

Irate Senator Starts An Investigation of Shoe Profiteering

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Washington, April 8.—A United States senator went to a Washington shoe store to get himself newly shod. The dealer wanted to charge him \$20 for a pair of shoes. He decided to get his old ones resoled and a letter to the manufacturer of the shoes to find out how much the retailer paid for them. He learned that the retailer paid \$8. Now there's going to be an investigation of shoe prices. The senate manufacturers sub-committee is going to conduct the inquiry, beginning Friday when Judson C. Welliver, a Washington newspaper man,

Albion Commercial Club Works for Paved Highway

Albion, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—The Albion Commercial club is actively working for a paved highway between this city and Tilden. The road, as mapped out, will pass through Clover and be one of a network of permanent highways centering in this city. Farmers along the proposed route are strongly in favor of the plan and actively backing the club.

Vote Paving Bonds.

Chadron, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—Bonds for additional paving here carried at the city election by a vote of 7 to 1.

First Picture of Doug and Mary Since Their Marriage



Introducing Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks, in the first picture of the couple since Mary Pickford became the wife of her ex-star. This flashlight photograph was taken at the Fairbanks home, Beverly Hills, near Los Angeles, at the announcement party. The wedding followed closely Miss Pickford's divorce from Owen Moore.

Former Adjutant to General Pershing Is in Omaha for Visit

Maj. Gen. John L. Hines, now in command of the Fourth division at Camp Dodge, is visiting in Omaha today with Arthur P. Gioui. He was entertained at noon yesterday at a club by Mr. Gioui, and will be guest of honor of the board of governors of Al-Sar-Ben at dinner at the Omaha club last night. General Hines is well known in Omaha, graduating from West Point in 1891 and reporting for duty with the Second infantry at Fort Omaha in October of that year. He served at Fort Omaha for five years, when he was transferred elsewhere, returning in 1908 for a two-year term. General Hines served as adjutant general with Pershing in Mexico, and went as assistant adjutant general of the A. E. F. in France in 1916.

Fort Omaha, remained in command of Camp Dodge during the general's visit here, he said.

Former Common Law Wife Finds Marriage No Better

Grace Blum yesterday filed suit for a divorce from John Blum, of Millard, to whom she was married a year ago by Justice of the Peace Collins after being Blum's common-law wife. She filed a suit for divorce at that time but dismissed it after the legal marriage ceremony was performed. She alleges she has worked hard taking care of stock on the farm at Millard while her husband worked as a trucker in South Omaha. She says he has threatened to kick her out of the house and that he has now transferred some of his property to relatives to keep her from getting it.

Commerce High Clashes With Ashland Debaters

The debating team of the High School of Commerce will meet the Ashland high school affirmative team tonight at the local school auditorium on the question, "Resolved, That congress should prohibit strikes on railroads doing interstate business." The Ashland team recently lost to Beatrice high on the same question, while the Commerce trio defeated South High last year's state champions. The visiting team will be represented by Edward Rosecrans, Ellis Lucas and Gerald Almy.

Furlough Ord Wife Beater To Collect Alimony Money

Ord, Neb., April 8.—Anaton Zikmund, who is serving 90 days in the county jail for wife beating, has been "furloughed" until April 12 in order to sell his farm machinery and live stock. A divorce was granted Mrs. Zikmund and the decree carried with it a division of the property, which necessitates the sale. Alimony of \$20 a month was also granted.

Professional Pool Player Sued for an Accounting

Fremont, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—August Meyer, professional pool expert of Salt Lake City, has been sued in district court for an accounting of \$12,000 in money and property alleged to have been obtained by fraud from his mother, Elizabeth Helmerick, who died at the Norfolk hospital for the insane, March 23.

Praise Wayne Library.

Wayne, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—Miss Nellie Williams, secretary of the state library commission, was in Wayne Tuesday and Wednesday to visit the Carnegie and Wayne State Normal libraries. She found the Carnegie library in better condition than those in most towns the size of Wayne and commented particularly on the strong magazine list.

Pastmasters Appointed.

Washington, April 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Pastmasters appointed: Nebraska, Colleson, Sheridan county, Walter T. Rose, vice W. G. Valtz, resigned; Swanton, Saline county, Emanuel Fikar, vice Ella Russek, resigned; Brule, Keith county, resigned; Kama, Hill county, Mamie Seaman, vice Bertha A. Corles, resigned; Minerva, Marshall county, Gust A. Berg, vice P. H. Humphreys, resigned; Mount Hamilton, Lee county, Seta B. Carady, vice Bolla B. Yeast, resigned; Spaulding, Union county, Hugh C. Stephens, vice Bertha E. Livingston, resigned.

Visit in Washington.

Washington, April 8.—(Special Telegram.)—W. T. Blackman and C. H. Malone, well-known business men of Hastings, Neb., were in the capital, being interested in public land matters affecting the west.

Nominate Postmasters.

Washington, April 8.—(Special Telegram.)—The following nominations of Nebraska postmasters were sent to the senate today: Clarence Dillon, Beaver City; Harry V. Igrahall, Jewett; Jerome S. Beaton, Humboldt; Edwin R. Prady, Oakdale.

\$40,000 Ogallala Church To Be Completed in August

Ogallala, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—The basement and foundation of the new \$40,000 Congregational church to be erected at Ogallala have been completed. Practically all material is on the ground and it is expected that the church will be completed in August. It will be one of the largest and most beautiful in western Nebraska.

Defeat Water Bonds.

West Point, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—Water works extension bonds

for \$20,000 were defeated at the municipal election by a small majority.

Increased Salaries Draw Teachers to Fremont Schools

Fremont, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—Because of increased salaries offered teachers for next year, the Fremont high school faculty has been completed and but seven teachers are needed to complete the grade school instructing force. Superintendent Waterhouse has announced, Mrs. Jessie Martin of Omaha has been obtained to fill a vacancy in

the Junior High school for the rest of the spring term.

Sherman County Accepts Plan For \$165,000 Court House

Loup City, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—Plans for the new Sherman county court house have been adopted and the contract will be allowed in May. The building, as planned, will cost about \$165,000 without furniture. The present court house was erected when the county was organized in the early 70s. This old building will be razed and the new structure placed on the same site.

Teacher and Hog Breeder Throws Easter Hat in Ring

Fremont, Neb., April 8.—(Special.)—Miss Emma Meservey, who abandoned school teaching because of the nervous strain and then took up breeding of blooded hogs, has entered politics. No men having filed for the democratic nomination for state representative in this county, she has thrown her Easter hat into the ring. Miss Meservey is the present county woman's chairman of the democrats.

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L. D. RICHARDS, Fremont, Neb. Republican Delegate-at-Large



**The Career of a Successful Man**

Mr. Richards is a Nebraska pioneer and homesteader, a Vermont Civil War veteran, existing in 1862 before he was 15 years old. Came to Nebraska in 1867 and in '68 was engaged as Civil Engineer in the location and construction of the Sioux City and Pacific from California Junction to Fremont and Elkhorn to Winner. In the meantime, he entered upon, cultivated and proved up on a homestead near Scribner. Was appointed Roadmaster of the Sioux City, Pacific and Elkhorn until 1872, when he went to Central America as Superintendent and Engineer of Construction on the Costa Rican railroad, returning to Fremont in 1875. There being no railroad construction, he took over the agency of lands and has been engaged in the real estate business ever since.

Mayor of Fremont two terms, City Engineer, County Surveyor and Member of the Fremont Public Board of Works for 27 years.

In 1888 and '89 was Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee and in '90 the Republican nominee for Governor and his friends believe that had he made pledged demands by certain interests that he would have been elected. Was delegate at large at the National G. A. R. Encampment at Boston in 1890, Treasurer of the Republican State Central Committee in '92 and a delegate at large to the Republican Convention in Minneapolis which nominated Benjamin Harrison.

Mr. Richards is Past Department Commander of the Nebraska G. A. R., Past President of the Nebraska Sons of the American Revolution, was Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Masons in 1888 and for 25 years has been the Grand Treasurer of that body. He has had an active interest in promoting Masonry generally in the state. For years, he has been a member of the Board of Trustees of Brownell Hall School of Omaha.

Mr. Richards has from the beginning been a firm believer in Nebraska and has been active in building up the industries of Fremont and the State of Nebraska. Mr. Richards is a dependable man under all circumstances.

**He Believes in Leonard Wood**

As a candidate for delegate at large to the Republican Convention in Chicago, I favor the nomination of Leonard Wood as the candidate for President for the following reasons:

General Wood has, as an administrative official, held responsible positions and has never been found wanting. He is absolutely safe and sane on fundamental principles of our Constitutional Government, his feet are always on the ground, and, if elected President, will settle questions for the general welfare regardless of its political effect. The Nation needs such a man in the White House.

However, if elected a delegate and Nebraska's preferential primary vote should favor a candidate other than General Wood, I will support such preferential candidate.

L. D. RICHARDS.

**DELEGATES-AT-LARGE**—L. D. Richards, Fremont; Don L. Love, Lincoln; Charles K. Sandak, York; John W. Towl, Omaha.

**ALTERNATE DELEGATES-AT-LARGE**—Elmer F. Robinson, Harrington; I. L. Finkeld, Sidney; J. A. True, McCook; J. E. Lutz, Blair.

**DELEGATES FIRST DISTRICT**—W. A. Selleck, Lincoln; O. A. Cooper, Humboldt.

**ALTERNATES FIRST DISTRICT**—D. M. Douthett, Lincoln; J. M. Curtis, Tecumseh.

**DELEGATES SECOND DISTRICT**—W. G. Ure, Omaha; S. J. Leon, Omaha.

**ALTERNATES SECOND DISTRICT**—Fred J. Stack, Omaha; Amos Thomas, Omaha.

**DELEGATES THIRD DISTRICT**—A. R. Davis, Wayne; E. B. Penney, Fullerton.

**ALTERNATES THIRD DISTRICT**—John McCarthy, Jr., Ponca; F. C. Bergman, Columbus.

**DELEGATES FOURTH DISTRICT**—H. E. Sackett, Beatrice; H. C. Beebe, Osceola.

**ALTERNATES FOURTH DISTRICT**—A. V. Pease, Fairbury; George Liggett, Uta.

**DELEGATES FIFTH DISTRICT**—H. W. Miller, Bloomington; H. E. Stein, Hastings.

**ALTERNATES FIFTH DISTRICT**—Albert J. Gardner, Orleans; Davis F. Meeker, Imperial.

**DELEGATES SIXTH DISTRICT**—Horace F. Kennedy, Broken Bow; Earl D. Mallory, Alliance.

**ALTERNATES SIXTH DISTRICT**—C. A. Yoder, Elm Creek; Guy C. Thatcher, Butte.

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# WHAT WILL HAPPEN

Hiram Johnson Will Never Be Nominated for President of the United States by a Republican National Convention, Says the Indianapolis News

"Returns from Michigan Primary just now available show that Senator Johnson has large plurality over Leonard Wood in Detroit. The returns from rural districts will no doubt cut down the Johnson lead. Lowden was poor third. No one has any idea that the California Senator will be nominated. The men who were fighting Wood have not the remotest intention of permitting the nomination of Johnson if they can help it, for none know better than they that Johnson could not be elected if nominated.

"The situation is not unlike what it was in Senate when the peace treaty was being considered. Johnson and his associates were treated with utmost deference and consulted in regard to proposed resolutions for which it was known that they would not vote, but when it came to action the bulk of the Republicans voted against Johnson and for the treaty. It was found nothing could be accomplished by supporting Lowden and Harding, neither of whom has made any impression on the people. A man of decidedly different type was needed and so Johnson was willing to be taken up, not with any purpose of nominating him, but simply to beat Wood and create a situation at Chicago which would leave the inside "tired men" to do their work in early morning hours and impose upon Republicans a candidate not of their choosing. So, though Detroit went heavily for Johnson yesterday, results indicate neither defeat of Wood at Chicago nor the nomination of Johnson. The friends of General Wood will go to work with renewed vigor, undisturbed by the result in Michigan. As for the old crowd, it may soon find that Johnson is something of an embarrassment. There is probably no man, unless it be Wood—or Hoover—whom it would less desire to see President."—Editorial in Indianapolis News

## BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

Votes for Favorite Sons or Impossible Candidates Is a Vote for Uninstructed Delegation and Machine Politics.

"Just a word about this favorite son idea," said Wood. "I understand this is an election for national office and voters in each state are free to vote for whom they wish. They are not limited in choice necessarily to someone born, married or residing in their state, or does business in their state. "The favorite son plan is one which has always placed a limitation upon the choice of the people and played directly into the hands of the worst form of machine politics. It has often resulted in bringing about in different states what a distinguished political leader recently said would be done in the 1920 presidential nomination; namely, that about 2:11 o'clock in the morning the nomination would be settled by fifteen or twenty tired men sitting around a table in a smoke-filled room behind closed doors. We want no more of this kind of thing in this country. We want the will of the people as expressed at the polls embodied, in the choice made at the convention."