

MURPHY IS FOR GLYNN'S PLAN

Thirty-Three Members of Demo State Committee O. K. Scheme. "Chief" Sits Silently Through Meeting, Mum as a Claim, When Others Applaud Speeches.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Thirty-three members of the democratic state committee, most of whom were Tammany men, and Charles F. Murphy himself, today voted to put into effect Governor Glynn's reorganization plans for the committee.

William Church Osborn, the governor's choice for chairman to succeed George M. Palmer, was elected without a dissenting vote. He also was vested with the power to name a treasurer, a campaign and a finance committee. Hereafter the treasurer has always been elected by the committee. Arthur McLean, the present treasurer, who recently was convicted of soliciting campaign contributions, resigned today.

William A. Shortt of New York, a former assemblyman, was chosen secretary without opposition. George Van Name of Watertown will continue in his present position of assistant secretary, although he was not formally re-elected to the office.

Mr. Murphy sat silently through the meeting and not joining when other committeemen applauded speeches by Mr. Osborn and others. At the close of the meeting he walked to the platform, shook hands with Mr. Osborn and said: "Whenever you want me send for me."

Mr. Osborn thanked Mr. Murphy, but made no other response.

When Mr. Murphy was asked for an expression regarding the selection of Mr. Osborn, he replied: "I voted for him, didn't I? That answers the question."

Arrested When Note Naming Him Found on Bomb Victim's Body

DECATUR, Ill., March 3.—"If anything happens to me, see John Baucum." This note, found on the body of F. W. Mennersch, who was killed in his home at Sullivan, Ill., by a bomb he had received by mail, resulted in the arrest today of Baucum, who is 38 years old. The coroner's jury had recommended that the youth, who is said to have assaulted Mennersch last week following a quarrel, be held to the grand jury, pending an investigation of the tragedy.

United States postal inspectors are also investigating a charge that a friend of Mennersch's wife, from whom he was separated, may be implicated.

It had been shown that a man in Springfield had been writing unsigned letters to Mennersch and that a woman in Sullivan had been writing unsigned letters to Mrs. Mennersch, who is living in Springfield. An effort is also being made to trace the package back to the office from which it was mailed and thus identify the sender.

Question Argued by Lincoln Up in Court

CHICAGO, March 3.—A question that was argued by Abraham Lincoln fifty years ago as counsel for the Illinois Central railroad was heard again here today before Special Commissioner Puterbaugh, representing the supreme court. Walter S. Horton, general attorney for the road, stood in Lincoln's place and argued against taxation of \$100,000,000 of the road's bonds. The case was on appeal to the supreme court of Illinois and the state was represented by Attorney General Lucy. The road contends that the state cannot tax bonds on property already taxed.

RETURNS POCKETBOOK; NICKEL CIGAR HIS REWARD

Harry Walker, door man and outside advertising manager of the Orpheum theater, believes he has discovered the most ungrateful man in the world. Walker found a purse containing \$40, half a dozen annual railroad passes and valuable papers in the theater and immediately made known his find. Then he went home. At 6 o'clock he was called downtown by the owner, who asked him to hurry as he had to catch a train for Chicago in a few minutes. Walker took a taxi, which cost him 99 cents.

DEATH RECORD

Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, wife of Aquila Miller, 509 North Twenty-sixth street, died early Monday morning. She was 61 years of age and had been a resident of Omaha for twenty-eight years. Surviving her besides the husband are two sons, Henry and James, and one daughter, Mrs. George Kay. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from St. John's church, Twenty-fifth and California streets. Interment at Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

Mrs. S. M. Shorter, TABLE ROCK, Neb., March 3.—(Special.)—Mrs. S. M. Shorter, wife of W. T. Shorter of this place, died at the family residence at 4 o'clock Saturday night. She had been an invalid for several years and was 48 years of age. She leaves a husband and six daughters. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the residence, Rev. H. P. Young officiating.

Norman Haskins, DEER MOINES, Ia., March 3.—Norman Haskins, a wealthy Deer Moines pioneer and donor of the Haskins stadium to Drake university, died last night in Denver, according to messages to relatives here today.

Kidney Trouble and Weak Back. Signs of breakdown in health. Electric Bitters gives sure relief and lasting benefit from its use. 50c and \$1.00. All drugists.—Advertisement.

Movements of Ocean Steamers. Port, Arrived, Sailed.

West Leavenworth to Beautify Pacific Street West of Park

An enthusiastic crowd attended the meeting of the West Leavenworth Improvement club last night to plan a campaign for the improvement of Pacific street from Sixtieth street west along the south side of Elmwood park.

Commissioner Hummel was present and spoke in favor of the plan, promising to co-operate with the club in securing the improvement of the highway.

A committee of the club was appointed to meet with the county commissioners, to request an appropriation for paving or macadamizing Pacific street, west of Sixtieth street, and Commissioner Hummel agreed to act as a member of the committee to urge action by the county commissioners.

"We have done much this winter to improve the park," said Mr. Hummel, "and everything that is possible for me to do in connection with making Elmwood a better park, I am willing to do. I have ordered forty-two cars of cinders there this winter for the purpose of making cinder drives through the park."

"I have ordered the removal of the Dundee street lamp from the park property. There is no reason, that I can see, why Dundee, which has not spent a cent for beautifying the park, should be allowed to dump refuse and waste in the city of Omaha. Dundee has derived benefit from the park, but has done nothing to help us make it a real park."

"We are handicapped on the commission in Omaha, by a lack of funds. We are not allowed to spend more money than we have on hand. Every business in the city today is doing business on a greater capital than it had twenty years ago, yet the city is juggling along with only a million a year for current expenses. When the water board took over the water works here, that removed \$250,000 from the assessment rolls. Cut off from this revenue the only other plan was to throw that taxation onto the homes of residents of the city."

"You have the difference to pay, under the present plan. The city commissioners

are forced to pay for much pavement in our department under the present state law, and we have also bought much land out of the funds at our disposal. In Atlanta, Ga., the water works makes a profit of \$500,000 a year, and this is turned into the general fund. In Omaha, however, it is held in that department alone, and on the other hand, out of our limited funds for expenses, we are forced by state law to pay a hydrant tax to this water board, which amounts to \$100,000 a year."

Soft Coal Miners Threaten to Strike

PITTSBURGH, March 3.—Discussing the failure of the joint interstate convention at Philadelphia to reach a wage agreement for the bituminous coal fields of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and western Pennsylvania before the fifth district convention of United Mine Workers here today, Van Hittner, president of the district, said: "We still hope another joint meeting will be held before April 1, at which a satisfactory agreement can be made. If, however, no agreement is made before that time there will be no mere suspension of work. There will be a strike and not only will the union miners walk out, but every non-union miner will quit work."

COMMITTEE GIVES FACTS ABOUT THE AUDITORIUM

If the city votes the Auditorium bonds of \$50,000 for the purchase and completion of the Auditorium, Omaha will have an Auditorium which will serve the city for many years, according to the Citizens' Auditorium committee. While the building, when completed, may not be as pretentious as some would like to have, it will be a building which will compare most favorably with auditoriums throughout the country, and will be a better one than can be erected at the present time for the same amount of money, \$50,000, in the opinion of the committee.

If the building and grounds are bought for \$200,000, there will be left \$50,000 to remodel and complete the building. In equally positive terms Mrs. Palmer stated that the \$27,000 fund "did not come from the world's fair directors, but came from sales in the woman's and children's buildings, and is dedicated to philanthropic work."

Before boarding the train for Florida Mrs. Palmer replied to a petition of the woman's party of Cook county that the fund be used for a woman's forum. She said that in her opinion "such a use of the money would be a deviation from the purposes to which this fund was dedicated."

The securities in which the fund was invested were checked over by a committee of bankers at Mrs. Palmer's request, and their report that the fund amounted to \$27,700 was incorporated in Mrs. Palmer's statement.

Mrs. Palmer Balks on Proposed Use of World's Fair Fund

CHICAGO, March 3.—Ultimate disposition of the \$27,000 trust fund granted the women managers of the World's Columbian exposition in 1893 was still unsettled today, while Mrs. Potter Palmer, custodian of the fund, was speeding to her winter home in Sarasota, Fla.

Mrs. Palmer, whose ideas of the proper use of the fund differ from those of Harlow N. Higginbotham, president of the World's Columbian exposition, left behind her a second statement in which she made it clear that Mr. Higginbotham's suggestion that the \$27,000 be augmented by \$200,000 from the estate of the late Potter Palmer and used in the erection of a woman's building did not meet her approval.

The Potter Palmer will devise \$200,000 for a woman's building, but it stipulated that the structure should be erected in lake front park. Mrs. Palmer pointed out that supreme court decisions forever bar such use of the park, and that the trustees of the Palmer estate "have no power or authority to use \$200,000 of his estate to erect a memorial building except under the conditions of the will, now impossible of fulfillment."

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them. With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

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Bishop Bowman Dies; Known as Patriarch of Methodism in U. S.

ORANGE, N. J., March 3.—Bishop Thomas Bowman, formerly president of Depauw university, died here today at the home of his daughter. He was 97 years old.

Bishop Bowman was the patriarch of Methodism in America. No other bishop in the service of that church ever reached such an advanced age. He had been affectionately known for generations as "The Grand Old Man of the Faith."

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is the longest record known for continuous church work. He never took a vacation. Thirty-seven of his years were passed in preaching and in educating students in the creed of Methodism and twenty-four as a bishop.

His career in the Methodist ministry was begun at the Baltimore conference in 1825. In 1848 he founded and became president of the Dickinson seminary at Williamsport, Pa. Later he became president of the Depauw university. It was during this period that he served for a year as chaplain of the United States senate (1864-65) and became acquainted with Abraham Lincoln. He early became suspicious of attempts to assassinate Lincoln and was one of the first to warn him.

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Nose and Head Stopped Up From Cold or Catarrh, Open At Once

My Cleansing, Healing Balm Instantly Clears Nose, Head and Throat—Stops Nasty Catarrhal Discharges. Dull Headache Goes. Try "Ely's Cream Balm."

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

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