

BANKERS ADMIT SUCCESS OF LOAN

Anglo-French Financial Commission and Eastern Men Reach Agreement on Details.

JOINT NOTES AT FIVE PER CENT

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—The Anglo-French financial commission and eastern bankers have reached a virtual agreement on the details of the proposed \$500,000,000 credit loan to Great Britain and France.

Following are the details of the loan upon which the commission and the bankers of eastern states are in virtual accord:

The Amount—Approximately \$500,000,000.

The Securities—Joint Anglo-French notes.

The Interest Rate—Five per cent, to yield the investor about 5 1/2 per cent by the notes being offered at slightly under par.

A conversion privilege at maturity of the notes—the holder to receive cash or joint Anglo-French fifteen or twenty-year bonds bearing 4 1/2 per cent interest.

London and Paris Agree.—It became known tonight also that the entire tentative program had been submitted by cable to London and Paris and that the attitude of the home governments, so far as disclosed, is one of approval for all that the commission has accomplished.

Whether Paris and London, in addition to approving the work of their delegates, formally had ratified it in addition, was not divulged.

Statement by Commission.—The commission's forthcoming trip to Chicago was announced in a formal statement issued tonight, as follows:

"We have spent much of our time since arrival in studying conditions in this country and have conferred with many bankers and business men. We are now desirous of meeting some of the leading men of affairs from other American centers, and for that purpose the chairman and some other members of the mission will start tomorrow for Chicago.

"We have been greatly pleased with the cordial treatment shown by diverse interests throughout this country and we feel confident an arrangement will be effected for the attainment of the common ends sought, namely, to preserve and maintain international trade between the United States of America on the one hand and Great Britain and France upon the other by the removal of the impediments which arise from instability in the rate of exchange."

MINISTERS FINISH THEIR ELECTION

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The church boards for foreign and home missions, Sunday schools, women's work, temperance work, ministerial relief, education and freedmen's aid. About \$60,000 additional was contributed toward other enterprises of the church, chiefly the Nebraska Wesleyan university at University Place. The total of all contributions for the year was \$17,340, an increase of \$3,000 over last year.

The money was brought to the conference in the form of bank drafts by the various pastors, and the treasurer's assistants had a big job, counting and tabulating the sum at the United States National bank.

Prohibition Paramount.—It was voted to make state-wide prohibition the paramount issue from now on, in order to help insure its success at the election in November, 1916.

A feature of the afternoon session was the presentation of a mail pouch to Rev. A. E. Chadwick of Table Rock, who has been postmaster of the annual state conference for the last twenty-five years. The mail pouch contained various gifts and mementoes from his brother preachers, including money and books.

Wesleyan Trustees.—Monday morning's session of the conference included the election of these ministers and laymen as trustees of the Nebraska Wesleyan university at University Place to serve until 1918: Rev. J. R. Ostry, University Place; Attorney J. M. Stewart, Lincoln; A. L. Johnson, a business man, University Place; Rev. E. D. Hull, Lincoln; Attorney John N. Dryden, Kearney; and Rev. I. B. Schreckengast, at present vice-chancellor of the university.

The conference endorsed a memorial addressed to the quadrennial general conference by the Northwest Nebraska conference, petitioning that the latter be joined with the Nebraska conference.

Church is Prosperous.—Statistical reports showed that the Methodist church in the state has prospered and expanded during the last year. The church membership showed an increase of 1,125, totaling 63,121 members. Forty-three new Sunday schools are now conducted under Methodist auspices, making a total of 166 schools, with 86,226 students.

Submarine Sinks a French Troopship; Transylvania Lost?

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Farmers' Congress Opens Tuesday for Four Days' Session

Six thousand delegates are accredited to the Farmers' National congress, which opens at the Home hotel Tuesday for a four days' session.

Of course all those accredited never attend a convention at any one time or any one year.

Thus the local committee is expecting between 700 and 1,000 delegates to participate in the convention, while the rest of those accredited will not come for one reason or another.

Credentials were sent to some 4,000 delegates from the bureau of publicity at Omaha. The governors of the various states, through an old custom of the organization, have appointed 2,000 others as delegates, which totals 6,000.

Cotton Rises Three Dollars Per Bale

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—There was a further sensational advance in the cotton market today on a continuance of the active general buying movement which has been in progress for the last two or three weeks.

January contracts sold up to 12 1/2 cents during the middle of the morning, or 25 points above Saturday's closing figures, and nearly 317 per bale above the low level of last summer. This made an advance of nearly \$1 per bale over the closing figures of Friday night and naturally attracted heavy realising.

Bullish sentiment, however, was encouraged by firmness in Liverpool, reports of a more active trade demand in southern spot markets on reiterated predictions of low crop condition figures and offerings were readily absorbed on comparatively moderate reactions.

Quits Ministry to Enter Business

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 27.—Rev. George B. Van Arsdale, who preached his farewell sermon as pastor of the Central Christian church yesterday, announced that he had decided to quit the ministry and enter business life. In his announcement Rev. Van Arsdale said:

"Society challenges the churches to produce a program for social entertainment. The business man can do more today than the preacher to bring about the application of Christian principles to everyday life."

Dr. Van Arsdale has spent twenty-five years in the ministry, and for several years has been pastor of the leading Denver church of the Christian denomination.

Wilson Would Bar Cheap Products

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—At President Wilson's direction, the Department of Commerce and the federal trade commission have begun an investigation to find means to prevent a flood of cheap products from Europe on the American market at the end of the war.

The president is convinced that extensive economic readjustments will follow the restoration of peace and wants the United States to be ready to meet what ever conditions develop.

Administration officials have not determined whether any changes in the trade commission laws or the tariff will be necessary, but the investigation is expected to develop that.

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DEATH RECORD.

Frank Browning.—FAIRBURY, Neb., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—After an extended illness, Frank Browning, a Nebraska pioneer, died at his home in this city of old age. Mr. Browning came to Jefferson county in 1860, being among the first settlers, and homesteaded the farm four miles north of Fairbury where he lived many years. In 1869 he was married to Miss Ella Welch, who survives him.

Earl L. Markley.—ALLEN, Neb., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The funeral of Earl L. Markley was held from the local Methodist church Sunday afternoon. Rev. J. H. Hard preached the sermon. Burial was made in the Eastview cemetery. Death was caused by blood poisoning, due to a kick from a horse about two years ago.

M. Giannini.—FALLS CITY, Neb., Sept. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—M. Giannini, owner of the local bus line, died at his home Monday morning. He suffered a slight stroke of paralysis and only partly recovered. He was one of the most public spirited men in the town, where he had been in business for many years.

Daniel H. Goodrich.—GENEVA, Neb., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The body of Daniel H. Goodrich, accompanied by his widow and son, Roy, arrived yesterday afternoon and was interred in the Geneva cemetery this afternoon. Mr. Goodrich died suddenly at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Tuesday, aged 57 years.

Constipation Can Be Cured.—Start a two weeks' treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills today. Good for stomach and liver. 25c. All druggists. Advertisement.

GEN. KUROPATKIN, who saw much service in the Japanese war, again leads the Russian army, according to dispatches.

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Charge Austrians With Setting Fire to the Sant' Anna

NAPLES, Sept. 27.—(Via Paris.)—The commander and officers of the Fabre line steamer Sant' Anna, which has arrived here from New York, after having put in at the Azores islands, with fire in its cargo, assert that they have collected evidence that the fire was set by five Austrian passengers, who gave false names when they boarded the vessel.

Three of these passengers, it is asserted, have been arrested, while the other two threw themselves overboard and disappeared.

Complicity for Pirates.—The efficiency of the South Side fire department—under control of Omaha department officials was well demonstrated Saturday morning in the brave fight made to save the Cuddy ice house in Halston. At the first call Battalion Chief Coyle ordered out four fire wagons and the run to Halston was made in record time. The fire was first discovered between 2 and 2:45 a. m., and local firemen had hose stretched to what little water pressure there was in Halston, before 2:30 o'clock. Machinery valued at several thousand dollars was saved directly through their efforts, also the workmen's bunkhouse.

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AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

O'Brien, While Sitting on a Fence, Falls Off and Breaks His Wrist in a Couple of Places.

Rendered momentarily paralyzed by the sight of a runaway horse dashing by, Ed O'Brien, 628 South Nineteenth street, Omaha, lost his balance and fell backwards from his perch on top of one of the high fence railings bordering the roadway through the stock yards, striking the muddy pavement with such force that his right wrist was broken.

In the police patrol O'Brien was taken to the South Omaha hospital, where he was attended by Dr. A. A. Frick. The wrist had been broken four inches above the hand and it is thought that amputation may be necessary. He will be confined to the hospital for several days.

One disorderly house, the pool hall of John Koloko, 418 North Twenty-fifth street, was raided yesterday by Detectives Allen and Dworak. Four inmates were arrested. They are: Fred Habb, Jim Aur, C. Dick and Mike George, all giving their residence at Twenty-eighth and H streets. The raid was pulled off at 2:06 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Furlong to Ireland.—Mrs. Bridget Furlong, South Side, sailed Saturday morning from New York harbor for Wexford, Ireland, on the steamship Orduna. She was accompanied by her brother, John Murphy, and son, Thomas. The death of relatives necessitates the trip.

She expects to be gone three months, during which time a settlement on an Irish estate will be made on European soil.

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Regular prayer meetings for District 14 will be held as usual tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the following scheduled places: Section 14—Mrs. G. F. French, Twenty-sixth street between A and B. Section 14—Mrs. W. B. Myers, 1518 North Twenty-third. Section 14—Mrs. Robb, 1218 North Twenty-fifth.

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Prayer meetings of the High School Girls' Bible class, organized by representatives of the Sunday campaign, will be held at the First Presbyterian church at Twenty-third and J streets Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9:30 to 9:45 o'clock. There are several hundred members in the class.

Frank Bewrick, Twenty-fourth and Folk streets, was arrested yesterday by Sergeant Carey and Officers Danabum and Hackman on a charge of being drunk and beating his wife.

Attempt is Made To Rob the Home of Mayor Dahlman

The police were kept busy yesterday and last night as the result of activity on the part of burglars, highwaymen, "auto borrowers" and other careless gentry.

The home of Mayor Dahlman had been turned over to a caretaker, while the mayor and Mrs. Dahlman are out of the city, and last night a man attempted to rob the place. He had the front door unlocked with a skeleton key, when the caretaker heard him and screamed. The police hurried out immediately, but search of the neighborhood failed to turn him up. The A. Riley family of 509 South Twenty-ninth had the same experience.

W. F. Gill, Villisca, Ia., farmer, was "touched" by a pickpocket for \$100. Robert Owens, cook, is in jail for investigation.

Robert Walsh, Missouri Valley, was "strongly armed" by two negroes in front of the Midway saloon, Tenth and Capitol avenue last night. He lost \$21. The negroes escaped.

Oscar Anderson, Weeping Water, Neb., lost \$5 to negro thugs at Tenth street, near Capitol avenue.

L. B. Blackwood, 1915 South Thirty-first street, was held up by a highwayman at Park avenue and Mason street, but the thug got nothing, as all Mr. Blackwood had was 50 cents, and he held that in his hand when he complied with the order to "elevate."

Mrs. Brooks, Widow of Pioneer Pastor, Answers Last Call.—Mrs. Lizzie McCullough Brooks, widow of the late James H. Brooks, a prominent Methodist minister of Nebraska for many years, died at the Methodist hospital Sunday morning, following a long illness. The funeral will be held from the residence of a son, S. M. Brooks, 2134-South Thirty-fourth street, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with burial at Forest Lawn cemetery. The burial will be private.

Mrs. Brooks is survived by two children, a son, S. M. Brooks, and a daughter, Miss Frances Brooks. Her husband died in April, 1916.

Born in Ontario, Mrs. Brooks came to the United States with her parents when a girl. In 1870, at Jaynesville, Wis., she was married to Rev. James H. Brooks, who in 1885 they came to Nebraska. Her husband filled numerous pulpits in Nebraska until 1908, when the family moved to Omaha. From that time until not long before his death, Rev. Mr. Brooks served as supply preacher in Omaha and in other Methodist churches.

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