

MAY OPEN UP FEDERATION TO OTHER CREEDS

Lay Committee of Seven Appointed at Meeting to Co-operate With Ministers Looking to This End.

Vigorous discussion among the members of the Church Federation of Omaha about the admittance of all church denominations into the association were heard last night at their first annual meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. No mention was made about the adoption of the proposed change in name of the federation to the Omaha Association of Ministers and Churches. Rev. Titus Lowe, pastor of the First Methodist church, protested vigorously against the original plan of the church federation barring pastors and laymen of Jewish and Unitarian churches. He recommended the broad plan of church association in that any denomination should be admitted into the newly reorganized federation. Unanimous agreement has been

reached that an additional committee of seven lay members of the association be appointed to co-operate with the organization committee in working out new plans of reorganizing the federation on the idea suggested by Rev. Titus Lowe. Rev. Harry B. Foster, president of the Church Federation and pastor of the Dundee Presbyterian church, was chairman of the meeting.

Bluffs Boys' Reception Advanced to Tuesday

A further change has been made necessary in the date for the Company L reception at Council Bluffs. It has been advanced from Saturday to Tuesday afternoon of next week. The soldier boys may not reach Council Bluffs sooner than Sunday. The train bearing the 168th is due to arrive in Des Moines tonight. It will at least take all of Friday and perhaps part of Saturday to complete details of the mustering out.

Movie Star to Lunch Today With Famous Russian Woman

Valeska Suratt, vampire of the movies, and known as "the best dressed woman on Broadway" will grace the May Time lunch room being conducted by the Associated Charities at the Orchard-Wilhelm Furniture company store at noon today. She will lunch with the "Little Grandmother of Russia," Catherine Breshkovsky.

RINGER READY FOR 'CLEANUP' OF DETENTION HOME

Commissioner Asks Council to Take Hand in Changing Conditions at City Detention Hospital.

Following repeated charges in The Bee of mismanagement and of cultivating and encouraging the use of narcotic drugs in the Women's Detention home, Police Commissioner Dean Ringer appeared before the city council yesterday with a proposition which, he believes, will enlarge the scope of the institution, delegate additional authority to Dr. Palmer Findley, the medical director, and place the home on a more business-like basis, doing away with any possibilities of petty grafting. Mr. Ringer made no reference to the severe criticism which recently has been directed at himself, Chief of Police Eberstein and others responsible for the state of affairs which prevail at the Detention home. He presented a new ordinance which contemplates giving the health commissioner and his assistants additional authority in the suppression of social diseases. The police commissioner made no attempt to explain whether or not the new ordinance contemplated the continuance of administering dope to the inmates four times a day, as has been charged, extending over a period for as long as 80 and 90 days.

Makes No Explanation. Neither was there any attempt to answer the charge that at least one physician connected with the Detention home had collected money from girls who were willing to pay for exemption from imprisonment in the institution.

The ordinance was referred to the city council committee of the whole for discussion next Monday morning. A provision of the ordinance states that any person convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction on a charge of keeping a house of prostitution, or being an inmate, or of soliciting, shall be subjected to examination by the health department. If the convicted person is found to be contaminated with social disease, then the health commissioner shall have authority to issue an order of commitment to the home for treatment. Commissioner Ringer declared it was his idea to have the ordinance apply to men as well as women.

Would Enlarge Home. The ordinance designates the City Detention home as the official place for examination, detention and treatment. Another provision extends the operation of the ordinance to per-

sons who may voluntarily submit themselves for examination and treatment. A fine of not less than \$100, or imprisonment of not to exceed 30 days, is the penalty provided for transmitting a social disease. Mr. Ringer intends to enlarge the Detention hospital if this ordinance is passed by the council.

Omaha People Pleased With Patterson Shows

People of Omaha were pleased with the Patterson show carnival, at Twenty-first and Paul streets when the attractions were opened Monday night. Although the management had difficulty in getting all the equipment on the ground because of the heavy rains, it was all on hand in its spring glory. The tents are new and brilliantly lighted. Today there will be a free street parade, starting from the show-grounds at 11 o'clock and going south on Twentieth to Cuming, east on Cuming to Sixteenth, south on

Sixteenth to Douglas, east to Fifteenth, south to Howard, west to Sixteenth and north on Sixteenth to Cuming, from there returning to the grounds. Entertainments will be given afternoon and evening all this week.

Business Course for Grads.

A special business course for graduates of the Central and South high schools will be offered this summer at the High School of Commerce. Stenography, typewriting, business writing and stenography study will be taught. The course will begin Monday, June 30, and will continue until December 12.

Office training and business correspondence will be added for the fall quarter. A certificate of proficiency will be given those completing the course. Of the 36 students electing this course last summer, 27 were awarded certificates. Application should be made to Principal Porter of Commerce high before May 23.

To Occupy Bottling Building.

The B. and M. Stock Remedy company of Cedar Rapids, Ia., with a sales force of over 75 people, has purchased from the Metz Brothers' Brewery company the building at Sixth and Jones streets used as a bottling works and intends to transfer its headquarters from Cedar Rapids to this city in the near future. Officials of the company believe that the company will be in its new quarters by June 1. The concern was brought here by the Omaha Chamber of Commerce.

So. Dakota Infantry Arrives.

Philadelphia, May 13.—The battleship Kansas, having on board the 147th field artillery of South Dakota, passed in the Delaware capes at noon today. The men disembarked in Philadelphia at 9 o'clock tonight. Governor Peter Norbeck of South Dakota and a welcoming committee from that state are here to greet the home-coming soldiers.

Evils of Sedentary Habits

Your occupation may keep you indoors a good share of the time and deprive you of outdoor exercise. If that is the case you are likely to be troubled more or less with constipation, and will appreciate the good qualities of Chamberlain's Tablets. These Tablets are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Give them a trial.

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Hand Stitched—Very Unusual Novel Effects. Perfect in fit. White, Peace Blue, Flesh, Pink, Lavender, Copenhagen Blue

All sizes to 44, \$9 to \$15 values—a quantity of only 450 in this group, 6.95

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