

### Children's Home Society Doubles Its Work in State

Annual Meeting Shows 692 Little Girls and Boys Given Aid—Homes Found For 63.

More than twice as many children were cared for by the Nebraska Children's Home society in 1920-21 as in 1919-20, according to reports which were submitted to officers and trustees at the twenty-eighth annual business meeting of the society held at the Omaha Chamber of Commerce Wednesday.

The society cared for 692 little boys and girls by donating food and clothing and giving medical aid. Of this number 63 little ones were placed in homes.

While the society had little more than \$18,000 to expend last year, this year there was \$22,048.12 and the workers in the society traveled 41,629 miles in their work.

The society received 208 applications for children, each of which was investigated. During the 28 years the society has been functioning, 7,190 children have been placed in homes.

Rev. Titus Lowe declared the work of the society in finding homes for children was praiseworthy. "Orphanages may be able to do a great work for the homeless, but placing a child in a home where he will receive love and tender care of his foster parents is better for the child than institutional rearing," he said.

Annual reports were made by the following officers: President, F. L. Haller; treasurer, F. W. Thomas; state superintendent, Rev. R. B. Ralls; and district superintendents, Rev. J. A. Murray, Lincoln; Rev. John W. Thomas, Beatrice; Rev. C. E. Bowen, Omaha; Rev. W. W. McElfresh, Grand Island; Miss Minnie Gilbert, Alliance; Miss Mary J. Armstrong, Hastings; Rev. W. E. Howard, Norfolk.

The following were elected to the board of trustees: F. L. Haller, Fred W. Thomas; Judge Charles A. Goss, Rev. Titus Lowe, Rev. John L. Barton, Rev. Thur Jacobsen, Dr. Frank G. Smith, A. O. Olsen, Judge C. Dungan, Hastings; C. F. Harpham, Lincoln; George Aldrich, Fairmont, and C. Wolf, Beatrice.

The trustees will elect officers soon.

### Omahan Learns Wife Reported Killed By Bomb in War Is Alive

George J. Schnitzer, 509 North Eighteenth street, ex-soldier, has just learned that his wife is alive, though since 1914 he has believed her dead. She was reported killed in word from his former home, Gude-lin Sotzias, Russia, that she had been killed when a German bomb was dropped in the village.

George was released from service in the United States army July 8, 1919, and shortly afterward came a letter which had been wandering over the earth in search of him. It was from his wife.

Then George sought ways of bringing her here. In securing his second naturalization papers he had given his condition as "single." This complication is being cleared away by assistance from the American Legion through the State department and he expects to be united again with his wife in Omaha before many months.

### Masons Hold Annual Reunion at Alliance

Alliance, Neb., May 11.—(Special Telegram.)—The annual spring reunion of Scottish Rite Masons, Adoniam lodge of Perfection and Alliance chapter, Rose Croix, opened here with a large attendance. The reunion will last four days and all degrees from the fourth to the 32d will be conferred on a class of more than 100 candidates.

The Alliance lodge for several weeks has been securing petitions of candidates in a large number of towns in western Nebraska and classes will be made up of candidates from Alliance, Scottsbluff, Sidney, Dalton, Guernsey, Bridgeport, Angola, Lakeside, Antioch, Hoffland, Mullen, Whitman, Ashby, Hyannis, Seneca, Bingham, Mansfield, Crawford, Chadron, Hemingford, Morrill, Bayard and Minatare.

### New Voters Are Good Losers

Twenty-Six "Mourners" Celebrate Losing Positions In City Hall—Bad Luck Gets Saucy Ha! Ha! As Girls Hold Banquet.

A number of city hall jobs were buried with appropriate ceremonies last night at the Conant hotel. The "mourners" were 26 girls, all employed at the city hall. They were garbed in solemn black as they sat at the funeral table and they went later to the Brandeis theater where they saw "The Sweetheart Shop."

Not a very appropriate way to have a funeral, eh, what?—eating and drinking and laughing and going to the show?

Well, it was about the merriest funeral ever staged. These girls, it seems, are very good losers and they went out last night and gave bad luck a slap in the face and a saucy "Ha, ha, ha."

They assume—most of them—that their jobs in city hall have gone "bloody." And so, prob'ly, most of them have. For the incoming commissioners have several friends wait-

ing—yea, and clamoring for each and every job. Some of the mourners of last night, however, have the good fortune to be employed in the departments of Dan B. Butler and Harry B. Zimman. And they won't lose their jobs.

Louise Shumate, the Titian-haired Secretary to about-to-be-lamented Mayor Smith, started the song, "Goodbye, Girls, I'm Through," which was joined in by the other saucy-robbed fair-ones with a gusto and laughter quite scandalous at the "funeral" of so many jobs.

And then Gertrude Furness suggested an appropriate toast, borrowed from the gladiators of ancient Rome:

"We who are about to lose our jobs, salute you."

And so the game young women marched merrily off to "The Sweetheart Shop," where such things as jobs and city commissioners were forgotten.

### Couple Badly Hurt In Crash of Autos

Frank Westlake and his wife, Clara, 424 North Seventeenth street, are in the Frederick hospital suffering injuries received yesterday afternoon when the automobile in which they were riding collided with another car at Twenty-second and Clark streets.

The Westlakes were driving east on Clark street. Another car driven by S. Wilcox, 2505 Farnam street, came south on Twenty-second street and the two cars crashed together.

The Westlakes were hurled from their machine to the pavement, suffering severe cuts and bruises. Attending physicians also say they may be suffering internal injuries.

Wilcox gripped the steering wheel of his car as he saw the crash was inevitable, witnesses told the police, and was not thrown out.

He escaped uninjured except for bruises received from bumping the steering wheel when the crash came. Wilcox was arrested for reckless driving.

### Escaped Omaha Prisoner Captured in Sioux City

Earl Adamson, 16, one of three young prisoners who escaped from Douglas county jail the night of April 26, has been arrested in Sioux City, according to information reaching the office of Sheriff Clark yesterday.

He will be sent direct from Sioux City to Eldora reform school. He was under a suspended sentence to that institution when arrested and sent to jail here.

The other two youths who escaped, Elmer Hansen, 16, and Harry Leetch, 16, have not been heard from.

### Landing in Mud Fails to Shake Nerve of Pilot

Clarence Lange Brings Back Airplane Day Following Spill in Cornfield Near Council Bluffs.

Clarence C. Lange, daring air mail pilot who recently returned to the service from a trip to Europe, splashed into a rainsoaked and submerged cornfield on the southeast outskirts of Council Bluffs Tuesday afternoon, when he was forced to land while piloting a reserve ship from Chicago to Omaha in an attempted nonstop flight.

Visibility became so bad just east of the Bluffs, Lange reported to his chief, William I. Votaw, superintendent of the Omaha air mail station, that he could see but 50 feet from the ground.

He was flying low and decided to land. Craning his neck over the edge of his plane he saw grass. So he decided to take a chance there.

But the chance proved against him, for when his wheels struck the earth, they were mired in the mud made by the recent heavy rains, and the tail of the ship went sailing through the air, landing the plane upside down.

Lange escaped uninjured. The plane was not damaged except for a splinter taken from the propeller and slight damages to the body.

Lange hopped aboard a train for Chicago the same evening and returned to the Windy City for another ship which he flew to Omaha yesterday.

### Enlarge Fair Facilities

Wahoo, Neb., May 11.—(Special.)—The Saunders County Fair association is planning on enlarging its facilities for handling swine and poultry next fall as it is expected that there will be a great increase in the number of exhibits.

### Service to Be Held in Honor Of Florence Nightingale

The 101 birthday anniversary of Florence Nightingale, the heroine and founder of modern nursing, will be observed at Trinity cathedral Sunday evening next at 8.

The work of physicians and hospitals will form a feature of the program of commemoration. Physicians and nurses of the city will unite in this service and Bishop Shaylor will preach a sermon upon the dignity and honor of healing vocations.

Special music will be given by the choir.

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Third Floor—Center

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Colors black, navy, brown, jade, tan, turquoise, henna, tomato, coral, Harding blue are represented, but not all colors are shown in all styles.

Second Floor—Center

## Special--428 Pairs of Women's Oxfords

For Thursday we offer 428 pairs of Women's Brown and Black Kid Oxfords with light weight soles and covered heels; a complete range of sizes in each style; very special, per pair, **3.95**

One lot of Children's Sandals, Pumps and Oxfords grouped in one lot for a quick disposal, special, per pair, at **1.00**

Main Floor—West

### Special Sale

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