

RATHBUN PROBE COST HAWKEYE STATE \$5,736

Claims of Court Reporters and Three Assistants Amounted to \$100 Day; Other Bills Not Yet Filed.

By Staff Correspondent. Des Moines, Ia., May 3.—The Rathbun pardon probe by the house judiciary committee cost the state of Iowa \$5,736, as shown by the appropriation to cover the expense, passed by the Iowa legislature before adjournment. No witnesses connected with the case have as yet filed claims with the state auditor. Chief Counsel H. W. Byers, who was to receive \$2,000 for directing the investigation, has not filed his claim.

Harding to New York. Governor W. L. Harding is on his way to New York and will take an official hand in the efforts now being made to secure the release of the boys of the 168th from Camp Upton and their return to Camp Dodge for demobilization. Delays in the return of the boys which cannot be understood by the home folks appear to be holding the regiment at the New York camp. The governor hopes to assist in getting the men started homeward in a few days. The governor is expected to attend a demobilization conference with federal officials, either at New York or in Washington. It was stated at his office, however, that his first business would be to find out why the boys are not sent back home. Adj. Gen. Lasher has been in New York since the day of the arrival of the Leviathan and he has advised the governor that it seems impossible to ascertain when the regiment will be released. Governor Harding also hopes to co-operate with the commissioners in New York in entertaining the Iowa men of the famous regiment.

Three New State Agents. The state board of control has appointed three new agents under the law authorizing state agents to assist in the work of the state institutions. The new state agents are Mrs. Bell Deming of Des Moines, Mrs. Henrietta Webber of Monticello, and Mrs. Genevieve Henderson of Des Moines. Mrs. Deming and Mrs. Webber have been assigned to the orphan home at Davenport, and Mrs. Henderson to the work in connection with the woman's reformatory at Rockwell city.

Mayor Heads Packing Concern. Mayor Thomas Fairweather has accepted the presidency of the Associated Packing company of Des Moines, a new \$5,000,000 corporation which will erect a packing plant at Third and Scott streets. He announces he will not resign as mayor, but will retire from city politics when his term of office expires next April. He is a stockholder in the packing company and is president and manager of the Des Moines Western league ball club.

Stabbing Follows Brawl. Valentine Fernandez, a Mexican, is in a critical condition at the Mercy hospital from wounds received when he was stabbed by another Mexican near Fifth and Walnut early today. He was stabbed just above the heart. Police are of the opinion that the affair last night was the result of several fights in which Mexicans have figured the past week.

Capitol Extension Improvements. The state executive council was authorized by the recent general assembly to purchase Bryan school building at the corner of East Grand and Pennsylvania avenue and so complete the state holdings in this block by buying the old Friends church building and that flats adjoining not heretofore secured. This will then clean up all of the property on the south side of Grand between Pennsylvania avenue and East Ninth street. The council was also authorized to purchase an additional lot bordering the railroad yards at the southeast corner of the capitol extension grounds for the location of the proposed heating plant.

Thousands Find Jobs Federal Employment Weekly Reports Show. Washington, D. C., May 3.—Unemployment conditions showed an improvement in the week ending April 26, on the basis of reports from 38 cities, the federal employment service reports. Thirty-five cities reported a total surplus of 82,600, a decrease of several thousand from the total of the previous week, while reported a shortage totalling 2,450 and 20 showed an equality of supply and demand.

Fremont Suburban Stores Now Allowed to Open Sunday. Fremont, Neb., May 3.—(Special.) Telegram.—The small suburban stores will now be permitted to keep open on Sunday for the sale of bakery and dairy products and confections. The city council at an adjourned meeting last evening passed an ordinance reviving the one passed over a year ago as a fuel conservation measure closing all stores where groceries were kept for sale. Meat may be sold on Sunday at meat markets until 7 a. m.

Prominent Men to Address Interchurch Conference

Best Known Laymen in America to Be Among Speakers at Omaha Meeting, May 21.

The Interchurch World Movement of North America will hold a regional conference in Omaha on May 21, at which time five of the leading interchurch workers of the world will be the speakers. A women's meeting will be held at 2:30 in a place to be chosen, and at night a great mass meeting will be held at the Auditorium.

The speakers in the afternoon will be Dr. Robert L. Kelly, prominent educator, speaking on the subject, "Interchurch Co-operation and the Saving of America"; and Dr. J. Campbell White, until recently president of Wooster college, whose topic will be, "The Significance of the Interchurch World Movement."

At the night meeting Fred B. Smith, one of the best known laymen in America, a man big in body, brain and heart, will speak on the subject, "The Emphasis in Religion." Dr. White will have as his theme, "The New World Responsibility of the Church."

Robins to Speak. The closing address will be made by Col. Raymond Robins, late chairman of the Red Cross commission to Russia. Robins is one of the most popular speakers before colleges and to groups of men and business men in the United States. His subject at the mass meeting will be, "The Necessity of Interchurch Co-operation in Saving Society."

The Interchurch World movement has been undertaken by leading men of all churches in order to bring together in one great campaign the many partial movements which have sought to develop a program for the united effort of the churches, in keeping with the demands of the present day. It proposes to present a unified program of Christian service and to seek to unite the Protestant churches of America in a great common cause.

Other Conferences. A number of regional conferences are being held in various central locations. These conferences will seek to call together delegates from all the smaller cities and towns and to give them a simple program of united church work which they may take back to their own communities. The five men who are to visit



Raymond Robins



J. Campbell White

PRESIDENT TO CALL CONGRESS AT EARLY DATE

Administration Headquarters Admits Session May Open Shortly if Paris Situation Develops Rapidly.

Washington, May 3.—Intimation that a special session of congress will be called by President Wilson to meet about June 1 is contained in confidential dispatches received in Washington today from Paris.

It was said in authoritative administration quarters that it was quite possible that, if the situation in Paris should develop rapidly the special session might meet even before June 1. In that case, the call would be made by cable.

Wilson Reverses Secret Treaty Stand Says Johnson

Washington, May 3.—Senator Johnson of California, republican, in a statement today, charged that President Wilson had reversed his stand upon secret treaties, in the France dispute and had surrendered without the semblance of a contest to Japan in the controversy over the disposition of Nanjing, by which, he said, millions of Chinese were delivered into bondage.

"A week ago," Senator Johnson said, "out of the darkness, the plot and counterplot, the cunning intrigue and bargaining of the peace conference, there came a ray of light when the president denounced secret treaties."

"His press agents told us how firmly he would stand against Italy's secret treaty and Japan's worse secret treaty. Within a week after an imitation barrage upon racial equality, the Japanese boldly made their demands, and without the semblance of a contest, the president abjectly surrendered."

"Weak Yield to Strong. This is simply another concrete illustration of the league of nations. Debtor nations requesting economic aid must yield, but the powerful and threatening member of the league will obtain by the strong arm exactly what it demands."

"Here at stake is a large province of China and 40,000,000 of people. Japan had pledged her word to the world at the time of the taking of the province to return it to China. Under her secret agreements she demands that she may break her pledged faith and keep these lands and people; and a peace conference, pledged to self-determination, justice, to the protection of weak nations against strong, forgets all and delivers into bondage millions of helpless people."

Arrest Former Omaha Man For Larceny In Kenosha

Kenosha, Wis., May 3.—(Special Telegram.)—Lawrence F. Miller, 33 years old, formerly of Omaha, who for some time has been night clerk at Hotel Maywood, was arrested charged with grand larceny. He is charged with stealing \$40 and some cigars from the hotel. He is alleged to belong to a well known Omaha family. His attorney believes Miller is a victim of unusual circumstances. He is well known here and his arrest caused something of a sensation.

Free Armenia Is Keynote of Declaration of Policy

Paris, May 3.—(French Wireless Service.)—The Armenian national conference which has been in session here has adjourned after drafting the statement of Armenia's claims, estimating the damage suffered by Armenians in the war and appointing a commission to establish the principles upon which the future Armenian state shall stand.

It also selected a new national delegation to work with other Armenian delegations in matters relating to Armenian interests. The keynote of its policy is the motto to be adopted—"an integral Armenia, free and independent, within its historic limits."

Oregon Wants to Take Care of Its Namesake in Navy

Salem, Ore., May 3.—Gen. Ben Olcott telegraphed today to Assistant Secretary of the Navy Franklin D. Roosevelt informing him that the state of Oregon is ready to take care of the battleship Oregon, as suggested by the Navy department, and would relieve the government of expense if the famous old warrior should be turned over to the state.

The governor declared that \$10,000 appropriated by the recent legislature for maintenance of the Oregon naval militia, which since the war is not organized in Oregon, would be available for taking care of the warship.



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"ASPIRIN" WAS TALCUM POWDER

Heavy Sentence Imposed on Manufacturer of Tablets.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH) NEW YORK, December 31.—Accused of having manufactured and sold to influenza sufferers thousands of boxes of aspirin tablets, principally composed of talcum powder, Joseph M. Turkey, head of the Veranda Chemical company, of Brooklyn, was found guilty yesterday of violation of the sanitary code and sentenced to three years in prison with a fine of \$500. The sentence was the most severe ever imposed in the country for such an offense.




Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin

Boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24—Bottles of 100—Also Capsules.

Made in the U.S.A. by the Bayer Manufacturing Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Low Cash Prices That Insure Better Values at Every Price

You're Sure of Satisfaction Here. We Guarantee It to Every Purchaser at All Times.

HAYDEN'S THE CASH STORE

You're Sure of First Quality Merchandise Here. We Could Not Afford to Guarantee Any other Kind.

Coats, Suits and Dresses

Three Big Sale Days—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, May 5th, 6th and 7th

DRESSES That Sold to \$45.00

COATS That Sold to \$45.00

SUITS That Sold to \$50.00

Hundreds of Classy Garments From Our Own Regular Stock for Your Selection. Newest Springs Styles, Colorings and Materials.

Our May Sale Cash Price

\$22.75

Hundreds of New Summer Dresses—Just received from six of New York's most prominent workers; distinctive styles; most moderately priced. . . . \$35 up to \$98

The Home of "Dix" Make House and Porch Dresses and Nurses' Costumes

A complete new stock of these justly popular dresses, just received, scores of nobby styles, made right, priced right. Garments you'll like—

HOUSE DRESSES	PORCH DRESSES	MAIDS' DRESSES	NURSE'S DRESSES
\$2.95, \$3.95 to \$5.95	\$3.95, \$4.95 to \$5.95	Two Lots \$3.95 and \$4.95	Unusual Values \$4.50

Hundreds of Interesting Offerings in Our

Baby Week Specials

In Infants' Wear Department, Second Floor.

Wanted Weaves

Wool Goods

Specially Priced

\$5 Men's Wear Serge, \$3.75
56 inches wide, all pure wool. Priestley's Imported English Serge, in Navy or Black only; worth \$5.00—
Our Cash Price, \$3.75

\$5.00 Broadcloth, \$3.98.
56-in. wide, sponged and shrunk, rich, permanent silk luster; black and all newest colorings. Worth \$5.00 a yard—
Our Cash Price, \$3.98

\$3.50 French Serge, \$2.45.
50 and 56-in. wide, in medium and heavy weights, for dresses, suits, coats and capes, in all colors; plenty of Navy—
Our Cash Price, \$2.45

\$2.00 French Serge, \$1.48.
42-in. wide, all pure wool, very fine quality and reasonable weight for capes, suits and one-piece dresses; all colors—
Our Cash Price, \$1.48

\$2.50 Tweed Suitings, \$1.50.
56-in. wide, in pretty gray mixtures; good weight for suits, coats and boys' wear; well worth \$2.50—
Our Cash Price, \$1.50

Have your skirt made to measure. Your choice of all the new Spring Styles; man tailored, fit and workmanship guaranteed. Inquire Dress Goods Dept. For the making, \$2.50.

May Dinnerware Sale

Don't Miss These Splendid Special Values, They Are Savings Really Worth While.

42-piece Bungalow Dinner Set. Service for six persons, in gold band, blue conventional designs, rosebud pattern and white ransom. Values to \$12.50. Monday, special at only \$8.50

42-piece Plain White Dinner Set—Service for six persons; \$9.00 value. Monday, special at only \$6.50

Plain White Unhanded Cup—Special for Monday, each 4¢

100-piece English Semi-Formal Dinner Set—Brown border pattern, service for 12 persons. Regular \$42.50 dinner set. Monday, Our Special Cash Price \$31.50

100-piece Dinner Set—Pink spray design. Regular \$25.00 value. Monday, Our Special Cash Price \$19.50

1,000 Decorated China Plates—4, 5, 6 and 7-in. Values to 75c. Monday, Our Special Cash Price, each \$20¢

Going to Paper This Spring?

Here's Some Splendid Opportunities to Save in Our

May Sale of Wall Papers

Exceptional Bargains in Our Big Daylight Department This Week.

The Daylight Dept. will place on sale this week some exceptional bargains:

30-in. Duplex Oatmeal papers, with handsome cutout borders, at per roll \$1.18

One lot of 30-in. Oatmeal papers, with pretty cutout borders for each, at per roll 11¢

30-in. Green Cloths, Blends and Weaves, at per roll \$1.34

One lot of Wall Papers for living rooms and bed rooms; very special, at per roll \$1.56

Living room and dining room papers, at per roll \$1.24

A fine line of Wall Papers for any room in the house, at per roll \$1.00

Latest designs in Special Tapestries, at per roll \$1.34

A choice line of bedroom papers, at per roll \$1.12

Varnish—Oak Brand, Ad-6-lite, No-Mar, per quart \$89¢

Beautiful New SILKS

Greatly Underpriced in Our May Sales

\$3.00 Printed Georgette Crepe—40-in. wide, at yd. \$2.49

\$3.00 Dotted Crepe de Chine—40-in. wide, at yd. \$2.49

\$3.00 Novelty Plaids and Stripes, 36-in. wide, at yd. \$2.25

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\$2.25 Foulards—36 inches wide, at yd. \$1.75

\$1.75 Crepe de Chine—40 inches wide, evening shades only, at per yard \$1.29

\$1.75 Georgette Crepe—40-in. wide, evening shades only, at per yard \$1.29

\$2.00 Colored Messaline and Taffeta—36-in. wide, yd. \$1.49

\$2.50 Colored Chiffon Taffeta—36-in. wide, yd. \$1.98

\$2.00 Colored Chiffon Taffeta—per yard \$1.75

TUB SILKS

\$2.00 Silk Broadcloth \$1.59

\$1.75 Tub Silk \$1.39

\$3.00 La Jerz \$2.45

\$3.00 Sans Genre \$2.45

BLACK SILKS

\$2.50 heavy Penn Satin, for coats, 40-in. wide, yd. \$3.25

\$3.00 Chiffon Taffeta, 36-in. wide, at yd. \$2.49

\$2.50 Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches wide, at per yard \$2.25

\$2.00 Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches wide, at per yard \$1.75

\$2.50 Satin de Chine, 36 inches wide, at per yd. \$1.98

Here's Some Grocery Prices That Will Interest You for Monday's Special May Sale.

10 lb. Best Pure Cane Granu- lated Sugar	17 1/2c	Thompson's Seedless Raisins, per lb.	17 1/2c
10 lb. Laundry Soap	15c	Choice Evaporated Apples, 25c	17 1/2c
6 lb. Best White or Yellow Cornmeal	25c	Fancy Malt Peaches, lb.	30c
4 lb. Best Roller Wheat, 25c	25c	Fancy Colored, Ceylon, Gunpowder	30c
1 lb. Best Oatmeal	25c	Fancy Crab Apples, lb.	22 1/2c
The Best No. 1 Hand-Picked Navy Beans, lb.	10c	Mince-meat, pkg.	12 1/2c
Fancy Japan Rice, per lb.	11c	No. 1 Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	35c
No. 1 can Fancy Red Salmon	25c	Fresh Navy or Green Beans, lb.	15c
No. 1 can Golden Pumpkin or Spagetti or Egg Noodles, pkg.	7 1/2c	Fresh Shelled Popcorn, lb.	12 1/2c
Gallon cans Golden Table Syrup	75c	TEA AND COFFEE SPECIALS.	
Corn Flakes, pkg.	7 1/2c	The best Tea Siftings, lb.	25c
No. 2 can Early June Peas	12 1/2c	Choice Sun Dried or Basket Fired Japan Tea, per lb.	40c
No. 2 can Fancy Sweet Sugar Corn	12 1/2c	Fancy Colored, Ceylon, Gunpowder or Spider Leg Japan Tea, per lb.	30c
No. 2 can Golden Sauter Coffee	15c	Our Famous Golden Santos Coffee, per lb.	30c
Kraut	11c	Diamond Brand, per lb.	35c
No. 2 can Pork and Beans	15c	Mocha and Java blend, per lb.	40c
No. 2 can Hawaiian Slice Pine-apples	15c	Breakfast Cocoa, per lb.	25c
16-oz. can Pet or Carnation Milk	15c	15 LBS. BEST COOKING POYLA TOES	35c
16-oz. can Wilson Milk	15c	3 bunches Home Grown Onions, 5c	
16-oz. can Early June Peas	12 1/2c	Bunch Fresh Rhubarb	5c
Full cans Fancy Pink Salmon	25c	3 bunches Carrots or Turnips, per bunch	7c
Full cans Fancy Red Salmon	25c	Fresh Navy or Green Beans, lb.	15c
Assorted Pickles, bottle	10c	Fresh Ripe Tomatoes, lb.	30c
Queen Olives, bottle	10c	Fresh Cabbage, per lb.	7 1/2c
Green peas, pkg.	15c	Large Soup Bunches, each	4c
Yeast Foam, pkg.	4c	CABBAGE OR TOMATO PLANTS.	
		4 DOZEN FOR SPECIAL.	
		DRIED FRUIT AND NUT SPECIALS.	
		California 3-Crown Muscat Raisins, per lb.	15c
		Choice California Prunes, lb.	15c

Special Sale of Garden Tools

A-1 Garden Hand Wheel Plow—Our Cash Price \$4.25

A-1 Garden Hoe—Only 75¢

A-1 Garden Spading Fork—Our Cash Price \$1.00

Moulded Garden Hose—5-ply, half-inch, 50-ft. length. Our Cash Price \$7.50

Moulded Garden Hose—7-ply 3/4-inch, 50-ft. length. Our Cash Price \$10.00

LAWN MOWERS.

14-inch ball bearing \$6.00

16-inch ball bearing \$7.00

White Mountain Refrigerator, 50-lb. capacity, at \$17.50

75-lb. capacity, at \$26.50

100-lb. capacity, solid stone lined. Cash Price \$55.00

Ice chests, Cash Price \$9.00

6-ft. Unbraced Stepladder—Our Cash Price \$1.65

A-1 Four-tie Broom—Special Cash Price \$1.00

Carpet Sweepers—Our Special Cash Price \$25¢

It Pays—Try Hayden's First—It Pays