

### DAHLMAN AND MITCHEL CLASH

#### Omaha Mayor Accuses New York City Executive of Frame-up and Says Won't Stand for It.

#### HOW IT'S DONE IN OMAHA

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 3.—(Special Telegram.)—John Purroy Mitchel of New York and James C. Dahلمان, "cowboy" mayor of Omaha, last night exchanged verbal shots in a rapid-fire skirmish on national preparedness at a meeting in Mayor Kiel's office of the executive committee of mayors to outline plans for the national defense conference of mayors which will open tomorrow morning.

Mayor Dahلمان charged Mayor Mitchel with a "frame-up" when the New York executive asked permission to read for approval by the committee a resolution he said he expected to submit to the convention. "I object to you fellows bringing us fellows down here to approve something framed up for us," Mayor Dahلمان declared. "Let everybody buy some checks in this game. If everything is framed, let's go home before we begin."

**Here to Play Ball.**  
"I came here to play ball. I did not come here to approve a typewritten frame-up. I am willing to throw my hand in the deck when the cards have been dealt openly and the convention itself passed on the questions."

Mayor Mitchel explained he only wanted to outline a definite plan for the convention session in the shape of a resolution. "My mistake," he said, "probably was in dictating my thoughts to a stenographer on the train and having them typewritten instead of writing out the document myself in long hand."

"We are all free to take," yelled the cowboy, "there is no use disguising anything. We have all been to conventions and we have all seen typewritten frame-ups to control the convention and they usually delivered the goods."

Several other mayors interrupted and asked Mayor Kiel as chairman to advise Mayor Mitchel to read his resolution.

**The Omaha Way.**  
"You fellows have your way of doing things in your country," was Dahلمان's defiance.

"But we have a way of doing things in Omaha that's different. This nation is nervous because it is not prepared to cross swords with any of the warring nations and that is the problem that the people want us to solve. We ought to do it without flourishes or frame-ups."

The matter finally was put to vote and Mayor Mitchel was allowed to read his resolution.

Dahلمان caused laughter when, after hearing it, he said it was "an awfully tame affair."

Mayor Thompson of Chicago with a party of 100 is expected Friday morning.

### Woods Sentenced To Four Years in The Penitentiary

John K. Woods was sentenced by Judge T. C. Munger to four years in the federal prison at Leavenworth for violation of the Mann act. He was guilty of talking his 12-year-old daughter, Hazel Woods, to Chicago where they lived together for a week. He was arrested in Omaha on his way to Kansas City.

Woods read a statement to the judge, a somewhat dramatic recital. "I'll have an extra addition to my name when I get out which will follow me through life—ex-convict," he said.

John Kudrna was sentenced to one year and his brother, Frank Kudrna, to six months in the jail at Fremont. They were found guilty of entering a box car in the South Side yards to steal a quantity of candy.

"You and I are old acquaintances in a way," said Judge Munger. At the trial of the five bandits for holding up the Union Pacific train on the Lane cut off, six years ago, John and Frank Kudrna were important witnesses. They had discovered the first clue which led to the capture of the robbers. Judge Munger presided at that trial.

"Have you run through all that reward money?" he asked them. They received several thousand dollars each out of the \$50,000 offered by the railroad for the robbers' capture.

"I lost mine in the store business," said Frank.

C. O. Butts was sentenced to thirty days in jail for having morphine in his possession.

"I took morphine because I have a tubercular leg," he said. "In fifteen years I have had sixteen operations."

He said he has not used it since he was arrested last October.

Lewis Jones was sent to jail for sixty days and fined \$100 for selling liquor without paying the government tax.

### Allen Is Injured by Fall Upon Pavement

J. Allen, living on West Leavenworth street, fell on the pavement at Seventeenth and Leavenworth streets, badly bruising and possibly fracturing his hip, while on his way home late yesterday evening.

Dr. Miller, city physician, was called to the scene of the accident, but stated that he would be unable to tell definitely how badly the hip was injured until he could make an X-ray examination, so the injured man was taken to St. Joseph's hospital.

### LAST REHEARSAL FOR THE ST. JOHN'S CHURCH BENEFIT

Mr. Ben Stanley will have the last rehearsal of the Queen Esther chorus of 100 voices, to be given at the Boyd theater Monday evening. Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock the entire work will be done at a dress rehearsal.

The solo and chorus work are going nicely and success seems assured for the big chorus on Monday night.

It is for the benefit of St. John's African Methodist Episcopal church under the auspices of the Missionary society. Mrs. W. T. Osborne, president and manager.

**Lawyer Lands Job.**  
Tom Caveney, a shortstop who was with the Chattanooga club of the Southern League, has been purchased for the Springfield Central league club next summer.

### From Our Near Neighbors

**Avoca.**  
C. E. Butts of Indiana is here for a visit with relatives.  
W. H. Butts, Jr., was here from Albion several days this week.

Prof. George Campbell and wife spent Saturday with Omaha relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Marquardt were in Omaha several days this week.

Otto Brooks left this week for Chapel, Neb., to look at the country.  
Samuel Johnson and wife are spending the week with relatives near Sumner.

John Weaver and family left Wednesday for their new home near Berlin. Mesdames Edward and William Wulf are visiting with Nebraska relatives this week.

Mrs. Gopen of Murray is here this week for a visit with her daughter, Miss Villa.  
Herman Segelke and family left this week for Gurly, Neb., where they will reside.

The Christian Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. George Heebner Thursday afternoon.  
Mrs. J. B. Frey is here from Burr for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hietis.

Mrs. George Boyer of Osceola, Mo., is spending a few days with relatives and friends in this city.  
Mrs. F. E. Bricka and daughter of Lincoln spent the latter part of the week with Avoca friends.

**Papillon.**  
A candidate's ball will be given at Bell's hall tonight.  
Charles Platt leaves today for a short trip to Colorado, S. D.

Miss Lettie Welsh is taking treatment at St. Joseph's hospital this week.  
E. S. Nickerson made a business trip to Colorado Springs, Colo., this week.

Mrs. W. R. Boyer and son Donald of the South Side and Mrs. H. Koch and Mrs. H. A. Peters of Millard were guests of Mrs. George Boyer Wednesday.

There have been three more clinics for county offices this week. J. P. Spearman and Fred Peters of Papillon for county treasurer and T. J. Wright of Springfield for county assessor.

Mrs. George Boyer entertained the Woman's club at its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon. Miss Olive Griffith had an excellent lesson on "Elores and Etchings." The next meeting will be an open one held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Stenken in two weeks.

**Springfield.**  
Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Haney visited in Lincoln this week.  
E. O. Jarman and family have moved to a farm near Ashland.

N. N. Christianson of Ashton, S. D., was the guest of N. J. Christianson.  
The Springfield high school debating team will debate with Schuyler March 12.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Cherry county are visiting here with their parents.  
Mrs. Fred Cockerill and children of Omaha are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cockerill.

Mrs. M. P. Goodrich of Los Angeles, Cal., who has been here several weeks, returned home last Monday.  
Andrew Martensen of Primrose, Neb., visited at the homes of his daughters, Mrs. Robert Keyes and Mrs. Chester Keyes.

Guy Jacob of Norfolk has charge of the high school for a month in place of Superintendent Simmons, who is sick with scarlet fever.  
A surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Ball last Sunday; it being the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. All of their children were present.

**Weeping Water.**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doty March 1, a boy.  
Mrs. Fred Clark and children of Union visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gibson visited Sunday at the S. A. Jackson home at Wabaunsee.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bricka of Lincoln former residents here, were visitors at the O. V. Boone home Sunday.

Among the high prices paid at Peter Miller's farm sale Tuesday was \$400 for a team and \$64 for a brood sow.

Riley Uecker has returned from Denver, where he has been spending several months with his son Frank.  
Mrs. John McKay has been called to Whitewood, S. D., to attend the funeral of her only brother, Major Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Day of Cambridge, Neb., visited Thursday at the home of Mr. Day's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Day.  
Rev. H. W. Cope, formerly pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church here, visited friends here Wednesday and Thursday. He is now preaching at Trumbull, Neb.

**Valley.**  
Mrs. A. L. Zwiebel, who has been quite seriously ill, is improving rapidly.  
Mrs. Ingram visited her daughter, Ethel M. Ingram, at Elk City this week.

Miss Ruth Hubbard and Miss Edith Lillifers spent the week and in Lincoln. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Yeager are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter February 28.

Mrs. Bert Dornia of Fremont spent several days with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Zwiebel, last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Warner went to Fremont Monday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Monford.

Mrs. Laurence Coy, who is in the Clark hospital, is recovering nicely from an operation on her appendix.  
Miss Dorothy Wahlberg, who is attending Omaha high school, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Harriet Wahlberg.

Mrs. Eva Harrier of Benson schools and Miss Bird Claybaugh of Ashland Park schools spent the week end in Valley.  
**Bennington.**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gus Paulsen, a girl.

Misses Neale and Killian of Irvington were here for the dance Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Soil are now employed on the Tyson farm near Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cunningham of Elkhorn visited here during the week.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Suverkrubke welcomed their first-born last Sunday, a fine baby boy.

Mr. Fred Bohl was married last Saturday to Miss Letitia Revenburgh of Albion. The wedding took place in Omaha and the young people left for Boone county for a short visit.  
Miss Louise Logemann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Logemann, was married

in Omaha Wednesday to Mr. Arthur Solte of Elkhorn. Mr. and Mrs. Solte will make their home in Elkhorn.  
Mr. and Mrs. August White have sold some of their town property to William Kempke of Elk City. The consideration was \$2,000. Mr. Kempke will retire from the farm and make his home here.

Herman and Peter Peterson, Mrs. Chris Stark, Mrs. P. C. Peterson and Mrs. Julius Gottsch are mourning the estate of their mother, Mrs. Frank, who died Sunday at Blair after a long illness with cancer of the stomach. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon.

**Elkhorn.**  
Malina Koerner has scarlet fever.  
Mrs. Edward Sacks is seriously ill at her home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Roberts moved to their home Saturday.

A baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pfeiffer Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Nolte of Bridgeport received here Tuesday morning.  
Mrs. George Cunningham went to Bennington Saturday to visit her sister.

Arthur Nolte and Miss Louise Logemann of Bennington were married Wednesday.  
Mrs. Amy Calvert entertained the T. S. club Wednesday. Delightful refreshments were served.

Miss Josephine Burk died Tuesday of pneumonia. The funeral was held at the Catholic church Thursday, with burial at Denton, Ia.  
A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Day, Mesdames Hooley, Day, Serus and Mockerman gave the party for Miss Emma Nolte, who will be married soon. Many beautiful and useful presents were received.

**COUNCIL BLUFFS MAN LOANS MONEY WITHOUT SECURITY**  
W. A. Knight of Council Bluffs reported to the police that while he was strolling along Twelfth and Douglas streets Thursday evening two strangers rudely accosted him and demanded money without offering any security or giving references. The strangers emphasized their demands by holding revolvers against the body of the Council Bluffs man, who gave over \$50. The police have descriptions of the highwaymen, who were not masked.

**PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS**  
Mrs. Katherine R. J. Elholm has returned from Lincoln and is confined to her room with an attack of la grippe.  
Senator Walter Kitchel of Johnson, candidate for lieutenant governor, was in Omaha Thursday ostensibly attending the cement show, but building a few fences for his candidacy incidentally.

**SHUN POOL HALLS, ADVISES BANDIT**  
Hands Out Wholesome Warning as He Starts to Pen to Serve a Long Term.  
SAYS THEY TRIM MANY YOUTHS

Walter Collins, confessed highwayman, who has been taken to the penitentiary to begin a three to twenty-year term, offered this advice to young boys, just before he left Omaha:  
"Keep away from pool rooms. Get a job that involves hard work. I played pinches all my life; now look at me. Booze and women ain't one-two-three alongside of the average pool hall where young fellows go to loaf."

"I got to be a highwayman after I graduated. My buddy died in Kansas City three months ago a maniac because he couldn't get coke. The pool halls trimmed both of us guys, and it's trimmed lots of others, too, you bet."

Collins was shot twice while making a get-away from a saloon he was trying to rob.

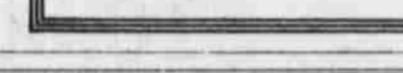
**NINE NEW SCARLET FEVER CASES ARE REPORTED**  
The following cases of scarlet fever have been reported to the health officer during the last twenty-four hours:  
— Bloom, 326 Seward.  
— Arthur Brown, 308 North Twenty-first.  
— Robert Ivey, 432 North Twenty-sixth.  
— Anthony, 408 Burt.  
— Changelstrom, 1019 Glenwood avenue.  
— Richard McNowa, 223 Cass.  
— Dowd, 2423 Templeton avenue.  
— Mrs. Carl Grace, 406 North Sixteenth (third floor).  
— Martin Peterson, 306 Parker.

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