

Hot Session of Congress in Prospect

Assembly Gathers With Blood in Eye Following Ousting of Insurgents by Republicans.

Split in Ranks Widens

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Washington, Nov. 29.—The 68th congress will convene for its final session Monday with blood in its eye and trouble brewing.

Instead of the drab, colorless, routine session that has generally been expected, it now appears there is going to be action aplenty in the three months of life that are left to the turbulent 68th congress.

The action of the republican senatorial conference in reading out of the party four of its members, La Follette of Wisconsin, Brookhart of Iowa, Frazier and Ladd of North Dakota, has changed the whole aspect of the session. Little else was talked about on the hill today.

The republicans are badly divided. The chasm that has always existed between the regular and the so-called progressive wings of the party has been widened perceptibly in the last 48 hours because of the unlooked-for and drastic action of the younger old guardmen in "disciplining" the insurgents.

Warm Words Exchanged

Warm words were exchanged in the conference that witnessed the ouster resolution. Warm words were spoken about the capitol today by those for and against the action taken. Still warmer words may be looked for once the senate actually gets going.

Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, whose independence of party ties is axiomatic around the capitol, is preparing to speak his mind about expelling the insurgents. So is Senator Norris of Nebraska, who votes often with the insurgents but who is not a member of the administration. Senator Ladd, one of those barred from future party conferences, is writing his speech in defense. And there is little doubt that La Follette himself will be heard from when he returns from his native Wisconsin.

The question that was everywhere asked today and nowhere answered was:

What retaliatory action will be taken by the ousted insurgents? Will they combine with the democrats to confound the administration, which through Senator Butler, the White House spokesman, endorsed the spanking administered to them?

By combining with the democrats, as they did often last session, the insurgents are in a position to make things exceedingly embarrassing for the administration. They might even force President Coolidge to call an extra session of the 69th congress after March 4, which he is exceeding loath to do. The progressive group of senators like Borah want it done.

La Follette Holds Answer

La Follette himself appeared tonight to hold the answer. He declined in his home at Madison today to state what his course of action would be. Senator Brookhart was not in the capital. Ladd and Frazier were unwillingly continuing to act independently of "machine dictation." La Follette will be here next week.

Criticism and commendation continued to pour in today concerning the action of the republican conference. (Turn to Page Seven, Column Eight.)

BIG LIVESTOCK SHOW IS OPENED

Chicago, Nov. 29.—The elite of the stock world in record-breaking numbers gathered here today for the opening of the international livestock exposition, in which entries have been made by breeders from every state, Canada, Europe and South America.

Upward of 11,500 cattle, horses, hogs and sheep were in stalls being groomed for the various contests which begin Monday morning. Entries in the car lot classes reached the record total of 254, with breeders interest center in the fat cattle competing for the grand championship of the car lot division.

Lipton Finds Skipper for New Yacht in Jail

Toronto, Nov. 29.—Sir Thomas Lipton went to the jail farm today and after a chat with Amelia Jarvis, sr., a prisoner there, announced he had found the man to command the Lipton yacht, which in 1926 will challenge America to defend the America's cup in another of the classic races off Sandy Hook.

Jarvis is a noted Canadian yachtsman and an old enemy of Sir Thomas. He is serving six months for conspiracy to defraud the province in a sale of bonds.

For two hours the famous tea merchant and the prisoner enjoyed each other's company. Sir Thomas made positive announcement afterward that he would challenge America's hold on the international trophy in 1926 and that he had Jarvis' promise to serve as skipper on the challenger.

His Thomas said nothing could convince him that his old friend Jarvis was guilty of the offense for which he was serving time.

Society Dazed at Elopement.



MRS. LEONARD KIP RHINELANDER

Leonard Kip Rhinelander, 23, son of one of America's oldest and richest families, is suing his bride, formerly Alice Beatrice Jones, daughter of a former bank driver, who is West Indian, for divorce. He charges fraud.

Mrs. Rhinelander is suing her husband's aristocratic father for \$500,000, charging alienation of affections. The marriage of the couple exploded a bombshell in social circles of New York and Newport.

Star Program for Roads Gets Wide Approval

Greater Omaha Committee Is Told That Favorable Legislative Action May Be Expected.

The state-wide good roads program, as outlined by the Nebraska Good Roads association, is meeting with popular approval in all parts of the state, officials of the association advised the Greater Omaha committee yesterday.

Peter Clement, field agent of the association, in his report to B. F. George of Lincoln, who is secretary, reported that senators and representatives in outlying counties realize that the good roads program is a selfish move on the part of interests in Omaha and Lincoln, but a state-wide civic project.

Mr. Clement's reports are very encouraging, according to Mr. George, who is a veteran good roads enthusiast. He and the president, W. H. Blakeman of Norfolk, are working in close cooperation with T. C. Byrne, chairman of the good roads committee of the Greater Omaha committee.

"I feel confident that our good roads program will meet with the approval of the coming legislature," said Mr. George. "The program will bring good roads to nearly all parts of the state and all of the state will reap the benefits. Because of the condition of Nebraska's roads this state is losing many thousands of dollars annually because tourists are going by the way of Missouri and Kansas City."

Following is the good roads program as being sponsored by the Greater Omaha committee and the Nebraska Good Roads association: state highway commission to have charge of the improvement and maintenance of all state highways.

A 2-cent gasoline tax, this tax to be collected at the point of inspection. Appropriation by the state legislature of all funds necessary to meet government funds, apportioned to Nebraska under the federal aid road act.

A division of all funds accruing under the state automobile license law to the various counties of the state to be apportioned 50 per cent for improvement of state highways and 50 per cent for the improvement of secondary roads under county supervision.

The state good roads program has been endorsed not only by the Greater Omaha committee but also by the Chamber of Commerce, the Omaha Real Estate board and many civic organizations in the state.

Married in Council Bluffs.

The following persons obtained marriage licenses in Council Bluffs yesterday: McKinley Sanders, Lincoln, Neb., 24; Edna Taylor, Lincoln, Neb., 21; N. Edwards, Denver, Colo., 24; Clara Andrew Lawson, Lincoln, Neb., 23; Ralph E. Wilson, Omaha, Neb., 21; Helen Ryba, Columbus, Neb., 21; Jessa Boyce, Lincoln, Neb., 22; Marie M. Porter, Omaha, Neb., 24; John Lees, Lincoln, Neb., 24; Marie Walters, Lincoln, Neb., 24; Hugh Barton, Ravenna, Neb., 21; Karen Larsen, Loup City, Neb., 21; William Henry Klasmich, Omaha, 20; Rose Fields, Omaha, 21; Elmer Strandberg, Lincoln, Neb., 21; Doris Wright, Lincoln, Neb., 21; Ruth A. Gilgren, Omaha, Neb., 21; Annette Rose, Omaha, 19; Fred H. Barkhardt, Peoria, Neb., 21; Elmer E. O'Brien, Council Bluffs, 21; James N. Farhart, Omaha, 21; Clara Wilkins, Omaha, 24; Anne Norton, Omaha, 21; Richard Smith, Omaha, 26; Marie Hilda Pappanau, Omaha, 26; Ralph F. Anderson, Omaha, 25; Edna League, Council Bluffs, 25; Edward Jason Dunn, Omaha, 21; Marie Hilda Pappanau, Omaha, 26; Ralph F. Anderson, Omaha, 25; Roy Fuhrer, Omaha, 21; Frances E. Howard, Council Bluffs, 25; Harold Hest, Council Bluffs, 25; Elizabeth L. Williams, Council Bluffs, 25; R. A. Crumbliss, Omaha, 25; Guy W. Gordon, Geneva, Neb., 24; Hazel B. Chiseg, Chadron, Neb., 24; Rose Irwin, Omaha, 21.

Archbishop Harty to Lay Cornerstone of St. Peter Church

Services Dedicating the New Building Will Be Held at 3 Sunday—Sermon in Old Edifice.

Archbishop J. J. Harty will lay the cornerstone of the new St. Peter church at Twenty-seventh and Leavenworth streets at 3 Sunday afternoon.

The archbishop will spread the first mortar with a silver trowel while Omaha clergymen offer prayers and sing psalms. Among those who will participate in the singing are: Revs. P. F. Flanagan, J. C. Buckley, P. F. Cooney, Edward P. Anderson, Thomas A. Egan, John Hallinan, R. Sine, Steven L. Doud, P. C. Ganon, James Aherne, Timothy Dricoll, P. J. Judge, J. F. McCarthy, A. S. Kluthe, P. Morgan.

Rev. Mr. Colaneri has been invited to attend the rites. A sealed container in the cornerstone will contain a picture of the archbishop and histories of the diocese and parish. The stone is a handsome piece of work, bearing the tiera and crossed keys, symbols of St. Peter. Archbishop Harty will bless the cornerstone, the altar stone and the foundations of the church which already have been laid.

The old church is the oldest of Omaha Catholic churches and has stood upon its present site for the last 37 years. It will be maintained as a parochial school after the new structure is completed.

At present it is being used both as a school and as a church. Its 2,000 parishioners crowd the edifice at all of the five masses conducted each Sunday.

The new building will be two and a half times as large as the old and will have a seating capacity of 800 persons. It is of brick and stone, 150 by 72 feet. The altar will be of marble and will be approached by five aisles from the three front and two side entrances.

The steel structure already has been erected and the construction of the walls begun. The building will be completed by next August. It is expected. Construction was begun last August. When finished the church will have cost \$250,000. John Latenser & Sons are the architects. Father John McCarthy has been pastor of St. Peter for the last 12 years.

CHARITY SEEKER WORTH \$30,000

Des Moines, Nov. 29.—A suit to break the will of Oscar L. McNabb, filed in district court here, revealed that the aged man, who died several months ago, had an estate valued at about \$30,000, although he had received in the last few years from the overseer of the poor financial aid totaling \$500.

In his will most of the property was bequeathed to the humane society, the Salvation Army, the Red Cross and other organizations.

BANK CREDITORS' CLAIMS TO BE AIRED

Objections filed by creditors of the alleged defunct Bank of Denison in connection with an attempted settlement of their claims in bankruptcy court will be submitted to Federal Judge Martin J. Wade December 15, when a hearing will be held in the matter. An order signed yesterday by the judge gives creditors an opportunity to file further objections on or before December 11. The hearing will be held at Council Bluffs.

Bungalow Raid Ends "Beer Ring"

Police and Federal Agents Seize Huge Quantity of Brewed Stuff in Residence District.

Two Arrests Are Made

Police and federal prohibition agents, co-operating, Saturday afternoon raided a house at 3712 North Sixteenth street, arrested William Rose and Jake Emersing and confiscated 125 gallons of newly brewed beer, 1,500 quarts of aged beer and 65 gallons of moonshine whisky.

The house, a pretty little brick bungalow, is said by Robert Samardick, leader of the raiding party, to have been used for a "bootleg" establishment ever since its erection.

Samardick declared that the raid was the final blow to the "beer ring" which has been operating in Omaha for months, supplying "speak-easies" in the best residential districts of the city.

Five Bankers, Six Murderers, Seek Freedom

Record List Ready for State Pardon Board—One Convicted Would Devote Life to Poetry.

Staff Correspondent The Omaha Bee. Lincoln, Nov. 29.—Five bankers, six convicted murderers, five men convicted of attacking women and one former county treasurer, all serving sentences in the state penitentiary, will be applicants for parole or commutation of sentence at the meeting of the state board of pardons and paroles, December 9.

This is the largest list of major prisoners to make applications at one time in the history of the penitentiary. The meeting will be the last presided over by Governor Bryan. Governor-elect Adam McMullen will be present as a spectator. The list of bankers follows:

Charles W. Wentz, vice president American State bank, Aurora, five years for making false reports.

William E. Cooper, cashier Waco State bank, three years for embezzlement.

Convicted murderers applying are: Frank Archer, arrested in St. Joseph a week ago and delivered to Platte county authorities by Sheriff Will Condit of Fremont, entered a plea of not guilty, and waived preliminary hearing when arraigned before Judge John Gibbon in county court.

The charge against Archer is obtaining property under false pretenses. Archer is alleged to be the man who in 1922 gave Arthur Palmer, Creton (Ore.) gangster, two \$500 registered Liberty bonds in exchange for a \$775 automobile and a \$225 check, payment on which was later stopped at the bank by Palmer.

The stranger represented himself as Marvin Goltry, in whose name the bonds were registered, but it was later found that the bonds had been stolen.

Judge Gibbon fixed bond at \$2,000. Archer expects to give bond.

BRYAN APPOINTS THREE ON BOARDS

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 29.—Governor Bryan today announced the following appointments:

Charlotte Burgess, Omaha, three years, board of nursing examiners.

Dr. F. P. Berhenke, Fremont, three years, board of chiropractic examiners.

Three Win Trips For Work In Boys' and Girls' Clubs



Judith Matheson

Among the 5,000 boys and girls who have been engaged in boys' and girls' club work, three state champions have been produced in three divisions which have been particularly encouraged by business organizations whose managers see the great value of such training for the young people. These three champions are among Nebraska boys and girls who are enjoying the third national club congress being held at Chicago this week in connection with the international livestock exposition.

Judith Matheson of Mitchell won the prize trip offered by Montgomery Ward & Co. for the winning girl in the home economic clubs of the state, more than 2,700 girls were enrolled in the canning, sewing, cooking and baking clubs this year. Judith was a member of both a canning and a clothing club this year. Though only 15 years old, she made her own dresses, hats and other clothing and canned a food supply.

Cleora Majors of Lexington beat all the boys in the state in the Baby Beef club. She was not only state champion, but also holds the honor of producing the grand champion steer of the Nebraska clubs, exhibited at the last state fair. Armour & Co. are giving her the trip to the national club congress.

Dawson county will have eight baby beef clubs in 1925 instead of two, according to County Extension Agent A. R. Hecht, because of the success that Cleora and other members of the Alfalfa Baby Beef club had this year. E. A. Majors, Cleora's father, was the leader of this club.

Clifford Jacobson of Eagle began to wake up and went after the championship of the pig club last year after his brother, Cecil, went to Chicago on the prize trip offered by Wilson & Co. This year Clifford raised a litter of Poland China pigs, one of which was the blue ribbon winner in the open classes at the Nebraska state fair last year. He submitted a final report showing that he had made a profit of \$341.50 for the summer.

Charles Jacobson & Sons are raising purebred Poland China hogs because the boys insisted that the hogs on the farm be purebred, and made the start several years ago as club members. Cecil is now attending the agricultural college at Lincoln and Clifford expects to follow him there when he finishes the Smith-Hughes training at Eagle school under Byron McMahon, leader of the club.



Cleora Majors and Barry Jacobs

Clifford Jacobson and first prize Poland China gilt.

Man Accused of Swindle Ascribes Trouble to Lapses.

Masons to Honor Memory of Dead

Drivers' School Will Give Badges

The fifth of the series of six sessions of the Motor Vehicle Drivers' school will be held in the city council chamber at 8 p. m. Monday.

Those who have attended four of the five sessions will receive insignia inscribed "Graduate Commercial Vehicle Drivers' School, Omaha Safety Council."

C. B. Adair will speak on "Springs, Frame, Loading and Tires." Police Sergeant Martin Jensen on "Automobile Accident Reports." Ethan Adams, an optometrist, on "Drivers' Vision and Lighthouses." Father Planagan's boys band will play.

WORLD COURT SEEMS DOOMED

Washington, Nov. 29.—The proposal for American adherence to the world court is doomed unless the republican senators have a change of heart.

Senator Claude A. Swanson, democrat of Virginia, ranking democratic member of the foreign relations committee, declared today:

Swanson, a leading pro-league senator, said he would abandon his previous efforts to force consideration of the Harding-Hughes proposal and would let the plan die unless the republicans changed their "apathetic attitude."

ORNITHOLOGISTS HONOR 2 IOWANS

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 29.—Albert F. Ganier of Nashville was elected president of the Wilson Ornithological club, a national organization, in annual session here today. Other officers elected included Thomas F. Whitney, Atlantic, Ia., vice president, and William Rosen, Ogden, Ia., councillor.

SMALL RADIO GETS DISTANT STATION

W. E. Kissinger, 2101 Grant street, using a one tube, single circuit receiver, reported that he heard a piano solo from a great distance on a 325 meter wave length between 10:15 and 10:20 p. m. Friday. Later he heard a speech in a foreign tongue and at 10:32 the station signed off, the last two letters of the signature being TT or PP.

Missing Pair Sought.

F. M. Karrer of Benedict, Neb., has notified Council Bluffs police to watch for Max Karrer, 17, and Adonis Stail, 15, who left Benedict in a Ford car Friday.

The Weather

For 24 hours, ending 7 p. m., November 29.

Film Shows Hough and Slain Girl

Suspect and Attorney Show Surprise as State Introduces New Evidence.

Broken Beads Found

Bedford, Ia., Nov. 29.—The state today piled up new evidence against Carl Hough, on trial for the murder of Lillian McKenney.

A roll of kodak film and a broken string of beads, found two miles south of Bedford in a hedge, were presented to the court.

The beads were found a few weeks after the body of Lillian McKenney was found under a bridge 10 miles west of Bedford. The film was discovered September 30 by Sheriff William Parrish.

Prints of the picture contained on the roll of film were shown to the court. They depicted Hough with his father at Herrick, S. D., and Hough with Lillian McKenney. Then there were others of Lillian McKenney alone.

The film was introduced this afternoon and came as a shock to both Hough and his attorney, although the attorney showed the shock more than did Hough.

The beads were introduced during the morning session of court. "These were Lillian's beads," said Maude, a sister of the dead girl called to the stand to identify the exhibit. She also identified pictures of Hough and her sister.

William Fitch, farmer living south of Bedford, testified that he was awakened at 1:30 the morning of August 12 by a man calling to him from the back gate.

"Mister, I'm poisoned," he said when Fitch looked out of the window. He asked for some eggs and milk and told Fitch his name was Wilson and that he came from Ullrich, Neb. He was not intoxicated, Fitch said, and went away after consuming the milk and eggs.

Fitch met him in the morning. He had just backed his car out of a broyard and was driving past the Fitch home. He thanked Fitch for the help and Fitch asked him whether he knew the man in Clarinda who gave him "poisoned" liquor, as he claimed.

Points Out Hough. "I sure do," the man responded. "Who was the man who called on you there that night?" asked the prosecutor. Fitch arose and pointed out Hough.

These two witnesses corroborate the opinion of the prosecution that Hough killed the girl by the hedge and that he came from Ullrich, Neb. He went away after consuming the milk and eggs.

Mrs. McKenney, mother of the victim, appeared in court today for the first time since last Wednesday when nervousness overcame her.

It is expected the trial will take all of next week. More than 20 state witnesses are still to testify.

INAUGURAL MARCH AT CAPITAL ASKED

Washington, Nov. 29.—President Coolidge was asked in a resolution adopted by the Merchants and Manufacturers association of Washington to authorize an inauguration ceremony in the nature of a great celebration that will do the highest possible honor to the president of the United States.

The attitude of Mr. Coolidge toward the historic event, made known several days ago, is that while he favors an inauguration ceremony conforming generally in simplicity to that held for President Harding, he is not averse to a revival of the time-honored parade on a large scale. He is opposed, however, to an inaugural ball or any other social function which would require his presence the night of March 4.

HIT BY ARROW, BOY LOSES EYE

Columbus, Neb., Nov. 29.—Elmer Nebola, 8, Creston, Neb., suffered the loss of an eye today when he was struck by an arrow from a bow in the hands of a brother with whom the boy was playing.

Stray Cat Now Beet Sugar--Almost

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Bridgeport, Neb., Nov. 29.—The only reason that you are not being served a black cat to sweeten your breakfast coffee is because this one has the proverbial nine lives.

A stray feline went through almost every process that a beet enjoys before it becomes sugar. The cat first fell into a sluice that carries the beets to a local sugar factory, went through the barriers that prevent the beets from jamming, was thumped and pounded in the rushing water by beets weighing from one to six pounds. Into the elevator went the cat with tons of beets, then in the hopper that rinses them, down the chute to the weighing room, through rolls, dodging machinery with miraculous agility, and out again.

Upon being rescued, the soiled cat set out across the prairie, flashing over the horizon like a streak of lightning headed for the Rockies, the Pacific ocean, China and Turkestan.

A Brand New Feature of The Omaha Bee

A Regular Agricultural and Community Interest Page Starts Today

Starting TODAY The Omaha Bee will publish each Sunday a special page dealing with rural problems. C. H. Blakely has been put in charge of this new feature. Blakely has spent a great part of his life in actual farm operation, is a graduate of one of the leading agricultural colleges, has served as an agent under the Department of Agriculture, and has also done a great deal of writing for farm journals and agriculture papers.

Blakely has just returned from a ten-thousand-mile tour of the western states and is thoroughly equipped to give you the most authentic reports on rural conditions.

Beautiful Watch Offered

Turn to page 7-B and look over our newest department. Then write us about it. To the reader who, before December 5, sends us the best criticism on our new page, "Where Town and Country Meet," we will give a beautiful watch.

The criticism may be either for or against our new department—just give us your frank opinion.