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Friends of Father McMahon to Celebrate Elevation to Priesthood.

IS A SON OF JAMES P. McMAHON

Mayor Trainor Visits Theaters Where Pictures Are Shown and Insists that Best Moral Tone Must Be Preserved.

South Omaha Catholics are making great preparations for the reception of Rev. James P. McMahon, a native son, who will finish his theological studies at Kenrick seminary, St. Louis, on June 25.

The young priest will return to South Omaha immediately after his ordination and will celebrate his first mass in St. Bridget's church of this city on July 3. A number of relatives and friends are making preparations to celebrate the elevation of Father McMahon in a splendid manner because of the fact that he is the first and only son of South Omaha to be raised to the sacerdotal dignity.

Father McMahon is the son of James P. McMahon, foreman at Cudahy's, and was born in this city twenty-three years ago. He was baptized in the church in which he will celebrate his first mass. After attending local schools the young aspirant for priestly honors spent six years in Creighton university. He then entered St. Paul seminary at St. Paul, Minn., where he remained one year. Another year he spent in Freiburg, Switzerland, after which he returned to his native land. The last two years he spent at Kenrick seminary. He will be ordained by Rev. J. J. Glennon, D. D., archbishop of St. Louis. The function of ordination will take place in St. Alphonsus church, St. Louis.

For the occasion of the celebration of his first mass every preparation is being made by his friends and relatives. The ceremony will take place on Monday, July 3, at 9:30 o'clock. An elaborate program of music is being prepared for the occasion. Rev. D. W. Moriarty of Benson will preach the sermon of the day. The following clergy will take part in the celebration: Revs. James Ahrens, T. O'Callaghan, Charles Muzan, J. F. Hennessy and T. A. Flanagan.

Tax Dispute Near End.

At a meeting of the city council Monday evening it is expected that the last word will be said in the matter of the disputed appropriations of moneys accruing from back taxes and collections in excess of 50 per cent. City Attorney Murphy has not retreated from the position formerly taken by him on the collection. The city attorney maintains that while the collections may be used to the full limit of the yearly appropriation, the back taxes or tax residue of former years not liable for the debts of former years must be turned into the interest and sinking fund. The treasurer's office takes the stand that all back taxes and collections in excess of 50 per cent alike belong in the different funds for which they were originally created. The

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TO SHUT OUT COMPETITION

Investigation Into Purpose of Organization of Sugar Trust Begins.

HOUSE COMMITTEE STARTS PROBE

VICE PRESIDENT ATKINS OF AMERICAN SUGAR REFINING COMPANY TELLS OF THE MERGER OF THE REFINERIES.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—The house inquiry into the sugar business of the country conducted by a special committee formally began today. Witnesses from the leading sugar refineries in the east have been summoned to appear before the committee and will be followed by those interested in other lines of the sugar business. The committee has announced its purpose to make one of the most thorough investigations ever conducted of a great business by congress.

Representative Hardwick of Georgia is chairman of the committee and is expected to take a leading part in the examination of the witnesses. The committee first has taken up the American Sugar Refining company to determine whether the corporation is operating in violation of the anti-trust or interstate commerce laws.

James M. Beck, formerly assistant attorney general, appeared today as counsel for the refining company, and Edwin P. Atkins, Boston vice president and acting president of the American Sugar Refining company, was the first witness examined.

To Put Refineries on Their Feet. Mr. Atkins said the purpose of the formation of the American Sugar Refining company, which was organized in 1887, was to put on their feet the struggling refineries that had been operating at a loss.

"The cost of production of refined sugar had been so great," said Mr. Atkins, "that it was believed that a union of refineries would result in greatly reducing this expense."

"Did you expect through this means to avoid some of the competition?" asked Chairman Hardwick. "Well, I suppose it had some effect of that kind."

The witness said that seventeen refineries joined in this merger in 1887, which was arranged by H. O. Havemeyer. Almost all of them, he said, had been doing business at an excessive cost and they were scattered throughout New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Maine, Pennsylvania, Louisiana and Missouri.

Mr. Atkins said that when the sugar refining companies, which later became the American Sugar Refining company, was organized in 1887, that he received for his concern, the Bay State Refining company which he valued at \$500,000, trust certificates of the securities or holding company of a value of \$500,000.

Competition Was Overcast. Representative Madison of Kansas asked if it was not a fact that previous to 1887 there was free and open competition in the buying of raw and the selling of refined sugar in this country.

"Yes," Mr. Atkins said, "there was free competition in the buying of raw and the selling of refined sugar in this country."

"That competition you found to be onerous, didn't you?" "Yes, it was."

"You wished to avoid that competition?" Mr. Madison continued, "and it was for that reason that Mr. Havemeyer gathered together you and about a dozen other sugar manufacturers for the purpose of making an agreement to eliminate that competition, was it not?"

"Well," Mr. Atkins said, "the principal object was to reduce the cost of production. There were three purposes, were there not, that influenced you? First, to eliminate competition; second, to obtain the best possible price for your products; and third, to reduce the cost of production?"

"I think the third reason was what was in our minds primarily," said Mr. Atkins. Mr. Madison asked him if it was not a fact that in 1887 the seventeen companies combined were in control of 95 per cent of the sugar business of the United States.

Mr. Atkins testified that he had been made vice president of the American Sugar Refining company two years ago at the insistence of New England stockholders, who has been unable to secure information from the companies to the business it was doing.

"I often tried to get it," he said, "but they always turned me off good naturedly. They never published any report. We knew they were doing a good business because the dividends were always paid."

Conditions Grow Onerous. The conditions grew so onerous, the witness said, that the New England stockholders combined and obtained control. When they did so they succeeded in their attempt to eliminate that competition, the presiding genius of the organization, had maintained his supremacy with only 3,000 shares of stock.

The holdings of Mr. Havemeyer at the time of his death, Mr. Atkins said, were valued at about \$200,000. A total of \$500,000 in the American Sugar Refining company. "That was a surprising discovery," he declared. "It had been generally supposed that Mr. Havemeyer owned the greater part of the stock."

Adams of Chicago presented the "call of the social field," and Dr. R. C. Gable of Boston spoke of the "health of social workers." The "treatment of misanthropia," was considered in open discussion. Prominent among the speakers were Dr. James F. Jackson, Cleveland; Judge James A. Collins of the Indianapolis city court; Robert W. Hubbard, and E. T. Bingham of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Ophelia Amigh. The continued meeting on families and neighborhoods was addressed by Mrs. Mary K. Sinkovitch of Greenwich House, N. Y.

Prices for Cotton Make a Big Advance

Apprehension of Drought Damages in Southwest Causes New Crop to Sell Higher.

NEW YORK, June 12.—There was increased activity and considerable excitement in the cotton market today, with business more general than for some weeks and with prices for new crop deliveries making net higher records, owing to apprehensions of drought damage in the southwest.

October cotton sold at 13.75 cents and December at 13.77 cents during the afternoon, or from 2 1/2 to 2 3/4 points above the closing figures of Saturday and about 2 1/2 to 2 3/4 per bale above the price ruling just after the publication of the high June condition figures early in the month.

Some of the prominent old crop bull leaders have been large buyers of new crop deliveries on the advance of the last several days, but the old crop months have been relatively quiet and easy with prices ranging around 15 1/2 cents for July deliveries, which sold above 15 cents last May.

Court Dismisses the Suit Brought by Post

Holds it Has No Jurisdiction in Action Brought Against the Book Store Company.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 12.—United States Circuit Judge Dyer today sustained a demurrer to the injunction suit filed by C. W. Post of Belle Meade, Mich. against the Bucks Store and Range company, Samuel Gomers and the American Federation of Labor to restrain them from carrying out an agreement by which the Bucks Store and Range company was to maintain a closed shop and the union labor boycott against it. The suit was filed in St. Louis, Mo., on June 10.

Post is a minority stockholder of the company, and coupled with the injunction suit was a plea for damages for the Bucks company amounting to \$700,000. In sustaining the demurrer Judge Dyer dismissed the suit, holding that he had no jurisdiction.

Mark Coad Estate Fights Wyoming Tax

Heirs Claim Deceased Was Not a Resident and that Property is Not Liable Under the Law.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 12.—(Special.)—The state of Wyoming and the Mark C. Coad estate are at loggerheads in the district court over the inheritance tax. The state seeks to collect a tax from the Coad estate, but the heirs claim he was not a resident of Wyoming and therefore the state is not entitled to the tax.

Coad lived in Omaha and was reputed to be a millionaire, and would bring the amount of the tax up into the thousands. Much of the property left by Coad, who was killed here by Francisco Cardo, a Mexican sheep herder, is located in Wyoming.

Flour Millers Meet to Talk of Trade

Witness at Kansas City the Sale of First Carload of This Year's Wheat.

KANSAS CITY, June 12.—The Southwestern Millers' league, composed of flour millers from Nebraska, Texas, Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri, met here today to discuss trade and traffic conditions. Later they went to the floor of the Board of Trade and witnessed the auction of the first car of this year's wheat sold here.

The wheat came from Wagoner, Okla., and sold for 88 1/2 cents a bushel.

EIGHT THOUSAND MEN ARE OUT

Baldwin Locomotive Works Strike Continues, but Amicable Adjustment Hoped For.

PHILADELPHIA, June 12.—The attempt of the management of the Baldwin Locomotive works, where a strike began last week to resume work in all departments, today met with only partial success. It is estimated that only about 2,000 men out of about 18,000 reported for work. The departments closing today are the boiler, flange, paint and fine shops. The machine shop is working almost normal.

LAYMEN FINISH ORGANIZATION

Preparations Made for Carrying On Vigorous Church Work Throughout South Dakota.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., June 12.—(Special.)—At a meeting held here a permanent organization was perfected for carrying on the work of the Laymen's Missionary movement in this part of the northwest. Sioux Falls having been selected as one of the places in the United States as a center from which this work shall be carried on. During the time the work is in progress the central points will at intervals be visited by men of prominence in the work both from America and Europe.

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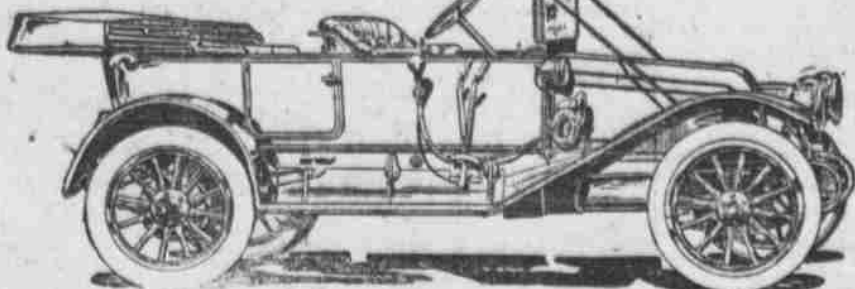
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PROMINENT MEN TO TESTIFY

Officer Leaves Washington to Hunt Witnesses in Lorimer Inquiry.

CHICAGO PEOPLE TO BE SOUGHT

Committee Has Not Yet Set Date for the Hearing, but the Sitting Will Probably Commence Next Week.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Subpoenas for a number of prominent men to testify here in the new Lorimer investigation have been issued and a special officer from the office of the senate sergeant-at-arms is now on his way to Chicago to serve them.

The greatest secrecy is attached to the action by the special committee of eight senators having the investigation in charge. It is understood that among the men to be summoned are Lee O'Neil Browne, democratic leader in the Illinois house; Edward Hines, president of the Edward Hines Lumber company of Chicago; Edward Tilden, whose name was connected with the \$100,000 fund alleged to have been collected for use in electing Senator Lorimer, and Clarence S. Funk, an officer of the International Harvester company, whose disclosures of an attempt to have his corporation subscribe to the alleged fund was a feature in the investigation by the Illinois legislature.

The Lorimer investigating committee has not yet definitely fixed a day for its next meeting. The members are going over the voluminous testimony taken in the Illinois inquiry, and until this is completed such meetings as are necessary will be held merely for purposes of organization.

Senator Lorimer for the first time in several weeks appeared in his place in the senate today. He arrived today from Chicago in response to a request sent to all absentees to return for the vote today on the resolution providing for election of senators by direct vote.

Japanese Improve the Harbor at Chemulpo

Two and Half Millions to Be Expended and Thousands of Laborers to Be Employed.

CHEMULPO, Korea, June 12.—The work of making the much needed improvements in the harbor here was inaugurated today with a celebration in which the representatives of all the different nations residing here have participated.

Lieutenant General Count Terauchi, the Japanese resident general of Korea, officially opened the operations. The present plans involve the expenditure of \$2,500,000 and the employment of thousands of Korean laborers for several years.

Office Safe of Dentist is Robbed

Six Hundred Dollars of Gold Secured from Dr. Barton at Yankton, S. D.

YANKTON, S. D., June 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. B. M. Barton's office safe was robbed of about \$600 worth of gold some time Saturday or Sunday. Barton is a dentist and was out of town. The loss was discovered this morning.

TWO COLOMBIANS TO PRISON

Men Who Stabbed MacMaster Two Years Ago Are Convicted and Sentence Imposed.

BOGOTA, Columbia, June 12.—The two Colombians who, in the summer of 1909, seriously stabbed William B. MacMaster, the American vice consul at Cartagena, were today sentenced to imprisonment, one for fourteen and the other for six years.

MacMaster is a Colombian by birth, but was appointed to his post from New York. At the time of the assault there was some anti-American feeling in Colombia, and MacMaster became involved in a dispute with Mario Lara Corrova, an editor and Abela Barrera, resulting in the assault on which the two men were convicted.

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