

Changes in Congress Apparent

Defeats, Retirements and Death Will Shift Personnel of National Legislature to Vast Degree.

50 Alterations Certain

By GRAFTON WILCOX. Omaha Bee Special Wire. Washington, Aug. 26.—With the national congressional election and its uncertainties still more than two months off, the fact that the next congress will vastly change in its personnel is already apparent.

Whatever fate has in store for those who will gain their fortunes at the polls, voluntary retirements, primary defeats and death have made certain at least half a hundred changes in the house and senate that will convene in December, 1923, unless a special session should be called earlier, which is probable if the precedents of the last decade are followed.

What the election may do to alter the political and personal makeup of the 68th congress is not the subject of this account. This is to reveal in summary the alterations already wrought. Two republican senators and 11 republican members of the house have been defeated for re-nomination. One democratic senator and one democratic member of the house have been defeated. There are a number of primaries yet to be held, but that is the record to date.

Senate Changes. But this does not by any means show the whole picture of the changes that will come. The senate changes thus far assured are:

Senator Harry New, Indiana, republican, defeated for the nomination by former Senator Albert J. Beveridge; Senator Porter H. Cumber, North Dakota, republican, defeated for re-nomination by Lynn J. Frazier; Senator Charles A. Culbertson, Texas, democrat, defeated; Senator William E. Crowe, Pennsylvania, is dead; John Sharp Williams, Mississippi, democrat, Henry L. Myers, Montana, democrat, and Carroll S. Page, Vermont, republican, have announced that they will not be candidates for re-nomination.

The sitting house members who have been defeated for re-nomination are Representatives Ira C. Copley, Illinois, republican, defeated by Frank R. Reid; Clifford Ireland, Illinois, republican, defeated by William E. Hull; Manuel E. Herrick, Oklahoma, republican, defeated by M. C. Garber, with the prospect that this district will go democratic; Philip Campbell, Kansas, republican, defeated by Carroll; William J. Burke, Thomas S. Crago, Joseph McLaughlin and Anderson H. Walters, all republicans and all members-at-large from Pennsylvania, failed of re-nomination when the four districts at large were eliminated by redistricting; Benjamin R. Focht, Pennsylvania, republican, defeated by Edward M. Beers; Charles R. Connell, Pennsylvania, republican, defeated by Edward M. Beers.

Senate Plans to Vote on Bonus Bill Tuesday

Washington, Aug. 26.—A unanimous consent agreement to take up the soldiers' bonus bill Monday and pass it to a final vote was entered into today by the senate.

With a view to getting a vote late Tuesday it was agreed that after 6 p. m. Monday no senator should speak more than once and for less than 20 minutes on any amendment.

So much opposition developed today in the senate to some provisions of the Borah bill-finding coal commission coal fact that the measure was laid aside under an arrangement whereby its consideration will not be resumed until the soldiers' bonus bill has been passed, probably next Tuesday or Wednesday.

Schoolhouse Damaged by Fire; 2 Firemen Overcome

Nebraska City, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—A fire in the garret of the high school building here did damage estimated at \$10,000. The blaze is believed to have been caused by wiring near the roof above the assembly room. The greater portion of the damage was done by water.

The building had just been decorated and put in condition for opening of school, September 4. School authorities say that the fire will not prevent opening of school on schedule.

Western Nebraska Potato Crop Damaged by Drouth

Hemingford, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—The potato crop in this section of the country has been seriously damaged and from present indications, will not measure up to last year's crop by 50 per cent. due to the extremely hot, dry weather during the last two weeks. If it does not rain within the next day or two the damage will be much more serious.

Boy, 10, Weighs 216 Pounds

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—Hazel Allen, 10, son of John Allen, a farmer from east of Adams, is said to be the heaviest boy for his age in this section of the state. He tips the beam at 216 pounds.

Woman Breaks Hip

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. Cassie Laing, 65, slipped and fell at her home on W. 10th street, breaking her hip. In falling she struck a sharp stick which fractured her right leg in her leg.

Good Will Girls Delighted With Normandy's Chateau

Miss Rossiter, Orchard-Wilhelm Delegate, Rose Season in France—Children greet American Flags as Party Passes Through Quaint Villages.

"It's rose time in Normandy and they tell us rose time is almost as beautiful as apple blossom time in Normandy," writes Miss Kathleen Rossiter, member of the Omaha group of the Good Will delegation touring France.

"Brilliant-hued hollyhocks stand like stately sentinels beside the door of even the most humble cottages. Once in a while a thatched roof will have a row of ferns and bright flowers across the peak."

The nine-day tour through the chateau country—especially Normandy—was delightful, says Miss Rossiter, who terms Normandy the land of beautiful flowers and beautiful babies.

Omaha Lads Fight Both Factions Expect Victory in Rail Strike

Central High Youths, Members of Hiking Party in Minnesota, Tell of Thrilling Adventure.

Beating their way through a road outlined on each side by burning underbrush of the recent forest fire in the vicinity of Evelet, Minn., was the exciting experience of two Central High school lads.

They are Harry Haberstroh, 4028 Hamilton street, and Elmo Anderson, Twenty-seventh and Hickory streets. Both boys are members of the Omaha Walking club, 17 of whom arrive home Monday morning after a two weeks' outing at Lake Vermilion, Minn. The two boys, however, chose to hike back from Vermilion lake and it was on their return trip last week that they encountered the forest fire.

"Men fighting the fire told us we were crazy to attempt to walk through it and I guess they were right," said Haberstroh, "but we were anxious to get back home, so we went ahead, anyway. We were fortunate to get back alive as a slight change in wind would have spread the fire over the road. One-half hour later the fire was closed."

The boys made the round trip of 1250 miles in five days going up and four days coming back. They had only \$40 between them, and slept out in the open, under the stars, each night.

Fremont Trust Company Asks to Be Incorporated

Lincoln, Aug. 26.—The Union Trust company of Fremont filed articles of incorporation and application for a trust company charter with the state banking department today.

The capital stock is \$50,000. Officers of the new company are Henry Teigler, president; J. Howard Heine, A. G. Christensen and T. H. Fowler, vice presidents, and H. Beckman, secretary.

WHERE TO FIND THE BIG FEATURES OF THE SUNDAY BEE

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Leader of "n" Gang Arrested

J. Homer French, Alleged Chief of Denver Swindle Ring, Taken at Estes Park—Held in Jail.

Other Suspects Seized

Denver, Aug. 26.—Harry D. Witte, said to be wanted by Federal Post-office Inspector E. Graham on a charge of swindling S. T.uch of Plainville, N. J., of \$50,000 at Miami, Fla. on March 17, 1921, was arrested late today by agents of the Denver district attorney's office who have been conducting raids on an alleged \$100,000 "confidence ring."

White, according to the district attorney, has been known under the name of Sam Barnett, Harry Witting, H. Laiter and Harry Whitney. He was arrested when he attempted to cash a \$100 money order said to have been sent him by another swindler whose activities local authorities have been investigating.

Thirty-one alleged members of the "confidence ring" raided Thursday night, are still in jail. Only two of the original thirty-three arrested and held by District Attorney Philip S. Van Cise on a blanket charge of conspiracy to operate a confidence game have been able to raise the \$25,000 set by the court as the amount of each individual bond. These two, Lon Blenger and A. W. Duff, are at liberty.

Leader Arrested. J. Homer French, alleged leader of the "ring," who is also wanted under an indictment in Miami, Fla., was added to the list of arrests today when he was brought to Denver from Bates Park, Col., where he was taken into custody last night. French is being held in jail.

Twenty-nine of the men arrested Thursday night pleaded not guilty to the charge entered against them when they were arraigned in the criminal division of the district court this afternoon. Authorities have been unable to determine the correct names of the other four, they explained, and for this reason their arraignments have been delayed.

Soft Drink Bars Closed for Year

Dublin Inn Among Places Locked Up for "Dry" Law Violations.

"Closed for one year" was the edict of Federal Judge Woodruff yesterday against a dozen or more soft drink parlors, raided by federal agents in the past two months.

Hearing on the injunction suit to close Dublin Inn was featured by the judge's direction to the United States district attorney's office to run down alleged subordination of perjury on the part of several witnesses. He ordered Dublin Inn locked up for one year.

Bank at Sholes, Neb., Is Forced to Close

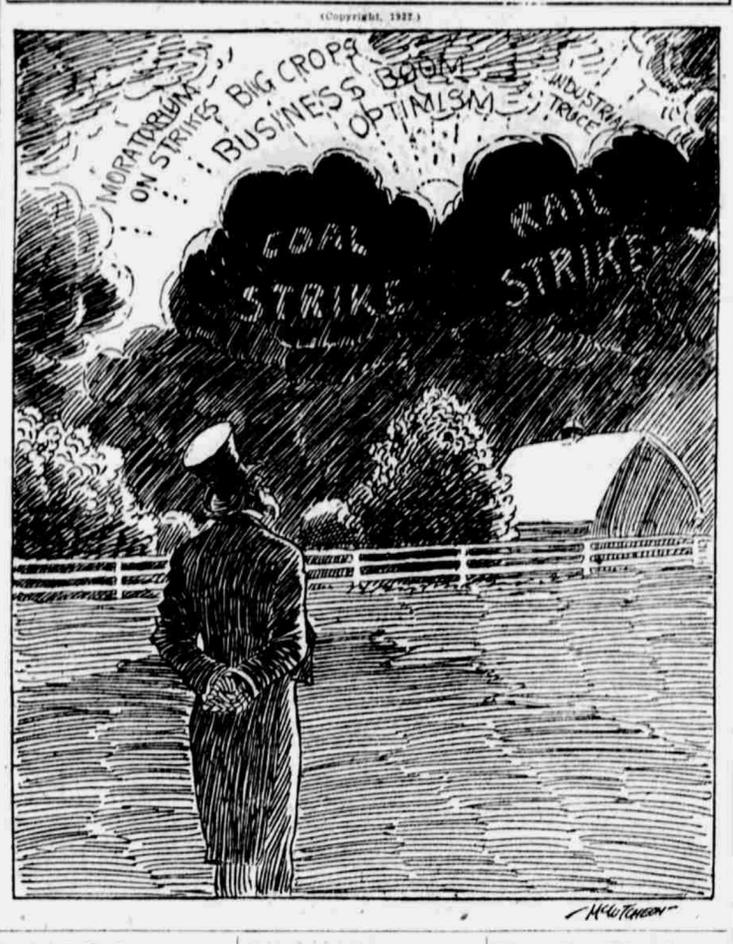
Norfolk, Neb., Aug. 26.—The Wayne County State bank of Sholes, Neb., was closed this afternoon by Paul Zuelow, state bank examiner, and W. E. Philby, cashier, voluntarily surrendered himself to the authorities and was placed in the county jail at Wayne. No formal charges have been made against him, but examination of his accounts is under way. The loss to the bank is estimated at about \$40,000.

Former Premier of China and Minister Start for U. S. Pekin, Aug. 26.—(By A. P.)—Chow Tai-Chi, former premier and minister of finance, and T'ung Kang, minister of education, who recently resigned after closing the doors of his department and declaring the treasury empty, left Pekin today for Washington to start for the United States. They expect to sail for America Monday, but the object of their mission has not been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Reid Have New Member in Family

Los Angeles, Aug. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Wally Reid have a new addition to their household in the person of Betty Mummert, 2. The couple got together yesterday and the child is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Mummert of Long Beach and they consented to the adoption.

The Sun Is Trying Its Best to Shine on Us



Last Call for Milk Fund Gifts; Only \$36 Needed

\$1,500 Will Cover All Bills Incurred in Baby Relief—\$1,463.75 Already Received.

This is the last call for contributions to cover the expense of supplying milk and ice to babies in poor homes of the city.

The Visiting Nurses association reports that \$1,500 is needed to pay all milk and ice bills incurred in the fight for the lives of these infants during the hot summer.

Contributions received up to Saturday swell the fund to \$1,463.75. Only \$36.25 more is needed. Just a few small contributions will raise the amount.

Couple Married in Plane at Norfolk Airplane Meet

Madison, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—A marriage license was issued to Maurice L. Hiner, Battle Creek, and Alice Hazel Wyatt, Meadow Grove, who were married this afternoon in an airplane while in flight somewhere in the vicinity of Norfolk, Judge T. V. Norvell officiating. This ceremony was part of the Norfolk airplane meet attractions.

Farmers in Gage County Cutting Corn for Ensilage

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—A number of farmers in Gage county have begun cutting their corn for silage, as a considerable amount of the crop has been badly damaged by the dry weather. They figure that it is better for feed at the present stage than to wait until it becomes dry and chaffy.

You Must Pay for a Home

whether you own it or not. Why not put your monthly rent into a home of your own? Own your own home! Every dollar paid into a home of your own adds to your own happiness. It secures your family against want, gives you a tangible return on your investment and liberates you for all time from paying rent. It's a simple matter to own your own home—as easy as paying rent and a whole lot more satisfactory. Don't put it off—start reading the Real Estate ads in the "Want Ads" in the Sporting Sunday today. You don't find what you want, but you find what you need at the place you want, at the price you can afford to pay.

Officers Worsted in Strike Clash

Union Men Repulse Attempt to Enter Labor Temple at Havelock.

Lincoln, Aug. 26.—Three officers, headed by Deputy United States Marshal J. C. McClung, were worsted in a clash with 300 or 400 strikers shortly before noon today when they attempted to enter Labor temple at Havelock to arrest four men for violation of strike injunction orders.

The crowd drove McClung back and he was forced to call on Sheriff Mill for reinforcements. Before the officers arrived, however, McClung had arrested two men.

An attempt is being made this afternoon to identify the leaders in the riot. McClung stated that more arrests would follow.

After additional investigation the deputy United States marshal arrested four men who gave the names as follows: H. C. Wyatt, D. Thomas, Bernard Deady and an old man named Babcock. Later Deady was released.

G. H. Abel, president of the Havelock machinists union, following the trouble, declared there had been no riot but that the doorkeepers at labor temple were merely carrying out the rules of the labor unions when they attempted to prevent the officers from entering the hall while a meeting was in progress.

Concert Club Band to Play at Elmwood at 5 Today

Today at 5 p. m. the City Concert Club band will play in Elmwood park, Arthur E. Smith, conductor. Alma Huntley, who has a delightful soprano voice of carrying power, and excellent enunciation, will give two numbers. The program includes:

- March—Fiddlers
March—Katie Bell
Concertino—Felix
Morocco Characteristic—Vojovic
Selection—Babe in Toyland
Intermission
Remarks: "The Appropriation" by Hans Christ, president City Concert Club
The National Emblem
Bagley Selection—The Troopsters
Vard Patrol—Blanche
Descriptive—A Hunting Scene
Bucarest (By request)
Pops—The Star Spangled Banner
Key

The audience is requested to stand at attention while the national anthem is being played.

Truck Knocks Vestibule From Street Car; Man Hurt

Fred Niemek, 1324 South Third street, was bruised when an Armour & Co. meat truck skidded at Tenth and Pierce streets Saturday afternoon and knocked the rear vestibule from a street car in which he was riding.

The truck and the car both were traveling north on Tenth street when the driver of the truck applied his brakes and the truck skidded on a wet spot on the pavement.

Assistant U. P. Traffic Manager Seeks Divorce

John P. Cummins, assistant traffic manager for the Union Pacific railroad, yesterday filed suit in district court for divorce from Frankie Cummins, alleging cruelty.

Observe Golden Wedding

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bolter, 614 residents of the Cornland vicininity celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday. Their nine children all were present.

Emergency Laws Urged by Harding

Wants Power to Seize Mines and Railways if Conditions Warrant—To Act as Last Resort.

Expect Showdown Soon. Omaha Bee Special Wire. Washington, Aug. 26.—Legislation empowering the federal government to take over the railroads and the anthracite mines will be welcomed by President Harding before congress recesses unless the strikes are settled before that time. This was declared today by officials in close touch with the White House.

Mr. Harding, it was explained, does not expect to take any hasty action. He may never make use of the authority sought, but he does not want congress to go away and leave him powerless to deal with any emergency which may develop in either the rail or coal situation.

Measures giving the president authority to assume control of railroads and mines will be introduced in congress within the next few days, unless the situation clears, it was declared.

Give Roads Another Chance. In conference with senators the president indicated a willingness to give the railroad executives further opportunity to demonstrate that they can cope with the shipment's strike and to prove that they can operate the roads to an extent necessary to meet the nation's traffic needs.

Until it becomes apparent that a breakdown of transportation is inevitable, the administration will make no move to take over the roads. President Harding does not believe that that time has yet been reached. Senators who are keeping a close watch on developments say that the next week will bring a showdown and demonstrate whether the roads can continue to operate successfully.

As for the anthracite strike, the president's position, according to responsible sources, is that another opportunity should be given the operators and miners to get together before any attempt is made to operate the mines under federal control. In administration circles there is a feeling of confidence that a settlement will be reached in the coal strike.

Townley Pleads With Farmers to Quit Third Party

Gathering Near Grand Island Warmed by Nonpartisan Chief of Wasting Votes on "Utter Futility."

Grand Island, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—At a barbecue at Lion grove, two miles south of the city, A. C. Townley, this afternoon addressed an audience of several hundreds, mostly farmers, on the candidates endorsed by the Nonpartisan league and labor circles of the state and why these candidates, regardless of party lines, should be supported in November.

Mr. Townley attempted to show what he regarded to be the "utter futility" of wasting votes on a third party in this state. He also spoke at length of the alleged "tricks" of the opponents of the league in keeping people away from a discussion and even a consideration of the league's real aims and purposes by circulating the false cries that it was favoring "free love," was "pro-German," etc.

In asking nothing in the way of office or power for themselves, Mr. Townley urged upon the farmers that would exercise a decidedly greater political influence.

Five Persons Are Killed When Train Strikes Auto

Princeton, Ind., Aug. 26.—Five persons were killed and one seriously injured when a Chicago & Eastern Illinois passenger train demolished an automobile at a street crossing in Hauptstadt, Ind., 10 miles out of here. The dead are William Burris, 28; James L. Burris, his son, 7; Mr. Burris' 2-year-old daughter; Mrs. C. C. Sellers, 30, sister of Mr. Burris, and Evangeline Sellers, 5, daughter of Mrs. Sellers.

Lincoln Highway Workers to Meet in Grand Island

Grand Island, Neb., Aug. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Preparations are complete for a meeting here Monday at the Chamber of Commerce of Lincoln Highway association members with chairman of road committee of commercial clubs in Lincoln highway clubs. A review of highway conditions in the state is to be made.

"The Scar"

differs from others of Ruby M. Ayres' stories, several of which already have appeared in The Omaha Bee, but it is a difference in which this latest work holds the advantage. If you are interested in love tales, you will read with absorbing interest this serial, starting in The Omaha Bee, Monday.

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Phone Girl Held on Check Charge

Pretty Young Woman Alleged to Have Used Prominent Omahans' Names. Lucille Corindae, a pretty telephone operator in a downtown millinery shop, was arrested Saturday charged with forging the names of prominent Omahans to a series of bogus checks.

The checks have been passed in Omaha without detection for more than a year, according to the detectives.

Miss Considine, an attractively young woman in the twenties, vigorously denied the charges. She swore on the verge of tears in making the denials.

Bond for Miss Considine was set at \$1,000. It was furnished by a friend.

New Boy's Work Secretary Comes to "Y" From Chicago

J. Shailer Arnold, who has been assistant boys' work secretary of the Omaha Y. M. C. A. for the past two years, left last week for his home in Winfield, Kan., for a short rest before returning to Southwestern college here this fall to complete his schooling. He will graduate next June.

The Weather

Forecast. Neb.—Partly cloudy and unsettled Sunday; not much change in temperature.

Hourly Temperatures table with columns for time and temperature.