

SUFFRAGISTS HAVE THREE-SIDED DEBATE

Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Brown and Miss Clay Discuss State and Federal Plans of Attack.

BIG CONVENTION OPENS

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 6.—A debate on the question of whether the National American Woman Suffrage association should drop its work for state amendments and concentrate its efforts on a federal amendment was a feature of the opening session of the association's annual convention here today.

Mrs. Ida Husted Harper of New York, as leader of the "federal amendment" forces, argued in the affirmative, while Miss Laura Clay of Lexington, Ky., argued in favor of confining the fight to individual states; a third debater, Mrs. Raymond Brown of New York, took a middle ground in favor of both federal and state work.

Mrs. Harper declared that the association should concentrate on the Susan B. Anthony federal amendment and the work in the individual states be discontinued.

"We have now obtained enough equal suffrage states to make our pressure a national political issue," Mrs. Harper said, "to force it everywhere by the platform of all five of the parties; to persuade a presidential candidate to declare for the federal amendment which his party was too boss-ridden to favor; to compel the president of the United States to reverse his own attitude completely and deny the platform on which he was elected, and to wrest from a reluctant congress a vote in both houses and to secure it so badly that it has resorted to every subterfuge known in order not to put itself on record again before election."

"Have we not now reached a point where we can stop these minor attacks on our opponents' right and left wings and march our forces straight up to the congressional trenches, where the main body of the enemy lies concentrated?"

Mrs. Harper named as opponents "The corporations, the liquor and other vice interests."

Mrs. Brown for joint action.

The suffragists are to win their fight for women in this country both the federal and state campaigns must continue unabated, in accordance with the present policy of the National Woman Suffrage association, Mrs. Raymond Brown of New York declared.

"When the last group of states was won in 1913 and 1914 the federal amendment came into the immediate foreground of national politics," Mrs. Brown continued, "and there is no doubt it is going to be passed before many years. When it has been passed by both houses of congress, however, the fight has only just begun. Not a woman will be enfranchised until it is ratified by three-fourths of all the states. This means that it is of the utmost importance to strengthen our state organizations. Of course we must go on working as hard as ever before we can expect to secure the passage of the federal amendment, but at the same time we must try to win new states and to prepare the states for ratification. We must go on working inside the separate states building up state organizations, and we must win more suffrage states."

Miss Clay for States' Rights.

The constitutional amendment which Susan B. Anthony proposed, which would franchise all the women in the country, is "by no means necessary to the success" of the cause of equal suffrage, but the campaign ought rather to be conducted in the individual states, said Miss Laura Clay of Lexington, Ky.

Miss Clay spoke as the leader of the "state rights" forces. In arguing that the association should confine its activities to state legislation, she declared that the federal amendment was "an ally advocated chiefly as a means of saving time and labor; in a word, a 'cut' to woman suffrage."

The Anthony amendment is a repetition of the Fifteenth, with the substitution of the word 'sex' for 'race, color or previous condition of servitude.' Before it can become law it must be ratified by the legislatures of thirty-six states. It is hardly to be supposed that the coerced states now will subscribe voluntarily to a principle which they rejected formerly.

"Nothing but coercion made the Fifteenth amendment possible, and what reason have we to suppose that anything less than coercion will pass the Anthony amendment?"

Retail Credit Men Hear About Handling Credits

A general discussion of the subject, "Credit, Its Use, Abuse and Proper Handling," features the meeting and dinner of the retail credit men of Omaha at the Paxton hotel Tuesday evening.

The work and objects of the Provident Loan society were explained in a paper read by W. E. Palmeter. He told of the good being done by this and other remedial loan associations throughout the country.

The National Capital

"LOOKING DOWN IN THE MOUTH" THE RULE AT OMAHA SCHOOLS—Under the new rules all pupils must undergo examination before being admitted to class rooms. The illustration shows a trained nurse at Commercial High school examining throats of pupils.



SUPER-ZEPPELINS TO CROSS ATLANTIC

Giant Dirigibles Being Built to Carry Mail from Germany to United States.

MAKE RUN IN 72 HOURS

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Two double Zeppelins, unarmed and each with a carrying capacity of sixty tons, have been built in Germany to carry mail between Berlin and the United States, according to statements here today by Morris Epstein, agent of the German-American alliance, who returned from Europe today.

Epstein said the Zeppelins had been christened "Amerika" and "Deutschland." They can make the aerial voyage between Berlin and New York in seventy-two hours, he said.

Four Damage Suits In District Court

Because he was hit by a lead pipe on the left side of the median line at the junction of the left parietal with the occipital bone, Mike Koma has brought suit for \$1,804.55 damages against the Armour Packing company.

Valentine's Estate Goes to Young Son

Chicago, Sept. 6.—The bulk of the fortune of Patrick A. Valentine, former vice president of Armour & Co., who died at his summer home at Oconomowoc on August 21, was left to his only son, Patrick A. Valentine.

Southern Kitchen is New Feature at Hotel

"Cawn pone an' chicken gravy an' spring chicken fried in butter, dat's what we all are givin' you," was the greeting extended to about 200 Omaha business men by "Aunt Dinah" when they hastened to the southern kitchen at the Hotel Fontenelle.

Corn Crop Nearly Safe From Frost

Washington, Sept. 6.—Corn had favorable weather for maturing in the central and upper Mississippi valley during the week just ended and the crop is fast nearing the point of safety from frost damage, according to the national weather and crop bulletin issued today.

Two Go Into District Court to Secure Divorces

Herman Rick, for eighteen years a resident of Douglas county, has filed a petition asking divorce from his wife, Grace. They were married March 11, 1915. Extreme cruelty is charged.

Palma Larson Griffin Asks Divorce from Walter Chapman Griffin on the Grounds of Cruelty.

Palma Larson Griffin asks divorce from Walter Chapman Griffin on the grounds of cruelty. They were married December 24, 1915. She also asks that her husband be restrained from annoying her and requests that her maiden name, Palma Larsen, be restored.

Congress of British Labor Declares for Protection Principle

Birmingham, England, Sept. 6.—The Trades Union congress, representing nearly 2,500,000 organized workers of Great Britain, took an important and unexpected step today by adopting, with a majority of more than 1,000,000 votes, a resolution virtually endorsing the principle of protection.

The resolution asks for "the adoption of methods for restricting or preventing the importation of cheap manufactured goods produced at lower rates of wages and under worse labor conditions than prevailing in this country."

Although these words themselves accept the principle of a protective tariff wall, the protectionists among the labor delegates and in other circles are not inclined to regard the workmen as having been won over to a complete change from free trade.

One of the labor members of the House of Commons said the meaning of the resolution was merely that measures should be taken to investigate the origin of goods and conditions under which they are produced with a view of preventing the unloading of cheap goods in this country after the war, which is much feared.

FARM PRESIDENTS ARE BACKING POPE

Texas Man Who Protested Eight-Hour Law Supported by Farmers.

ACTION AT NEW ORLEANS

New Orleans, La., Sept. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Henry N. Pope of Texas was elected president today of the Association of State Presidents of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Unions of America, an organization of state farmers' union presidents which just closed a three days' session in this city.

There are thirty states organized in the union with a following of 6,000,000 farmers. The association affirmed President Pope's stand in opposing the eight-hour law recently enacted by congress and passed resolutions approving his message sent to President Wilson asking that the entire labor controversy be arbitrated.

An agricultural transportation commission was created to study the transportation problem from the standpoint of the farmer. The commission was instructed to appear before any tribunal having authority to deal with matters of transportation and to represent the farmer. The keynote of the convention was co-operation. All agencies seeking to aid agriculture were invited to work through farm organizations.

The principal work of the organization during the next year will be to improve present marketing methods through better storage and financial facilities to otherwise to promote the business side of farming. An organized effort will be made to improve cultural methods, to encourage scientific farming, diversification, increase and improve live stock production and combat crop pests and live stock diseases.

Mail Carrier Badly Hurt By Fall Against Curbing

George Anderson, aged 62 years, a mail carrier living at 3026 Sprague street, slipped on a melon peel at Eleventh and Howard streets, striking the back of his head on the curbing. He received a deep and painful wound.

WHEN YOU WAKE UP DRINK GLASS OF HOT WATER

Wash the poisons and toxins from system before putting more food into stomach.

Says inside-bathing makes any-one look and feel clean, sweet and refreshed.

For Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Here in America there is much suffering from catarrh and head noises. American people would do well to consider the method employed by the English to combat this insidious disease.

For every ounce of food and drink taken into the stomach, nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out of the body. If this waste material is not eliminated day by day it quickly ferments and generates poisons, gases and toxins, which are absorbed or sucked into the blood stream, through the lymph ducts, which should suck only nourishment to sustain the body.

A splendid health measure is to drink, before breakfast each day, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless way to wash these poisons, gases and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs but very little at the drug store, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on inside-bathing. Men and women who are accustomed to wake up with a dull, aching head or have furred tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, shallow complexion, others who have bilious attacks, acid stomach or constipation, are assured of pronounced improvement in both health and appearance shortly.—Adv.

JOINT COMMISSION EXCHANGES VIEWS

Summary of First Session's Proceedings Given Out by Cabrera and Lane.

NEXT MEETING ON FRIDAY

New London, Conn., Sept. 6.—An exchange of views in which consideration was given to the "growth, control and strength of the constitutional government" in Mexico, marked the first formal conference here today of the Mexican and American commissioners appointed to bring about an amicable and permanent settlement of international difficulties.

A summary of the proceedings, issued at the conclusion of the meeting, alluded to the defacto Mexican government as having "become every day stronger during the last two years and in particular since the recommitment" of the government. This summary, agreed upon by Luis Cabrera and Franklin K. Lane, chairman of the Mexican and American delegates, respectively, follows:

"This morning's session lasted three hours, during which Mr. Cabrera presided. The first matter of importance was the presentation of mutual credentials. In accordance with the Mexican form of opening conferences, Mr. Cabrera made a declaration of the purpose of the Mexican members of the commission, saying it was their duty to fulfill in every way possible the great responsibility cast upon them by First Chief Carranza, and that they all stood committed to giving their full powers to bringing to a conclusion this conference in such a manner as would be most profitable to Mexico and the United States. After that, Mr. Cabrera stated that it was the desire of the Mexican members of the commission that the fullest information should be given to the commission regarding all matters involved and that they were quite ready to meet the Americans in a spirit of utmost frankness."

"The members of the commission then exchanged views in general about the situation in Mexico and especially on the border, with the view to making a preparatory study of the subject. During the conference the commissioners reviewed the growth, control and strength of the constitutional government, which has become every day stronger during the last two years and in particular since the recognition of the constitutional defacto government, showing that order was being established throughout the republic, being extended, etc."

The six commissioners and two secretaries attend the conference, at the conclusion of which the party returned to the presidential yacht Mayflower, to spend the afternoon cruising. The next meeting will be held on Friday.

Movements of Ocean Steamships.

Table listing ship arrivals and departures: New York, G. Verdi, America, Philadelphia, Liverpool, Teucer, Kirkwall, Stockholm, Bergen, Bordeaux, Lafayette, La Tourelle, Glasgow, California.

BARGAIN BLOOD. If you have any rich, red, sparkling, bargain blood in your arteries and veins, you will want to attend the Rubber Goods Sale, which commences at 8 a. m. Saturday morning, September 9, at the four Sherman & McConnell Drug Stores.

Guaranteed rubber goods will be sold at just about half regular prices. About \$2,000 worth in all will be placed on sale, comprising nearly 1,000 different items.

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War Summary

WHILE THE GERMANS WERE making attack after attack south of the Somme last night seeking to recover ground won by the French in their latest advance, the British struck another blow north of the river. An official announcement from London says all of Leuze wood, part of which was captured yesterday, is now in possession of the British. Fighting continues between Leuze wood and Comblis.

THE ATTACKERS SOUTH of the Somme were delivered between Ducloux and Berny. Although German infantry charged repeatedly its efforts, the Paris war office announced, were broken by the French fire. In the Verdun sector the Germans prepared an attack against Fleury, but the Paris communication says French quick fires prevented them from debouching.

RUSSIAN PRESSURE is being maintained on the Austro-German lines in Volynia and eastern Galicia and violent fighting continues. Petrograd announces 4,000 prisoners have been taken along the lower Gorodnka river southeast of Lemberg. ACCOUNTS OF THE INVASION of Romania, the eastern portion of Roumania, by Bulgarian and German troops at the end of August, Roumanian statements report that the invaders have been checked and that the entire Dobruja frontier is in possession of the Roumanians. Recent German and Bulgarian statements have reported the capture of several Roumanian towns in the Roumanian forces.

ALL OMAHA GOING TO THE STATE FAIR

Commercial Club Expects to See Mark of Last Year Bettered on Omaha Day.

LIVE STOCK MEN DELAYED

With all reports indicating that the highways between Omaha and Lincoln are in excellent condition, the belief now is that a large crowd from Omaha will attend the State fair at Lincoln today, Omaha day.

Two girls at the Commercial club were put to work yesterday calling up the club members to learn how many were going. Favorable responses were received from a large number, although many could not tell this morning how their affairs would line up tomorrow for the trip.

The entertainment committee of the club also is working on the membership to get out as many as possible for the big Omaha day.

There were 2,500 Omahans on the fair grounds at Lincoln last year on Omaha day, and the committee hope to see that figure surpassed this year.

The South Side fellows may have to delay their trip to Lincoln until Friday. This is due to the settling of the strike situation, which has resulted in the arrival of heavy runs of live stock the latter part of the week instead of in the fore part. Ordinarily the heavy runs come on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. By Thursday the cattlemen in the yards expect the run to begin to slacken. This week, however, the shippers in the range country failed to get their stock to town and loaded in time to arrive at the market early in the week.

La Follette and Phillip Nominated for Senate

Milwaukee, Sept. 6.—United States Senator Robert M. La Follette and Governor Emanuel L. Phillip, conservative republican, were nominated, according to incomplete returns from Wisconsin's primary election held yesterday. A very light vote was polled. La Follette apparently has a lead over Malcolm G. Jeffris, conservative republican of several thousand votes and estimates are being made that give him anywhere from 10,000 to 25,000 majority.

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