

### Reports Show 22 Bank Failures In Seven Years

State Guaranty Fund Pays Out \$2,442,274 Since 1914 As Result of "Wallingford" Transactions.

Lincoln, Aug. 10.—(Special.)—J. Rufus Wallingford transactions of certain state bankers in Nebraska since 1914 has forced directors of the state guaranty fund to pay out \$2,442,274 in cash to keep depositors in the clear, according to figures compiled today from books in the office of J. E. Hart, secretary of the department of trade and commerce. Twenty-three state banks have failed since 1914.

The theory under which the guaranty fund has been operated is to ascertain as quickly as possible the losses and doubtful paper in a failed bank and then draw a draft against the fund for the full amount in order to get the bank's customers in the clear. Then the long and dubious task of collecting on doubtful paper begins.

the original drafts made against the fund to pay depositors:

First State Savings bank, Superior	\$4,526
Farmers' State bank, Decatur	79,553
Farmers' State bank, Halsey	37,497
Valparaiso State bank, Valparaiso	258,256
American State bank, Aurora	158,311
Farmers' bank, Page	298,722
American State bank, Merriam	74,251
Banking House of A. Coates	797,524
State bank of Omaha	92,258
State bank of Ceresco	150,122
Brown County State bank, Long Pine	231,965
Farmers' State bank, Allen	177,246
Farmers' State bank, Pleasanton	126,996
Other failures in which it is believed satisfactory settlements will be made without bothering the guaranty fund are: Farmers and Merchants bank, Verdon; Farmers' State bank, Hadar; First State bank, Hoskins; Farmers' State bank, Belvidere; Peoples' State bank, Anselmo; Pioneer State bank, Omaha; Midwest Savings bank, Lincoln; American State bank, Lincoln; Octavia State bank, Octavia.	

**Charged With Assault**  
After School Meeting  
Hastings, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Complaint has been filed in county court charging Samuel H. Nickols of Kenesaw with assault on Niels Mikkelsen, also of Kenesaw and president of the state board of pharmacy. The action grows out of an encounter following a special school district meeting at Kenesaw, where Mr. Mikkelsen presided as chairman. The meeting was held to consider raising the school levy.

**Nebraska to Make Fight For Lower Freight Rates**  
Kearney, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The Kearney chamber of commerce has been assured co-operation of more than 15 similar organizations throughout the state interested in obtaining a lower freight rate on farm products. These organizations are co-operating and working through the Omaha chamber and will send one or more delegates to

Washington to appear before the Interstate Commerce commission August 15, in behalf of lower freight rates on grain and hay.

**Wakefield Woman Returns To China Missionary Work**  
Wakefield, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Miss E. Grace Soderberg left this morning for Kikung-Shan, Honan, China, where she will spend the next five years teaching children of foreign missionaries located there. She previously spent seven years in that work there, and has just spent 18 months at home, during which time she has made many lectures on China and its customs.

**Arrest Human Fly in Idaho For Alleged Theft of Auto**  
O'Neill, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Edward Frenchere, a human fly of Omaha and Sioux City, and his wife were arrested at Coeur D'Alene, Idaho, today on the charge of stealing a new car from Walter Wyant of O'Neill on June 24. The car was with them in good condition. They will return without extradition. Frenchere posed here as Edward Willoughby.

**Held on Booze Charge.**  
Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The cases of the state against Leslie Kennedy and Clark Ottinger, charged with illegal transportation of liquor, were called in Judge Ellis' court and continued to September 8. The defendants were released on bond of \$300 each.

**Old Settlers' Picnic.**  
McCook, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The Old Settlers of Red Willow county will hold their annual picnic in the park at Indianola, August 23. The officers of the county organization made a booster trip all over the county today advertising the picnic and arranging for the program.

### New York Mayor Wants Home Rule For Metropolis

Hylan Says Only Way to Cut Expenses Is for Legislation To Stop "Mandatory Acts."

New York, Aug. 10.—Counsel for the legislative committee investigating the city administration regaled Mayor Hylan today with figures showing heavy municipal debts and tax burdens and then inquired if he knew of any means of relief. The mayor said he knew of but one way to cut down the taxes and that was for the state legislature to cease passing "mandatory legislation" and to remove the \$22,000,000 in direct taxes which it already had imposed on the city.

The mayor told that municipal taxes had increased from \$35.92 per capita in 1917 to \$59.99 this year, that the city was far beyond its constitutional debt limit and \$24,000,000 past the tax limitation fixed by the state constitution at 2 per cent of the assessed valuation. Budget appropriations had grown from \$230,000,000 when he took office in 1918 to \$313,000,000 this year and the municipal pay roll, excluding school teachers' salaries, increased \$30,000,000 during the same period.

Mayor Hylan declared he was opposed to cutting the salaries of city employees and office holders, though he realized big corporations were doing it and the cost of living had dropped. The main aim of his administration was to reduce taxes, he said.

It was then told that much of the \$22,000,000 tax imposed by the legislature covered increase in school teachers' salaries which the lawmakers authorized. The mayor said the city would have given them to the teachers. His opposition, he explained, was to all "mandatory legislation." He wanted "home rule" for New York City. Elton R. Brown, committee counsel, contended that education was a state function, and legislation affecting the schools was not mandatory.

Asked for suggestions for any economy that would reduce tax burdens, Mayor Hylan proposed amending the laws of 1916 to give New York the same home rule privileges accorded smaller municipalities. Then there would be an opportunity to co-operate and construct city departments, he said. "But if we are going to be governed by mandate from Albany, we won't get anywhere," he added.

**Thieves Raid Lockers At O'Neill Club House**  
O'Neill, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Members of the O'Neill Country club, who leave their stuff in the lockers at the clubhouse, today are without golf togs or golf shoes. Tuesday night the clubhouse was entered, all of the steel lockers pried open with a pinch bar and all the sweaters, golf hose and shoes taken. The thieves' took no clubs or balls.

**Half Inch Rain Falls.**  
Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Rainfall in this section of the state early this morning insured a bumper crop of corn for Gage county. The government gauge at this point records half an inch of moisture.

### Shanghai C. of C. Protests Anglo-Jap Pact Renewal

Shanghai, Aug. 10.—The Shanghai Chinese Chamber of Commerce heads a group of 20 Chinese bodies in Shanghai in a vigorous protest against any renewal of the Anglo-Japanese treaty, and messages setting forth the grounds of the protest have been forwarded to the American congress at Washington, the assembly in Paris, the British cabinet and to parliaments in London, Rome, Ottawa, Melbourne and Calcutta.

The protest directed to the British Parliament says: "The Anglo-Japanese alliance heretofore has weakened the Chinese esteem for the British people owing to aggression of Japan attributed by all in the east as having arisen from the treaty. If renewed, the feeling of Chinese citizens will certainly be aggravated, reacting on the friendly feeling toward the British people and having a direct influence on trade. We are confident

that in view of Chinese feeling in respect of the treaty you will prompt your government to cease efforts for its renewal."

### Wounded Youth Refuses To Betray His Comrade

Lincoln, Aug. 10.—(Special.)—Facing death from a gunshot wound inflicted accidentally by his playmate, Earl Chandler, 16, Havelock, steadfastly refused to give details until the police forced a confession from other persons involved. Chandler was accidentally shot Saturday and he steadfastly shot hospital authorities and other officials that a stray bullet hit him and he didn't know who did the shooting.

### Sixty Bushels to Acre.

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—F. P. Wickham of this city brought samples of corn from his farm southwest of town, which he believes will make 60 bushels to the acre, and more if a good rain falls within the next week. The ear is well-filled and is beyond the roasting ear stage.

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Don't let your car be exposed to the weather. Buy an elegant garage 10x16 for \$66.95. Strictly clear 6-inch fir drop siding, red or green slate roofing, good clear 4-inch flooring for doors, two windows with all hardware included, heavy hinges, sufficient paint in two colors.

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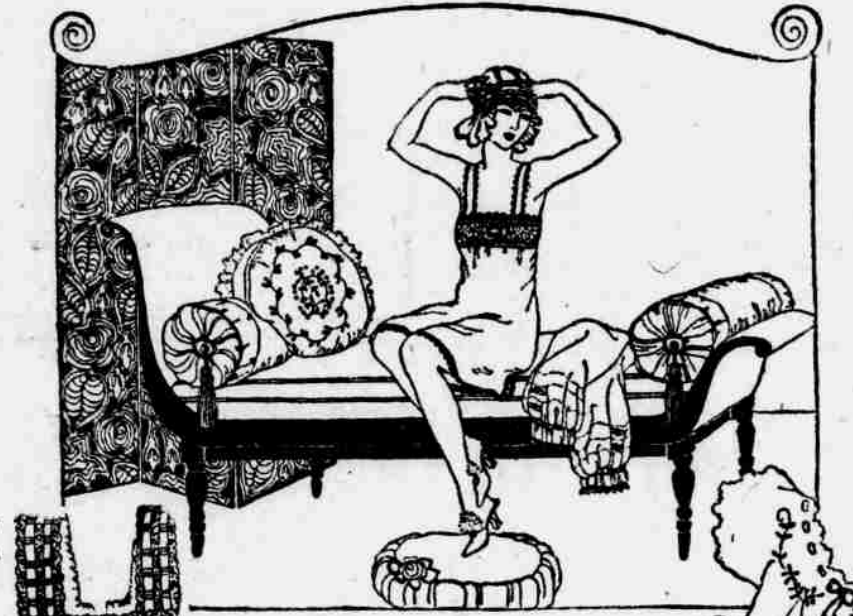
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An Opportunity for the Thrifty Woman to Purchase a Supply of Beautiful Lingerie Wonderful Offerings—Made Just in Order That We May Clear Spaces for the New Fall and Winter Goods!

Gowns and Teddies  
Lace Trimmed  
**1.98**



Gowns and Teddies  
Of Fine Muslin  
**1.00**

You can't help but buy several of these garments of fine materials, dainty trimmings; many pretty styles to select from; all trimmed in the daintiest of little laces and well made; regular \$3.00 values; special, each 1.98

"Undies" You Have Wanted at Prices You Can Afford

Plain neatly trimmed or more elaborately trimmed garments; soft finished materials; high neck and long sleeves as well as slip over effects; this lot includes a small quantity of flesh satin step-ins and crepe de chine teddies; specially priced for Thursday each, 1.00

**Philippine Hand Made Lingerie**  
Gowns and Envelopes Formerly 3.98 to 6.98  
Beautiful and dainty patterns, embroidered by hand with the skillful touch that produces a perfect picture when the work is finished; floral and butterfly patterns, some with inserts of handsome lace and some with edges of val or fine cluny. Soft finished, sheer material, snowy white and pleasing to the touch. You cannot appreciate these values until you see the garments; and when you see them you will buy them—for they are values ranging from 3.98 to 6.98; priced for Thursday, per garment, **2.69**

**Crepe de Chine and Wash Satin Undergarments**  
Odd lots of teddies, gowns and bloomers; priced Thursday at a fraction of their real value; special per garment, **2.39**

**Dark Satin or Jersey Bloomers**  
Your choice of a good assortment; in dark colors; either long or short styles; priced for Thursday, **2.49**

### Thursday We Offer the Following Specials in Drugs

<b>Combination Offering</b>	
Velvetina Face Powder, 50c value	49c
Velvetina Vanishing Cream, 50c value	
Marinello Cream, 49c	Cuticura Soap, 19c
Djer Kiss Talcum, 19c	Germicidal Soap, 13c
Mavis Talcum, 18c	Epsom Salts, per lb., 10c
Malted Milk, 1.00 size, 89c	Witch Hazel, 33c
Mentholatum, 19c	Hospital Cotton, per lb., 35c
Dagget & Ramsdell's Cold Cream, 44c	Listerine, 4 ounce size, 18c
Pond's Vanishing Cream, 37c	Milk of Magnesia, 37c
La Blanche Face Powder, 52c	Gillette Razor Blades, per dozen, 69c
Magnum Talcum, one pound can, 19c	Auto Strop Razor Blades, half dozen, 32c
Red Rubber Fountain Syringe; 2-quart size; 3 fittings, special, 98c	Physicians' and Surgeon's Soap, 10c

Main Floor—West

### Great Sale of Imported Embroidered Lunch Sets and Napkins

Our supply of these pieces is limited. There are only 50 dozen napkins and 50 luncheon sets. If you would get one of these luncheon sets, or a dozen napkins, be here early Thursday morning.

**The Luncheon Sets**  
Last Year's Price 13.50  
Special at **6.50**  
Consists of one 24-inch Center Piece; six 9-inch Doilies and six 6-inch Doilies; scalloped edges, patterns embroidered in a variety of floral designs, sold last year at 13.50; priced for this sale, per set, 6.50

**The Napkins**  
Are the 13-inch luncheon size and complete a linen service of great beauty when used with the luncheon set, or with any fancy table covering; scalloped borders and floral and eyelet designs; sold last year at 13.50; priced for this sale, per dozen, **6.50**

Main Floor—South

## BRANDEIS STORES

When the Clock Strikes Nine—Thursday Morning—Begins Our Women's Shoe Sale!  
Values from 6.50 to 11.00—Your Unrestricted Choice at

Per Pair **5.00**

Sizes 2 1/2 to 8—Widths AA to D

This sale demonstrates our leadership in giving the greatest values in women's footwear. This is a special purchase of 868 pairs of women's new fall models, worth 6.50 to 11.00 per pair; Brandeis ready cash secured them at a bargain price and you are going to buy them the same way. Glance at their worth—then look at the low price.

**Oxfords of**  
Brown Kid  
Black Kid  
Brown Calf  
Patent Leather  
Tan Calf  
Cuban or Walking Heels



**Strap Pumps of**  
Black Satin  
Black Kid  
Brown Kid  
Brown Calf  
Tan Calf  
Louis, Junior Louis, Walking and Cuban Heels

You will find a style in this lot to suit your fancy; hundreds of far sighted women will take advantage of this opportunity and buy several pairs. Every pair well made, on the season's style lines and one glance will convince you that you are buying a real bargain.

Sizes 2 1/2 to 8  
Third Floor—East

Come early and be assured of the best choice; extra salespeople to serve you promptly. Every pair guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction. Without exception this is the greatest shoe buying opportunity of the season.

### On Sale Thursday 9,600 Pairs of Women's Thread Silk Hosiery

Seconds of 1.25 to 1.50 Quality at Per Pair **75c**

These hose were purchased from a big Philadelphia Hosiery Mill, semi-fashioned; with double soles, high spliced heels and lisle tops; in plain and drop stitched effects; in black, brown, tan, gray, navy white and fancy two-toned sport effects; very slight imperfections of 1.25 and 1.50 quality; special, per pair,

**Children's Fancy Mercerized Socks**  
Made with tops in brown, blue and black in sizes 5 to 9 1/2; very special, for Thursday per pair, **25c**

Basement

