the family. M. O. Reed, a son, was killed in an accident in Spokane, Wash., in 1913. The other four deaths were of children under 10 years of age.

The living children are: Former Attorney General Willis E. Reed, Dr. W. H. Reed and Claude H. Reed, all of Omaha; Mrs. Farley of North Dakota, Mrs. Trent of South Dakota, Mrs. Gattmer, Mrs. Weching and Mrs. Gill, all of Iowa.

Traffic Sermonettes

By Traffic Safety Committee.

CUTTING CORNERS.

The big majority of accidents in Omaha occur at street crossings and the persistent habit of many drivers to cut corners is responsible for them. It is nothing short of reckless driving.

Drivers should form the habit of making the military or square turn at all intersections, by keeping as close to the right side of the road as possible. By following this rule you will minimize the danger of wrecking your own car and possible injury to yourself or companions. Because the "other fellow" cuts corners gives you no license to do likewise. Rather set a good example for him by sane and careful operation of your automobile.

Zimman Denies Charges Made in Political Ads

Those who wrote political ads attacking him are either misinformed or consummate liars, said Commissioner Harry B. Zimman in a statement issued yesterday. Zimman denies he advised citizens to shoot policemen and avers he has always opposed law violations. "I have not opposed the closing of vicious soft drink parlors, pool halls and other places of this sort," he said.



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Even after hours of hard, fast driving, gear boxes are cool. And it's all because Dixon's itself remains cool and because the smooth, clinging coat which it spreads over the teeth absolutely prevents friction. Your car needs Dixon's.

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Deep Seated Uric Acid Deposits Are Dissolved and the Rheumatic Poison Starts to Leave the System Within Twenty-four Hours. Every drugist in this county is authorized to say to every rheumatic sufferer that if two bottles of Allenbur's, the sure conquerer of rheumatism, does not stop all agony, reduce swollen joints and do away with even the slightest twinge of rheumatic pain, he will gladly return your money without comment.

Famous Seelye Mattresses

The Famous Seelye is shown at the Bowen Store—in fact, we have a mattress that will surely satisfy and please. See our full line.

Mr. James H. Allen, the discoverer of Allenbur's, who for many years suffered the torments of acute rheumatism, desires all sufferers to know that he does not want a cent of anyone's money unless Allenbur's decisively conquers this worst of all diseases, and he has instructed Sherman & McConnell, a Drug Store to guarantee it in every instance.

Howard St., Bet. 15th and 16th.

Earl Mack Gets Year and A Day

Sentence Imposed on Former Vaudevillian Who Married Dancing Instructor.

Earl Mack, former vaudeville actor, who was arrested at the Hotel Sanford three weeks after he wooed and married Miss Grace Abbott, Omaha dancing instructor and director of "The Kidnight Follies," was sentenced to one year and a day in federal prison yesterday.

Judge J. W. Woodruff pronounced sentence when Mack pleaded guilty to using the mails to defraud. Mack was arrested a month ago, charged with passing spurious checks. Investigation disclosed he had sold fake contracts to sell candy in several motion picture theaters in Omaha. His bride of a few weeks has

not visited him since he was arrested, he told federal operatives. She is still giving dancing instruction in the Lyric building, using her maiden name.

Suspended Officer Resigns; Another One Facing Trial

Charles Marowitz, patrolman suspended from the police force because of drunkenness, resigned yesterday. He was to have a hearing Wednesday. He refused to tell where he got the liquor.

"Al" Davenport, another officer, will have a hearing Friday morning in Central police court on the charge of attacking Arthur Beeber, 2436 South Nineteenth street.

Phone Books Delivered And New Prefixes in Use

New telephone prefixes are now in use with the delivery of May 1 phone books. "Tyler" numbers are now "Atlantic," "South," "Market," "Colfax," "Kenwood," and some former "Douglas" numbers are "Jackson." The Bee's number is now Atlantic 1000 instead of Tyler 1000.

Injunction Granted By Federal Court in Hotel Company Case

Federal Judge J. W. Woodruff granted an injunction to E. W. Exley, trustee in bankruptcy for the defunct North American Hotel company yesterday restraining A. L. Schantz, F. C. Haver, Robert J. Webb, the Prudential Trust company of Topeka, Kan., and the American Surety company of New York City, as trustees, from disposing of promissory notes for \$15,000 now in the hands of A. L. Schantz.

Suit was filed by Mr. Exley to restrain the defendants from collecting proceeds of eight promissory notes aggregating \$248,851.53 that they obtained on the sale of the Hotel Blackstone.

Judge Woodruff ordered that all matters against the defendants named in the injunction be referred to the federal court at Council Bluffs where the North American Hotel company was adjudged bankrupt, March 19, 1921.

Brief City News

Dance at Garden—The World-Herald will be host to its employees and friends at an informal dance and entertainment at the Empress Rustic Garden Tuesday night.

Defer Hearing on Fares—The hearing on street car fares before the state railway commission and city council has been postponed until May 16 because the state officials are busy on a Lincoln hearing.

Taken to Fort Worth—Harry Savage, pal of Frank Seward, bandit, was taken to Fort Worth, Tex., yesterday to stand trial for an alleged robbery of \$4,000 from the cashier of the Texas & Pacific railroad.

Open Swimming School—A class of 250 boys, the first division of the 1,000 kids enrolled in the Y. M. C. A. free swimming school, took their first lesson from N. J. Weston, physical director, yesterday. Weston says they can learn in three lessons. The purpose of the swimming lessons is to prevent any more deaths by drowning in Omaha.

In 1920 almost 75 per cent of all the motor trucks made in this country were of one-ton capacity or under.

'Commerce Quarterly' For Current Semester Enlarged to 52 Pages

"Commerce Quarterly," published at the close of every 12-week term by the graduating classes at the High School of Commerce, will be increased in size this semester from 32 to 52 pages, and according to Jerry Kutak, chairman of the quarterly committee, and Miss Elizabeth Charleton, instructor of journalism, will contain many new features.

Four advanced art students, Ruth Farr, Henry Johnson, Theodore Belding and Jack Wyman, under the direction of Miss Lydia McCague, head of the art department, are in charge of the art work of this new edition.

The proceeds of the Shakespearean play, "A Midsummer Night's Dream" to be produced by the graduating seniors supervised by Miss Mary L. Wallace, dramatic coach, will be used to help meet the expenses which arise in the publishing of so large a quarterly.

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY

"EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Annual May Sales

Offer Exceptional Opportunities for Economical People

The Very Latest White Mignonette Skirts

\$5.95

These are the newest thing shown for golf and sport wear. Made up with two pockets, pearl buttons and belt. You will be certain to want one for summer wear. On sale Tuesday. Sizes 25 to 30 waist.

Big May Sale of Women's and Children's Sweaters

\$1.95 to \$4.95

Dozens of pretty sweaters in slipover styles, tuxedo and belted, in all the season's newest shades, including raspberry, tan, flame, green, blue, black, yellow and pink, are placed in several large groups ranging in price from \$1.95 to \$4.95.

Downstairs Store

Specials for the Men and Boy's

White Shirts, \$1.25

White shirts for boys, neckband style, open French cuffs, fine quality. Sizes 12 to 14.

Overalls, \$1.49

White overalls for painters and paper hangers, excellent quality.

White Hose, 4 Pair for \$1.00

White hose for men, mercerized elastic ribbed tops, double heel and toe, all sizes, 4 pairs for \$1.00.

Duck Pants, \$2.98

White duck pants for tennis and outdoor sports. Very fine quality, at \$2.98 pair. All sizes.

Handkerchiefs 2 for 25c

White handkerchiefs for men, large size, fine quality, put up in sealed packages.

Service Suits, \$3.98

White service suits for dairymen, ice cream makers, etc. Fine quality.

White gloves, Canton flannel, knit wrist, 6c pair.

White gloves, Canton flannel, gauntlet style, 15c pair.

Athletic union suits, sizes 38 to 46, 89c.

Sale of Remnants

1/2 Price

One large bargain table filled with remnants of white and colored wash goods will be placed on sale Tuesday at exactly 1/2 price.

Downstairs Store

A Special May Sale of Mina Taylor Dresses

Tuesday in the Downstairs Store, at **\$2.95**

Attractive porch and house dresses in plaid gingham. No matter what style of dress you want, you are certain to find it here, for there are straight lines and belted effects, trimmed neatly with pearl buttons, sashes and collar and cuffs of contrasting materials. A complete line of sizes to choose from, 36 to 46, at \$2.95 each.

Downstairs Store

Polly Prim Aprons 65c

Just the apron to slip on over the dress. They come in plain striped and plain designed ginghams in all colors. Special at 65c each.

Downstairs Store

Big May White Sale of Slippers at \$2.00

Tuesday in the Downstairs Store

An exceptional purchase of 300 pairs of women's and girls' sample pumps, strap slippers and oxfords. The styles are new and very desirable for the coming season. They have military heels, baby Louis and full Louis heels. Sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2. We advise early selection, as there is but a limited number at this low price, which will be quickly sold.

Children's Shoes \$1.00

One big lot of children's white shoes and slippers on sale Tuesday at \$1.00 a pair. An opportunity to get the youngster a pair of shoes for summer.

Men's Tennis Oxfords \$1.00

It's tennis time and here is an opportunity for men to get themselves a pair of tennis oxfords at the special price of \$1.00. Remember they are on sale Tuesday in the Downstairs Store.

Women's White Skirts \$5.95

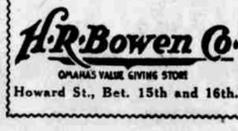
White skirts made in all-wool serge and gabardine, made up with pockets and belts, others are plain tailored skirts. These are skirts which were made to sell for much more, but have become somewhat soiled during the moving of our department.

Muslin, 9c

A special value in unbleached muslin, 36 inches wide. A good quality without filling. Limit of 10 yards to a customer, at 9c a yard.

White Wash Skirts \$1.00

Skirts made of fine quality gabardine and poplin, trimmed with belt, pockets and buttons. Sizes 26 to 30 waist. On account of these skirts being soiled, they will sell at a very special price, \$1.00 each.



OPAHAS VALUE GIVING STORE
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