

Today

Money in Satchels. The 150,000 Light Bulb. Dangerous Pearls. By ARTHUR BRISBANE

These are days when money is distributed generously and mysteriously. Mr. Anderson, head of the Anti-Saloon league in New York, tells of 'mysterious Mr. King,' who called upon him, said he admired him and gave him \$25,000 in cash. But he doesn't know where Mr. King is, or who he really is, or whether he is still alive or not.

Now comes Mr. Doheny, one of the ablest business men of the country, who testified that he lent his old friend Mr. Fall \$100,000 which he gave him in cash in a suitcase, and Sinclair lent, or gave, Mr. Fall \$25,000 in bonds. "Easy money?" Yes, very.

Mr. Fall says, "I am a sick man." That is because he couldn't hire a doctor, apparently. One hundred thousand dollars in cash in a satchel that Mr. Doheny lent to Mr. Fall without taking his note or receipt, had nothing whatever to do with the fact that a few weeks later Mr. Fall, as secretary of the interior, member of President Harding's cabinet, leased 25,000 acres of oil lands in California to Mr. Doheny.

Mr. Doheny says he believes the company will make \$100,000,000 of profit out of that lease, which shows that he is a good business man. The next thing the United States needs a secretary of the interior it might hire Mr. Doheny. He knows how to make good bargains; more than can be said for some of our secretaries of the interior.

The General Electric company at its plant in East Orange, N. J., shows an electric bulb of 150,000 candlepower. The bulb, 22 inches high, produces heat so great—3,200 degrees—that it melts glass. It takes 30,000 watts to supply power. The bulb, it is said, has had idea under certain circumstances and certain administrations to install 200 or 300 such bulbs in the Department of the Interior, and keep them going night and day.

One good thing will come of the Teapot Dome scandal beyond question. Mr. Coolidge will see to it that the naval oil lands are restored to the navy and to the people of the United States that own them. Failure to do this would, of course, destroy Mr. Coolidge politically in 1924. But Mr. Coolidge isn't the sort of a man to let that particular transaction pass regardless of politics.

One young lady in Washington bought \$400,000 worth of black pearls, alleged to have belonged to the empress of Russia, brought here by a certain Prince Yusouffoff. "Let the buyer beware." The Russian government claims the crown jewels as the property of the Russian people, and of course, they are the property of the Russian people, having been taken out of them in taxes and blood, during the years of czarism. Title to such loot may be thin and doubtful.

The war cost this country \$11,000,000,000 lent to the allies, plus other billions practically given away to profiteers, shipbuilders, flying machine builders, etc.—plus heaven knows how many billions that the people paid in higher cost of living.

But the federal reserve bank reports that "the whole thing has been absorbed." It's all fixed. Our money is all right. For us, financially and otherwise, the war is past. This is a healthy country. Don't spoil it with any league of nations or world court folly.

It happens once in awhile, as Senator Capper tells you, in his weekly. Swindlers persuaded Dave Tapper of Iowa to buy some land in a Texas "town" to be built immediately. Tapper paid \$50 and got a deed. When he tired of paying taxes, his sister, Mrs. Hester Egbert, took the land and went on paying. Now, after 25 years an oil company has paid Mrs. Egbert \$10,000 for her land and one-eighth of all the oil the land produces. That "eight" pays her \$1,000 a month. The swindlers swindled themselves out of a fortune. But observe that Mrs. Egbert did not buy stock—she bought land, and Texas land at that. There is nothing like owning part of the earth.

Moore Dictator Coming—Frank Monahan, supreme dictator of the Loyal Order of Moose, will speak next Thursday night at 8 in Moose temple, Twenty-eighth and Farnam streets. Members of the order will attend from Council Bluffs and Fremont.

Bryan Is "Fogeyist," Modernists "Muddlers," Denver Bishop Says

Denver, Jan. 27.—The religious "fundamentalists" was characterized as a "fogeyist," and the "modernists" as "muddlers," by Rt. Rev. Fred Ingley, bishop coadjutor of the Episcopal church of Colorado, in an address today before the midwinter session of the Episcopal college students conference.

"The fundamentalist is a fogeyist because he denies the fact of evolution and the human element in the Bible," Bishop Ingley declared. "The modernist is a muddler because he has not, as yet, been able to decide what is essential and what is superficial in religion."

Noted Huntress Shows Films of Her Adventures

Lady MacKenzie Says Lion Is Most Dangerous of Jungle Beasts Which She Encountered.

Filming an angry lion while he attacks a woman and while he is being killed by the woman is a thrill that does not come very often, even in the life of a big game hunter in Africa, according to Lady Grace MacKenzie.

This noted huntress and world traveler, who is visiting here for a few days, gave a private screening of some of her thrilling motion pictures last evening at the home of E. John Brandeis. Among the few guests was I. S. Horne, head of the Horne Zoological and Arena corporation, importers of wild animals.

One of the interesting features of the pictures showed Lady MacKenzie dispatching an African lion after the brute had struck her on the shoulder and was about to kill one of her attendants. She has traversed much of the country covered by Theodore Roosevelt during his African hunts. She speaks the languages of the Swahilis, M'nuwezi, Wakamba, Kikuyu, Kavirondos and other tribes.

In this particular lion hunt, when she was injured on her left shoulder, she explained that her party had been out six weeks in quest of the king lion. Picturing the animals in their native haunts was her ambition, rather than killing them.

"It is the custom of lion hunters to put out bait," Lady MacKenzie explained. "On the eventful morning we discovered that the bait had been disturbed. So our natives beat bushes and presently came a large black-man specimen. My hunter shot the big fellow in a paw and that made him angry. He made a rush and brushed my shoulder. I should have said first that my cameraman told me to run when he saw the lion coming, but I decided to stand still and take my chances with my gun. After the lion brushed me he made for my hunter and was attacking him when I fired two shots. My cameraman kept on clicking, but I know he was almost unnerved."

Lion Most Dangerous. Lady MacKenzie believes the lion is the most dangerous of the wild beasts she has hunted. Roosevelt, in African travel and hunt books, places the lion first in his list of ferocious beasts which he hunted. On the next expedition of Lady MacKenzie, who will sail from San Francisco within a few weeks, Mr. Horne's company will have a representative whose work will be to obtain live wild animals for "zoos" and shows in this country.

Coolidge Asks Both Parties to Aid Cleanup

(Continued from Page One.) Just as soon as selections could be made.

The formal announcement follows: "It is my duty as president to determine criminal guilt or render judgment in several cases. That is the function of the courts. It is not for him to prejudice. I shall do neither. But when facts are revealed to me that require action for the purpose of insuring the enforcement of either civil or criminal laws, such action will be taken. This is in the province of the executive."

"Under my direction the Department of Justice has been observing the course of evidence which has been revealed at the hearings conducted by the senatorial committee investigating certain oil leases made on a naval reserve which, I believe, warrants action for the purpose of enforcing the law and protecting the rights of the public. This is confirmed by reports made to me from the committee. If there has been any crime it must be prosecuted. If there has been any property of the United States illegally transferred or leased it must be recovered."

"I feel the public is entitled to know that in the conduct of such actions no one is shielded for any party, political or other reasons. As I understand, men are involved who belong to both political parties, and having been advised by the Department of Justice that it is in accord with former precedents, I propose to employ special counsel of high rank drawn from both political parties to bring such actions for the enforcement of the law. Counsel will be instructed to present evidence in the courts so that if there is any guilt it will be punished; if there is any civil liability, it will be enforced; if there is any fraud it will be revealed and if there are any contracts which are illegal they will be canceled. Every law will be enforced and every right of the people and the government will be protected."

Auto Hits Switch Engine, Man Is Hurt

F. C. Cook, 2642 Avenue B, Council Bluffs, driving on Fourth avenue Saturday night, crashed into a North-western railroad switch engine at Fifteenth street late last night. His car was almost demolished and Cook was taken to Jennie Edmundson hospital with severe cuts on the face and neck.

E. Thorstensen, who was riding with Cook, was arrested and held on charges of intoxication.

Baptist Pastor Accused of "Affair" With Member of Flock Defended by Omaha Ministers Who Know Him

"He's a Prince," Says Rev. Mr. McNeill, Who Is Just Recently From Chicago.

Dr. Carl D. Case, pastor of the Oak Park Baptist church, Chicago, who is accused of misconduct with Mrs. Charlotte Leland by her husband, Albert R. Leland, deacon of the church, in divorce proceedings, is so fine a man he couldn't be anything else but guiltless, according to the Omaha pastors who know him.

"Carl D. Case is a prince among men," said Rev. W. F. McNeill, pastor of the Grace Baptist church, who knew him while in Chicago. "If anyone were to say that these charges were true I wouldn't believe it even if they had their hands on a stack of Bibles a mile high. Rev. Mr. Case is far above any possibility of such a charge. He is held in high esteem by everyone in Chicago who knows him."

Conviction Means Exclusion. If Rev. Mr. Case were found guilty of the charge of misconduct he would be expelled from the denomination and unfrocked, say the Omaha pastors of Baptist churches.

"Yes, if the accusations were true Rev. Mr. Case would have to be put out of the church," said Rev. Charles F. Heller, pastor of the Trinity Baptist church who knows Rev. Mr. Case intimately. "Rev. Mr. Case was my pastor at one time, when I was a layman many years ago in South Bend, Ind. The pastor was an exceptional man and a favorite wherever he would go. I am sure that he is not guilty of the charge made against him. Rev. Mr. Case is the type of man a faulty woman might misunderstand," explained Rev. Mr. Heller. "He is of very sympathetic nature. Although homely, Rev. Mr. Case makes a fine appearance because he is stately. He is about 55 years of age, is married and has several children. He has been pastor at Oak Park for the last four years. It is known as one of the richest churches in the nation. A new \$250,000 church was recently dedicated there."

Faithful Worker. "Yes, I am surprised to hear of the pastor being named as correspondent in the divorce suit," said Rev. Mr. Heller. "Rev. Mr. Case was chosen to preach the principal sermon at the next Baptist convention."

"It is a serious charge if proven true," said Rev. George Van Winkle, pastor of the Olivet Baptist church. "He would be expelled from the church by action of the local church and the Baptist conference might act upon the case. But I hardly think the charge can be true for Rev. Mr. Case is known in the church as a most faithful worker and a man of fine character."

Rev. A. A. DeLorme, pastor of the First Baptist church, declared that the Baptist church would stand by Rev. Mr. Case if the charges were unfounded. "If the case were founded upon fact and his guilt proven then, of course he would be put out of the church," said Rev. Mr. DeLorme.

Has Fine Record. Rev. Mr. Case has been prominent in Baptist church work for the last 20 years," said Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb, pastor of Calvary Baptist church. "He has a fine record. He has been on many denominational boards and has written for church periodicals. The church board has exonerated him of the charges, I believe. But if he was found guilty, Rev. Mr. Case would be asked to resign his pastorate and would no longer be a minister of the Baptist church. He only probably tried to administer to the woman's request for advice from her minister."

Rev. Ralph E. Bailey Urges Child Labor Law

"Over a million American children between 10 and 15 years of age are victims of child labor," said Rev. Ralph E. Bailey, at the First Unitarian church, in his Sunday morning sermon. "The right of these children to education and development must be championed and vindicated. 'Congress has tried without success to eliminate or control such child labor. It enacted in 1914 a federal statute prohibiting the shipment of interstate and foreign commerce of goods produced in mines or quarries in which children under 16 were employed, or in mills or manufacturing establishments in which child labor was used. This law being declared unconstitutional, congress enacted a tax upon the profits of all establishments employing children in violation of proper standards. This statute also has been declared unconstitutional. 'The only way to cope with the situation is by an amendment to the constitution. The proposed amendment, now before congress, has received the endorsement of leading religious and philanthropic bodies righteously. It is urgently needed. 'Aspirin users should also give Nebrin a trial. They will find Nebrin entirely free of the depressing action that is so objectionable in Aspirin. Nebrin is not expensive and can be obtained at all good druggists.—Advertisement."

Improvement Meet Tuesday. A meeting of the United Improvement clubs will be held in the council chambers of the city hall at 8 Tuesday night.

A neglected cough—The beginning of many a dangerous disease

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Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Leland and Rev. C. D. Case.

Albert R. Leland of Oak Park, Ill., one of the most fashionable of Chicago suburbs, has brought suit for divorce from Mrs. A. R. Leland, naming as correspondent their pastor, the Rev. Dr. Carl D. Case of the exclusive First Baptist church. A strange part of the case lies in the fact that Leland charges he carried love notes between his wife and the pastor, believing they related to church work, Leland and his wife being leading church workers.

Guilty Pleas of Drivers Follow One Conviction

Fines and Jail Terms Given Motorists Accused of Operating Vehicles While Intoxicated.

Conviction of George Kendall in district court at Council Bluffs on the charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated, was followed immediately by half a dozen pleas of guilt on that and other charges by defendants in other cases who were waiting to stand trial.

R. E. Coon, 1215 South Sixteenth street, and Jess Wolfkell, former chauffeur for Dr. Donald Macrae, both pleaded guilty to charges of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Wolfkell was given five months in the county jail, while sentence in the Coon case was deferred until March 13.

C. N. Peterson and William Rodenburg, entered pleas of not guilty on charges of maintaining liquor nuisances and paid fines of \$300 and \$500 respectively. A dozen other cases of this character still are pending in the court.

William Morris pleaded guilty to a burglary charge and was sentenced to 10 years at the Anamosa reformatory, while D. V. Stanforth, arrested on breaking and entering charges in connection with thefts from the Farmers Mercantile company, where he was employed, was given a 10-year sentence, but paroled to F. M. Winn.

Stanforth has an invalid wife and three children dependent upon him for support and leniency of the court was extended to him on this account, according to Frank E. Northrop, county attorney.

FINDS BURGLAR IN THE HOUSE

Go to your medicine chest, examine carefully the label of your favorite cold and headache remedy, and if you find that it contains Acetanilide, you have discovered a burglar, who is stealing from you years of precious life, who is slowly but surely robbing you of valuable health. Acetanilide is one of the most harmful drugs known; it deteriorates the blood, degenerates the heart, kidneys and liver, and often forms a habit. If you put any value whatsoever on your health, you should discontinue the use of cold and headache remedies containing Acetanilide. To obtain prompt and at the same time safe relief for a cold, headache, neuralgia, rheumatism or pain in general, get from your druggist a few Nebrin tablets, take one or two every two or three hours and you will always get safe and satisfactory results. Nebrin tablets do not depress the heart or form a habit, are free from Acetanilide or other harmful drugs, and are considered the safest cold and headache remedy and pain reliever obtainable. Aspirin users should also give Nebrin a trial. They will find Nebrin entirely free of the depressing action that is so objectionable in Aspirin. Nebrin is not expensive and can be obtained at all good druggists.—Advertisement."

Frank H. Myers Is Elected Head of Athletic Club

Members Willing to Pay \$50 Assessment and Put the Club Over, Says Secretary.

Frank H. Myers was elected president of the Omaha Athletic club at a meeting of the directors Saturday afternoon.

Leo R. Wilson was elected vice president; Thomas L. Davis, treasurer, and John C. Wharton, secretary. W. L. Stryker was elected a director to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Linn Campbell. "The members are rallying around," he said. "One woman who inherited her membership from a deceased relative telephoned that she will cheerfully pay her \$50 assessment and would donate another \$50 if it were asked."

"Raymond Young, a lawyer, who had resigned before the recent meeting, telephoned to cancel his resignation. He said he believes the new plan and rigid economy will bring the club to prosperity."

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South Dakota Primary Filings Over 200 Mark

Rampant Political Fever Due to Patchwork in Makeup of Tickets—Three Full Majority States.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 27.—Political fever is rampant this year in South Dakota as never before, officials in the secretary of state's office have declared on the strength of combined totals of primary candidacies filed through this office. More than 200 names are on the list, as compared with the 70 appearing at the 1922 general election, a figure believed to be the average.

This figure will be reduced only slightly by withdrawals prior to the election, the secretary believes. It includes candidates on all three of the major state political parties running for state and national offices and house and senate positions in joint legislative districts.

Three Full States. The figure was swelled chiefly owing to the existence for the first time of three full majority states of tickets—Republican, Democratic and Farmer-Labor. Its makeup has been cast into a further patchwork, first, by the injection of a complete minority slate and national slate by the fusion factions of Democratic and Farmer-Labor parties; second, by individual minority filings, and finally, by the independent column entries, headed by Senator Hiram Johnson and his list of presidential electors and delegates.

The 200-odd names entered through the secretary of state on the primary ballots fall far short of the actual total of candidates because in every case where a proposal candidate has no opposition, his name has been eliminated. Other names have been removed by the failure of candidates to qualify.

McAdoo Not Listed. An example of the latter type is that of Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, who was proposed as the majority republican candidate for vice president, but failed to forward his acceptance. William G. McAdoo will not appear as the majority Democratic proposal candidate for president, as he has no opposition, and the same applies to Carl Gundersen, proposed by the majority Republicans for governor.

Another confusing situation was caused by proposal of Emil Loricks of Arlington for superintendent of public instruction, both on the minority fusion ticket and that of the majority Farmer-Labor group. He qualified for the latter, but not the former position, but in the absence of opposition his name has been omitted in both cases. This all indicates the amount of detail involved in preparing the official ballots. According to the secretary of state, "if returns from county pedaling hours should be placed on a single sheet of paper, the same would have to be three yards long to include them all."

"Dream Girl" Goes Back to Grand Island

Miss Virginia Neigh, the "Dream Girl" of letters written by Robert Wollett and introduced during his recent trial in district court at Council Bluffs upon charges preferred by her, left Saturday for her home in Grand Island, Neb.

Wollett, who was convicted by a jury, will be sentenced by Judge Earl Peters next Wednesday. He could avert a penitentiary sentence by marrying the girl before judgment is pronounced, but his attorneys have indicated that he will accept sentence and appeal the case to the supreme court.

Two Small Boys Emulate Hero by "Bathing" Dishes

Influence of Fontenelle Hotel Proprietor Keenly Appreciated by Mother in This Iowa Home.

Inspired by the example of Eugene Eppley, proprietor of the Hotel Fontenelle, two small boys, Robert and Carlton Ranney, sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ranney of Sioux City, have been washing dishes industriously at their home ever since the first of the year. The story in The Omaha Sunday Bee about Mr. Eppley who had risen to a high position from that of a lowly dishwasher was read by the small boys in Sioux City who knew Mr. Eppley personally. They are the children of the niece of Gould Dietz and visited in Omaha during Ak-Sar-Ben festivities. Mr. Eppley entertained the boys while in Omaha and had also spent several vacations with them at their cottage at Lake Minnetonka, Minn. As small boys will do, they placed Mr. Eppley upon a pedestal and vowed that they would be just like him when they grew up.

Before the story concerning Mr. Eppley's career was published the mother of the boys declared that she couldn't get them to go near the dishpan. Now Mrs. Ranney is finding difficulty in keeping them away from the kitchen chores.

ORD—The Ord Dramatic club will present three short plays the last of this month at the opera house here. These will be the first public appearances of this new organization. The club plans to donate the proceeds toward buying a new stereopticon projector for the local high school.

Several Believed Dead

in St. Paul Apartment Fire. St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 27.—Several persons are believed by police and firemen to have met death and a score of tenants, mostly women, were injured early today in a fire at the Glendale apartments in the downtown section here.

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