

Today

Looks Like Coolidge. Avoid Short Selling. Kenyon—An American. Business Against Confiscation. By ARTHUR BRISBANE

Wherever the people express an opinion at the primaries, it looks very much like Coolidge for republican presidential candidate. The people evidently are convinced that Coolidge had nothing whatever to do with Teapot Dome.

Public opinion hits truth automatically. You have been warned here about selling French francs short. If you took that advice you have saved money. They went up again yesterday violently, rising from 3.87, Tuesday's close, to 4.19, yesterday's close.

Be careful how you sell francs short and be careful how you buy European bonds. Invest your money in United States optimism and you will come out right in the end.

Former Senator Kenyon of Iowa may be secretary of the navy. He is strong, a genuine American, honest, able, thinks as an American, and would look upon the American navy as a distinctly American institution with no European attachments.

A man of open mind, able to realize the importance of flying machines in modern war, he wouldn't be controlled by officers past 50 that hate to give up the flummery and comfort of the quarter deck.

A high and learned court says that when the people try to force a gas company to sell gas for \$1 a thousand feet that is confiscatory. What is it when the gas company makes the people pay \$1.50 or \$2 for gas?

When the people pay too little, that is "confiscation." When a corporation wants to grab too much, that's just "legitimate business."

You have heard from the man that doesn't want to pay income tax, the other man hates the inheritance tax, all the complainers. What do you think of Wesley Jordan, 75 years old, farmer, just dead at Lancaster, O. His will, expressing gratitude for happiness and liberty enjoyed under the stars and stripes, orders his executors to sell his property for cash. After paying his funeral expenses, all the rest—about \$16,000—goes to the treasury of the United States.

The house of representatives has approved the plan to let Henry Ford develop Muscle Shoals. People in the south are celebrating with bonfires.

Next will come action by the senate. Every farmer in the United States is interested in the proposition. Senators, thinking they can afford to vote against it because "it is a long time before election," will find that this particular thing will not be forgotten.

If you are an upstanding, red-blooded, 100 per cent American, you will have something to live for.

Dempsey will fight Firpo again in New York on next Labor day. Of course, if Firpo is beaten by anybody else in the meanwhile, such as Mr. Gibbons, white man from the northwest, or Mr. Willis, black man from the south, Mr. Dempsey would feel in honor bound to fight the winner.

Nobody, it seems, feels particularly anxious to fight Mr. Willis. The objection is not so much to the objectionable color of the skin as to the vicious character of his right and left fists—so the experts say.

Have you friends that gambled in Sinclair Oil on "sure tips?" Tell them this.

It wasn't the Sinclair Oil company that got the navy oil lands, Mr. Sinclair got those leases, and formed a special company to hold them. The Sinclair Oil company didn't have any interest in the naval reserves at all. Later on one-quarter interest in the naval reserves was sold to the Sinclair company, and that's all that company has got now.

Gentlemen that bought in haste to repent at leisure, will please notice that a stock market gambling tip is usually dangerous and often ridiculous.

49 Gallons Whisky Sold by One Store

One drug store in Council Bluffs dispensed 49 gallons and nine pints of bonded whisky on prescription for medicinal purposes during the months of January and February, according to report to the revenue department at the federal building in Council Bluffs. Another drug store at McClelland, Ia., dispensed five gallons during the same period.

Bankruptcy Petitions.

Three petitions in voluntary bankruptcy were filed yesterday in Council Bluffs federal court. Petitioners are: Ida M. Williams, Portsmouth, Ia., who lists her liabilities at \$22,355.90, and her assets at \$20,000; Robert Williams, also of Portsmouth, with liabilities of \$23,630.50, and assets of \$3,700; and Eva C. Posman of Shelby, Ia., with liabilities of \$13,775.50, and no assets.

Wolbach Woman Dies Here.

Mrs. Luthera Bailey, 77, wife of Erwin Bailey of Wolbach, Neb., died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Foye, 3529 Binney street. She is survived by the husband, four daughters and one son.

Rosenthal Meeting.

Boosters for Leo Rosenthal, candidate for city commissioner, will stage a meeting Monday night at the Lyric building. Several good speakers have been secured.

Escaped Man Visited Omaha During Search

Convicted Forger Returned to City While Sheriff Sought Him All Over Country.

Barton K. Edwards, 31, convicted forger, who was brought back to the Donkey, from Denver Wednesday, declared that he was in Omaha six weeks ago.

County jail officers have been searching all over the country since he escaped December 18, 1923. "I was brought here by a certain newspaper man to make an affidavit regarding Jallor Joe Sherry," declared Edwards. "He paid my way here and out again. I don't know his name but I'd know him if I saw him."

Edwards declared freely his spectacular career in Denver during his freedom, when he "bought" an interest in the Mutual Motor company and made an inspection speech to the company's 20 employees.

"Honesty Pays Big." "I told them to use sincerity in dealing with customers," said Edwards. "Many automobile salesmen will promise anything to make a sale. That isn't right. Honesty in business pays big."

"I put in a new system. Instead of having any salesman take on a prospect, who came on the sales floor, I had one man of good personality assigned to greet all visitors at the door. Then he turned them over in rotation to the salesman who explained the cars."

Keep New System "When I was arrested the other officials called it an outrage. They believed me innocent. But I told them the truth. I advised them, however, to keep the new system I had installed there during my week of connection with the firm. And they said they would."

Edwards said he cannot account for his crimes. "I get terrible pains in my head starting at the base of the neck and working to the temples and then I know I am gone," he said. "After they go away, I am tortured with remorse."

Working Mothers May Check Babies

Employed mothers in Council Bluffs may check their babies during working hours every day at the Creche on East Pierce street, where a day nursery has been established, according to Mrs. Lillian Hargens. A small fee is charged, but competent nurses are in charge and the children are given the best of care.

Establishment of a home for working girls, replacing the one abandoned by the Y. W. C. A. when that institution suspended operations in the community, is being considered by Creche women. Mrs. Rose Elliott, former matron at the detention hospital, probably would be placed in charge of the home.

Top Price for Feeder Cattle

P. S. Holtzner of Kearney paid the highest price of the season for cattle to be taken back to the country for finishing, when he purchased 83 head of Hereford steers, averaging 1,179 pounds, at the local yards Tuesday. The stock was marketed by T. G. Dinndale, feeder stockman from Palmer.

Many shippers predict an unusually heavy run of cattle for the balance of the month. Feeders in the corn belt region at present are overstocked and are anxious to get rid of their surplus cattle, to make way for grazing of yearlings this spring.

Coolidge Club Organized.

Coolidge club has been formed in Cherry county with Luke M. Bates as chairman, according to information received by Harry S. Byrne, chairman of the Coolidge league of Nebraska.

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Shrine Dignitaries in Omaha



Above, left to right: Earl C. Mills of Des Moines, imperial captain of the guards; Conrad V. Dykeman of Brooklyn, imperial potentate of the Shrine in North America. Below, left to right: James C. Burger of Denver, imperial chief rabban, and Charles D. Symms, past potentate of Elriad temple, Sioux Falls, S. D.

\$1,900 Insurance Bonus Maximum

\$1,400 Would Be Top Value of Policy for Home Duty Yanks.

Washington, March 12.—The soldier bonus bill providing for paid-up 20-year endowment policies was given the finishing touches today by the sub-committee of the house ways and means committee which yesterday agreed on details of the insurance provision. Chairman Green planned to get final action by the whole committee on the measure before tonight and said he would seek to bring it before the house for a vote Monday.

The insurance policies provided for in the bill are based on \$1 for each day of home service and \$1.25 a day for over seas service, plus 25 per cent of this total and interest compounded at 4 per cent for 20 years. The maximum of the policies, under this scheme, would total \$1,400 for veterans who served full time in the United States and \$1,900 for those who spent the maximum time over seas.

Cost of the bonus under the bill's plan was estimated at approximately \$2,000,000,000 with \$90,000,000 the maximum expenditure in any one year. Dependents of veterans who have died since the war would be eligible to receive payments on the basis of \$1 a day for home and \$1.25 a day for over seas service. These payments would be made in ten annual installments. Veterans not entitled to more than \$50 would be paid in cash.

Raid Honey Creek Pool Hall.

Ray Pruitt and Jack Coulter, proprietors of a pool hall at Honey Creek, Ia., were arrested Wednesday

Shrine Charities Aid Citizenship

Imperial Potentate in Omaha Discusses Work of Order Among Less Fortunate.

"The salvation of our republic lies in the grouping of a million underprivileged boys into clubs which will teach them the meaning of citizenship in our free institutions and acquaint them with the opportunities for the lad who conducts himself in an upright manner."

This statement was made by Conrad V. Dykeman of Brooklyn, imperial potentate of the Shrine in North America, who was in Omaha Thursday to inspect the work of Tangier temple, and who spoke on the "Under-Privileged Boy" at the Chamber of Commerce Thursday noon.

Conducting clubs in sections where the largest number of less fortunate boys live, is a movement which is now growing, Dykeman said. "The Shrine is conducting the greatest fraternal charity in the world," he said. "It is spending \$1,500,000 a year in maintenance of hospitals and building new ones."

Four hospitals are now in operation in San Francisco, Portland, Shreveport and Minneapolis. On June 1 another hospital is to be dedicated at St. Louis, and four more are being constructed in Chicago, Philadelphia, Montreal and Springfield, Mass.

Dykeman was noncommittal concerning activities of the Ku Klux Klan. Although he declined to express opinion on business conditions generally, he said that in his extensive travels he could see no need for alarm.

ExGovernors at Aldrich Rites

Superior, Neb., March 13—More than 400 persons, among them prominent men of Nebraska, attended the funeral services for Chester H. Aldrich, supreme court justice and former governor of Nebraska, who died Monday, that were held here this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of his son, George S. Aldrich.

Men from his old home, David City, were present. Former Governors A. C. Shallenberger, J. H. Mophead, Keith Neville and Samuel McKelvie, all state officers, supreme court judges, district court judges of Lancaster county, and Judge W. A. Redick of Omaha, acted as honorary pallbearers. The following citizens of Superior were the active pallbearers: Jack Hedberg, A. B. Hanna, E. Rossemeyer, Jr., E. D. Moldahn, Peter Johnson and Joseph E. Weir. Adam McMullen of Beatrice, William Cordon of York, W. T. Thompson and W. H. Prince of Grand Island were also present. Flowers from all points in the state were sent to the home.

Rev. W. H. Aitken of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church officiated at the services. He was assisted by Rev. Earl Bowen of the Methodist church of Superior. The body was placed in the mausoleum at the Superior cemetery built by the son, whose wife died a short time ago. Later the burial will be in Wyuka cemetery at Lincoln.

An old pair of cape or mocha gloves worn while whispering will prevent the hands from blistering.

Relief Fund Tops \$10,000

Three Omaha Committees at Work to Aid Starving German Children.

The fund for the relief of starving German children passed the \$10,000 mark Wednesday. Three committees have now been organized and are functioning satisfactorily, according to Frank B. Johnson, chairman of the committee. Persons desiring to contribute may send their checks to Fred W. Thomas, First National bank, who is treasurer of the campaign.

Children Starving. "When children are dying of starvation we don't argue or ask questions," said Chairman Johnson. "According to authentic and certified statements from Gen. Henry T. Allen, who directed the United States army of occupation in Germany, 7,000,000 German children are starving. Unless aid comes immediately thousands of these children will die and thousands will suffer the rest of their lives because of undernourishment while babies."

"Omaha has always been high in the front rank to aid those in distress. I feel confident that the people of Omaha will not fail in this crisis. This campaign will do more to show that our expressions for world-wide good-will are genuine and sincere than any move or program yet carried out."

Large Contributions. Following are some of the larger contributions which already have been tabulated: \$1,000—Iron Biscuit company, Frank B. Johnson, Dr. A. F. Jones, Paxton-Gallagher Union stockards company. \$500—Carleton Paper company, Carl R. Olson, P. J. Hamilton, Sheridan Coal company, N. B. Udick. \$100—Dr. H. Gifford, Ed Peterson, Joe Swenson. \$100—H. M. Adams, Dr. James M. Patton. \$100—Harley Conant, Kirschbraun & Sons, C. T. Kountze.

Bankrupt Plea for Master Sales

Petition in voluntary bankruptcy was filed Thursday in federal court for the Master Sales company, 101 South Tenth street.

The petition lists the assets of the concern at \$215,239.37 and its liabilities at \$156,567.50. Nearly 200 creditors are listed in the petition. Carl Kalleman has been receiver since the removal of Mose Miller as president.

Spring Opening Set for Monday

Omaha's downtown retail stores will hold their spring opening March 17, according to announcement by J. W. Metcalfe, secretary of the Associated Retailers.

Spring opening of the Burgess-Nash company was held last Monday, the announcement says, but the displays will be continued through next week. All the latest styles in all varieties of merchandise will be on display in show windows.

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Gabler Upright	\$125.00
Behning Upright	\$175.00
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Conover Upright	\$225.00
Artemis Player	\$298.00
Werner Player	\$345.00
Chickering Grand	\$350.00

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