

GOVERNORS OF MANY STATES IN ANNUAL MEETING

After-the-War Problems to Be Discussed at Convention of Executives of Various States.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Aug. 16.—Governors of a score or more states will attend the 11th annual session of the governors' conference, which opens here Monday and closes the following Sunday. Eight governors are on the program of the conference, which will be held in the Mormon tabernacle.

Governor Simon Bamberger of Utah, and W. Mont Ferry, mayor of Salt Lake City, will welcome the delegates when the conference opens Monday morning, while Governor John G. Townsend, jr., of Delaware, will respond for the distinguished visitors. An informal reception will be held at the Mormon tabernacle Monday night for the visitors.

The state budget will be the theme of addresses by Governor Emerson C. Harrington of Maryland, and Governor Emanuel L. Philipp of Wisconsin, at the Tuesday morning session. The addresses will be followed by a general discussion. Governor S. R. McKelvie of Nebraska, and Governor D. W. Davis of Idaho, will speak on the growth and consolidation of administrative boards at the afternoon session, which will be followed by a general discussion. The delegates will make a trip to Saltair late in the afternoon and will attend a dinner tendered by Governor Bamberger, in the evening.

A round-table discussion of after-the-war problems will feature the Wednesday morning session, to be followed by a resume of 1919 legislation, embodying four phases—education, labor, agriculture and general. A luncheon, tendered by Mayor Ferry and other Salt Lake City officials, will follow the morning session, and in the afternoon the delegates will go to Ogden, where, in the evening, they will be the guests of Mayor T. S. Browning and other Ogden city officials at an informal dinner.

Governor William C. Sproul of Pennsylvania, will address the conference on "Expansion of the National Guard System as a Basis of National Defense" at the Thursday morning session. His address will be followed by a general discussion. In the afternoon a trip to Bingham and Utah copper mines will be made and the party will leave Salt Lake City in the evening for a three days' tour of Yellowstone park.

Vacation Home for Ministerial Memorial to Noted Evangelist

Black Mountain, N. C., Aug. 16.—The summer home Montreal, N. C., of Mrs. J. Wilbur Chapman of Jamaica, L. I., has been dedicated as a gift to the Mountain Treat association as the vacation home for Presbyterian ministers.

The gift was a memorial for her husband, the noted evangelist, whose activities had taken him to every civilized country in the world. Mr. Chapman, until he died, a short time ago, was vice-chairman of the Presbyterian New Era movement and former moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America. The Rev. Dr. Ford C. Ottman of Stamford, Conn., most interested in Stony Brook (L. I.) conference, in which in years past Dr. Chapman had taken a prominent part, made the address of dedication.

Mrs. Chapman opened her home to ministerial guests early this summer and maintained it at her own expense, so that several hundred were benefited. The experiment was so successful that she decided to establish a permanent memorial.

Brothers Living in Same Town Meet After 49 Years

Tulsa, Okl., Aug. 16.—The other day D. F. Park agreed to answer the telephone calls for his sons, who are in the baggage business, as they had to be out on engagements. The sons have a booth near Frisco depot here.

Mr. Park was busy, but was not too busy, despite his 78 years, to notice a spry old gentleman, who walked up and down the station platform, watching him. After this had continued for some time he approached the stranger and said: "Do you mind telling me where you came from?"

"Not in the least—I am from Missouri," said the stranger, with a smile. "What part?" asked Mr. Park. "I too, am a Missourian." "I came from Crawford county," said the older man. "So did I," shouted Mr. Park. "After a little more conversation it developed, they were brothers who had not seen each other since they parted 49 years ago. No word had passed between D. F. Park and his brother, Samuel, now 80, since they left Crawford county.

It later developed that Samuel had been living in Tulsa for three years and D. F. for 11 years. They are the only surviving brothers of a family of five.

Big Soft Drinks Sale.

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—Purchasers of sodas, mixed soft drinks and ice cream cones at soda fountains and ice cream parlors in 48 counties comprising the first district of California, have paid more than \$60,000 into the coffers of Uncle Sam, according to the incomplete returns of luxury tax collections for May and June, just announced by Justus Wardell, collector of international revenue here. The tax with thousands of fountains to be heard from, is incomplete. The luxury tax became effective May 1, and the available figures show that since July 1, when war time prohibition became a law, patronage of the soft drink emporiums has increased appreciably.

FORMER SLEUTH DETECTS WAY TO BEAT THE MARKET

Once Officer of Chicago Detective Department, Now Can Sign Name to \$750,000 Check.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Four months ago Walter J. O'Brien struggled for a living as a detective. Outside of his work and his home, the detective's world was limited to the corner lunch room at the noon hour and an occasional movie with his wife of an evening.

Today O'Brien can sign his name to a check for half a million dollars without fear of overdrawing his bank account. He has ceased work as a detective and has stepped forth as a man of means. He is Chicago's newest financial wizard.

On a figurative shoe string, the former policeman and detective has cleaned up a fortune estimated at \$750,000 within the last few months. The story of his sudden rise to wealth is a romance of the stock market.

Scorns Tips; Plays Safe.

He doesn't plunge with his money; rather he proceeds guardedly and plays no tips. His system of playing the market has insured him against a single loss to date.

Pursuit of an investigation as a detective into the merits of a certain stock led him into the market and made for him his fortune. Out of an investment of \$1,000 he took a single profit of \$250,000 on the strength of information on a certain stock gathered for a client of his agency.

He doesn't worry any more about making both ends meet at the close of the month. Only the other day he cancelled his \$2,000 life insurance with the Policemen's Benevolent Association and took another policy for \$100,000 in one of the large insurance companies.

Wealth Brings Wife Joy.

Mrs. O'Brien, hitherto, hanks in her husband's wealth. She has moved from the cramped apartment that used to be the bane and worry of her young life into a spacious summer home at one of the big seashore resorts. O'Brien bought and paid for the place out of his stock market winnings. There are servants now to look after the work that formerly kept Mrs. O'Brien busy. The high cost of living no longer bothers her. She has ceased tracking down the bargain counters. Friend husband's handy check book now pays for the tailored gowns and frocks that take the place of "store" garments.

"I made it all in stock market speculation," he says. "It wasn't altogether luck. I won by hard work and lots of thinking. I didn't play the game blindly, like most people that speculate do. I proceeded with caution and investigated securities—and won."

Art Gems of Nation's Capitol Are Retouched After Half a Century

Washington, Aug. 16.—After more than 50 years of service the mural decorations in the United States capitol are being given a new dress.

When the republicans returned to power in congress they made some radical steps in the matter of maintenance of the capitol and one of the most radical was the issuance of an order that the mural decorations be redone. For more than 30 years Brumedi, an Italian artist, worked on mural decorations of the capitol building. The work was completed during the Civil war times and has not been touched since. An artist is now at work retouching all of the mural decorations and bringing out some of the works of art that have gone unnoticed for years because of heavy coats of dirt. Whether this artist will be able to finish the work is a matter of political conjecture, because it is estimated that it would take five years to complete the retouching, and who knows whether the republicans will remain in office that long?

Another radical step by the republicans was the opening of the marble baths in the senate office building. Democrats kept these baths nailed up tight and contented themselves with the large marble bathtub that was used by Webster. Now the more modern baths with a fine marble swimming pool are open every day and of course, Saturday nights.

Not at First Succeeding, Centenarian Tries Eighth

Dalton, Ga., Aug. 16.—"Uncle Bob" Knox, Mexican war veteran, poet and the marryingest person in Georgia again is in trouble. Despite his optimism, his eighth venture in matrimony has not been a continuous path of roses, as a suit in court in Murray county shows. "Uncle Bob" is nearing the century mark. He was married for the eighth time several weeks ago. Now an effort is being made to annul the marriage, and his wife is fighting it and asked for alimony.

Plan to Illuminate 75 Miles of Colorado Road

Denver, Colo., Aug. 16.—The road between Colorado Springs and Denver, a distance of 75 miles, is to be illuminated—that is the plans of the State Highway commission are fulfilled. According to the chairman of the commission, it will be the only one of its kind in the world.

Trucks and other road building equipment recently secured from the War department will be used in making the improvements.

Apple Crop Brings \$19,000.

Marionville, O., Aug. 16.—Ira D. McCullah, who works for the Frisco railroad at Springfield, Mo., has sold the fruit from his 60-acre orchard near here for \$19,000. This is one of the first big sales of the 1919 apple crop from the Ozark orchards. Apples of Ben Davis variety are grown on 40 acres of the orchard and the remaining 20 acres are in Ingram trees. McCullah purchased the orchard at \$40 per acre.

"Bigness" Keynote of Super-Circus

MAY WIRTH COMING WITH BIG CIRCUS.

An entire stable of horses is carried by May Wirth, famous bareback rider, who is this season touring with Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Combined Shows, and who is the foremost of the great consolidation's array of equestrienne stars. Miss Wirth's stable numbers 14 steeds of Arabian and Australian stock. They are divided between the lighter and swifter type of equine and the broad-backed whites and dapple-grays.

The speed at which Miss Wirth works her mounts while performing in the ring, requires a frequent change of horses. Otherwise they would become dizzy. It is the rapidity with which Miss Wirth performs double somersaults, "flips" from one galloping horse to another, cart-wheels from ground to mount or jumps from the ring floor to the back of swiftly moving steed with baskets tied to her feet, that make this remarkable girl's riding supreme among equestriennes. She is the greatest woman rider that has ever lived.

Miss Wirth is but one of the great features selected for presentation in the stupendous program of the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Combined Shows. "Bigness and quality" is the keynote of the great combination. There will be "more of everything" than has ever before been presented the American public. The circus will exhibit here at Twentieth and Paul streets, Friday, August 29.



What the Parks Offer

BATHING parties as daily affairs is the rule rather than the exception at the big sanitary bathing pool and white sand beach at Krug park. Every morning finds hundreds of the fair sex of Omaha enjoying the conveniences and the pleasures of the new feature at the park and even the comparatively cool weather of the past week or 10 days has not seemed to effect the crowds in the least. The afternoon and evening crowds for the same period have been even greater than before since the hot sun does not burn quite so severely as when the thermometer registers higher.

After bathing the picnic grounds is generally sought and the good things provided to appease the appetite of the inner man, rapidly disappears for one is certainly hungry after a dip in the fresh, pure, sterilized water of the bathing pool. The mornings, except Saturdays and Sundays, are reserved exclusively for women and children.

Today is expected to see one of the largest crowds of the season at Manawa park, as the annual outing of Scandinavian families and the annual outdoor concerts of the Singers' Society Norden will be given at the resort today. These combined events have come to be one of the biggest events of the year in Omaha outdoor amusements.

The Singers' Society Norden, largest male chorus in the middle west, will give concerts this afternoon and evening in the bandstand at the park. A picnic luncheon and enjoyment of the pleasures afforded by the big resort are other features of the outing. The general public has been invited.

Aviator A. J. Nielsen will make flights over the park as a part of the celebration. He has been making daily flights at Manawa for several weeks, carrying a number of passengers.

The warm days of August continue to bring crowds to Manawa, where the bathing is the best in years. The park itself is more beautiful at this time of the season than at any other, because the large beds of flowers lining the walks and drives at the park are in bloom and are looking their best.

Prompted by a great number of requests, the management of the popular Lakeview Park has been literally forced to accede to what has assumed the proportions of a general demand on the part of the park's many patrons to stage a Mardi Gras ball, which has been one of the big fun features of other seasons. Two "surprise packages" will be opened during the evening which, the management state, will be the source of much fun. Favors and souvenirs, as well as all the accessories for a real Mardi Gras will be furnished without charge to all. Next Wednesday evening has been selected to stage the Mardi Gras ball. Ned Miller, Chicago's famous syncopating singer will assist with a program of well selected musical numbers from among Waterson Berlin and Snyder's famous song successes.

Love for Dog Makes School Teacher Give Her Life in Rescue

South Orange, N. J., Aug. 16.—Miss Edith J. Johnson, a school teacher of Washington, gave her

life in an effort to rescue her pet dog from in front of a trolley car while on a visit here to her home town.

The dog apparently became confused as it was crossing the street with Miss Johnson, and ran in front of an advancing car.

As the car did not stop in response to her scream, the teacher

sprang upon the track to snatch her pet from danger. She brushed the dog out of harm's way, but was not quick enough to escape herself, and was ground beneath the wheels. She died on the way to the hospital. The dog set up a plaintive howl when the teacher was crushed.

Patrick Reilly, the motorman, was held for action by the Grand

Jury on a technical charge of manslaughter. Miss Johnson was graduated from Smith College in 1906. She was 34 years of age.

The Limit. Staying power is commendable in every calling except calling—Car toons Magazine.

See Want Ads Produce Results



-are you a wall flower at a dance?

Do you sit it out while all your friends are having the time of their lives dancing their heads off? How foolish of you, when you can learn all the latest and newest dances with all the newest steps, exactly the way they are danced in New York, Paris and all the biggest social centers by carefully watching these new dances portrayed on the screen in wonderful moving pictures in the new

Omaha Daily Bee Screen Magazine

And not only the latest dances, but all the interesting things you read of and see in the magazines. Art, Travel, Inventions, Science, Trick Photography, Fashions, and strange things from every corner of the civilized world, Every Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

The MUSE Theater

H. B. WARNER in *The Man Who Turned White*

A Screen Drama That Is Powerful and Fascinating. The Story of love that whipped the strange devil in a discharged officer and sent him from the desert just back to his own race.

ALSO

MUSE WEEKLY Cuscaden's Orchestra MUTT & JEFF

Every Afternoon and Evening

\$100 Muse-Orkin Bros.' Contest

To Our Feminine Patrons:

For the best 40 or 50-word review on "The Man Who Turned White," Orkin Bros. will give—

1st Prize—\$50 Fall Dress.
2d Prize—\$25 Fall Hat.
3d Prize—\$10 Blouse.
4th Prize—\$7.50 Cash.
5th Prize—\$5.00 Cash.
6th Prize—\$2.50 Cash.

Where should I buy my Piano?

STEINWAY

The Weight of Evidence

The annual output of Steinway Pianos exceeds that of the three next best known makes combined. The monetary value of the Steinway output is at least fifty per cent higher. This proves the best preference of the public for the best Piano in the world.

THE STEINWAY MINIATURE, a Grand Piano in small compass—5 ft. 10 inches—made to retain all the essential of a true Grand.

PRICED AT \$1050 UPRIGHTS, \$675 and up. Sold on Convenient Payments.

SCHMOLLER & MUELLER PIANO CO
Exclusive Factory Distributors
1311-1313 Farnam St. OMAHA, NEBRASKA

PHONE DOUGLAS 348

We Will Equip Your Office completely

OMAHA PRINTING COMPANY

COMMERCIAL PRINTERS - LITHOGRAPHERS - STEEL DIE EMBOSSERS
LOOSE LEAF DEVICES