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BUILDING NEW STAGE

The renewed stir of activity is on at the Legion building, where work of raising the back window areaways is practically completed and beginning with tonight members will be found there working on the task of building a new orchestra platform and stage combined.

PRIVATE CAR FOR CURTIS

Washington, Sept. 12.—After campaigning over the east in "catch as catch can" style, Senator Curtis has prospects of getting a private car for part of his western trip.

TALK OVER EVACUATION

Geneva, Sept. 11.—Beginning of a five-week conference on evacuation of the Rhineland occupied league circles today.

Red Cross to Aid Wind Swept Isle in Pacific

Relief Work in Porto Rico Held Up by Lack of Definite Knowledge of Hurricane's Damage

Washington, Sept. 14.—The American Red Cross moved swiftly today to extend relief to hurricane swept Porto Rico but government assistance was held in abeyance until more definite information on the extent of storm damage was received from official sources.

Henry M. Baker, national director of disaster relief, and four assistants were ordered to the stricken island and the navy ordered a destroyer to stand by at Charleston, S. C., to carry them southward.

The navy also ordered several small vessels in the vicinity to stand ready to carry assistance to San Juan the Porto Rican capital which was seriously damaged by the high winds.

The Red Cross instructed its local chapter in San Juan to report at once its "relief recommendations," but late today had received no reply.

The navy department had received no official requests for assistance and is waiting until more definite information is received before ordering any of its vessels into the hurricane region.

UPSHAW BOWS TO SMITH MAN

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 12.—Congressman L. J. Steele, supporter of Governor Al Smith, assumed a substantial lead on the face of early returns tonight over W. D. Uphaw, opponent of the democratic presidential nominee.

A lead of 400 votes was held by the congressman when returns were received from 32 of the 90 precincts in the district.

City wards in Atlanta and Decatur, the latter the home of Steele, have not yet completed counting the votes.

GOVERNOR AVERTS FIGHT

Shreveport, La., Sept. 12.—Judge J. E. Reynolds, seventy-eight, defeated in his race for the democratic nomination for the state supreme court bench, sought to "beat up" the governor of Louisiana, aged thirty-five, today, but the governor sidestepped.

Judge Reynolds' attack against Gov. Huey Long was said to have been precipitated as the result of support the governor gave Reynolds' opponent in the democratic primary.

The two met on the street today, and according to witness, when Governor Long greeted the judge with a "good morning," Judge Reynolds started to extend his hand, and then recognizing the governor, changed his gesture to a swing with his fist.

AIR CRASH CLAIMS THREE

Oakland, Calif., Sept. 12.—Three persons, two men and girl, were killed tonight when an airplane in which they were riding crashed into a house here.

The dead: Jessie Wallace, fourteen, and her brother, T. A. Wallace, twenty-five, both of Oakland; Clyde L. Berry, thirty, pilot of the plane and a resident of Alameda.

Police said Berry, an amateur flier who has been operating a plane for about a year, took off from the Oakland airport, evidently to give the girl and her brother a pleasure trip.

The cause of the accident was undetermined, but witnesses said the plane suddenly dived and struck a house.

FINISH FIGHT FOR CHANNEL

Minneapolis, Sept. 14.—Friends of the upper Mississippi barge line and of inland waterway development in the midwest shaped definite plans today for a finish fight in support of a nine foot channel from Minneapolis to St. Louis and for rejection of a government engineer's report which condemns the channel deepening project as "not justified by the traffic, present or potential."

BAD STORM AT FALLS CITY

Falls City, Neb., Sept. 12.—A bad hail and rain storm struck Falls City last night, leaving washed out roads, a burning house, broken trees, disrupted train and light service in its wake.

Farmers Against Higher Gas Tax As Is Proposed

Legislative Committee of Nebraska Farmers Union Sets Forth Program to Be Worked For

The legislative committee of the Farmers Union of Nebraska, consisting of Chris Andersen, Bristow chairman; H. C. Parmenter, Yutan; W. F. Dale, Lincoln; H. C. Elwood, Creighton; and E. L. Hunt, Syracuse, met this week and reaffirmed the following state legislative program:

"We are opposed to any increase in the gasoline tax, but insist upon a division of the present gasoline tax so that 50 percent of that paid in each county shall go to the county road fund."

"We demand the repeal of the intangible tax law and that there be no distinction in the classification of property."

"We favor the nomination and election of all county candidates on a non-political basis."

"We recommend a state income tax."

"We recommend the reduction of the surplus required for mutual liability insurance from \$125,000 to \$25,000, which is in accordance with the requirements of other companies writing this class of insurance."

"We recommend that the name of the county farm bureau be changed to prevent confusing such organizations with the American Farm Bureau Federation, and that the name be 'county extension service.'"

"We urge the legislature of 1929 to amend the law relative to the election and payment of salary and expenses of county superintendent of public instruction so that only those electors shall be entitled to vote for this office who reside within the territory over which this official has jurisdiction, and that all appropriations made by the county commissioners for payment of salary and expenses of county superintendent of public instruction shall be made only against taxes levied upon the taxable property within the territory over which said official has jurisdiction."

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CREATING COUNTY AGENT

In answer to questions from Boone county the attorney general's department holds that there is no express provision for the withdrawal of a man's name from the original petition to the county board to grant a county agent. The department does not believe the withdrawal of a name is permissible after the petition is filed with the county clerk.

PASSING OF MRS. WILSON, AT SON'S HOME IN WABASH

Lucinda Horton was born in Washington county, New York, June 24, 1838, and died at the home of her son Otis in Wabash September 6, 1928, aged 90 years, 2 months and 13 days.

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Risk is Found in Stock Sales to Employees

More a Speculation Than an Investment in Most Cases It Is Said

Washington — Flotation of its stock by a corporation among its employees is, in most cases, a speculation and not an investment for the workers, it is found after investigation by the bureau of labor statistics of the Department of Agriculture.

If the plans of a corporation offering its stock to its employees "cannot stand upon their value to the employee as a safe investment," says the bureau in its report, "they cannot in any way be justified, since purchase of stock by the average employee involves frugality, self-denial and often the surrender of much of his independence, which should not be asked by an employer of his employees if there is any danger that their painfully acquired savings may be lost."

The basis for the statement of the bureau is laid on publication of an article by Willard C. Fisher on this subject.

The usual reasons given by American corporations for inaugurating a stock subscription plan, the statement continues, "are the desire to retain the services of the older employees, to increase their loyalty and efficiency and to decrease labor agitation, and to afford the employee an opportunity for the safe and profitable investment of their savings, while a few companies have frankly avowed their wish to create a new demand for their securities in the great majority of these plans though, the predominant motive must be taken to be the benevolent purpose of assisting the employees to save."

There are many reasons why persons who are able to save only in small amounts should defer, or altogether, the purchase of securities," it is held.

"Assuming, however, that he has taken steps to safeguard the interests of his family, and that the employee is ready to invest his money, it must be understood in the light of experience that he will have no control or appreciable influence in corporation management, nor does investment in its securities give him knowledge of the corporation's condition and policies."

"Safety is the first requisite for the employee's investment. Also he must be reasonably assured of the permanency of income from the investment."

"It is pointed out that the speculative element enters into the transaction and that employees are as likely to sell as outsiders when fluctuations of the market promise rewards or threaten loss. Some corporations make it a condition of selling stock to employees that it shall not be sold before it is fully paid for, or that they cannot buy stock again if they have sold what they had previously purchased."

It is deduced, after an analysis of the stock selling plans and the trend of prices through a number of years that the promoted purchase of stock by employees is not investment but speculation in most cases.

MEMORIAL

In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Gilbert Dickson York, who passed away two years ago tomorrow.

Days of sadness still come o'er us; Secret tears do often flow. Memories keep you ever near us, Though you died two years ago. MR. AND MRS. OLIVER YORK AND CHILDREN

Harlan Gorder motored to Lincoln today to take up his work at the state university and was accompanied by Edgar Wescott who will enter his freshman year at the great Nebraska school.

RADIO REPORT BLAMED

Los Angeles, Calif., Sept. 14.—A report at the air meet here today that Maj. Clarence M. Loun, director of the aeronautics branch of the United States department of commerce, had been injured in an airplane accident, probably was erroneous, officials said. They explained that an announcement over the radio that Dr. C. T. Young of Glendale, one of the officials of the air meet, had received slight injuries in a plane crash probably had been responsible for the report that Major Young was injured. Dr. Young's airplane crash occurred several days ago.

PRESIDENT GRAY DENIES RETIREMENT OF CALVIN

Zion National Park, Utah, Sept. 14.—Carl R. Gray, president of the Union Pacific system, today declared that there was no information in the report yesterday of the Omaha Bee-News that E. E. Calvin, vice president in charge of operations of the Union Pacific railway system would retire Oct. 16 and be succeeded by William M. Jeffers, general manager of the Union Pacific Railroad company, a unit of the system. He said that any changes would be announced in the usual formal manner.

YOUNG PEOPLE TO WED

Marriage license was issued today to Leon M. Merrick and Miss Ann Marie Kruse and Eugene C. Day and Miss K. Lenora Kruse. The brides to be are daughters of Dr. F. W. Kruse of Weeping Water and one of the young men is a member of one of the prominent families of that city, being a son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Day.

Jilted Farm Boy Attacks Teacher, Then Kills Self

Former Sweethart, Fleeing Hears Gunshot as Remorseful Youth Dies

Strang, Neb., Sept. 14.—Remorseful following his attack upon Lucille Snodgrass, 22, a teacher in the Strang public school, yesterday, Charles Culp, 20, an Alexandria, Neb., high school graduate, fatally shot himself through the head at the side of a creek on his father's farm.

The teacher heard the shot as she fled from him through the willows. The couple had known each other for nearly three years and kept company for a year until two weeks ago when Miss Snodgrass told Culp that a neighbor had won her love.

Wednesday night Culp called at the home of Mrs. Sarah Mitchell where the teacher roomed and said he had a "date" with Miss Snodgrass. The girl, in another room, called back that she knew of no such date.

Escapes From Auto. Culp forced his way into the house and grabbing the teacher by the arm, he dragged her into his automobile. When the car had been driven about two miles south of Strang, Miss Snodgrass says, she leaped from the automobile.

Culp called again at her rooming house at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The teacher answered his knock and seeing him, she closed the door. The boy ran to the back door. A small caliber revolver was in his hand.

Miss Snodgrass ran through the front door toward the home of a neighbor, Leon Messman, but as she was halfway to the place, Culp caught her.

Tells of Struggle. "I'll kill you if you do not go with me," he said as he placed the gun against her side.

The teacher accompanied him to his automobile. She pleaded to be released, but the youth did not answer. "Where are you taking me?" she cried. "Please let me go."

Culp refused to speak to her, driving the car, she said like mad. "We drove into his father's farm," Miss Snodgrass said today. "There he began to tear my clothes. I fought with him. He told me he was sorry for what he had done. He finally released me. I started running away. He called me to stop and started toward me. He fell, and I ran to the road. There I heard a shot. I did not return."

Sheriff Finds Body

A farmer, on his way to the Geneva fair, was stopped and he drove the teacher back to Strang.

In the meantime, Mrs. Mitchell had notified the town marshal of the affair and he in turn called Sheriff John E. Little of Geneva. The Sheriff found the body. A bullet hole was in the back of the head. The suicide being in Thayer county, the sheriff there was notified and he ordered the body removed to an Alexandria undertaking parlor.

Culp is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Culp, three brothers and five sisters. The father of the boy told authorities that his son had been acting queerly for three days.

Made Threats to Kill

Miss Snodgrass teaches the kindergarten, first, second, third and fourth grades. She was at her work this morning.

When I first began to keep company with him, she said, he seemed very nice. But I soon discovered that he could not control his temper and wanted everything his own way. I told him I did not wish his company two weeks ago and started going with a neighbor boy. He threatened to kill me and himself many times, but I paid little attention to him.