

# THE OMAHA MORNING BEE

## HARDING FUNERAL TRAIN AT CAPITAL

### Cut in Wheat Yield Spur to Buying

Decrease Boon to Farmers to Hold Grain and Argument for Citizens to Purchase Quantities.

### May Seek Aid of U. S. Bo

A decrease of 28,000,000 bushels in the yield of wheat in this country, as reflected by government and private reports received yesterday, put new zest into the wheat growers' relief campaign being promoted by a special committee of the executive committee of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce working in conjunction with a committee of the Omaha Grain exchange.

### Harding Memorial to Held Friday at Ak-Sar-Ben Field

All Omaha to Participate in Services of Mourning of Late President—Committee Headed by Mayor Dahlman Named to Arrange Details—Meeting Result of The Omaha Bee's Effort.

Omaha will mourn President Harding at public memorial services at 4 Friday afternoon at Ak-Sar-Ben field. Sixty representatives of Omaha civic, business and professional organizations, meeting in the city council chamber Tuesday noon at the call of The Omaha Bee, expressed complete agreement with the statements of the paper that the city should be given an opportunity to express its grief publicly at that time.

### The Real Assassins



### East Room Is Banked With Flowers; Tribute From Entire World

Washington Spends Day in Waiting for Return of the Chief-tain, Who Comes Wrapped in the Added Dignity of Death—Kings and Notables From All Nations Send Flowers—Children Add Bouquets.

### White House Is Prepared for Return of Harding

Washington, Aug. 7.—The funeral train bearing the body of Warren G. Harding arrived in Washington just before 10:30 tonight. Just before 10 President Coolidge, accompanied by the members of the cabinet, left his office at the New Willard hotel to meet the train and to meet the funeral train of President Harding.

### Bay State Man Swims Channel

Wins \$5,000 Prize Offered by London Paper—Finished by Pluck.

Dover, Aug. 7.—The Daily Sketch announced today that it had decided to award to Henry Sullivan the £1,000 prize it offered some time ago for the channel swim. The newspaper says that although Sullivan entered the contest, he did not fulfill the conditions, inasmuch as there was no representative of the paper in the acceptance of the prize.

### Smaller Nations Balk at Blockade

League Having Trouble in Ironing Wrinkles Out of Mutual Assistance Pact.

Paris, Aug. 7.—How to make guarantee treaties between two or more nations harmonize, with the proposed general pact for mutual assistance which will be suggested to members of the league of nations in an effort to bring about a reduction of armaments, is giving some trouble to the temporary committee of the league of nations.

### Bryan Directs Proclamation on Harding's Death

Friday Set Aside for Mourning and Prayer for Late President in Nebraska.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Lincoln, Aug. 7.—Failure of Governor Charles W. Bryan to arrive at the state house today forced F. C. Radke, his private secretary, to issue a proclamation setting aside Friday, August 10, as a day of mourning throughout Nebraska in memory of the death of President Warren G. Harding.

### Accused in Bucket Shop Fraud Guilty

New York, Aug. 7.—United States District Attorney William Hayward announced last night that Edward M. Fuller and W. Frank McGee, now in jail following bucket shopping charges, had made a full and complete confession.

### Demand for Special Session Is Waning

Washington, Aug. 7.—President Coolidge heard arguments today against the calling of a special session of congress, but that in view of the fact that there is no doubt of his having accomplished the feat, the prize will be awarded.

### South Dakota Governor Orders "Gas" Price Cut

Pierre, S. D., Aug. 7.—Characterizing the price of gasoline in South Dakota as "highway robbery," Governor McMaster this afternoon ordered the state warehouse at Mitchell to sell gasoline to the public at 16 cents a gallon. He also called on the people of the state to form associations to purchase the product in carload lots until such time as dealers "cease their policy of greed and avarice."

### 9 Russ Rail Heads Must Die

Petrograd, Aug. 7.—Nine Russian railway officials were sentenced to death today for accepting bribes. Fifty-two were imprisoned for 10 years. Three were acquitted. The soviet has begun a crusade against grafting.

### 1,000,000 Marks Sell for 28 Cents

New York, Aug. 7.—One million German paper marks could be purchased in the local foreign exchange market today for 28 cents, or only 4.2 cents more than the price of a single mark before the war. Today's quotation represented an overnight depreciation of 48 per cent, the rate last night being 32 cents a million. Saturday's rate was 30 cents.

### Mexican Military Forces Seek Kidnap Bandit

Mexico City, Mex., Aug. 7.—Mobilization of the federal forces in the state of Durango and their co-operation with the military forces in adjoining states in an effort to capture the bandit leader, Juan Galindo, and force the release of Robert A. Newman, who was kidnaped by the bandit last April, was ordered today by President Obregon in a telegram to Gen. Anatoilo B. Ortega, chief of military operations in Durango.

### Chicago Stores to Close

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Advertisements announced that practically all Chicago's large retail department stores and big wholesale establishments will be closed all day Friday on account of the funeral of President Harding. The Illinois Chamber of Commerce also sent out letters suggesting that all Chambers of Commerce be closed on Friday and that stores and other places of business and amusement remain closed from at least noon on.

### President Coolidge Wears Cotton Sox and His Wife Darns Them

Washington, Aug. 7.—When time hangs heavy in the presidential suite at the New Willard, the first lady takes up her famous husband's holey socks and darns them. The new president is not the sort who wears silk socks and throws them away when a bit of a hole appears. No, siree! He wears cotton, and Mrs. Coolidge darns them.

### Joyriders Ignore Warning; Car Takes Fatal Plunge

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 7.—Six joy riders at 2 a. m. today ignored red lights and a barricade on a railroad viaduct here, which is under repairs, and in their automobile plunged 70 feet through the floopless bridge to the railroad tracks below. Henry Jensen and James C. Hall are probably fatally injured. Peter Dolan and three others, two of whom are women, will recover. The General hospital booked the patients with the notation "under the influence of liquor when brought in."

### The Weather

For 24 hours ending 7 p. m. August 7, 1923.

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| Highest, 78.                               | Lowest, 63.      | Mean, 71.            |    |
| Total Precipitation since January 1, 1923. |                  |                      |    |
| 7.8 in.                                    | Normal, 51.1 in. | Deficiency, 43.3 in. |    |
| Hourly Temperatures.                       |                  |                      |    |
| 8 A. M.                                    | 69               | 9 A. M.              | 70 |
| 10 A. M.                                   | 72               | 11 A. M.             | 74 |
| 1 P. M.                                    | 77               | 2 P. M.              | 78 |
| 4 P. M.                                    | 75               | 6 P. M.              | 72 |
| 8 P. M.                                    | 68               | 10 P. M.             | 65 |
| 12 M.                                      | 63               | 1 A. M.              | 64 |
| 3 A. M.                                    | 65               | 5 A. M.              | 68 |

### Downpour Aids Corn.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Fairbury, Neb., Aug. 7.—Nearly four inches of rain has fallen in this section of Nebraska since Friday. Much of the corn blown down by the high wind of Saturday morning has straightened up.

### Chicago Baby Named 'Calvin.'

By International News Service. Chicago, Aug. 7.—At least one baby in the United States has already been named "Calvin" after President Calvin Coolidge and Chicago today was boasting as its birth place. The youngster is the infant son of Don M. Hawley and was born in the Evanston hospital.

### Krug Park Company Sued by Woman for Injuries

Mrs. Sebastian Nanfitt brought suit for \$20,000 against the Krug Park Amusement company in district court yesterday, alleging that when she was unable to produce tickets for herself and child on the merry-go-round July 17 a park employee pushed her so roughly from the riding device that she received a torn and wrenched shoulder and injuries to the back.