

OMAHA BOY BACK HOME FROM LONG TRIP TO CHINA

Stanley High, Completing 26,000-Mile Journey, Finds Friendliness for America Throughout Orient.

China emerging from its centuries of sloth to become the torch bearer of democracy in the Far East is the impression brought back by Stanley H. High, who returned to Omaha Wednesday night following eight months in the Orient as a member of a special commission sent out by the Methodist Episcopal church.

Rejuvenation and regeneration of the nation have reached a stage far beyond theoretical possibilities and are well on the way towards bringing about a new renaissance, he declares, "the 20th century renaissance of the east."

From expressions of friendliness heard again and again, all the way from Shanghai to Tibet, Mr. High is convinced the rejuvenated China will be America's sincerest friend in the Orient and will open up unbounded opportunities for American business men.

Completes 26,000 Mile Trip.
When he stepped from the train in Omaha, Mr. High completed a 26,000-mile journey starting from New York City last August. He tells an interesting story of a trip filled with striking incidents and describes the forces which he believes are destined to give China, within the next half century, a place among the mighty nations of the world.

"There were eight in the party which left New York last August," he said, "under instructions to travel through China to make the most thorough survey possible in special view of expenditure of a special Methodist budget of \$6,500,000 for building up Chinese missions. We sailed for the Orient from Vancouver, B. C., and reached China via Japan."

Needed Armed Guards.
"For a considerable portion of our journey we were accompanied by armed guards for protection against expected bandit attacks. Luckily we were not molested, though reports came to us daily of depredations of banditti in the territory through which we were traveling."

"We visited every important station of the Methodist church in China. Our farthest point from Shanghai was 1,800 miles in the interior. There, in a Chinese temple, the interior of which was almost unknown to eyes of foreigners, I noticed the brazier on the altar was a made-over Standard Oil container. The Americans are arriving there, too. One importing firm in Shanghai already is employing 110 American men in its business, and others also are bringing men from the United States. In the first six months of 1919, approximately 42 per cent of the shipping arriving at the port of Shanghai flew the American flag."

Astounded at U. S. Prohibition.
Mr. High is a son of F. A. High, 2820 Poppleton avenue, assistant superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league of Nebraska.

"I thought of father and his prohibition work in the midst of freely flowing booze in China," he says, "and I realized the real meaning of the world prohibition movement. Foreigners are astounded at national prohibition in the United States."

"There were wild scenes at the bar of the Korea Maru, on which I sailed into San Francisco last Sunday during the few hours before the ship reached the three-mile limit. Britishers and others bound for Europe looked forward disconsolately to an unbroken 'dry' journey across the United States."

Teachers to Ask for Increase in Salaries

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Raises that minimum to \$2,520 and the maximum to \$3,350.
High school teachers have been paid a scale of \$1,100 to \$1,700 and the board's recent increase advanced their minimum to \$1,400 and maximum to \$2,100, plus \$300 additional a year for university credits. The increase now asked would raise their minimum to \$2,000 and maximum to \$2,700, plus the extra allowance for university credits.

Before Miss Lane presented her resolution the teachers were enthused on the subject of increased pay by the reading of papers by Miss Angeline Bracken and Miss Martha L. Powell, who attended the recent meeting of the department of superintendence of the National Educational association at Cleveland.

No inkling of the resolution was given until it was time for adjournment when Miss Line quietly arose in her seat and read her resolution, which stated that teachers are selling their Liberty bonds to meet expenses.

Earl Curzon's Daughter To Wed British Officer

London, March 25.—The engagement is announced of Lady Cynthia Curzon, second daughter of Earl Curzon of Kedleston, and Lieut. Oswald Ernald Mosley, member of parliament for the Harrow division of Middlesex.
Lady Cynthia Curzon's mother was Mary Leiter, daughter of L. Z. Leiter, of Washington, D. C., who was married to Earl Curzon in 1895 and who died in 1906.

Lieutenant Mosley is a son of Sir Oswald Mosley. He is 24 years of age and served in France with the flying corps.

Ask Canada to Debar Enemy Aliens 15 Years

Montreal, March 25.—The Dominion government is asked to debar enemy aliens from entry into Canada for 15 years in a resolution adopted here by the Great War Veterans' association.

Returns to Omaha After 26,000-Mile Far East Trip



Stanley H. High is glad to be back in Omaha after six months of chop suey junketing through China, as the smile in the accompanying photograph shows. He jolted about Japan, a la

jinrikisha, as shown in the lower insert. Upper insert shows him aboard the steamer "Empress of Russia," which carried members of Methodist Episcopal special mission to the Orient.

GERMAN OFFICIAL WARNS WORLD OF RED MOVEMENT

Bolshevism Rampant Danger Everywhere, in Opinion of Count Von Lersner.

By HENRY WALES.
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Berlin, March 25.—"Bolshevism is a rampant danger everywhere," said Count Von Lersner, who signed the peace treaty for Germany, Thursday. "Belgium will be the first victim. England and Italy already are threatened, and France is not immune, although the French think they are."

"To combat bolshevism we need a revision of the treaty. The territories seized by the allies must return to Germany. The military clauses are ridiculous. One hundred thousand troops are insufficient for Prussia or Bavaria alone to preserve order."

Reparation Too Large.
"Economically the demand for material must be reduced. The reparations figure must be cut down. Former Minister of Finance Klotz estimated the French share of the reparations should be 476,000,000,000 marks. Yet an expert in statistics before the war estimated the German nation's wealth, with the territory included which the treaty takes away, at 370,000,000,000 marks. "The allies must realize the gravity of the situation and must realize they equally are affected, if bolshevism sweeps Germany. Radical revisions are necessary immediately before it is too late. Once bolshevism seizes Germany the treaty becomes a scrap of paper. It is to the interest of Germany, Europe, yes, the United States, too—the whole world—that the treaty be revised and saner conditions substituted before June 1."

"It is impossible to make Germany pay all."
Armies Living on Germany.
"Credits from the entente will help temporarily. But workmen cannot produce when the products are seized by the entente. The occupational armies on the Rhine are living on starving Germany and using too much foodstuff. Think what the entente is taking from Germany in coal, dyes, stuffs, rolling stock and cables. The allies' reservations permit a renewal of the economic blockade whenever they wish."
"The treaty makes the league of nations a league to protect the members of the entente and to perpetuate its power. It is really a league of nations against Germany."

Eyes of Nation Upon Nebraska's Attitude

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fidence in and devotion to a Nebraska whose career of achievement has brought to it both honor and distinction for which other states, with much less claim, have been proud to contend.

Until within the last few days Pershing's friends and admirers have been handicapped by uncertainty as to the attitude of the general respecting the presidency. His repeated declarations that he was not a candidate and would not seek the office naturally embarrassed those who would otherwise have been enthusiastically advocating his selection. While there has been more or less spontaneous urging of the general's qualifications, at no time has it amounted to a definitely organized or ordered movement such as has been conducted in Nebraska by those with whom he will contend at the primaries.

With this uncertainty now removed by positive assurances that Pershing will respond if called, the situation is at once clarified. From now on the friends and admirers of the Nebraskan may be expected to encourage and consolidate Pershing's entente into a cohesive and virile force that will gather impetus as April 20 approaches.

MANY WOMEN MAY LOSE VOTE FOR PRESIDENCY

May Not Get to Polls This Year Unless Change Made In Registration Laws Despite Ratification.

Washington, March 25.—Women in several states may be denied a vote in the coming presidential election despite ratification of the suffrage amendment before November. It is said at the headquarters of the national woman's party here, unless changes are made in registration laws.

In order that women all over the United States may register for the coming November election under existing laws, ratification must be completed before May 1, 1920, on which date Georgia closes its registration. Excluding Georgia, the next date is June 30, when registration closes in Rhode Island. Registration in all other states does not close until September or October, by which time suffrage leaders are confident the amendment will be ratified.

Other requirements, however, besides the element of time may nullify the women's vote next November in certain of the states, especially in the south, unless the legislatures are willing to make necessary changes in the laws. Payment of a poll tax is required in seven of the states; in Florida and Louisiana payment is required for two years previous.

Texas law calls for the payment of a poll tax on January 1, Alabama and Mississippi on February 1 and North Carolina and South Carolina on May 1.

Pressure will be brought to bear upon the legislatures, where necessary, to have registration re-opened and the laws modified, it is said here, but women political leaders hope the changes will be accomplished without difficulty. In states where women have not heretofore been given the privilege of fulfilling the necessary requirements, provision should be made for them to go to the polls this November if the amendment is ratified in time, they assert.

No opposition to the operation of the suffrage amendment in strongly anti-suffrage states, similar to tactics employed in the South to limit the negro vote after the passage of the 15th amendment, is considered likely by suffragists here.

Hoke Smith Announces Candidacy for President

Atlanta, Ga., March 25.—Formally announcing his candidacy for the democratic nomination for president in the Georgia primary April 20, Senator Hoke Smith declared he was "unalterably opposed" to the democratic party committing itself to a national campaign on the proposition that the league of nations should have been ratified by the senate without any change.

Belgium to Take Hand In German Revolution

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chapter in the history of labor's protest against Dr. Wolfgang Kapp's attempt to establish a reactionary government.

Workmen Walk Out.
When the news of the military coup at Berlin was received the workmen here, as elsewhere, immediately struck. Statements obtained from both sides, substantially agree that this is what then happened.

The workmen offered to cooperate with the police to guard the city and posted notices that looters would be shot. They then consulted the major commanding the garrison. He declared that the soldiers would support Kapp and proclaimed martial law. He sent to Erfurt, a few miles distant, where 2,000 troops were stationed, for reinforcements.

The workmen from the munition plants in the outskirts of the city began to converge on Gotha, having seized quantities of arms and several armored cars. The forces engaged in fighting after the garrison had killed two soldiers who interfered with a boy tearing down the martial law proclamation.

Small Garrison Repelled.
The workmen lacked organization, but were strong enough to expel the small garrison. According to one of their leaders, they realized that they would be unable to resist successfully a massed attack by the soldiers coming in from Erfurt and yielded in order to avoid further bloodshed.

Their opponents admit that the workmen with the municipal authorities or establish a government of their own.

Considerable fighting has occurred at Naumberg, where the strikers entrenched themselves in the fortress from which they were dislodged after the garrison had been reinforced by troops from Weimar. Historical old Weimar itself did not escape the disorders. Several workmen were killed, but there was little property damage. All is quiet there now.

Removes American Flag.
The large numbers of troops at Erfurt prevented an outbreak there. When the patrol in the outskirts of Erfurt halted The Associated Press car for an inspection of credentials a Prussian officer, observing a small American flag on the radiator, exclaimed: "You are in Germany now, not in America." He plucked the flag out, handed it to the chauffeur and stalked angrily away.

Although almost every industrial town in Germany has witnessed disturbances, there is no doubt that the reports sent out have been grossly exaggerated with regard to loss of life and property damage. This is particularly true of Halle. The students of the university there joined the troops. The workmen were surrounded and corralled in a quarter near the center of the town.

The soldiers trained mine throwers on the buildings where the strikers had taken refuge, but with the exception of those houses and a few others in the line of the machine gun fire the city suffered little damage. There were probably no more than 100 casualties.

HOTEL FORCED TO PAY DAMAGES TO MARRIED COUPLE

Endearing Term of Hubby to Wife Put House Detective On Wrong Trail.

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire.
Chicago, March 25.—J. C. Brock, house detective at the Hotel Morrison, heard a man call a woman "sweetheart." Right away he knew they could not be man and wife so he burst into their room, ordered them to dress and get out of the hotel. For that performance a jury in the federal court ordered the hotel to pay Mr. and Mrs. Cassius C. Smiley of Indianapolis, \$9,000.

Mr. Smiley holds an important position with the Diamond Match company and Mrs. Smiley is proprietor of a millinery establishment in Indianapolis. They had just arrived at the Morrison and Mr. Smiley wanted his clothes pressed. He rang for a bell boy, meanwhile removing his clothing.

Some one tapped at the door and Mr. Smiley opened it, thinking it was the boy calling for his clothing. No one was in sight and as he closed the door, he said to his wife, "that was a false alarm, sweetheart." The house detective, lurking in the corridor, heard the remark and forthwith burst into the room. Mrs. Smiley was preparing to retire and fled into a closet, but the detective pulled open the door, despite her protest, and ordered the couple to dress and depart, notwithstanding their offer to produce credentials and the fact they were properly registered.

Returning to Indianapolis, Mr. Smiley began suit in the United States district court for \$25,000 damages, but the jury cut this down to \$9,000.

May Try German Military Persons in Civil Courts

Berlin, March 25.—A bill has been introduced in the imperial council to permit the trial of military persons by civil courts on charges of high treason.

Potential danger from the Baltic troops which supported the Kapp regime has been called attention to in socialist quarters. It is pointed out that these troops are still a collective force under their old officers.

Million-Dollar Rain.
Topeka, Kas., March 25.—Millions of dollars worth of rain has fallen in Kansas in the last 48 hours, according to B. B. Laskowski, an official of the weather station here. J. C. Mohler, secretary of the board of agriculture, said the rain would save the wheat crop.

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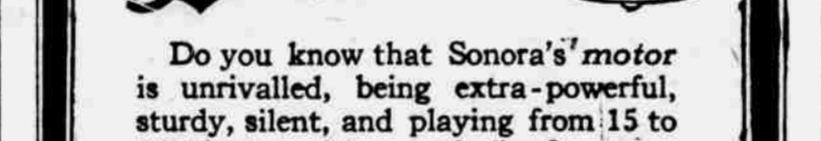


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