

NATIONAL HEAD OF WOMAN'S CLUB TALKS IN OMAHA

Leading Members of General Federation Guests at Luncheon in Y. W. C. A. Auditorium.

Monday was an auspicious day at the Omaha Woman's club. At the afternoon session held in the Y. W. C. A. auditorium, were numerous general federation officers, including the president, Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles of Los Angeles, and the two vice presidents, Miss Georgia J. Bacon of Massachusetts, and Mrs. Thomas F. Winter of Minnesota, all of whom spoke.

Among other visiting club women on the platform were Mesdames George Plummer of Chicago, who spoke briefly; Mary I. Wood, New Hampshire; B. B. Clark, Iowa; William P. Harper, Washington; John Shuttlesworth, Louisiana; R. L. Hutchinson, West Virginia; Felix McWhirter, Indiana, and R. R. Cotton, North Carolina. Past presidents of the Omaha Woman's club in attendance included Mesdames Draper Smith, F. H. Cole, C. V. Hayes, E. M. Syfert and A. L. Ferriald. Mrs. William Berry, president of the second Nebraska district, was among the honor members. The South Omaha, Dundee and Benson Women's clubs, and the Woman's club of the Railway Mail Service were represented, as well as Council Bluffs and Red Oak, Ia. clubs. Mrs. C. L. Hempel presided.

Three Paramount Tasks.

"When I was here four years ago," said Mrs. Cowles, "I was given a key, said to be the key to Omaha. I still have it and find it always fits the lock. It has proven to be a key to your city and to your hearts as well."

"Three paramount tasks are before the General Federation of Women's clubs," declared the president. "Americanization, thrift and community service. Conserve your organizations," she admonished. "Realize that when you become a member or an officer in a club, a district, state or in the general federation, you have a definite duty to perform. Not only is there honor, but a commensurate responsibility. Honors are not hard to carry. They are delightful; they are an inspiration, but are far outweighed by the service to be rendered."

What Will History Say?

"It is a wonderful thing to have good ancestry, but what will posterity say of the women of 1920? Our names individually will be forgotten when the history of this magic period is written, but will the American women who have stood so staunchly and coherently in such a way as to interpret to the historian of the future the real story of the American woman of today? Carry the shield unflinchingly. Let its vision be reflected down through generations. The compensation will be far beyond any story that can be described."

Miss Georgia Bacon, first vice president and chairman of thrift in the general federation, said there will not be a woman in Nebraska, Iowa or the United States who will not learn much about the thrift movement in the next few months.

"A nation begins to decay when such extravagances are indulged in as we see in this country today. Next to schools, women's organizations are the most potent force in the thrift movement. Eighty-five cents out of every dollar are spent by women. Eighty-eight per cent of the men who reach 65 years of age are dependent upon charity or their children. Eighty-two widows out of every 100 have to work for themselves and families or are dependent upon their children. Keep accounts, save and invest," advised Miss Bacon.

Praise Winter's Address.

If the vigorous applause for Mrs. Thomas G. Winter's address on Americanization and the national movements heard at the tea which followed the program serve as an indication, her message to the Omaha Woman's club was considered one of the best heard in years before that body. She discussed the soul, and not the mechanics, of Americanization work.

"The appeal for this work must be made through the individual and to the individual. We can't make laws, establish courts, schools and churches which will do this work for us. It is your work and your work. Valuable as our institutions are," she said, "the Americanization problem is one of human relationships. The woman is the heart of it all. She controls the emotions that exist in the family. The family is the unit in our civilization, not the individual. Whenever you find a floating individual without a home, you find a sore spot."

No More Snobs.

"Let us all be friends together and never more have snobs," pleaded Mrs. George Plummer in urging a continuation of community service and the "spirit of comradeship," which she named as one of the gains derived from the war.

Musical numbers were given by Miss Ethel Schmidt and Florence Long Arnoldie, accompanied by J. Clifford Long.

Congress Wants Army as Well as Navy Awards Probe

Washington, Jan. 5.—Controversy over the awarding of naval decorations was promptly taken up by congress Monday. But quite unexpectedly it was sought to bring the proposed congressional investigations of awards to include the decorations bestowed on officers in the army as well as those in the navy.

Under a resolution introduced by Representative Gallivan, democrat, Massachusetts, Secretary Baker was requested to transmit to the house military committee information bearing on the awards of the Distinguished Service Medal in the army. Representative Lufkin, republican, Massachusetts, introduced the resolution requesting Secretary Daniels for similar information on naval awards.

Plans for a joint investigation of the entire question of naval honors and decorations will be discussed Tuesday.

FLASHES FROM FILMLAND

THOSE who love the best in photoplays can't afford to miss Tom Mix in "The Speed Maniac," which is on the screen at the Moon Theatre until Thursday. This picture has a clever lot of "stunts," many thrills and as pretty a love story as one would wish to see on the screen.

Strand—Because she carelessly walked through the hallway of a society home in a nightdress, Amelie Thornydyke makes herself the victim of a public scandal in the "Beauty Market," starring Katherine MacDonald at the Strand theatre.

"As Amelie Thornydyke, a society girl unable to afford the life she is leading, Miss MacDonald portrays one of the most unique characterizations in the history of the screen," said Manager Watts.

Rialto—Hot buttered popcorn and a stormy day on an excursion boat don't go together at all, according to "Charlie Chaplin in 'A Day's Pleasure,'" a photoplay offering at the Rialto this week. This attraction marks a new era of Chaplin productions. The famous comedian has carefully copied those devices that were responsible for his worldwide fame and has attempted with success in this production to specialize on those methods.

Sun—The late Richard Harding Davis gave to the world the popular romance, "Soldiers of Fortune," which has been pictured by Realfart as a super special production, and which is now at the Sun theater. In the cast are Norman Kerry as Robert Clay, Pauline Starke as Hope Langham, Anna Nilsson as Alice Langham, Melbourne McDowell as

Y. M. C. A. Thrift Week beginning January 26, and Governor McKelvie's action in calling a meeting at the state house Thursday were endorsed by the club and the executive board empowered to name representatives to attend the Lincoln meeting in response to the governor's request.

Prominent Americans Pay Honor to Memory of Theodore Roosevelt

New York, Jan. 5.—Many prominent Americans were among the more than 8,000 friends and admirers of Col. Theodore Roosevelt, who gathered at Carnegie hall on the eve of the first anniversary of his death, to pay tribute to his memory.

On the stage was a bust of Colonel Roosevelt draped with American flags under which hung a huge wreath bound with purple ribbons. A chorus of young women led the singing of "America" and other patriotic songs.

Among those who occupied seats of honor around the hust were Archbishop Patrick J. Hayes, Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university; Bishop Charles Sumner Burch of the Episcopal diocese of New York; Rabbi Samuel Schulman and Mrs. John Henry Hammond, president of the Roosevelt Memorial association, who presided.

Bishop Burch in delivering the invocation referred to Colonel Roosevelt's selflessness, his patriotism and his order for the perpetuation of all American ideals.

Construction of North High School Favored by Board

School board met last night for the first time this year. The annual "reorganization" resulted in the reelection of W. E. Reed as president and C. V. Warfield as vice president.

Contracts for drawing plans of the proposed Commercial and Technical high schools at Thirtieth and Cumings streets were let to Clarke Brothers, architects. The cost of the building is not to exceed \$1,700,000.

The board also went on record as favoring the immediate construction of a new high school, and the construction of additions to Lake, Mason and South Franklin schools.

Defense Closes in Trial of New for Killing His Fiancee

Los Angeles, Jan. 5.—The defense closed late Monday in the trial of Harry New, alleged murderer of Freda Lesser, his fiancee, and the prosecution immediately opened in rebuttal.

Nine witnesses, called during the afternoon by the state, testified New was sane, or at any rate acted rationally on occasions when they observed him.

The state did not call experts but Thomas Lee Woolwine, district attorney, announced three alienists would be placed on the stand to testify as to New's mental state when the trial is resumed.

Mrs. Seibert of Sawtell, a suburb, one of the most important prosecuting witnesses, testified she had been a close friend of New's mother, Mrs. Lillie N. Burger, when she lived in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Seibert said Mrs. Burger always took New with her when she called at the Seibert home in Indianapolis, when New was a small boy, and she thought he acted rationally.

"It always seemed like a smart, well behaved boy," she said.

The witness declared that after she moved from Indianapolis to Chicago, when New was about 10 years old, Mrs. Burger and the defendant visited her and New became tired of staying at the Seibert home and left before his mother, making his way home alone.

New Crisis Developing in England, Is Report

London, Jan. 5.—There is every appearance that a new railway crisis is developing. Numerous meetings of railway men in the leading towns adopted resolutions rejecting the government's offer and although the number of men thus represented is small in comparison with the total 400,000 membership of the National Union of Railwaymen, James Henry Thomas, the general secretary, and his associates realize that they have a delicate task before them and are apprehensive of the result.

Alleged Highwayman Shot In Gun Battle Arraigned In Court



William Wolf, alleged highwayman, who with George Teckek was shot December 6 in a running pistol duel with detectives in South Omaha after holding up Charles Zukus, was arraigned in South Side police court yesterday morning and the preliminary hearing set for this morning. Wolf's bond was fixed at \$10,000.

Teckek still is confined to St. Joseph hospital, where it was said yesterday he had small chance for recovery.

Judge A. L. Sutton Is Popular Attendant At Omaha Weddings

At a gathering of young business men in the office of former District Judge A. L. Sutton last night it was discovered that the judge had either officiated or been present as a witness at the marriage of most of those present.

Some years ago Judge Sutton officiated at the wedding of Adolph Swoboda and two weeks ago was present as a witness when his daughter was married.

Charles T. Pavlik was present and it was discovered that the judge had married him, and Dr. B. Dietschler who was a member of the company. The judge had also officiated at the wedding of two daughters of Joseph Patek, who was present. Two weeks ago the judge was present when James A. Rina was married.

Officer on Trial Says He Was 'Framed,' But Cannot Prove His Case

New York, Jan. 5.—The court-martial on Governor's Island of Capt. Karl W. Detzer of the 308th Military Police company, charged with cruelty to prisoners in Le Mans, France, was adjourned Monday when the court warned Maj. William F. Kelly, judge advocate, that he must conduct his cross-examination of the defendant "in a calm and decorous manner," and Major Kelly a few minutes later asked Detzer directly if he thought he had been "framed" by the judge advocate's department.

"Absolutely, yes," Detzer replied. "By whom?"

"I don't know, but it's self-evident."

South Side

SOUTH SIDE MEN BOUND OVER ON ROBBERY CHARGE

Implicated by One Confession to Robbery of Coal Firm, Prisoners Waive Preliminary Hearing.

Complaints charging Frank Clayton, 618 South Seventeenth street; Raymond Lane, Eighteenth and Leavenworth streets, and Michael Randall, Twenty-fourth and N streets, with robbery were filed in South Side police court Monday. The men are charged jointly in two complaints of robbing John Johnson, manager of the Bergquist Coal company, Twenty-second and Washington streets, and Edward Madsen in the office of the coal company about 6 Saturday night. The trio was arrested Sunday morning by detectives and booked on a charge of robbery.

The three men were arraigned in police court Monday morning and after waiting examination were bound over for trial to the district court under bonds of \$2,000 each.

According to a signed confession of Lane, Clayton induced Randall and him to commit the holdup, in order to get money to pay a doctor's bill for the treatment of Clayton's wife during the past two years.

Stock Car Shortage Due To Strike of Coal Miners

That the present shortage of stock cars was caused by the recent coal strike is the opinion of E. E. Grimes, joint agent of the various railway lines serving the local yards. He said the strike caused the annulment of many trains, which resulted in the piling up of car orders that could not be filled.

"The return to normal conditions is a little slow," said Mr. Grimes, "but the showing in the last two weeks of increased arrivals of stock is an evidence that the situation is becoming better. It is likely that within the next 30 days all car orders now on file will have been filled and cleaned up."

Omaha Delegation Will Attend Meat Men's Meet

Announcement was received at the Exchange building Monday that the annual meeting of the Corn Belt Meat Producers' association, which was scheduled to take place the first part of last December, and postponed because of the fuel shortage, will be held in Des Moines February 19 and 20, President A.

First Time in Omaha at Popular Prices

EYES OF THE WORLD

By Harold Bell Wright

California's Cyclone Love Story Supreme

Wednesday and Thursday Only

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Lambs Raised by Three Little Girls Reach Omaha

A double deck load of lambs raised by three little girls, Zela, 9; Beatrice, 11, and Caroline, 15, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cecil of Anita, Ia., was received at the stock yards Monday in charge of Mr. Cecil. The load of mutton brought an average of \$17.10 a hundred.

The girls spent their vacation and leisure time fattening the lambs and taking care of them while they were running in the corn fields and feed lots. The little women gained a reputation as able and efficient shepherdesses and are proud of their activities.

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Fred Oswald of Buffalo, Wyo., who has been visiting the family of J. J. Oswald, 2509 D street, during the holidays, returned home Monday.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Barclay, 2112 F street, Thursday afternoon.

The best and surest way to remember the members of our family next Christmas time is to take out a membership in our Economy Savings club, Live Stock National bank, Twenty-fourth and N streets.

If you have not already taken advantage of the opportunity to save money by easy stages, you will find it to your advantage to join the Economy Savings club now, at the Live Stock National bank, Junction Twenty-fourth and N streets.

Julius Miller, 37, 1903 M street, died at Kanesville Sunday morning while on a visit. He is survived by his wife and three children. The funeral will be held from the Brower chapel Tuesday at 11 a. m. to Greenland Park cemetery.

O. F. Lillendahl of Swedenburg, Monday brought in the first load of shoths that have been shipped from that section for over a year. They were Durocs and

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Trade Board Says Sugar Sale In Combination Is Illegal

Washington, Jan. 5.—The federal trade commission today held that the selling of sugar in combination with other goods to force purchasers to buy other things in order to obtain sugar, was an unfair method of competition and ordered the Cole-Courand company of Chicago to cease the practice. The Chicago case was one of many similar complaints which had been lodged with the commission, it was stated.

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TODAY SUN ALL WEEK

We Are Very Proud of
RICHARD HARDING DAVIS'
IMMORTAL ROMANCE
"Soldiers of Fortune"

Which Is Playing to Enthusiastic Audiences
New York Paid \$1.50 and \$2.00 to See This Picture
Omaha Only Has to Pay 25c and 35c

REALART PICTURES
SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE
AN ALLAN DWAN Production

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Direction of
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The King of Laughland
CHARLIE CHAPLIN
In His Own New Comedy
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Plus the Fastest Coming Favorites in Movieland
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"What's Your Husband Doing?"
Too funny for mere words to describe. The best comparison we can make is to say "Just as funny as 'Broken Blossoms' was said."
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