

MINISTERS AND LAYMEN LEARN HOW TO GET FUND

Methodists Apportionment for Nebraska and Iowa Centenary Movement is Hundred Million.

Instruction in means of raising Nebraska and Iowa's apportionment of the \$100,000,000 of the world centenary movement fund was imparted to 2,500 delegates at the Methodist conference yesterday by Rev. C. S. Ward, of New York, who won national prominence for organizing the first Red Cross drive for funds. "First-class organization was the first requisite," he said.

"The church loses none of its spirituality in campaigning for money," Dr. Ward asserted, in response to a question. "In fact the church would lose influence if it should neglect to raise money to carry on its work," he said.

Laymen Must Work.
"Don't be appalled by the great magnitude of the sum," the bigger task, the greater the success is the outcome. "Laymen must do the work," he said, "not shift the responsibility to the ministers."

Laymen who will give money freely to the church but who oppose their children's dedication to church work were scored by Rev. G. F. Ream of the life service department.

"You must create an atmosphere which will make it easy for young people to register the call to service they receive from God," he said.

Three hundred "minute men" attending the conference held a luncheon at the Rome hotel with Dr. C. F. Reiser as speaker. An equal number had luncheon at the Hotel Royal, with Dr. W. A. Brown, Dr. W. C. Hanson and Dr. John E. Hancher as speakers.

"Arousing and inspiring the church" was the theme of the afternoon session, at which Rev. W. E. Doughty presided.

Oppose Cigaret Law.
Preachers and laymen of the Nebraska Methodist church passed resolutions yesterday opposing the passage of House Roll 63 licensing the sale of cigarettes. They suggested that the present law be amended "so that it can be enforced the same as the present prohibition law."

Borden Refuses to Comment on Ambassadorship Report

Paris, Feb. 12.—Sir Robert Borden, the Canadian premier, when asked today regarding a report from London concerning his name with the British ambassadorship to the United States, thought a moment and replied with a smile:

"I do not believe I have any observations to make regarding the report."

While no official announcement has been made of the refusal of the British ambassadorship in Washington by Lord Robert Cecil, to whom it had been offered, it is known that Lord Robert is not inclined to accept the post for personal reasons.

Brief City News

Royal Sweepers, Burgess-Granden Co. Have Root Print It—Beacon Press.
Jeffers on Inspection Trip—General Manager Jeffers of the Union Pacific has gone out on an inspection of the lines of the St. Joseph road.

Dempsey is Ill—Assistant Chief of Police M. P. Dempsey is ill at his home with the "flu." He has been sick for three days and is now reported to be improving.

Services at Mission—Rev. W. F. Berts, of the Zion Baptist church, with his choir of 40 voices, will hold services at the Mid-west Gospel mission, 215 South Fourteenth street, to-night at 7:30 p. m.

Backer to Lecture—R. H. Backer, a representative of the Pittsburgh Bible House, will lecture in Labor Temple, Sixteenth and Capitol avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Brings Back Contract—E. A. McGlasson of the Harry A. Koch Co. returned Tuesday from Barnum, Neb., where he landed the contractor's bond on a new school building to be erected there at a cost of \$55,000.

Big Rotary Conference—Technically the Rotary conference to be held in Omaha, February 18 to 19, will be confined to the 16th district, but since the Transmississippi Re-adjustment congress meets in Omaha, February 18 to 20, with representation from the 22 states west of the Mississippi, the Rotary conference will actually take on a broader aspect.

"Spellin' Bees" Throughout Country to Be Held Friday

There are going to be "spellin' bees" next Friday in all the Omaha public schools. This is part of a movement all over the country. The same list of words will be used in each grade of each city and then a national comparison will be made on the spelling ability of pupils. Superintendent Beveridge says he knows Omaha children will give a good account of themselves.

Wade to Speak at Omaha Club Washington Dinner

Hon. Martin J. Wade, judge of the United States district court, southern division of Iowa, will be the distinguished guest and speaker at the annual Washington birthday dinner of the Omaha club Saturday evening. Ladies will be permitted to participate in the celebration of the occasion. A dance after 10 p. m. will conclude the celebration.

Gregory to Talk to the Members of State Bar

Stephen S. Gregory of Chicago, former president of the American Bar association will address the Nebraska State Bar association in the Creighton Institute of Law on February 20. His subject will be, "The Picturesque Chancellor."

Judge A. C. Wakeley of the State Bar association will speak on "Civil Liberty as An American Ideal."

Greybull, Wyo., Prepares for Rush in Oil Fields

Greybull, Wyo., Feb. 12.—Twenty new stills doubling the capacity of the Standard refinery here, will be completed within 60 days, if weather conditions do not interfere. Severe December weather delayed the concrete work and the delivery of material. All material is now here.

END CENTENARY MEETINGS WITH HUGE BANQUETS

3,000 Methodist Ministers and Laymen Attend Closing Sessions of World Program.

Omaha holds the honor of entertaining the largest of five sectional Methodist world program conventions in the centenary meeting which closed its two-day session Wednesday night with victory banquets in the First Methodist church and the Masonic Temple. Three thousand Iowa and Nebraska delegates attended. This statement was made by Jesse L. Murrell of Chicago and other of the centenary speakers.

One thousand laymen and women joined hands about the tables in the Masonic Temple dining hall at the close of the meeting and lifted their voices in hymns of praise for a successful convention. It was the largest banquet ever held in Omaha.

Four hundred ministers held a separate dinner in the Methodist church.

New Epoch in Methodism.

A new epoch in Methodism and the coming of a new ministry were heralded in the ministerial gathering.

"The call of the hour is for a new ministry with new standards, new programs of enterprise in the church and new passions to beget sons of the gospel," declared Rev. G. F. Ream. "The baptism of a new task has fallen upon the ministry."

"There is too much canned spiritualism and too much potentiality canned up in the laity," said Rev. Claudis B. Spencer. "These must be overcome in the new epoch."

Capt. William G. Hardy of St. Louis, in the uniform of the United States army, was given the greatest ovation in the laymen's meeting.

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International Aviation Conference Soon to Meet

Paris, Feb. 12.—An international aviation conference will be held in Paris within a few weeks to outline recommendations to the society of nations in order to make possible the resumption of civilian aerial service between the nations. The United States will be represented by Brig. Gen. Mason Patrick, Dr. Durand, of the national advisory committee on aeronautics and a naval officer.

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