

WOMEN TO HAVE PART TO PLAY IN VICTORY DRIVE

Fully Realize All Difficulties, But Plan to Organize More Thoroughly Than in Previous Campaigns.

Women are to be the optimists for the fifth Liberty loan drive. By combating criticism of Uncle Sam and the wave of unrest throughout the country, women of the nation will pave the way for the victory loan.

"We fully realize the difficulties we shall encounter in the next drive, but we are going to organize more thoroughly than ever to overcome these obstacles," said Mrs. George W. Fuller of Kansas City, tenth federal reserve district chairman in Omaha for the Nebraska women's committee meeting in the Fontenelle.

Bonds for Construction.

"We are going to make our slogan 'Bonds for Construction, not Destruction.' We feel that directing the public's attention to the things we have to be grateful and thankful for will insure the success of the new bond drive," said Mrs. Fuller.

Major Henry Speaks.

Maj. E. C. Henry, recently returned from overseas service, spoke at the conference dinner last night in the Fontenelle, in place of Mrs. Antoinette Funk of Chicago, vice chairman of the national women's committee, who was unable to come. Mrs. Fuller and Mrs. A. G. Peterson of Aurora, state chairman, also spoke.

More than 100 women, district and county chairmen, are in attendance at the conference, which closes Thursday afternoon. District chairmen registered Wednesday morning.

President Orders New Trial for 19 Convicted Soldiers

Washington, March 5.—In announcing today that President Wilson had set aside court-martial sentences and ordered new trials in the case of 19 negro soldiers tried at Camp Grant, Ill., in connection with an attack upon a woman, Secretary Baker said the judge advocate general had found undue haste in trying the men on the eve of their division's departure for France had deprived the accused of fundamental rights.

Fifty Cases of Smallpox Now Under Quarantine

The first case of influenza within six days was reported Wednesday morning to the health office. Fifty cases of smallpox are now under quarantine.

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AT THE THEATERS

"UNCLE SAMMY'S MINSTRELS," who open a three-day engagement at the Brandeis tonight, are an aggregation of soldier minstrels, one of the most unique groups of entertainers ever seen, and the "pep," spirit and dash that was characteristic of the A. E. F. will be present throughout the snappy minstrel show that will be given. "Every Star a Service Star" is right, for they are a galaxy of stars that put their stuff across just like the shells into Humland, only the explosions will be of laughter and mirth, no heartaches or sighs.

An attractive bill of variety greets Empress patrons today. A feature will be the laughing novelty offered by the Joe Bogany troupe, six male athletes of assorted sizes and weights who have one of the funniest comedy acrobatic novelties in vaudeville. Logan, Donn and Hazel have an offering on the sketch order. Corp. Joe Nathan is an entertainer and has a way of telling stories about army life that creates no end of merriment. Coley and Jaxon have a comedy offering replete with entertaining patter.

In grace and charm and ability the Barr Twins, who appear at the Orpheum this week, are much like the Dolly Sisters. They are especially pleasing in such dance numbers as "The Old-Fashioned Waltz" and "The Oriental Fan Tango." Another headline attraction is "The Vocal Verdict," presented in two scenes, by Maud Earl, a singer of distinction. Her repertory covers a wide range, from opera to simple ballads. Bessie Rimple in "A Child of Childe," a mystery farce by Tom Barry, is a conspicuous feature of the bill. The sale of seats for Gus Edwards' 1919 song revue, which comes next week, is brisk.

"Maytime," the phenomenal musical success, is to be seen at the Boyd next Sunday night for the week. The story is romance at its most improbable, and there is an adroit stage fallacy, if you will, in the ending. The cast includes John Charles Thomas, John Murray and Carolyn Thomas as the featured artists, and Russell Lannon, Howard Marsh, Esberg Wheeler, Ezra Walk, Alfred Hemming, Jennette Methven, Grace Studford, Isabelle Vernon, Tillie Salinger, Clarence Snyder, Betty Kirkbride and Odella Galvo (the Gypsy dancer) in other important roles. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

Much fun is injected into the joyous proceedings at the Gayety this week by Bessie La Von, a chorus girl with a truly leather-lunged voice. When she chirps her subcellular notes can be heard over the other 25 or 30 combined voices, and in the "pick-out" number, during which the various choristers have their individual chance at singing "Oh So Pretty," the audience is never satisfied until Miss La Von has her try at it. It is said that during the summer months she has a government position at a rocky point on the Atlantic coast where she substitutes for a fog-horn while the ship is in sight.

It is 17 years since Mr. Warfield first appeared in "The Auctioneer," which he will present at the Brandeis on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Despite changing tastes in things theatrical, his performance in the role of the old peddler, Simon Levi, continues to amuse playgoers as much as ever.

Mme. Frances Alda to Sing French and English Songs

Mme. Frances Alda, who will appear in recital at the Auditorium Friday evening March 7, will sing as a number in one of her groups the famous "Un bel di vengremo" (some day he'll come) from Mme. Butterfly. Other groups will include French, Norwegian, Finnish and English as well as songs of the more popular vein.

Another feature will be the beautiful decorations and lighting effects that have been installed for the automobile show and which will lend an artistic background and surrounding to the occasion.

Anderson Courts Trouble.

A. L. Anderson, 921 North Twenty-Seventh avenue, was booked at the police station last night on charges of drunkenness and carrying concealed weapons when he appeared and asked in a boisterous manner for his brother, Linn Anderson, 105 South Twelfth street, who had been held for investigation by federal authorities under the name of Lyman Anderson. Anderson protested he meant no harm. He is in the employ of the Milwaukee railroad.

Delegation from Denmark Reaches Peace Meeting

Paris, March 5.—The Danish delegation to the peace conference arrived here today and issued a statement declaring that the delegation represents all four political parties in Denmark, opposition as well as governmental.

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SENIORITY TO GOVERN IN NEW HOUSE PLACES

Western Representatives Enter Good-Natured Protest Over Cut and Dried Methods.

Washington Bureau, Omaha Bee. Washington, March 5.—With a desire to get majority committee places settled as expeditiously as possible, the committee on committees in the republican caucus met this morning and elected Representative Mann temporary chairman, although it had been the intention to elect Rep. J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania chairman of the committee.

A good-natured protest was entered by a number of western representatives at the cut and dried plan of the Mann followers and as a result Mann himself consented to serve.

One of the first things the committee did was to decide that the republican membership of the ten leading committees of the house should be continued as at present constituted, although Representative Longworth asked that the ways and means committee matter be passed over.

Congressman Mondell of Wyoming, who will be a candidate for floor leader, called Longworth's hand by saying that he had two motives in his opposition to present considerations. First, he wanted to beat Fordney of Michigan for the chairmanship of the ways and means committee to carry with it majority leadership.

Accepting Mondell's version as representing the true situation, the committee on committees at once decided that seniority should govern as to committee chairmanships which made Fordney the new chairman of the ways and means. Hansen of Iowa will preside over agriculture, Kennedy of Iowa over rivers and harbors, while Good of Iowa will get the important chairmanship of appropriations.

What Nebraska Wants.

The afternoon session of the committee was given over largely to hearing nominations of representatives of state delegations for committee places for their colleagues.

Among other things the committee on committees did was to select chairmanships for other important committees. Judge Kinkead of the Sixth Nebraska district was given the chairmanship of the committee on irrigation of arid lands. Although he was also the ranking member on invalid pensions he chose irrigation, a subject upon which he is regarded as an authority.

Canvass Situation.

Towner of Iowa was given the chairmanship on insular affairs, subject, of course, to the caucus action.

While no effort was made today to select a majority leader, Mr. Mann declaring himself wholly out of consideration, the supporters of Mondell of Wyoming, Moore of Pennsylvania and Longworth of Ohio were busy canvassing the situation.

Trial of Alleged Ex-Convict for Murder of Nebraskan

Los Angeles, Cal., March 5.—(Special Telegram).—Charged with murder, Earl Klynshire, alleged ex-convict and frequently arrested for carrying concealed weapons, according to the police, went on trial at a preliminary hearing today for slaying M. E. Brink, wealthy Homer, Neb., rancher on the night of February 9, in a Los Angeles hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Rustad, who conducted the hotel, were the state's main witnesses.

Housing Question Discussed.

The status of proposed legislation affecting the Omaha Real Estate board, especially the license question, was reported by George T. Morton and Paul W. Kuhns at a realtors' meeting in the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday noon. Morton and Kuhns went to Lincoln Tuesday to investigate.

PORK EMBARGO LIFTED; PRICES LIKELY TO RISE

ly to the United Kingdom, France, Italy, Belgium, Japan or Greece or their colonies, possessions or protectorates under the special export license issued February 26.

Officials of the food administration had expected to reach an agreement before the first of the month on continuance of minimum prices for hogs, but after conferences with the war trade board and President Wilson it was announced no decision would be possible until the president could consider the whole matter of export embargoes.

Two statements were issued today by the food administration. One dealt entirely with the effort of the war trade board's order. This order said former Governor Stuart of Virginia, chairman of the national agricultural advisory committee, has sent to "his committee and to the swine producers committee a statement endorsing and warmly commending the earnest, but unavailing efforts of the food administration to maintain the minimum price for hogs.

Statement of Food Administration.

The statement regarding the board's action said in part: "The practical effect of this action of the war trade board is to destroy the ability of the United States food administration to further stabilize the price of live hogs. It was the desire and has been the endeavor of the food administration to continue this stabilization as heretofore and until March 31, when the normal marketing period of hogs farrowed in the spring of 1918 would have terminated.

"The whole program of stabilization of prices was the outgrowth of the imperative necessity for stimulated hog production for war needs at a time when a dangerous shortage of fat threatened the entire allied world.

"The obligation with respect to the pigs farrowed in the spring of 1918 began with the marketing of September and would have been terminated March 31. From 85 to 90 per cent of these hogs have been sold. The European demand for hog products will increase rather than diminish.

Russian Jew Fires Two Shots From Home of French President

Paris, March 5.—A man who later admitted his name was Kneller and that he was a Russian Jew, fired two shots from a revolver from the Palais de l'Elysee, the residence of President Poincare today. Kneller declared that he desired to protest against allied intervention in Russia.

The shooting occurred in the presence of the guards and sentinels. The bullets fell harmlessly on the veranda of the court of honor.

Mediator Makes Progress Toward Ending Harbor Strike

New York, March 5.—Traffic in New York harbor remained virtually tied up at the end of the second day of the marine workers' strike, but James L. Hughes, mediator of the Department of Labor, reported tonight that progress had been made toward settlement between the railroad administration and its employees, who man 40 per cent of the craft here. Private boat owners and their men apparently were as far as ever from an agreement.

Telephone Strike Called in Four Western States

San Francisco, March 5.—A strike of 9,000 telephone operators and 3,000 linemen in California, Washington, Oregon and Nevada has been ordered by the executive committee of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers in the event that Postmaster General Burleson does not speedily grant the demands of the brotherhood, it was announced here today by T. C. Robbins, representative of L. C. Grasser, vice president of the organization.

Find Meyers Guilty.

West Point, Neb., March 5.—(Special Telegram).—The jury in the case of the state against Ben Meyers, charged with the burglary of the Gardels garage at Beemer and the theft of a large quantity of tires and automobile supplies returned a verdict of guilty this afternoon.

Omaha Pioneer Dead.

WILLIAM MORISON, a resident of Omaha for 38 years, died at his home, 109 Florence boulevard, Wednesday evening, aged 82 years, after four weeks' illness. He is survived by a daughter, Miss C. M. Morison and two sons, Dr. C. M. Morison and R. A. Morison. Funeral arrangements have not been made. Friends are requested not to send flowers.

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KEEP PARTISAN SUBJECTS OUT OF LAST REPORT

grams had been addressed to President Wilson, who sent them to the committee.

"They came from the traction interests," shouted Mayor Hoan. "Don't get excited," the Portland executive replied. "I've pulled that corporation stuff as you are doing and it goes well with your constituents, but I advocate this section because we ought to have some government agency to help us in difficulties which cannot be settled locally."

Wants Extra Session.

The controversy between Governor Cox and Mayor Rolph arose out of a resolution which the mayor introduced early in the day, demanding that President Wilson reconvene congress to pass appropriation measures, condemning the building of American ships in Chinese and Japanese yards while contracts in this country were being canceled and favoring the principle of collective bargaining. In reporting the committee's decision to accept the resolution Governor Cox said he would be glad to give reasons if desired.

Mayor Rolph failed to obtain postponement of consideration of the report until a night session and then promptly demanded that the committee give the reasons for eliminating the mayor's resolution. Gov. Cox did not reply and the fight over the adoption of the report began. Later Gov. Cox rose to a question of personal privilege.

"Nothing in word or spirit was intended to convey aspersion to the mayor of San Francisco," he said. "The committee desired to avoid subjects which are matters of political controversy."

Mayor Rolph heatedly replied that there was no intention to bring politics into the gathering, that he had criticized the republican filibuster which defeated the appropriation measures, but that the only way to get congress "back on the job" was to have the president call an extra session.

Stanton County Farmer Injured in Auto Wreck

Norfolk, Neb., March 5.—(Special Telegram).—Gottfried Mellman, prominent Stanton county farmer, sustained a broken hip and arm Wednesday in a motor accident.

Surplus of Reserve Banks Doubled by New Amendment

Washington, March 5.—Amendment of the federal reserve act by the congress just adjourned has resulted in increasing from \$22,739,900 to \$49,468,340 the combined surplus of the 12 Federal Reserve banks, said a reserve board statement today.

Ord Wants Court House

Ord, Neb., March 5.—(Special).—Valley county is in line for a new court house and an election will be held soon to decide the matter.

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