

FIRST REAL MOVE FOR FREE BRIDGE

Bluffs Chamber of Commerce Starts Ball Rolling for New Span Across Missouri.

OMAHA'S HELP PROMISED

Business interests of Council Bluffs are unanimously in favor of a free bridge across the Missouri river, and will co-operate heartily with Omaha to bring it about.

The sentiment was evidenced in two meetings held yesterday in the Bluffs at which definite action was taken.

In the afternoon a committee of six members of the Omaha Commercial club met the special committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce and held a conference. The time was devoted entirely to the formation of plans for getting the bridge. Arrangements were made for a joint session of the Douglas county commissioners and the Pottawattamie county Board of Supervisors, whose duty it will be to submit the proposition of voting county bonds in the respective counties this fall.

Confer Again Next Week.

This conference will be held at the Council Bluffs Chamber of Commerce building next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The joint committee of the two organizations will also be present and take part. The conference will be a public affair and will be largely attended by Council Bluffs and Omaha business men.

The second meeting was held last evening. It was a general membership meeting, held in the Chamber of Commerce building, originally called for the purpose of making some changes in the constitution and by-laws of the organization, but the consideration of the free bridge matter took a prominent place. It was clearly realized that the only campaign work to be done related to arousing a friendly interest in the bond proposal, especially in the east end of the county. It was suggested that the number of automobiles now in the county should be sufficient to create a favorable attitude toward the bond issue that will insure a majority vote.

Question of Location.

The question of the location of the free bridge was brought up and all doubt set at rest about the possibility of having it placed somewhere in the vicinity of the present street railway bridge. Former Alderman Boyer quoted Judge Smith and others, pointing out that the matter of location rested with the secretary of war in regard to the matter of war and grant permission for a bridge at every street if he desired, provided they were not draw-bridges too close to permit operation.

The character of the bridge to be built and the material to be used were not discussed last night, neither was the proportion of the cost to be borne by the property owners on the Iowa side. These are matters for future consideration, but will undoubtedly be discussed at the meeting next Tuesday afternoon.

More Troops Sent Out to Hunt Villa

Chihuahua City, Mex., Aug. 3.—Fresh troops have been ordered in pursuit of Villa, General Jacinto Trevino announced tonight. General Fortunato Maycotte, with a brigade of cavalry, has been ordered to make his way west and south from Durango City to Mapimi and there take up the chase.

General Huerta Vargas, with a brigade from Saltillo, has been ordered south to assist in the policing of the Durango-Chihuahua border.

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TWINS LIKE HANSCOM PARK PLAYGROUNDS—Twelve pairs are regular visitors, and the seven below were caught by The Bee Photographer on the grounds at the same time.



A remarkable thing about the Hanscom park playgrounds is that they are used by twelve sets of twins. The smallest pair are only 6 months old and have to come out in the arms of their parents. But all the rest are of walking age and can negotiate the see-saws, slide and swings. Some of the twins are now out of town on their vacations. One pair was in Sand-Man Land when the picture was taken. But here are seven pairs—count 'em—seven. One pair, Sarah Bell and Violet McGowan, are the grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. George Joslyn.

SLEEP AT SWITCH AND KOENIG SAILS

Captain Hinsch of the German Liner Neckar Details Going of Deutschland.

ELUDES ALL ENEMIES

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 3.—The allied cruisers patrolling the entrance to Hampton Roads to prevent the departure of the German submarine Deutschland still were in position within sight of shore during today, and there was nothing to indicate that they were aware of the passage of the Deutschland out through the capes last night. Marine men here believed the submarine had entirely eluded the war vessels and was safely on its way across the Atlantic on its return voyage to Germany.

Captain Hinsch of the war-bound German liner Neckar, who, on board the tug Thomas F. Timmins, directed the departure of the Deutschland, said today that the submersed vessel was within 100 yards of a United States destroyer on neutrality duty about a mile off the capes. He also disclosed that the submarine submerged twice on its way down the bay to test its engines.

Hinsch Tells the Story.

"When we came to a stop at a point in the bay, which I shall not disclose because we probably shall have to use the place again," said Captain Hinsch, "the pilot aboard the submarine was taken off. It was then about 5 o'clock in the evening. The submarine was submerged so that its machinery and pumps could be tested and the cargo trimmed should that be necessary. The boat went down in a deep hole in the bay to a depth of 135 feet, remaining there for some time.

"When it came to the surface again Captain Koenig came up through the conning tower and said that everything was working perfectly. We started off down the bay and when no traffic was in sight the Deutschland took another dive while running. It went down until four inches of its periscope was showing above the

water. Then I dropped behind to see at what distance the wake of the Deutschland or the foam crest of the periscope could be seen. At 400 yards with glasses I could not see a thing.

In Perfect Condition.

"The tests having proved that the Deutschland was in perfect condition we went into a place to hide for a while. We were well hidden, too. Anyone would have had great difficulty in finding us.

"In the afternoon we started for the capes and you know how the better part of the trip was made. The destroyers were passed in the dark. As soon as the men on the bridge sighted the lights of the Timmins they watched us closely and looked all around for the submarine, which passed them at a distance of only 100 yards. At the time the submarine was submerged until its decks were awash.

"Later, when I reported to the destroyer that the Deutschland had cleared the capes and was on its way to sea, the officers aboard seemed most surprised. They had not observed it at all. So you see that the British and French cruisers off shore hadn't the slightest chance of finding the Deutschland."

Hears Order to Dive.

Captain Hinsch added that after the officers and members of the crew had given three cheers for America, he heard Captain Koenig give the order,

"diving stations." At that time the vessels were about a mile off the capes. The submarine increased its speed and the men aboard the Timmins, which had stopped, watched it as it sped for the open sea. A mile away all lights suddenly disappeared.

Captain Hinsch said he knew the vessel submerged at that time, when a mile inside the three-mile limit. He added it would be unwise for him to disclose whether the vessel went up or down the coast before striking out to sea, or whether it took an easterly course straight out.

Captain Hinsch returned to Baltimore tonight, leaving the Timmins in Norfolk with instructions to pick up a tow for Baltimore if one could be secured within a day or two.

Lindauer Eliminates Lockhorn of Chicago

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 3.—Al Lindauer, Chicago, eliminated Clifford Lockhorn, Kansas City, Missouri valley champion, today in their fifth round match, 7-5, 6-1, in the Missouri state tennis tournament here. By his victory Lindauer goes into the semifinals.

Another upset was the defeat of Eugene Monett, Norman, Okl., and Kenneth Uhl, Kansas City, by Fred Williams, Kansas City, and J. G. Cox, Springfield, Mo., in first round doubles.

NO CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENTIAL RACE

Bull Moosers Meet and Decide to Make a Campaign for Parker.

THERE IS TALK OF TRAITOR

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 3.—Plans for the reorganization and perpetuation of the progressive party as a national political organization were adopted tonight at a conference of bull moose representatives here. The conference, after a heated discussion, decided it would be impracticable at this late date to reassemble the progressive national convention and fill

the vacancy on the national ticket caused by Theodore Roosevelt's declination of the nomination. Instead, the organization will put up a electoral ticket in every state where there is the nucleus of an organization left, bearing the name of John M. Parker of Louisiana, nominee for vice president, in the hope of electing perhaps enough presidential electors, who might prove the balance of power in the event of a close contest between the two parties.

Among the states in which this plan will be carried out are Louisiana, Maryland, Missouri, Wisconsin, Michigan, Utah, North Dakota and Minnesota.

J. A. H. Hopkins of New Jersey was chosen treasurer of the rehabilitation bull moose party and Matthew Hale of Massachusetts, vice chairman of the national committee, will be in active charge of the campaign.

An executive committee of fifteen

members will be named by Vice Chairman Hale to co-operate with the fifteen members of the national committee who refused to vote for the endorsement of Charles E. Hughes in Chicago June 26 in rehabilitating the party.

Meets After November.

This committee will meet after the November election to formulate plans for the perpetuation of the party. These plans may include some kind of an amalgamation with the prohibitionist, socialist and woman's parties.

Edwin M. Lee of Indiana, A. D. Norton of Missouri, Bainbridge Colby of New York, C. F. Hoffman of Michigan, Harold Moise of Louisiana and C. W. McClure of Georgia were named members of the executive committee. The other members will be announced by Vice Chairman Hale in a few weeks.

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Mr. Lajer will be president of the reorganized company. M. E. Murphy will be vice president, E. W. Mulligan secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Beaton a director.

The firm will shortly occupy the store room in the north of its present quarters, now held by Magee & Deemer. This will double its ground floor display room, restoring it to the size it had prior to 1912.

Mr. Lajer is to go to Grand Rapids Saturday on a buying trip.

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 - Fumed Oak Chair, to match..... **\$2.95**
 - Child's Lawn Swing..... **\$2.75**
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