

Methodist Meeting In Des Moines Closes; Keep Ban on Dancing

Des Moines, Ia., May 27.—The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which has been in session here during the month of May, adjourned early this afternoon. Business was concluded at 12:04 noon, after which the final roll call and closing devotional exercises were held. Bishop Joseph F. Berry, the senior member of the board of bishops, presided. The adjournment was made for the calling of a special session at any time during the quadrennium the new commission on unification with the Methodist Church, South, shall arrive at an agreement for union of the two churches. The penalty for indulgence in dancing and cards, attending theaters, circuses, horse races or dancing schools, contained in paragraph 280, was retained by the Methodist Episcopal general conference when the minority report of the committee on state of the church was defeated by a vote of 269 to 437.

SUPPORTERS OF BONUS CLEARING DECKS FOR VOTE

Advocates to Block All Other Legislation Until Pay Bill Is Brought Up for Passage.

Washington, May 27.—Advocates of the soldier relief bill served notice in the house today that beginning tomorrow they would seek to block all legislation until the measure is brought up for passage. Representative Mason, republican, Illinois, made such an announcement amid loud applause in the house. Representative Murphy, republican, Ohio, repeated it. "We are tired of this confidence game," declared Mr. Mason, referring to delay in bringing the bill before the house. Representative Fordney, republican, Michigan, in charge of the measure said its passage might be attempted Saturday, but some other leaders thought that it might go over until next week. The rules committee today ordered a favorable report of a resolution suspending house rules for six days, beginning Saturday, the plan being to bring up the relief bill during that time. **Speaks of Big Deal.** Prolonged debate on the bill, though bitter at times, disclosed no open opposition to it. Mr. Mason in answering affirmatively a question by Representative Henry T. Rainey, democrat, Illinois, as to whether the former favored an 80 per cent war profits tax to finance the proposal, charged that B. M. Baruch, "had stolen \$50,000,000 of war profits out of copper."

Pretty Girl Takes Trial Hat to Paris



Pretty Miss Leslie Earl of New York sailed for Paris on the Canopus wearing a hat the milliners of America hope to introduce into the city of fashion. The hat, with its drooping ostrich feathers, is rather chic.

GARDENER HURT WHEN STRUCK BY SPEEDING AUTO

Hilding Hokanson Is Knocked Unconscious, While Driver Of Car Speeds Away—Injuries Not Fatal.

Hilding Hokanson, a gardener living at 2125 South Thirty-fifth avenue, was seriously injured when struck by a speeding automobile at Forty-third and Center streets shortly before 11 o'clock last night. The automobile was going at a high rate of speed and the driver did not stop after the accident. Hokanson was knocked to the pavement, and was picked up unconscious and taken to his home in a passing automobile. Hokanson, his wife and several neighbors, C. Anderson, 3922 Castellar street; Mr. and Mrs. D. Erickson, 2127 South Thirty-fifth avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. V. Nelson, 2129 South Thirty-fifth avenue, were on their way home from the Lutheran Bethel church, Forty-fifth street and Poppleton avenue. They were crossing the street, walking south, when the accident occurred. The driver of the car was going at a speed of about 40 miles an hour, according to Mr. Erickson. He did not sound his horn as he approached the corner and after the accident continued going east at a high rate of speed, he said. Police were informed that shortly before the accident, a speeding automobile believed to have been the same one which struck Hokanson ran into and killed a cow near a turn in the road at Fifty-fourth and Center streets. Hokanson still was in a dazed condition at his home an hour after the accident. He was attended by Dr. J. Young, of the South Side police station and Dr. F. J. Schiefer. His head was lacerated, but his condition is not dangerous, it was said early this morning.

YOUTH WRITES "GOODBYE," THEN DRINKS "POISON"

Essence of Tobacco Fails to Summon Death, So He Tells Police About It—Girl Also Arrested.

The arrest of Arthur V. James, 19 years old, of Hastings, Neb., by Detectives Wavrin and Whalen for investigation in connection with passing worthless checks, last night brought to light the story of a reputed suicide by James at his rooming place, 2020 Harney street, Tuesday afternoon. James, who formerly was employed as a clerk for Swift & Co., is the son of a prominent Hastings, Neb., attorney, he told the police. He admits passing several worthless checks, ranging in amount from \$150 to \$12 and totaling \$32, in Omaha within the last few days, according to the police. **Girl Also Arrested.** James was traced to his rooming house by a detective who attended by him last night. Miss Madge Corran, 19 years old, who is said to have been living with him at the above address for the last 10 days, also was arrested on a charge of misconduct. Miss Corran formerly was employed as a stenographer at the Strand theater and came to Omaha from O'Neill, Neb., last February, according to police. When James was searched at the police station last night a note was found in his pocket, which showed him to be in a contemplation of suicide. Investigation revealed that he had attempted suicide Tuesday by breaking the contents of a cigarette in a glass of water and drinking the concoction. According to the story which James told the police last night he was in depressed spirits. He had been in Omaha since last September and had been employed at numerous places. Tuesday he was unusually depressed, and went to his rooming place from the Fontenelle hotel, where he had written the farewell note. **Here Is the Note.** The note, which was found in his pocket, read as follows: "Well, it seems that it is no use, so I am going to quietly slip out of the world. I want no fuss made. I give my undying affections to my parents at this time, and although my name may have shown it in my lifetime, or perhaps even by my present act, I nevertheless realize that they have done everything in the world possible for me, and although I have been a failure, I wish at this time to express my best and sincere appreciation to Mr. George Corran, I wish to say that although you ruined me and made this thing not only possible but necessary, nevertheless to you I give all the love that God has permitted man to give to woman. I wish to state that this is oh so weary of the world."

M'CONNELL SAYS ELABORATE STAGE SETTINGS WRONG

Simplicity and Beauty of Present Day Are Better, Expert Says.

The old stage productions lack harmony and unity," said Frederic McConnell in his lecture on "Modern Stage Decoration" under auspices of the Omaha Drama league, Thursday afternoon at the Fontenelle hotel. "The elaborate settings which were used in a former day detract from the play, and the new settings show simplicity and beauty, and emphasis is now placed on the action of the play," according to Mr. McConnell. The lantern slides used by Mr. McConnell to illustrate his lecture are said to be the finest in the country. They were collected by Mr. McConnell and Samuel Hume of the Arts and Crafts theater in Detroit. Stage settings from 1642 to the present day were shown. Mr. McConnell, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. McConnell of the city, is the executive director of the Greek theater, University of California, in Berkeley. He is a graduate of the University of Nebraska and the school of drama, Carnegie Institute of Technology. In addition to his directorship of the theater he is also executive director of the McConnell lectures on the drama at that institution. Mrs. E. M. Syfert, newly-elected president of the Drama league, introduced the speaker to the audience of more than 300. Twenty-five new members were enrolled in the league Thursday afternoon.

COOLIDGE MAY BE DARK HORSE OF REPUBLICANS

Governor Gaining Fast During Past 24 Hours—Butler and Poindexter Also Edging to Front.

Chicago Tribune—Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, May 27.—Ludlow or a dark horse seem to be the general trend of opinion along "Presidential front." National committees, leaders from various states, both republican and democratic, are arriving for the national convention and there is a general sifting of all possibilities and angles of the somewhat tangled situation. It is generally agreed that the investigation of campaign expenditures has injured General Wood's chances, while Senator Johnson, chief instigator of this investigation, is about as popular as a barrel of rattlesnakes. Governor Ludlow's name is limited, he has expended a lot of money, but he "came clean" before the investigators and the general opinion seems to be that the inquiry has not harmed him. His frankness in admitting and proving that he spent his money has made a hit with the politicians. Of the dark horses Governor Coolidge has galloped to the front in the last 24 hours, showing an amazing burst of speed. Nicholas Murray Butler, with the 88 votes of the New York delegation behind him, is also edging into the limelight. He is also expected to get the New Jersey delegation if the Wood and Johnson booms blow up. Senator Poindexter, also among the dark horses, is attracting fresh attention. He is pointed out that he holds the unique position of not having antagonized any of the other candidates and might count upon their help after they see their own case is hopeless. Hoover may be becoming more numerous and are demanding that there be a rigid examination of Johnson's expenditures in California and the California source of the funds being expended in other states in his behalf. It is said the Connecticut delegation will stick to Hoover until the last ditch and it is expected that state will furnish the spellbinder who will present his name to the convention. Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas for president on the republican ticket and Senator Morris Sheppard of Missouri for vice president, are the standard bearers are the choices of the prohibition forces.

Boy Scout Will Be Sent From Omaha To London Meeting

Omaha boy scouts who have passed their first-class tests today will be asked to register in the contests which will decide which Omaha boy is to attend the international jamboree in London during July and August of this year. A committee of Omaha men, John W. Welch, T. H. Beveridge, W. E. Reed, Father Carl M. Warden, and W. C. Fraser, will decide which boy is to go. Tests in athletics, physical development, scout craft and psychology will be given. The winners will be given higher tests and the boy to represent Omaha will be chosen. About 200 boys from the United States and boys from 56 other countries will go to England for the jamboree. Contests in scout craft for the championship of the world will be staged. The American boys will be given preliminary training at Palisades on the Hudson river before they embark for London. The U. S. navy has been asked to furnish transportation to the jamboree for the boys from France and the graves of the American dead is planned. The Omaha Boy Scout council will pay the expenses of the boy chosen to represent Omaha.

Presbyterian Meeting Enlivened by Fight on Interchurch Movement

Charlotte, N. C., May 27.—Final sessions of the Southern Presbyterian general assembly were enlivened by a new fight against the interchurch movement which, a resolution which its proponents said would make Wednesday night's session unproductive was adopted, providing that church boards and executive secretaries should give no funds to the interchurch movement in excess of specific donations made for that purpose. It developed that negative vote of Dr. W. L. Lingle, moderator, breaking a tie, was only motion to submit the interchurch question to the presbyteries, and not on adoption of the committee's report favoring further co-operation, which was declared adopted by an uncounted majority. **Postmasters Appointed.** Washington, D. C., May 27.—(Special Telegram)—Charles J. Wondolfin appointed postmaster at Marlinton, Warren county, Iowa, vice W. E. Shoemaker, resigned. John D. Franklin at Stoneville, Macon City, S. D. vice F. A. Front, resigned.

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Fix Price of Whisky in Ireland at 20 Pence Glass

Dublin, May 27.—The chief secretary to Ireland received at the castle a deputation representing the licensed grocers and vintners' association, who wanted sanction to fix the price of whisky in the future. After a consultation it was agreed to fix the price at 20 pence per glass.

Prince Michael Murat Is Indicted for Grand Larceny

New York, May 27.—Prince Michael Murat, at whose home in Paris President and Mrs. Wilson resided during the peace conference, was indicted by the May grand jury on a charge of grand larceny in the first degree on complaint of a Manhattan fur dealer, who alleged he lost \$1500 through a check transaction during the prince's visit here last June. A bench warrant will be issued for the prince and the New York police department may send a detective to Paris to serve it and ask for his extradition to the United States.

Sioux City Stock Salesmen Must Face Dakota Charges

Sioux City, Ia., May 27.—Criminal actions against stock salesmen of the Midland Packing company, the Sioux City corporation whose fate is to be decided by Federal Judge H. T. Reed, will be started in South Dakota by Byron S. Payne, attorney general of that state. Attorney General Payne in a signed statement charged that salesmen for the corporation violated South Dakota laws by selling more stock than the company was permitted to sell by the securities commission. **Seek Treasure Indians** The Pass, Man., May 27.—Ten cases of rum which an Indian tradition says were buried at Cumberland house a century and a half ago were being searched for today by a party of prospectors. The story, in which the searchers place full credence, is that the rum was brought into the north by a French trading party, which was stopped at Cumberland house and turned back by the Hudson Bay people, after they had hidden the liquor which was intended for the Indian trade.



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FARMERS STATE BANK At Dix Is Closed by State Trade Board

Lincoln, Neb., May 27.—Secretary J. E. Hart of the state department of trade and commerce announced today the department had taken over the Farmers State bank at Dix, Neb. The bank has been closed since Friday last. The "failure," said a statement by Secretary Hart, "is attributed to lack of experience in management and inability to realize on the bank's assets on account of bills receivable being long time and unliquidated." He added that unless some arrangements could be made to relieve the situation, a receivership would be asked. The bank was organized and chartered January 16, 1917, by Gus Linn, Emory J. Horrum, and George L. Kimball. The capital stock was \$10,000, and the bank opened for business April 19, 1917. January 29, 1920, the capital stock was increased to \$20,000, and Mr. Linn and Mr. Cogle disposed of their interests and retired, and Mr. Horrum succeeded as president, J. M. Nelson, vice president, and Gene Binning, cashier. The deposits as reported to the state on May 24 were \$91,702.15; loans, \$88,939.83, and cash and sight accounts, \$11,922.42. The existing charge accounts, unsecured, probably good, \$50,314.90; notes secured by chattel mortgages, \$24,338.80; notes secured by real estate mortgages, \$7,877; notes reported bad and worthless, \$6,409.13.

Canada's Reparation Claims on Germany Total \$1,871,000,000

Ottawa, May 27.—Canada's reparations claim against Germany for the war totaled \$1,871,000,000, and has been forwarded to England and has been presented at the conference of representatives of all parts of the British empire in London, and subsequently at an inter-allied conference at Spa, Belgium, it was announced today. The claim is for losses sustained by the country and its citizens and includes: Cost of war and demobilization, \$1,715,000,000; reparation allowances, \$85,000,000; Halifax losses, \$30,000,000; army of occupation, \$8,000,000, and illegal warfare \$31,000,000.

Committee On Way to Penitentiary to Tell Debs of Nomination

New York, May 27.—A committee headed by Seymour Stedman left here tonight for the federal penitentiary at Atlanta to give official notification to Eugene Debs, serving a term for violation of the espionage law, of his nomination for president on the socialist party ticket. The committee will go to the prison Saturday morning and seek permission for their candidate to receive the notification and make a speech in reply. Mr. Stedman jokingly remarked that the committee might take up with Mr. Debs the matter of cabinet appointments. "I think from the standpoint of public interest," Mr. Stedman said, "that if the matter has been fully presented to the president, and if the department of justice realizes what it means, they will release Mr. Debs before his notification and acceptance. It might not be a good example to have a prisoner in a penitentiary accept the nomination for the presidency of the United States. It might have a tendency to take away the sting of imprisonment in the eyes of the public."

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Motive of Elopement Was To Avoid Tragedy, Declares Bridegroom

Chicago Tribune—Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Wilmington, Del., May 27.—Edith Kingdon Gould and Carroll J. Wayne, a direct descendant of Peter Stuyvesant, eloped to avoid a tragedy. They said so through a closed door at the Hotel Du Pont here. They left early Thursday without disclosing their destination. "We eloped because we knew that otherwise we would be separated for the whole summer; that would have been a tragedy," the husband announced. "You see, we are terribly in love with each other. In a few more days Edith would have gone to Lakewood or the Adirondacks while I would have had to go to East Hampton. We never could have stood that separation, could we, dear?" Mrs. Wayne winked agreed with emphasis. "Did our parents oppose the marriage? Don't think so. Fact is, I don't think they knew anything about our affairs. You see, we never told them or anyone of our engagement."

Cleveland Man Asks Aid Of Police to Find Wife

Arriving in Omaha from Lincoln Wednesday, Joe Mausser, formerly of Cleveland, O., has asked police to aid him in his search for his wife, Mrs. Antoinette Mausser, and their two children, Bernard, 5 years old, and Robert, 4 months old. Mausser has never seen baby Robert, who was born two months after his wife's departure from her home in Cleveland to visit her brother in Sheridan, Wyo. Mausser received a note from his wife May 11 saying she was leaving for Lincoln. When he arrived there, he learned she had gone for Omaha.

Stole Wheel Chair, Police Say

While staggering down the street, pushing a wheel chair, which he is alleged to have stolen from G. P. Bowen, 3112 North Twenty-fourth street, Joe R. Smith, 3504 North Thirtieth street, was arrested by the police yesterday charged with petty larceny. Smith said the police that he was taking the chair home to his wife who is an invalid. Police said Smith was drunk when arrested.

Two Des Moines Men Hurt In Gas Tank Explosion

Des Moines, Ia., May 27.—(Special Telegram).—While being repaired, a gasoline tank at Purlong Boiler works at East Fourth street and Court avenue, exploded, injuring Henry Furlong, proprietor, and Charles Jones, an employe. Furlong was thrown several feet and badly burned. Jones was also severely burned.

Sioux City Brakeman Is Badly Injured at Lawton

Sioux City, Ia., May 27.—Henry L. Johnson, a brakeman on the Northwestern railway, was probably fatally injured at Lawton, Ia., Thursday. His left arm and leg were mangled between two freight cars. He was brought to Sioux City on a special train and placed in a hospital.

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