

The Boy in Church.

Let me take your hand in mine, my boy,
 Be fair or foul the weather;
 Our arms and our hearts entwined, my boy—
 Go to God's house together.
 Let our voices join in praise, my boy,
 For His kind watch care o'er us,
 His help we'll ask in days, my boy,
 That may stretch out before us.

Let us read God's word today, my boy,
 And catch its inward meaning,
 Let us walk the upward way, my boy,
 Its fullest riches gleaming.
 God is our strength and our guide, my boy,
 What o'er of grief betide us,
 If we in His love abide, my boy,
 We'll find Him there beside us.

The church bells sound on the air, my boy,
 God's praises loudly ringing,
 Your place, and mine, is there, my boy,
 Anthems to His name singing.
 So side by side let us go, my boy,
 Be fair or foul the weather;
 And side by side, bowing low, my boy,
 Give thanks to God together!

—WILL M. MAUPIN.



Witness Says Solon Spoke About 'Fixing'

Former Employee of Oil Magnate Tells Senate Committee Montanan Took Fee.

Washington, April 26.—H. E. Glosser, formerly employed in the office of Gordon Campbell, the Montana oil operator indicted with Senator Wheeler, testified today before the senate committee investigating the indictment that in January, 1922, he heard a conversation between Campbell and Wheeler in which there was talk of getting the former's oil permits "fixed up" in Washington.

The witness said he had testified to this incident before the Montana grand jury which returned the indictments. In the measure Wheeler is charged with accepting a fee for appearing before the Interior department in land cases for Campbell, who was his client in litigation in the Montana courts.

The conference referred to was held in a Great Falls hotel room, Glosser said, and Campbell came up in the freight elevator because he had a law suit pending and had been advised not to put in an appearance at Great Falls.

When Senator Sterling asked about any conversation Glosser had with Campbell about Senator Wheeler's employment, Chairman Borah objected unless Senator Wheeler were present. The question went unanswered.

The South Dakota senator took up the question Campbell made to Wheeler. Glosser said there were two checks for \$3,000 each.

"This \$3,000 was one check was for \$3,000," said Senator Swann, democratic, Virginia, reading from one of the two sworn statements Glosser said he had made for Blair Conn, an employe of George B. Lockwood, secretary of the republican national committee.

"Yes, that was in error, as I learned when I went before the grand jury," Glosser said.

"Was anything said about Mr. Wheeler's appointment as an attorney?" asked Chairman Borah.

"Oh yes, he was there trying a law suit then. We discussed the law suits and Mr. Campbell's business generally. We discussed also Mr. Campbell's land permits.

"Did you discuss with Mr. Wheeler the scope of his employment?"

"No sir, I took it for granted that he represented Mr. Campbell generally. I knew the terms of Mr. Wheeler's employment, but I never talked it over with him," Glosser said.

Senator Borah read from the second affidavit which said Glosser got Senator Wheeler and Campbell "together" at a Great Falls hotel. A Mr. Jibea also was present.

Glosser said he had first discussed Wheeler's employment with James Watson in Great Falls on the evening of the day he first met Conn.

"How did you come to discuss it?" asked Senator Borah.

"Jim Watson told me there were some people out from Washington who wanted to know about Senator Wheeler's employment."

State Democrats Meet Here Thursday

The democratic state convention is scheduled to open at 1 Thursday afternoon, May 1, in the Omaha Municipal auditorium.

About 1,000 delegates are to attend, of which 143 will be from Douglas county. A number of these delegates will be women.

Gilbert M. Hiltchcock will be temporary chairman of the convention and will make the keynote speech. Other speakers will be Governor Bryan and John J. Thomas of Newark, Neb., democratic nominees for the senate.

Business of the convention will be to nominate eight presidential electors, write a platform and select a state central committee.

"The convention will be a harmonious one," declared Arthur Mullen, former democratic national committeeman from Nebraska. "There will be no contests."

WEBSTER FILES FOR PRESIDENT

Charleston, W. Va., April 26.—William Grant Webster of New York today filed official declaration of his candidacy for the republican nomination as president with the secretary of state. A note accompanying the declaration said Webster was a candidate for vice president in the primaries of six states at the last election and carried North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska and Indiana, but lost Oregon.

Although tomorrow is the last day for filing declarations in West Virginia, those of Webster and President Coolidge are the only ones in either party for presidential preferences.

3 VESSELS BURN IN HUDSON RIVER

New York, April 26.—The excursion steambot Grand Republic and two other vessels were totally destroyed in a spectacular fire early today which attracted 25,000 persons to the shore of the Hudson river off One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street.

Thirty employes of the McAllister Steamship company, which owned the vessels, were asleep in the Grand Republic and were aroused by the honking of automobiles on Riverside drive. Five were severely burned before they were rescued.

The Grand Republic was a sister ship of the General Steam which was burned in the East river 20 years ago with a loss of 1,000 lives.

New Church Plans.

The plans for the proposed addition to the Lowe Avenue church building will be presented for discussion and approval or disapproval at the meeting on Sabbath morning at 11.

Dahlman to Be Honored Today

Day Set Aside When Friends May Greet Him—Sup-porters Issue Statement.

Today is Mayor Dahlman day at the headquarters of the Square Six, and the occasion is expected to bring forth scores of the mayor's friends. A statement outlining the mayor's special fitness for reelection and issued by headquarters follows:

"In the 15 years of James C. Dahlman's service as mayor of Omaha, not a single progressive measure has been undertaken in the city, when he was in office, without his support.

"The present City Planning board, which has done so much to guarantee the future of Omaha as a city of good home life and orderly development, is due directly to Mayor Dahlman.

"Started Welfare Board.

"By enlisting the assistance of Rabbi Frederick Cohn, the mayor secured the organization of the welfare board.

"Every ordinance that has been passed for cheaper rates in public service has had the vote of Mayor Dahlman.

"The mayor is responsible for the modern health department, present sanitary conditions, and the policy of 'clean-up days.'

"For many years the mayor has had charge of the public library. Un-

der his administration three branch libraries have been established with out an increase in appropriation.

Motivated Fire Department.

"The mayor and Commissioner Hummel are largely responsible for the reorganization of the Omaha fire department at a time when it was bitterly opposed.

"During all the years of his public life he has, in the departments under his control, always retained those who were efficient, and never has discharged an efficient assistant for political gain.

"While the mayor has been distinguished by his loyalty to his friends, he has not protected them in wrong doing. The mayor and city clerk, Hoeske, had always been great friends, but when a shortage was found in Hoeske's accounts the mayor did not hesitate to file criminal charges against him.

Honesty Never Questioned.

"In spite of all the political campaigns the mayor has been through and in spite of hired detectives that, from time to time, have investigated him, no one has ever dared to make a public charge that the mayor has ever taken a dollar other than his salary in return for public service.

"His freedom from prejudice is striking. His equal consideration for all classes is in constant evidence. His peculiar qualifications for the post of mayor have been such that no council of which he has been a member has ever questioned his right to that position.

Dahlman Leads Parade.—The campaign to inform Omahans of the advantages of the citizens' military training camps is to close today with a parade led by Mayor Dahlman, General Duncan and Colonel Easton.

Experts' Scheme May Be Delayed

British and Belgians Accept Proposals for Immediate Application.

Paris, April 25.—The reparations commissioners, making their first informal comparison today of the allied replies concerning the experts' plan, found these answers somewhat divergent, but offering hope that an agreement would be ultimately reached. The British and Belgians accept the experts' proposals on the whole for immediate application, but the French appear to consider it necessary for the various governments to pass on the reparations commission's decision after they are made.

It is understood that the French reply, in its present form, is regarded as unacceptable to the British government and as requiring negotiations. Consequently it is thought around the commission headquarters that the speed with which action on the experts' report has been taken thus far will not be kept up.

The members of the commission decided informally that Sir John Bradbury and Louis Edithou, their president, should confer with representative financiers of the countries likely to participate in the supplying of capital of the new German gold bank.

They will begin tomorrow with J. P. Morgan, who arrived opportunely in Paris, not knowing beforehand that he was to be consulted while here.

A forecast of the Italian reply from a well informed quarter indicates it is fully in line with the Belgian and British responses.

SLAYER'S FAMILY ASKS PROTECTION

Chicago, April 26.—Relatives of Wanda Elaine Stopa, former inhabitant of Chicago and killer of Henry Manning, caretaker at the Palos Park home of Y. Kenley Smith, who took her life in a Detroit hotel late yesterday, today appeared at the state attorney's office and asked protection.

Relatives claimed Vladimir Glas-koff, the dead girl's husband, had threatened to kill the whole family.



The First Glance

WHEN you are introduced to a person, that person's eyes instantly try to find yours. That is natural, and because it is natural—it is usual and inevitable. The first glance goes—not to the feet, the hands or the hair, but—to the eyes.

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CLYDE STUNTZ TO PREACH SUNDAY

Clyde C. Stuntz, Methodist missionary of India and son of Homer C. Stuntz, bishop of the Methodist church, Nebraska area, will occupy the pulpit at Grace M. E. church this morning. He will appear under the auspices of the Women's Foreign Missionary society.



What Louise Jansen Wylie, head of the Vocal Department, University of Omaha, says about "The Steinway."

"For some time past I have had a Steinway in my studio. The instrument is so beautiful and satisfying in every respect that I have purchased one for my home. To be accompanied on a Steinway with its sweet, beautiful tones, is in itself an inspiration. There is no greater joy in being the possessor of so magnificent an instrument, in addition to the knowledge that one can always rely upon the truthness and accuracy of the instrument when teaching."

(Signed.) MRS. LOUISE JANSEN WYLIE.

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Thompson-Belden's special umbrella for sun or rain. Black with ball tips and amber tops; a larger assortment of handles.

STREET FLOOR

\$6.95 **\$6.95**

Sorosis Shoes

Broken lines of shoes from our regular stock of Sorosis fine footwear. A number of pairs, all higher priced footwear, grouped for Month-End Sale at \$6.95.

Tan Suede Beaver Suede
 Brown Suede Black Suede

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Specials in Hosiery

Odds and ends of pure thread silk hose, silk to the top, in black and light shades. Greatly reduced, pair... **\$1.95**

A special service silk hose that comes in all popular shades is made with hile top and sole. Pair... **\$1.50**

Children's fine ribbed cotton hose in black and brown. A splendid wearing hose priced at, pair... **25c**

Children's half and three-quarter length sox in all the newer shades that little people are wearing. Pair... **50c**

STREET FLOOR

Wire Lamp Frames

Boudoir lamp frames in a wide variety of shapes... **35c**

Wire frames for bridge and junior lamps in oval and round shapes, either plain or scalloped above the edge... **\$1.00**

SECOND FLOOR

Broken Lines of Corsets

Odd corsets that we find in our stock at the present time. All are reasonable garments which may be purchased these three days at about half price. Fitted if you desire.

SECOND FLOOR

Fine Furs Reduced for these three days

Chokers \$29.75
Jacquettes \$59.75

Walnut Fox White Coney
 Golden Brown Fox Beige Coney
 Stone Marten Beige Caracul

Chokers \$14.75
Chokers \$59.75

Natural Dark Squirrel Hudson Bay Sable
 Platinum and Blue Fox Stone Marten, two skins
 Brown and Kit Fox Dyed White Foxes

Fur Coats 20% to 50% Less

Hudson Seal with Natural Squirrel, 48-inch length... **\$325**

Very fine Mole with Fox collar, 48-inch length... **\$295**

Hudson Seal, sample coat, 48-inch, length... **\$275**

Marmot coats, 48-inch length, reduced to... **\$125**

Natural Dark Raccoon, 45-inch, length... **\$250**

Cocoa Caracul, 48-inch length, reduced to... **\$195**

Every piece of fur in stock reduced. Free summer storage on purchases.

THIRD FLOOR

New Silks

Reduced from regular prices for the Month-End Sale.

Wild Flower Crepe \$1.29

An entirely new creation of artificial silk—a novelty self-toned weave in tan, jade, copperas and dark brown. 36-inch width. Yard, \$1.29.

Trico Plaid \$1.29

A flat-surfaced, self-toned weave of artificial silk with small plaid effect. Exceptionally attractive and very serviceable. Yellow, Kashan blue, fog, Madonna blue, seal brown. Reduced to, yard, \$1.29.

STREET FLOOR

Summer Apron Frocks
\$1.49

Square-necked and short-sleeved, these apron frocks of gingham are comfortably cool for summer wear. Striped or checked; all regular sizes.

SECOND FLOOR

Spring Hats

Colorful straws and straw with silk; attractive spring hats from regular stock that we reduce for the Month-End Sale.

Black with white Flowed trimmed
 Black with yellow Ribbon trimmed
 Hats for all occasions

FOURTH FLOOR

Toilet Goods Specials

Colgate's big bath soap... **8c** Johnson's talcum powder... **19c**

Hughes' "Ideal" hair brush No. 66, double bristle... **\$1.39**

Extra large bottle Colgate's toilet water... **89c** Luxor cold cream, jar... **39c**

To each purchaser in our section of toilet goods, we will give a dainty package of very usable samples.

STREET FLOOR

Knit Underwear

Vests Bloomers
 3 for 50c Pair 69c

Fine cotton vests with built-up straps, white, 19c each. Cotton jersey in white or flesh. Reduced to 69c.

STREET FLOOR

Initialed Handkerchiefs
6 for \$1.00

Dainty white handkerchiefs, very specially priced. Mothers find it practical to buy initialed handkerchiefs for children.

STREET FLOOR

Charge purchases made the last three days of the month will not appear on April statements.

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There are many other Month-End values throughout the store; some of them in quantities too small to advertise.

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