

Howell Is Greeted by Big Crowds

West Point Attendance Double That of Opponent, Who Refuses to Carry Out Schedule.

Applause Greeted Talk

By P. C. FOWELL, Staff Correspondent, The Omaha Bee. West Point, Neb., Nov. 3.—Special Telegram—R. B. Howell, candidate for United States senator, spoke to 250 applauding citizens of West Point today, an hour and a half after his opponent, Gilbert M. Hitchcock, spoke to an audience of 125.

Howell's audience applauded fully half an hour during the speech. The Hitchcock meeting was scheduled an hour earlier than it began and was to have been in the courtroom. After waiting half an hour after schedule for a coroner's guard to arrive at the courtroom, the senator's lieutenant took him to a street corner, where others drummed up a crowd.

Howell was to arrive there an hour after the senator. The senator didn't appear in September. He pleaded bad roads and went to Blair for a night meeting. The Howell party drove over the roads from West Point to Blair with ease.

The senator's principal plea for reelection to a third term was the fact he was born in Nebraska. He told his listeners his birthplace three distinct times. He pleaded hate in his speech and under this plea failed to defend his vote for the Esch-Cummins law, which has forced the public to pay annually \$300,000,000 more in transportation than before its enactment.

Howell read to his listeners the A. B. C. of deflation. He described Secretary McAdoo's failure to follow the law and obtain bonds for the \$1 billion loaned Europe before and after the war. He made it plain to his listeners how the Esch-Cummins law for which his opponent voted stiffed competition and its result, through the Interstate Commerce commission, guaranteed railroads a minimum return and increased rates beyond the ordinary man's dream of avarice.

Howell also lauded the work of the farm bloc, the first step toward united action for agricultural interests in congress, and pledged himself to join this bloc in fight for a square deal for the farmer.

Nebraska's "Sorry" Senator

The democratic candidate for senator says now, "I am sorry I voted for the Esch-Cummins law."

A few days ago, he was "sorry he voted against prohibition." He's probably "sorry" that he voted against suffrage. In fact he should be three times as "sorry" that he voted against suffrage for he voted three times against it.

He is probably "sorry" he voted for the senate amendment which established the profit tax of 10 to 15 per cent on corporations and replaced the excess profits tax.

He is probably "sorry" that he voted for the league of nations, which the senate repudiated, or the mandate for Armenia, which would have put our boys in Turkey, today.

He is probably "sorry" he voted against the resolution to terminate the war with Germany and against the emergency tariff bill demanded by almost unanimous vote of the Nebraska legislature, and was not voting when the child labor clause in the revenue act was before the senate on December 18, 1918, and not voting in January, 1922, on the Kellogg amendment to the federal reserve law which would permit the president to appoint a farmer on the federal reserve board, and not voting on the Harris amendment in January, 1922, which forbade the federal reserve bank to erect a \$25,000,000 building in New York without the consent of congress.

He should be "sorry" also that he voted against the approval by the senate of the four-power treaty, which made possible the carrying out of the arms limitation program and ending the mad race for armed supremacy.

He should be "sorry" also that he was not voting in January, 1922, when it was proposed to appoint a committee to negotiate the funding of the foreign debt of \$11,000,000,000, and not voting in April, 1922, when it was proposed to increase the agricultural extension work of the federal government.

In fact and in truth, it is a pretty "sorry" senator that Nebraska has running for re-election today.

But Nebraska is "sorrer" than is he, for Nebraska has had to and will continue to have to foot the bills.

Woman Acquitted of Murder Charge

Philadelphia, Nov. 3.—Catherine Rosier, 21, was today acquitted by the jury which tried her for killing Miss Mildred Geraldine Reckitt, her husband's stenographer, and soon afterward was freed of the indictment which charged her with killing her husband, Oscar Rosier, at the same time.

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Present Car Shortage Largest in History

Chicago, Nov. 3.—The present car shortage is the largest in history, the statement on reports received by the car service division of the American Railway Association on October 13, 1922, shows a net deficit of 152,000 cars. The largest previous shortage was reported on September 1, 1921, when 146,975 cars were said to be lacking.

Whisper Campaign Is Denounced

Republican Candidate for Governor Makes Unequivocal Announcement of Principles in Speech.

Has Ovation in Omaha

Charles H. Randall, "Randall of Randolph," republican candidate for governor, made a speech at the big republican meeting in the Auditorium Thursday night which has never been surpassed in Omaha for terse, business-like statement of fact and unequivocal announcement of principles.

He denounced "whispering campaigns" and read again his stand on the three bills concerning which democrats have been "whispering." They are the law prohibiting teachers in public schools from wearing clerical garb, the law placing private, denominational and parochial schools under the state superintendent, and the law providing that instruction in all grades up to the eighth shall be exclusively in English.

He denounced the language law, I seek for all children a common language. It is to their advantage to have a firm foundation in our English language. After that, let them study as many other languages as they like. It's good to know several languages.

In my stand on these laws, I appeal to the Americans whether they were born in this country or born in other lands and naturalized. Those born beyond the seas and now naturalized are just as good Americans as the native born. We are all Americans together.

Heart Balm Suit Settled Out of Court

Miss Malvina Burke, 21, accepted \$4,000 from De Witt K. Ellingwood, lumber broker, yesterday in settlement of a \$25,000 breach of promise suit against her alleged fiance, Ellingwood.

Kearney Girl Wounded by Gun in Hands of Playmate

Kearney, Neb., Nov. 3.—Elder Amerson, 14, of this city accidentally shot and perhaps fatally wounded Cleo Royle, 4, the boy playfully pointed the gun at the child and it was discharged.

Stable Prices

"We've had better crops of everything this year than ever before in the history of the country, and the year as a whole has been prosperous for everyone in my section of the state," said A. G. Green, a farmer in Nebraska, in an interview published on the market page of Omaha World-Herald, October 21, 1922.

The Democratic Joy Ride



In his newspaper of May 1, 1920, Hitchcock said of C. W. Bryan: "A pretty bum sport, we repeat—and rather a hopeless sort of ass."

Two Bandits Shot During Robbery of Frisco Train

Holdup Plot "Tipped Off"—Guards Meet Robbers Who Board Fast Mail in Missouri.

Wittenberg, Mo., Nov. 3.—(By A. P.)—Jack Kennedy, veteran Missouri train robber, and Harvey Logan, former railroad man, were shot and killed early today by officers after they had robbed a mail car on a southbound Frisco passenger train. The stolen mail, about 900 registered letters, was recovered.

The inspectors learned yesterday that Kennedy and Logan had gone from Cape Girardeau to Seventy-six, Reuter stated, and they kept a watch on the automobile in which the bandits were traveling.

New Railway on Coast

Washington, Nov. 3.—A railroad 21 miles in length will be constructed in the heart of the Sierra mountains in California to provide an outlet for 167,000,000 feet of timber in the Plumas National Forest, recently sold by the government to a lumber company.

Favors Howell After Hearing Senator's Plea

E. D. Frost of Tekamah, Neb., is very indignant because, in yesterday's World-Herald, a story was published stating that Mr. Frost and other republicans were "interested in Hitchcock's candidacy."

Minort Denies Farmers to Bolt Howell Slate

Alliance Man Says Newspaper Report Directly Opposite to His Statement—Opposes Voting Record.

Alliance, Neb., Nov. 3.—(Special Telegram)—Rev. B. J. Minort, Alliance Baptist minister and leader of the so-called farmer labor party in Box Butte county, today vigorously denied the truth of a statement credited to him in the Omaha World-Herald in which he was quoted as saying that the farmer labor party is supporting Senator Hitchcock for re-election.

The World-Herald staff reporter with whom I talked, while he was in Alliance with the Charles W. Bryan party, got me all wrong on the Hitchcock proposition, and the World-Herald printed just the reverse of what I told their reporter," said Rev. Mr. Minort. "I certainly did not tell him that the farmer labor party is supporting Hitchcock, because that party had already announced its support of R. B. Howell for United States senator, and he is the man the farmers and laborers are going to vote for.

U. S. Drift from Constitution Sinister, Says Economist

Toledo, O., Nov. 2.—America's drift from the constitution is the most sinister drift in the political history of this nation, declared in an address before several hundred business men at the Rotary club today.

80 Lincoln Mail Employees Will Attend Omaha Meet

Higher postal employees from Lincoln will attend the Nebraska postal conference in Omaha, November 13, their 10th annual meeting. Postal Assistant Charles E. Black, special train man, being chosen as large attendance is promised from other centers.

State Fails to Shake Testimony of Mrs. Phillips

Woman Charged With Husband Murder Sticks to Tale Under Cross-Examination.

Los Angeles, Nov. 3.—Mrs. Clara Phillips retold today her story of the slaying of Mrs. Alberta Meadows, for which she is on trial for murder, under cross-examination by Deputy District Attorney Charles W. Frickle. She adhered to her assertion that Mrs. Peggy Caffee assaulted Mrs. Meadows with a hammer. She also insisted that Mrs. Meadows had admitted intimacy with her husband, Armour L. Phillips.

Defense Attorney Bertram Herrington announced he would not call Phillips as a witness and that he expected to be able to rest his case Monday.

Marriage Fails to Protect Girl

Wilmington, N.C., Nov. 3.—(Special Telegram)—An attempt to foil the courts by getting married failed to save Mrs. Jack Willis, 16, bride of a few hours, from her trip to the industrial school for girls at Geneva, where she was sentenced two days ago by Judge Wintersteen on a charge of delinquency.

Partner of Debs in Founding Socialist Party Is Buried

Tiffin, O., Nov. 3.—His grave unmarked by a single flower, Charles E. Martin, 46, for 25 years a national figure in the labor movement, and with Eugene V. Debs, founder of the socialist democratic party, was buried here today. He died Thursday.

Nonstop Air Men Wing Way to N.Y.

Army Flyers Attempting to Cross Continent Have Passed Denning at 2:35 in Afternoon.

Make Trip in Monoplane

San Francisco, Nov. 3.—A check by the Southern Pacific company's telegraph department on the nonstop flight from San Diego to New York which is being attempted by Lieut. John A. Mearns and Oakley Kelly of the United States army showed that they passed over Gila, Ariz., at 10:15 a. m.; Tucson, Ariz., at 12:17 p. m.; Benson, Ariz., at 10:40; Nogales, Ariz., at 10:51; Wilcox, Ariz., at 11:15; Howie, Ariz., at 11:25 and Deming, N. M., at 12:55 p. m.

The aviators said their route would take them through Arizona. Their airway is to Deming, N. M.; Franklin mountains, 40 miles east of El Paso, to the foothills into the Texas Panhandle and over Fort Bell, Okla.; across the northwest part of Arkansas; over southeast Missouri, southern Illinois, Indiana and Ohio, entering Pennsylvania at the southwest corner. Then the route goes to Mineola field, New York, by way of Johnston, Harrisburg, Pa., and Trenton, N. J.

On October 5 the two aviators took off here on the same attempt, and while they postponed the transcontinental trip because of fog in the mountains they decided to stay in the air and test their craft. This they did so successfully that they remained aloft over San Diego continuously for a little more than 25 hours, breaking all known endurance records for a flying machine heavier than air.

Since the two lieutenants have been awaiting favorable weather conditions. Reports from across the central belt of the continent gave a favorable forecast late last night.

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Marks at Low Record

New York, Nov. 3.—German marks changed to another new low record here today, being quoted at 17.8 a basket.

The Weather

Forecast. Saturday probably showers and...