

### Good and Evil of Community Chest Plan Outlined

Advantages and Dangers Discussed by Welfare Association Secretary of Minneapolis.

Advantages derived through maintenance of a community fund, as well as dangers and the best method of safeguarding it from the latter, were presented effectively by delegates to the 23rd annual convention of the Nebraska conference of social workers Monday noon by Frank Bruno, general secretary of the Family Welfare association of Minneapolis, Minn. Mr. Bruno's talk was delivered at a luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce.

"The community fund has developed in response to the demand of the business man that he be required to contribute money for welfare purposes only once a year, and that he be solicited only once a year," he said.

Methods Unsatisfactory. "Then, too, all methods formerly practiced have not proved satisfactory; they have not brought in the required sums of money.

"One of the best features of the community fund is that it has forced all social welfare agencies to adopt a budget system that is in conformity with the best methods of auditing. It has forced all agencies to use a first-class system of accounting.

"The community fund also offers a means for thoroughly testing the efficiency of an organization. Is a child welfare agency really doing good work, or is it merely meddling? Is the family welfare agency really restoring families, or is it only distributing relief? These things the community fund can ask and insist on getting an answer, while other agencies cannot.

Points Out Dangers. "The dangers of the community fund are that social agencies will be dominated by commercial interests rather than by persons who are interested in social work and that new movements, new experiments will be seriously hindered. The safeguard against these possibilities, however, lies in the creation of a council of social agencies as a partner of, or part of the community fund itself.

The complexity of social phenomena and the wide range of results involved in murders are under 19, which goes to prove that we would not hear of so many of these cases if the parents did their part while those involved were still children.

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### American Troops Back From Rhine



Here are the first pictures of the arrival in Savannah, Ga., of the last American troops from the Rhine. Doughboys arrived on the transport St. Mihiel, accompanied by their German wives and children.

produced under varying circumstances by the same cause, were discussed this morning at the Nebraska conference of Social Workers meeting by Frank Bruno of Minneapolis.

No one explanation and no one treatment can solve the difficult family case work," said Mr. Bruno. "Workers too often see only one thing wrong and concentrate all their energies on that one thing. Poverty is often only one of the causes of the trouble. Social workers have four main lines of investigation, and of help to follow—economic, medical, recreational and psychiatric. No one alone is sufficient."

Absolute Essentials. "We try to give them the absolute essentials," she said. "We teach them to spell the words in their own vocabularies, to read for pleasure, and the kind of simple arithmetic they need to figure up their grocery bills and their rent. For we have to face the fact that these mental incompetents leave school, go out and marry and have homes and families of their own. Too often the attractive girls and boys become drivers of delivery wagons and other automobiles. There are 15 or 20 such in Lincoln that know of it. It is the duty of the teacher to keep in touch with these morons after they leave the school, and confer with their employers."

American Parents Are Blamed for Divorce Evil. "The automobile is doing more harm to our youth than anything else in existence," she declared. "and the first source of this new poison is to be found in the parents. What can you expect of a boy of 15 who is presented with an automobile and then turned loose to do what he wishes with it?"

Marriage Loses Sacredness. "Then, too, marriage itself is no longer sacred. Parents think nothing of talking over divorce plans before their children. Marriage means nothing to them, and it therefore means nothing to the children when they become grown. And neither does divorce mean anything to them, other than a convenience. That children hear it talked of so much that they think if it is all right for their parents, it must be all right for them. So they try marriage and if they don't like it in every way, they do as the parents and mothers did, separate and then get a divorce."

Half of Children's Home Fund Quota for City Raised on First Day of Drive. Omaha passed half of its quota at the end of the first day in the Children's Home society campaign for \$40,000, with which to erect a new receiving home. Frank Bulla, director, announced that the total at 7 last night was \$10,320.

Club Rivalry Strong. Strong rivalry has sprung up between teams of the Lions club, the Concord club and the "Barbs." The "Barbs," an abbreviation of barbarians, are the "outsiders," those who are neither members of the Lions club nor of the Concord club. Olson is captain of one of the "Barb" teams.

Urges Additional Course. E. M. Hoeman, secretary of the Nebraska State Teachers association, advocated more training in sociological technique as a required course in teacher-training institutions.

Urges "Give Me a Chance" "1000 Club" Editor THE OMAHA BEE. I want to help make some poor child happy. Enclosed find \$10 for my membership.

### Speaker Urges Study of World Problems

Crete, Neb., Feb. 12.—(Special)—An appeal to study world problems and strive to aid in the solution of them was made by Stitt Wilson to Doane students Monday afternoon in the college chapel.

Mr. Wilson is a well-known lecturer before student audiences, being one of a group of men sent out in the winter of 1918 to rouse student opinion on world questions. He has addressed students in every state but three and spoken in 150 colleges and universities. Mr. Wilson came to Doane from Boulder, Colo., where he had been addressing the students of the University of Colorado.

Two Holdup Men Rob Farmer Boy of Clothes. Pawnee City, Feb. 12.—(Special)—Clarence Smith, 16, living eight miles west of here, was held up and robbed of his clothing Thursday night by two men. The boy had gone after the cows, a distance of nearly a mile, and was just starting back when accosted by the men.

Test Case of Iowa Bonus Law Will Begin Today. Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 12.—The Iowa bonus law, involving the validity of \$22,000,000 worth of Iowa bonds, will go on trial before the state supreme court Tuesday, according to an announcement made by Attorney General Ben J. Gibson.

Lincoln Scoutmaster Near Death in Automobile Wreck. Lincoln, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A touring car belonging to G. G. King, Lincoln scoutmaster, became stalled on the Rock Island tracks near Rokeley and was badly wrecked. Kingham was unable to signal the train crew in time to avoid the collision. He was not in the car when it was struck.

Grain Exports Last Week. Washington, Feb. 12.—Grain exports from the United States last week totaled 6,849,000 bushels, as compared to 6,784,000 bushels for the week previous.

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### Two Lincoln Programs Given in Capital City

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special)—Two patriotic programs in honor of the memory of Abraham Lincoln were given in Lincoln Monday evening.

Dr. George A. Miller, pastor of the First Christian church of Omaha, was the principal speaker at a community observance of the emancipator's birthday anniversary, at the Chamber of Commerce. He was formerly pastor of a church in Washington, D. C., and stressed the historical side of Lincoln's life in his address.

National Sorority Loses Dance Injunction Fight. Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 12.—The local Zeta Delta Kappa sorority triumphed here today in the first legal skirmish against the national Zeta Delta Kappa. The local sorority, Earl Peters ruled that the local sorority could hold its dance tonight, which the national sorority had sought to stop by injunction.

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Coolidge Pays Tribute. Tuskegee, Ala., Feb. 12.—(Special)—America stands unchangeably committed to the principle of the right to individual freedom made forever plain and clear by Abraham Lincoln. Vice President Calvin Coolidge declared, in an address dedicating the

From twenty-one to eighty-one birthdays do not thrill anyone but their victims, while at fifty--" Read Albert Payson Terhune's new series of revealing personal reflections -- "Now That I'm Fifty" in MARCH Cosmopolitan now at news stands

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### A Queer World

Lion Breaks Out of Cage, Throws Fort Worth Citizens Into State of Terror.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 12.—A male lion which showed its way to freedom from a wooden cage while being shipped from Belton, Mont., to a circus wintering in Dallas, Tex., leaped from the baggage car in which it was riding as the train entered this city and threw the negro population of this section of town through which the train was passing into terror. Police shot and killed the lion.

Has Hope. Chicago, Feb. 12.—Charles M. Martin is pinning his hopes of living 101 years on a pet monkey. This was responsible for a 40-minute airplane fight from his home at Cross Lake, Ill., to Chicago yesterday. The monkey is sick.

Social Distinction. New York, Feb. 12.—The title of "chauffeur" applied to drivers of privately owned motor cars is objectionable, the Society of Professional Automobile Engineers announced when it was president of the society, said hereafter would call themselves "automobile engineers."

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### Man Who Helped Nominate Lincoln Tells Inside Story

Addison Procter Says Slavery Real Question Before Convention in 1860—Horace Greeley Predicted People Would Not Trust "Emancipator"—Defeated Candidate First to Take Platform for "Abe."

Chicago, Feb. 12.—(AP)—Observing the 114th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, Addison G. Procter, said to be the only living delegate to the convention that nominated Lincoln for president, told in a speech today of the influences behind the scenes that led to the choice of the "great emancipator."

"The 486 delegates to that convention in 1860 met, in reality, to decide whether slavery should exist or not," he said. "The fugitive slave law had outraged the moral sensibilities of the north. Slavery then threatened to force its way into the free territory of the northwest."

"After a 'no slavery' plank had been inserted in the platform, a strong delegation from the east asked the nomination of William H. Seward. They lacked but 50 votes of controlling the convention. Illinois asked the nomination of Lincoln.

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### Geraldine Has Evidence on Lou

Miss Farrar Testifies She Has "Personally" Verified "Charges."

New York, Feb. 12.—Geraldine Farrar, former Metropolitan opera star, took the witness stand today in her suit for divorce from her actor husband, Lou Tellegen, and testified that she had "personally verified" the charges of misconduct alleged in her petition. Asked if she condoned his acts, she replied crisply, "no."

"The diva testified less than two minutes, most of which she spent in saying, "yes" and "no" to technical questions put by her lawyer and the referee.

David's Palace Sought. London, Feb. 12.—A British expedition will shortly start for Egypt in an attempt to unearth King David's palace.

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