

# INTERCHURCH NEEDS AS VITAL AS WORK IN WAR

### Originator of Movement Explains Organization Plans and Finance Campaign for \$350,000,000 Fund.

The call sounded today by the Interchurch World movement is just as imperative as were the calls for men and money for welfare and relief work during the recent hostilities. J. M. Speer of New York City said yesterday at a rally at the North Presbyterian church.

### Retail Credit Men Will Be Guests at Dinner Here

David J. Woodlock of St. Louis, executive secretary of the National Retail Credit Men's association, and David J. Woodlock of Oklahoma City, a director, are to be in Omaha today as guests of local credit men.

### Holdup Gets Nothing

Frank Miller 4212 Ames avenue, was held up at Thirteenth and Deer Park boulevard at 11 o'clock Saturday night. An unmasked negro stopped him but neglected to take some small change Miller had in his pocket.

## What Do You Know?

(Here's a chance to make your wit worth money. Each day The Bee will publish a series of quotations prepared by Superintendent J. H. Beveridge of the public schools. They cover things which you should know. The first complete list of correct answers received from an Omaha reader of The Bee will be compiled by the first from outside of Omaha will win the same. The answers and the names of the winners will be published on the day indicated below. Be sure to give your views and address in full. Address "Question Editor," Omaha Bee.)

By J. H. BEVERIDGE.

1. How much does a cubic foot of water weigh?
2. Who invented the steam engine?
3. How fast does sound travel at 70 degrees Fahrenheit?
4. What is the longest canal in the United States?
5. Name the highest mountain in the world.

(Answers Published Thursday.)

**THURSDAY'S ANSWERS.**  
1. Ferdinand de Soto.  
2. House of representatives.  
3. Benjamin Franklin.  
4. 1861.  
5. Winner—Louis C. Thoelecke, 618 North Fourteenth street, Omaha.

### Hitchcock and Johnson Arrive in Omaha Today

Senators G. M. Hitchcock and Hiram Johnson, principals in the presidential primary campaign, are due to arrive in Omaha this morning.

The California senator entrusted Saturday afternoon at New York City, according to a telegram received by Thomas Lynch, who is in charge of the Johnson meeting to be held this evening in the auditorium. Johnson will proceed Tuesday morning for Lincoln and will make a brief speaking tour of the state, accompanied by Senator G. W. Norris.

### Man Thrown From Motor in Collision Breaks Ankle

In a collision of two automobiles at Twentieth and Harney streets last night, J. J. O'Brien, Seventeenth and Burt streets, suffered a broken ankle.

He was thrown from a car driven by W. J. Allen, 718 North Seventeenth street, when it collided with an automobile driven by K. C. Gunnell, 2409 Emmet street. Allen was arrested.

## Weather Man Promises Warmer Weather Will Follow Sunday Snow

The weather man exhibited further idiosyncrasies Sunday by providing a heavy snow and a temperature too low to be consistent with April expectations. He predicted that the mercury would fall to a point only 22 degrees above zero during the night.

A heavy fall of snow and sleet filled streets and walks with slush, making weather as disagreeable as that of Easter Sunday of the previous week.

The weather observer took heart, however, and predicted that conditions will clear up again this morning. The fall of snow and rain will cease, although the sun may not break through the clouds for another 24 hours.

Heavy precipitation of snow was reported Sunday morning from North Platte, Cheyenne, Sioux City and other points. At North Platte the precipitation during the 24 hours ending Sunday at 7 a. m. was 1.64 inches.

### Pair Resists Arrest Upon Charge of Intoxication

A pint of whisky fell to the pavement and broke Saturday night when Tom Benson, 507 South Thirteenth street, attempted to escape from detectives who interrupted him and Tom Burke, 1711 California street, in an alleged attempt to "strongarm" Police Officer E. K. Jandro at Thirteenth and Harney streets last night.

The men were found intoxicated by the officer and the two combined against him when he attempted to arrest them. City detectives passing in an automobile interrupted the fray. Benson and Burke were charged with intoxication and resisting an officer.

### Auto Recovered Almost as Its Theft is Discovered

Five minutes after G. F. Eades, 123 North Thirty-first avenue, reported the theft of his automobile from his garage Saturday night, a telegram from police at Horton, Kan., 125 miles south of Omaha, reported recovery of the car. Two men were arrested, the telegram read.

**Free Iris Plants**—All purchasers of seed or nursery stock, regardless of amount bought, will receive free iris plants this spring. We have no agents. Money Nursery and Seed Store, 3241 West Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia. Phone 1698.—Adv.



## TWIN STORIES BY LUCY FITCH PERKINS

### Dutch Twins Learn About Pluck

Then they walked all around the mill. They peeped inside a door which was open, and saw the pumps working away. "Yes," said Father Vedder, "it is nip and tuck between wind and water in Holland. Let us sit down here on the canal bank in the sunshine, and I will tell you what hard work has to be done to keep this good land of ours. And it is a good land! We should be thankful for it! Just see the rich green meadows over there, with the cows grazing in them!"—Father Vedder pointed to the beautiful fields across the canal.

### I'M THE GUY!

By R. H. ALLIE.  
I'M THE GUY, the clerk who makes you wait for your change, while he gossips with a fellow clerk, a friend or another customer. Why shouldn't I? You've been on. It's only your change coming. Why should I wait till you go to carry on a conversation?

What difference does it make, anyway? Just because you've bought something is no reason I should wait on you, hand and foot, or stick around until the change comes.

Besides, you're not in such a great hurry. Our store is as good a place to loaf around in as any. Making you wait a minute won't hurt you a bit. And, anyhow, I can't tell if you're in a rush or not.

Anyway, I don't want to bust off in my gossipping right at that point. I'll come around to you just as soon as I finish.

If you don't like it, that's up to you. Wait a minute, keep cheerful, forget about it or go to some other place or to some other clerk. That's how I feel about it.

### Camp Dodge Commandant Guest at Luncheon Here

Brig. Gen. John L. Hines, Camp Dodge, Ia., in command of the Fourth division of the United States army, was entertained at luncheon at the Athletic club Saturday, just before he left Omaha for Des Moines.

The luncheon was arranged by several old-time friends of General Hines, all of whom were Omaha Elks. General Hines was a guest of Gould Dietz as dinner at the Fontenelle hotel Friday night, preceding the installation of officers ceremonies at the Elks club. General Hines, a member of the Omaha lodge, participated in the exercises.

### Negro Robber Assaults His Intended Victim

O. England, 2105 F street, was assaulted by an unidentified negro at Eleventh street and Capitol avenue late Saturday night.

England was going down the street when a negro stopped him and ordered him to throw up his hands, England said. He refused and the man struck him over the hand with a piece of iron. When the negro struck him England screamed for help and the assailant, becoming frightened, ran away.

### Railway Pass and Diamond Ring Taken by Burglars

A railway pass from Omaha to Ottumwa, Iowa, and a \$125 diamond ring were stolen from the home of W. H. Clark, 2106 California street, yesterday during the absence of the family. Entrance was gained by a pass key.

### Mayor Smith Now Member Of First Congregational

Among 60 new members formally received at the First Congregational church yesterday morning was Mayor Ed P. Smith. Mayor Smith has been a church worker for years, but until yesterday had never been received into full membership.

### Police Seize Booze

Rose Roessneck, 912 Capitol avenue, was arrested at her home Saturday night charged with illegal possession of liquor when a raiding squad discovered two gallons of corn whisky and two gallons of "dago red" in her house.

## WHY?—

Does Thunder Sour Milk? (Copyright, 1920, by the Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

Strictly speaking, thunder does not cause milk to turn sour, because thunder is nothing but sound and sound, of itself, can accomplish no chemical changes. Milk, however, will sour very quickly in a moist, warm temperature, such as is almost invariably present before and during a thunder storm. Persons who have noted the change in milk which very frequently takes place—not as result of the thunder, but because of the thunder and the humidity of the air—have argued backwards from the effect and have concluded that the souring was due to the thunder, whereas it was really caused by conditions in the air itself. The same thing is just as likely to occur after a warm summer rain.

Tomorrow's Question — Why Do We "See Stars" When Struck on the Head?

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Lincoln	1.10
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