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ST. PAUL GETS NEXT MEET

Saengerbund of Northwest Decides on Biennial Saengerfest.

THEO. BEHRENS IS PRESIDENT

Robert C. Strehlow Is Nominated, but Declines—Omaha Complimented on Class of Entertainment Furnished.

St. Paul, Minn., won the next Saengerfest, by acclamation.

Former President Theodore Behrens of Chicago was chosen president by acclamation for the ensuing two years. Otto Rohland, R. C. Strehlow and Peter Laux, all placed in nomination, declined to be considered as candidates.

Peter Laux, vice-president; George Kieck, secretary; E. O. Kney, treasurer; John Wunder, librarian; and Theo. Kelbe, musical director, were all re-elected in order, and all received ovations of good will and endorsement. Director Kelbe was given an especially warm reception and was cheered to the echo.

Proceeding the election, retiring President Rohland congratulated the delegates of the Saengerbund, of whom between 400 and 500 attended the meeting at the German home, on the success of the Saengerfest, just closing in Omaha. He said everything had gone as near right as human ingenuity could devise, and the auspicious conditions surrounding the holding of the fest were all that could be desired. He said that as president he had tried to so manage the affairs of the bund that its continued prosperity would be assured, and expressed the belief his successor would find it possible to bring the organization to even a higher state of efficiency.

Later, after his home city had been selected for the next fest, Mr. Rohland assured the delegates that St. Paul deeply appreciated the compliment of being selected unanimously as host for the next biennial gathering. He could assure them, on behalf of every organization in his city, German and otherwise, that plans to entertain them would be made on a big scale, and that St. Paul would endeavor to outdo Omaha. Mr. Rohland paid Omaha some nice compliments as a convention entertainer in the course of his talk.

Strehlow Declines. Robert C. Strehlow of Omaha, who has been at the head of the local organization handling the present Saengerfest, after declining to be a candidate for president, made a short address. He said Omaha was willing to concede that the delegates themselves and the other visitors had as much to do with assuring the great success achieved as had the local committee. He wanted everybody to go home feeling that the city of Omaha was honored by their coming had done its best to earn their good will and desired to hold their respect and confidence.

Mr. Strehlow's talk was received in a manner that left no doubt of the genuineness of the good feeling among the delegates toward the city whose guests they have been for several days. Theodore Behrens, the new president, has filed the office before. He is a leader in German musical circles in Chicago, and has other distinctions. He is distinctly a heavyweight, both as to height and girth—and when he bends his head to smile, before you realize President Behrens is in someone's speech bears a remarkable likeness to the president of the United States. He wears the same kind of mustache, trained almost exactly like Taft's, has the same merry twinkle in his eyes when pleased and the same air of contentment as near enough like to permit President Behrens to pose most anywhere at a short distance as the nation's executive.

ST. PAUL DELEGATES ELATED

Come in Large Numbers Prepared to Take Back Convention.

The 300 delegates and singers from St. Paul renewed their ardor and enthusiasm when the Saengerbund business meeting named the Minnesota capital as the host of the next Saengerfest, to be held in 1912. St. Paul's delegation came with the backing of the commercial bodies as well as the German societies of the town. They brought a number of souvenir books and arranged ahead to have a headquarters in Labor Temple, where they could receive and entertain their friends. Thus they were able to make sure of achieving their ambition almost from the start. Besides that, the St. Paulites point out that they are among the very oldest societies connected with the bund, have always stood by it, and are willing to spend their money to entertain the fest whenever they get a chance. They promise the fest of 1912 will be the greatest ever held.

ALL READY FOR THE PICNIC

Krug Park Will Present Gala Appearance Saturday.

Yesterday afternoon the St. Paul singers were scattering enthusiasm all over the city with their songs of glee, and everywhere they go other singers joined with them in making "Festzeit" heard in every nook and corner of the town. There are nevertheless, already sufficient anti-assembly candidates for nomination in the field to insure practical complete anti-assembly primary tickets throughout the state.

AMES INVENTS AERO CYCLE

Naval Academy Begins Test of Machine Built by Bay State Congressman.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., July 22.—Trials of the Ames aero cycle, as the airplane invented by Congressman Butler Ames of Mass., will probably be called, began at the naval academy today. Before a naval board the workings of the machine were demonstrated by its inventor.

CHARGES AGAINST ZANESVILLE MAYOR

COLUMBUS, O., July 22.—Specific charges against Mayor A. H. Gorrall of Zanesville, O., whose removal from office by Governor Harmon was asked last month, were filed by Rev. D. M. Rice, with the governor today. They specify various alleged violations of his oath of office. Misconduct, adding saloonkeepers to the list of eligibles for alleged lawless conditions are included.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN VESSELS

Table with columns: Port, Arrived, Sailed. Lists various ships and their destinations.

Merchandise

Values Rising. Figures Show

With Six Counties Missing, Increase in Assessment Will Be Close to Half Million.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, July 22.—(Special.)—With six counties out, the assessed value of merchandise, as returned to the State Board of Assessment and Equalization, is \$3,317,318.

These same counties last year were assessed at a total valuation of \$3,068,048. The increase in these counties is \$249,270, of which Douglas county contributed \$104,821, all the remaining \$144,449 being distributed among the other counties. Lancaster comes to the front with a decrease. Its assessment on merchandise last year was \$663,130, and this year \$611,460. Scott's Bluff county showed an increase of over 100 per cent over last year.

The counties missing from the table for 1910 are Box Butte, Cedar, Deuel, Garden, Keith and Pierce. The following table shows the assessment for 1909 and 1910 on merchandise:

Table with columns: County, 1909, 1910. Lists counties and their merchandise assessments for both years.

Totals \$3,317,318 \$3,068,048

Saloon Men Discharged

BEATRICE, Neb., July 22.—(Special Telegram.)—The cases of the seven saloonkeepers of this city charged with working in their place of business on Sunday were called before Judge Ellis this morning. City Attorney Sabin entered no plea, setting forth that there was not sufficient evidence to prosecute. This court promptly dismissed the cases against the defendants, who said they were willing to pay the costs, although the court did not make a ruling to that effect.

Sherman County Democrats

LOUP CITY, Neb., July 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Sherman county democrats this afternoon selected the following delegates to the state convention: A. E. Charlton, C. W. Trumble, R. L. Arthur, J. T. Hale, C. L. Rein, R. M. Folski and Peter Storkens.

Bonds Stolen from Chinese Bank

NEW YORK, July 22.—The discovery was made today that \$70,000 worth of bonds had been stolen from the Chinese bank on Pine street in this city. No particulars were available as to the manner in which the bonds had been taken.

ELKER PUT ON SIDETRACK

State Board of Health of Iowa Falls to Elect Him.

BURLINGTON MAN GETS PLACE

Southern Iowa Editorial Association Elects J. M. Anderson of Indianapolis Head of Organization—Tax Levy Some Lower.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, July 22.—(Special Telegram.)—At the meeting of the State Board of Health today it developed that the board is divided as to a policy for the future, and this was made manifest in the outcome of the election of president. For years the presidency has gone by rotations, and this year it was the turn for B. L. Elker of Decatur county to have the place. In his stead the board elected A. C. Morke of Burlington. The reason for this was that Elker is assisting certain legislators in the preparation of a bill to go before the next legislature for complete reorganization of the board and reducing it in number to only three, who would be placed on salary. All the other members of the board are opposed to this.

Southern Iowa Editors

The Southern Iowa Editorial association today elected J. M. Anderson, Indianapolis, president; Horace Barnes, Albia, vice president; and O. E. Hull, Leon, secretary. It was decided the winter meeting be held in Albia. A feature of the program today was a bitter attack on the primary nominating system by J. F. Powell of Ottumwa, who indicated that about the only good thing is to make more advertising for the newspapers.

Council Fixes Tax Levy

In accordance with the orders of the legislature, the State Executive council today ordered a state tax levy to raise \$2,300,000 next year, which means a rate 2 1/2 mills, a tenth of a mill lower than last year, but higher than a few years ago.

Rockwell City Continuous Service

ROCKWELL CITY, Ia., July 22.—(Special.)—Rockwell City is to have continuous electric service night and day in the near future. A massive dynamo has been placed in the power house and will be followed by another in a short time. A crude oil burning engine will be installed soon to operate the dynamo, and when all the improvements are made Rockwell City will have one of the best electric services in the state for a town of its size. A new pump has been added to supply the waterworks department and this will be run by electric power also.

Iowa News Notes

OSAGE—Booze dispensers got it hard here when Justice Bartlett died to Webster Bros. for maintaining a liquor nuisance a fine of \$200 and costs.

IDA GROVE—The Marsh Engineering company of Des Moines shipped in its bridge building outfit and yesterday began work on the fine new concrete arch bridge which is to span the Osage river at this point.

IDA GROVE—Mrs. James Fair has so far recovered from her recent automobile accident that she was able to be taken to her home in Arthur. Her husband is a nephew of the late Senator Fair of California.

NEW HAMPTON—The Board of Supervisors of Clinton county, believing that all counties on pocket gophers and ground-squirrels during the late season, Auditor Frank Lentz has paid out over \$1,000.

MASON CITY—Mrs. Matilda Dexter wants the custody of her five-year-old son, A. Frank Dexter, and with it the custody of the five minor children and alimony. The case will come up for trial in the Kosciusko county court, as Mrs. Dexter is now a resident of Burlington.

WALLA CITY—While Chris Burgeson, an old resident of the county, was engaged in stacking hay, he was struck by the stacker and knocked from the stack. In falling his neck was broken and he died almost instantly. He was 73 years of age, but was very active.

IDA GROVE—Mrs. Fred Winslow went to Canon Falls, Minn., to attend the funeral of her late brother-in-law, William Flynn, roadmaster of the Great Western, between Marshalltown and Oelwein, who was run down and killed by a switch engine while he was riding into town on a gasoline speeider.

IDA GROVE—Louis Volkert, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Volkert, Douglas township, Ida county, was accidentally killed while working in a hay field with his father and brother. A team ran away and the boy tried to get out of the hay, but he was struck by the team and he was run down and the wheels passed over him, breaking his back.

IDA GROVE—Announcement was made this morning that Editor Frank E. Purry would retire from journalistic work in this city on September 1. On that date the Editor of the Iowa Central, Mr. Purry has been editor of the Iowa Central since 1908 and Winthrop B. Lyman and Leroy S. Purry, two well known young men of Albia.

IDA GROVE—The little 2-year-old baby of Harry Grondel, coddler, died at the hands of their farm near here, and got behind one of the horses. The horse kicked the child in the head, but fortunately it was a glancing blow. The child's scalp was

split for a space of several inches, and the little one was unconscious for some time but it is getting along nicely now and will experience no ill results.

IDA GROVE—The corn crop in Ida county may be considered as made and it is certain now that with any kind of weather at all, it will be a record breaking crop for this county. The barley and oats harvest is well under way now, and both are bringing unusually good returns.

What promised to be a poor year for the county, a month or so ago, has been turned into what is certain to be one of the best crops this section ever produced.

IDA GROVE—Some eighty students and professors from the Iowa State college at Ames, visited Ida and Sac counties a few days ago. Twenty-five automobiles carried them to the great Cook and Adams ranches in Sac County, the two remaining big ranches left in Iowa, and then to some of the finest farms in Ida county. The district they travelled raised most of the popcorn consumed in America. The visitors represented forty-seven states and seven foreign countries.

Bluefields is Declared Open Port

State Department Says Norway is Misinformed as to Conditions in Nicaragua.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Crossing diplomatic swords with Norway, the State department replying to protests from New Orleans commercial interests against Norwegian recognition of the Bluefields, Nicaragua, blockade, today declared Bluefields to be an open port. Norway, it was said, was misinformed of conditions there. Norway's "misunderstanding" was laid by the State department to Michael J. Clancy, consular representative of Norway at Bluefields, and until yesterday vice consul of the United States at the same port.

Acting Secretary of State Bryan today announced that Clancy's resignation as vice consul had been accepted, his services in the dual capacity being against the law. In connection with the statement that Norway was mistaken about Bluefields being blockaded, the department replied to the effect that Mexico would be prevented by force of arms from interfering with legitimate American trade entering Bluefields.

WESTERN RATES SUSPENDED

Trunk Lines Follow Lead of the Eastern Railroads as to Advances.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—It was announced today after a conference between Chairman Knapp of the Interstate Commerce commission and a committee of the traffic officials of western trunk lines that the advanced rates filed by the carriers would be suspended voluntarily until November 1.

The agreement means that all important general increases in freight rates that were to have become effective August 1, will be postponed until the commission shall have had an opportunity to determine whether they are reasonable or not. It does not follow that the suspensions will be made permanent.

In view of the commission and rate officials, it is certain that some of the advances will be approved eventually. Permission is given by the commission to the roads to file on one day's notice the proposed suspension tariffs to become effective November 1. By the terms of the agreement existing rates will continue in effect until that date.

Complaint Against Salt Rate

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Beaton's Saturday

- 75c Rubber Gloves.....39c
1/2 pint Witch Hazel and Rose Water.....10c
4 ounces Glycerine and Rose Water for summer tonic.....10c
1 pound Epsom Salts.....10c
25c Woodbury's Facial Cream.....15c
25c Cuticura Soap, every day.....20c
25c Powder Papers, per pkg.....12c
25c Lustrite Nail Enamel.....16c
60c Detachable Buffers.....25c
15c package Emory Boards.....5c
75c Manicure Scissors.....49c
Bath Caps, from 25c up to.....\$1.25
Bath Sprays—special prices for Saturday, 75c to.....\$3.00

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Complaints have been made to the Interstate Commerce commission by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of Kansas, alleging that the rates on salt from points in Kansas to St. Louis, Mo., and East St. Louis, Ill., charged by the Atchafalaya, Topeka and Santa Fe railway and other western roads, exorbitant and discriminatory.

It was declared that the present rate of 15c cents a 100 pounds ought not to exceed 1 cent a 100 pounds, and that because of the high rate, the salt industry of Kansas is languishing seriously. The commission was required to adjust the salt rates on a reasonable and equitable basis.

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