

CONFERENCE OF PRESBYTERIANS TO BE HELD HERE

Omaha is Regional Headquarters for New Era Movement; Prominent Men Will Attend.

Omaha has been made headquarters for the states of Nebraska and Iowa for the New Era Movement of the Presbyterian churches of the United States, and one of the great conferences which are planned in launching the movement will be held here on February 9 and 10. This meeting will bring several of the most prominent speakers of the Presbyterian church in the United States, and will be attended by delegates from practically all the churches of the denomination in the two states.

The day sessions of the conference will be held in the First Presbyterian church on Farnam street. For the night rallies the Brandeis theater has been engaged.

The speakers at the conference will be as follows:

Dr. J. Frank Smith, moderator general assembly; Dr. William H. Foulkes, general secretary New Era Movement; Dr. John A. Marquis, general secretary board of home missions; Charles N. Womcott, associate general secretary New Era Movement; Dr. W. E. Biederwolf, noted evangelist; Dr. G. E. Mahy, secretary general assembly committee; David McConaughy, secretary bureau of stewardship; Dr. John McDowell, member general assembly commission; Dr. A. W. Halsey, secretary board foreign missions; Charles M. Alexander, noted evangelist.

Plans for this meeting are in charge of the following committee of Omaha people, who are expecting that it will be one of the greatest religious gatherings ever held here:

The Omaha Conference Committee: N. H. Loomis, Chairman; Dr. W. H. Kearns, Secretary; H. R. Bowen, Chairman Music Committee; Mrs. H. E. Maxwell, Chairman Women's Committee; Frank E. Mayer, Chairman Publicity Committee; Dr. A. F. Ernst, Chairman of the Pastor's Committee; Alexander Grey, Chairman of Arrangements Committee; Kenneth Finlayson, Chairman Finance Committee; Dr. Edward H. Jenks, Pastor Host.

The New Era Movement has been started by the Presbyterian church for the purpose of enlisting the membership in the great task of reconstruction, and of putting the financial budget of the church on a basis commensurate with the work to be undertaken. The program continues through April.

Clever Victimization of Stores Charged Against Woman 21 Years Old

After a two-week period of victimizing big Omaha stores, and siding by police to be among the cleverest of women specialty criminals, Mrs. Marie Littlejohn, 21 years old, on Saturday, was arrested Thursday on a charge of obtaining merchandise under false pretenses.

The woman, the officers say, operated with the aid of a confederate, who obtained a job in the book-keeping department of a store and supplied the key numbers of charge accounts of wealthy families.

With the aid of the names and key numbers Mrs. Littlejohn is said to have obtained merchandise valued at more than \$200 from the Brandeis stores alone.

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AMERICAN "ACE" COMING HOME AS MAJOR.



MAJOR MEISSNER
Capt. James A. Meissner, of Brooklyn, N. Y., noted American flying "ace" was promoted to the rank of major on October 23, according to a cable dispatch received from Paris. Meissner entered the aviation service as a lieutenant and was promoted to captain on October 3 last. He is the holder of the French war cross and has eight Hun machines to his credit. The dispatch added that Major Meissner is now on his way home.

MEMORIAL FOR ROOSEVELT BY JEWISH PEOPLE

Gov. S. R. McKelvie, Victor Rosewater and Others Will Address Meeting in the Auditorium.

Governor McKelvie and Lt. Gov. Barrows make their first public appearance in Omaha since assuming office, Sunday evening in the municipal Auditorium, as chief speakers at the Roosevelt memorial meeting arranged by the Jewish welfare board and Young Men's Hebrew association. The gathering will be a large one.

Victor Rosewater, editor of The Bee, will relate personal reminiscences of the late Colonel Roosevelt. Mayor Smith, Isidor Ziegler and Henry Monsky will deliver memorial addresses. Harry Lapidus and William Holman have arrangements for the meeting in charge.

Forefathers' Day Set for February 19 by Congregationalists

The board of directors of the Missouri Valley Congregational union at a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Thursday night, accepted the resignation of Rev. Frederick W. Leavitt, who has been superintendent of the organization during the past six months. Mr. Leavitt plans to return to the regular work of the ministry.

Regular monthly reports of the officers of the union showed its financial condition good, and some excellent work being done in spite of the handicaps from flu and other unfavorable circumstances.

Dr. Frank G. Smith, pastor of First Central Congregational church was elected moderator to take the place made vacant by the resignation of Rev. W. S. Hampton and the death of A. W. Carpenter.

A committee to suggest changes in the plan of work, and to name a new superintendent was appointed as follows: Dr. Frank G. Smith, Rev. J. L. Blanchard, E. L. Potter, W. S. Sheldon, and J. D. Kuykendall.

The date for the Forefathers' Day celebration for the Congregational people of this section, was fixed for February 19. At that time Dr. Smith will deliver the address.

Arrest First "Panhandler"

Since Work or Fight Order

Edward Carter, address everywhere, said by police to be a professional "panhandler," the first arrested in Omaha since the work-or-fight order last year, was given a 30-day jail sentence in police court this morning.

"What're you up for," asked Judge Fitzgerald when the alleged "panhandler" appeared. "Nothin', yer honor," was Carter's reply.

"That's just it," answered the judge, "we'll give you 30 days for it."

Carter was plying his trade at Sixteenth and Farnam streets at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon when arrested. Patrolman Munch, the arresting officer, said Carter was the "fastest worker he ever saw."

Carter had a pocketful of nickels and dimes when searched at the jail.

CENTRAL HIGH TO GRADUATE 45 PUPILS JAN. 24

Thirteen, All Girls, Will Receive Diplomas from South High; Play to Be Presented.

Forty-five of the mid-term graduates of the Central and South High schools will receive diplomas Friday night, January 24, at the First Methodist church, Twentieth and Davenport streets, after listening to the commencement address by Superintendent of Schools John Withers of St. Louis. Thirteen students, all girls, will be graduated from the High School of Commerce which is 21 girls from the Central High. The High school of commerce, which is operating under the quarterly system, will not have a graduating class until April. The Benson High school will have no graduates this January, but expects to have a large class in June.

A play will be presented by the South High graduates sometime during commencement week. Prof. E. R. Misner is coaching the players. Rev. C. C. Wilson of the South

Side Methodist church will preach the baccalaureate sermon on the evening of January 19.

The graduates from the Central High school will be: Atkinson, Marie; McCoy, Gwendolyn; Atkinson, Paul; Okun, Samuel; Bergers, Genevieve; Osgald, Gwendolyn; Crowell, Christopher; Parker, Chas.; Dowling, Marion; Frazier, Elizabeth; Du Rae, Bernice; Stein, Lottie; Edwards, Albert C.; Stoltenberg, Harry; Fox, Cecelia; Schaefer, Earl; Holm, Elton; Tennant, Katharine; Hood, Florence; Timberlake, Blanche; Jantick, Joseph; Turquist, Ruth; Jones, Flora; Leach, Helen; Leach, Muriel; Lipp, Eva; Winthrop, Miriam; Matthews, Tom; Zachas, Ernest; Metz, Louis A.

Fred Boisen, Manager Atlas Tank Company, Dies

Fred Boisen, for many years a resident of Omaha, died Wednesday night at his place of residence on South Thirty-second avenue.

For a number of years Mr. Boisen was Omaha manager for the Atlas Tank company, with offices in the W. O. W. building. He was unmarried and is survived by a number of Omaha relatives, including Louis Boisen, formerly jeweler for Fred Brodegaard company. Funeral services will be held at Hulst & Rippen undertaking parlors Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

HOWARD FINDS NEBRASKA VERY PROSPEROUS

Says Farmers in Western Part of the State Had Big Crops and Received High Prices.

"It is doubtful if there is any locality in the United States, and for that matter, in the world, that is more prosperous than western Nebraska," said S. B. Howard, immigration agent for the Burlington, who is in from an extended trip out in the state. According to Mr. Howard farmers of the state, especially those in the western portion, raised pretty close to a bumper crop of small grain and corn. Generally they marketed the same at top prices and consequently have plenty of money. They have been selling their hogs and cattle at high prices and have done well with all of the livestock. The winter has been ideal and just the kind needed to assure a bountiful crop during the coming year. The potato industry is moving along in a most satisfactory manner, says Mr. Howard, and numerous producing wells are being sunk all

through the lake country. As a result of the available supply of brine, at a number of the towns, preparations are being made to install evaporating plants and have them in operation early next spring. Mr. Howard asserts that Nebraska potato producers are not worried over the possibility of German potato again coming into the United States to be sold in competition with the product of this state. After making an investigation, he gathers the information that the Nebraska product can be sold at as low prices as that exported from Germany, and then pay the producers a big profit.

Twenty Horses Burn and 24 Horses Saved When Old Barns Burn

Twenty horses were destroyed and 24 horses were rescued during a fire which consumed two barns at Twenty-first and Nicholas streets at 3:30 yesterday morning. The horses were owned by Collins and Mace who rented one of the barns. L. A. Meeker, J. B. Southworth and L. G. Vernor were also interested in the loss. The Southworth family of four members were awakened by Patrolman Nicholas Heroltich. A third barn was saved from destruction. The block between Coming and Nicholas streets, Twentieth to Twenty-first streets was threatened. The barns were old structures, having served for street car horses many years ago.

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Men's Fur and Fur Lined Coats, Half Price

You can choose any of these offerings with eyes shut and be safe on quality.

Fur Lined Coats At Half Regular Prices

Rat Lined Coats, Marmot Lined Coats, Mink Lined Coats, Hudson Seal Lined Coats.

Collars of Persian Lamb, Hudson Seal, Beaver, Unplucked Otter and Nutria—plain block kersey shell; all sizes; reduced prices as follows:

- \$175 Fur Lined Coats, now \$75.00
- \$150 Fur Lined Coats, now \$75.00
- \$125 Fur Lined Coats, now \$62.50
- \$100 Fur Lined Coats, now \$50.00
- \$85 Fur Lined Coats, now \$42.50
- \$75 Fur Lined Coats, now \$37.50
- \$65 Fur Lined Coats, now \$32.50
- \$60 Fur Lined Coats, now \$30.00
- \$55 Fur Lined Coats, now \$27.50
- \$50 Fur Lined Coats, now \$25.00
- \$40 Fur Lined Coats, now \$20.00

6 Jap Mink Lined Coats, Formerly \$150, now \$75

Hudson Seal and Persian Lamb Collars; fine kersey shell, 52 inches long, very dressy.

3 Imported English Coats, now 197.50

Fine black Burberry broadcloth shell; blended squirrel lined, Persian lamb collar, belt back, slash pockets; exceedingly dressy for street wear; 48 inches long. If you want something fine, you should see these coats; \$395 value at 197.50

25 Chino Dog Coats, in a 1 sizes, full cut. Practical garments for rough wear, formerly \$30, now 15.00

One Imported Burberry Coat.

Color, dark green mixture; unplucked otter collar, full marmot lined, slash pockets; a practical auto coat; size 42; formerly 250.00, now 125.00

One Imported Burberry Coat.

In a dark Oxford gray mixture, marmot lined, one piece beaver collar, slash pockets, medium length; a beautiful coat; in size 40. Your chance to get a fine imported coat at half price; now priced at 137.50

One Imported Burberry Coat.

Mink collar, full lined, marmot fur. Heather brow color, slash pockets, size 42; a special order coat, made for a medium stout man; excellent for street or auto wear. Formerly 350.00, now at 175.00

One Imported Black Rat Coat.

Big full cut, fine for motoring or ranch, all prime hides, shawl collar, slash pockets, Skinner satin yoke and sleeves, wool serge body, lining underneath it; size 44, length 56 inches; 250.00 coat at 125.00

One Fine Nutria Auto Coat.

Skinner satin lined, all wool body lining, suitable for auto or street wear, size 44, length 54, shawl collar, slash pockets. Former price 235.00, now at 117.50

Two Black Hair Seal Coats.

Made especially for auto wear, very full cut, large shawl collar, Skinner satin lining, fine all wool serge body lining. A 150.00 coat at 75.00

One Northern Beaver Coat.

Auto style, a No. 1 grade, Skinner satin lining, large shawl collar, long slash pockets, size 54, length 56 inches; order for a large man. One of the handsomest beaver coats imaginable; come in and see it. A 600.00 coat for \$300

Northern Raccoon Coats

At Half Regular Prices

All wool serge body lining, Skinner satin lined yoke and sleeves, some of them are Skinner satin lined throughout. All of these coats are cut full for auto wear. Shawl collar, slash pockets, all sizes, 40 to 52 and 54 inches long. Be sure to secure one of these coats. We have thirteen—unlucky for the late fellow. Come in early and this will be your lucky number. At Just Half of these prices:

- 2 Coats at \$395 3 Coats at \$275
- 1 Coat at \$295 3 Coats at \$250
- 1 Coat at \$225 1 Coat at \$195
- 1 Coat at \$185 1 Coat at \$150

Three Imported Russian Calf Coats 67.50

Formerly \$135

Coats are cut very full, fine for all around wear; dark brown, sizes 44, 48, 52 and 54 inches long. Buy one of these coats to wear in the car, or if your driver needs a new coat be generous and buy him one that will last for years.

Two Very Fine Russian Calf Coats at 47.50

Formerly \$95

Auto cut style; rich dark brown shade, shawl collar, Skinner satin yoke and sleeve, and all wool serge body lining; sizes, 42 and 48 and 54 inches long. A very practical coat for a stock man. The price on these coats is less than materials and tailoring could be purchased for four years ago.

One Jap Mink Lined Coat

Persian lamb collar, black kersey shell. A very dressy coat for street wear. Size 38. Formerly \$175, now \$75.00



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Very Finest Overcoats at Reduced Prices.

Imported fabrics, O'Brien's Irish weaves, Burberry famous English garments, Crumbe Scotch coats, English imported hand woven tweeds, warm but light; America's best Worumb blanked back Friezes, Melton Cheviots, etc.

75.00 Coats at 60.00. 65.00 Coats at 50.00. 55.00 Coats at 50.00. 45.00 Coats at 37.50. 40.00 Coats at 32.50.

A Sale of 1,200 Pairs of Men's Gloves at 95c Per Pair

SAMPLES and broken lots of Men's Gloves, taken from our regular stock. Lots include guantlets, lined and unlined dress kid gloves, in cape leather, mocha and dress kid; shades are blacks, tans, grays and white full dress gloves. Lots include such well known brands as Perrins, Adlers, Updegraph and other famous makes. These gloves sold in our regular stock at 3.00, some even more; on sale Saturday, in Men's Building, at, per pair 95c



500 Pairs Men's Shoes

Made in the latest styles, in black and brown calf skin and vic kid; formerly priced at 6.00 and 8.00 per pair; all at one price Saturday. 4.95

Clearance of Men's Hats

In Two Groups 1.50 and 2.50

All odd lots of Men's high-grade Hats, all Fall and Winter styles, smooth felts and silk finished Hats; also stiff Hats; all sizes; 3.00, 4.00 and 5.00 values; 1.50 and 2.50 in two big lots, Saturday, at 1.50 and 2.50

Men's Winter Caps at Reduced Prices

1.25 and 1.50 Winter Caps, at 95c
Men's 1.00 Winter Caps, at 65c
Men's 3.00 and 3.50 Winter Caps, at 2.45

Men's and Boys' Caps at Reduced Prices

All odd lots of Men's, Boys' and Children's Hats and Caps; values to 50c; all in one lot, Saturday, at 19c
All the Boys' 1.50 and 2.00 Winter Caps, at 1.25
All the Boys' 2.50 and 3.00 Winter Caps, at 1.50

Army Shoes

In genuine Munson last, made up in good, heavy calf skin; special, at, per pair 6.50

Winter Underwear

For Men—Special Values

Union Suits in 2 Lots

WOOL mixed and fine combed cotton weaves; represented in this lot are such well known brands as Munsing, Manhattan, Chalmers and many other makes. Union suits in this assortment sold up to 4.00. All go in two big lots at—

1.95 and 2.50

Shirts and Drawers

WOOL and wool mixed, in tan, gray and random mixtures. Broken sizes, but all sizes represented in the lot. Values in this lot sold up to 3.50. On sale Saturday, at, per garment 1.95

