

Harding Urges South Renounce Its Solidarity

President-Elect Makes Plea to People to Rise Above Sectional and Partisan Divisions.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 22.—A new spirit of United Americanism, holding itself above sectional and partisan divisions and making secure the industries of the whole nation alike was bespoken by President-elect Harding last night, in a message to the people of the south.

The message, written at the request of Clark Howell, editor of the Atlanta constitution, and democratic national committeeman of Georgia, was made public on the arrival of the train which is taking the president-elect to Florida. It follows: "Of course I have no message to the people of the south that I would not gladly utter to all the United States. Perhaps the south would be interested to know, however, of one ambition which I cherish. I want to be instrumental in establishing that complete concord of union which I hold to be essential to the American fulfillment. I realize how the political solidarity of the south followed the unfortunate days of the civil war. I know how that solidarity has been encouraged, and I think I understand the desire to break it on the other hand.

Little Hostility Left.

It is not specifically a republican ambition. It is rather to be accredited to a desire to establish complete mutuality of purpose and oneness of ambition in America.

There is little left of the old-time hostility and there is not any occasion for any section of America to pin its aspirations to the fortunes of one party. I think it is fair to assume that all political parties mean to be best for our common country. As a result I believe that many of the republican policies are calculated to best serve all of America. For instance, I believe there is a great significance in the coming tariff congress to be held in Atlanta.

I believe most cordially in prospering America first. I do not see how we can retain our home markets, upon which American good fortune must be founded, and at the same time maintain American standards of production and American standards of living, unless we make other peoples with lower standards pay for the privilege of trading in American markets.

Best Market in World.

Ours is the best market in the world because we are largest in consumption and the ablest to buy. The application lies in a perfectly justifiable ambition to make the southland as industrially independent as the states of the north and east.

The people of the south are just as much interested as any other geographical location, in the development of an American merchant marine. Out of our abundance of resources, out of our greater ability to produce and out of our boasted American efficiency, ought to come American eminence in world-wide trade. We ought to send our cargoes from southland ports just as numerous as we do from northern and western ports.

I am sure the incoming administration wishes to see, figuratively speaking, every southern port whitened by the sails of commerce and know that our carriers are taking messages of good will and amity along with our cargoes to all the parts of the earth.

Elks Lodge to Organize Forty-Piece Jazz Band

Omaha lodge of Elks is going to have a jazz band. "Forty band men are already on the roll of membership and applications of 25 more for membership were received at the last lodge meeting.

A band concert and dancing party to establish a band fund for the organization and promotion of the organization will be given at the Municipal Auditorium next Thursday at 8:30. An hour concert will be followed by two hours of dancing.

Geneva Man Grows Lettuce For Winter Consumption

Geneva, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.) A greenhouse has been built by Fred Eaton for the purpose of growing lettuce for the winter market. Later the capacity of the business may be increased to include culture of hot-house flowers. The present building is of the best construction, heated by steam, and 18x50 feet in dimension.

Farmers Near Fairbury Rushing Wheat to Market

Fairbury, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Grain buyers report that farmers are selling considerable wheat at present rather than to chance March 1 prices. This is the time annual changes are made by renters and farm settlements are made.

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'King of Tramps' Talks To Men at Y. M. C. A.



Dr. John Tyler, "the king of tramps," who will tell of "Chasing a Phantom Five Times Around the World" at a men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 3:30. After 60 years of "high life," Dr. Tyler quit his globe trotting to settle in America and has been engaged in religious work for 12 years, claimed by the Jerry McCauley Mission in New York as its greatest convert.

Rate Hearings Are Set for Week By Commission

Permanent Fares for Lincoln Traction Company Will Be Fixed—Differ on Valuation.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Application of the Lincoln Traction company for permanent fares at rates adequate to earn a reasonable dividend on its valuation is set for final hearing before the Nebraska Railway commission for Thursday. This application has been pending for several years. A report from the city's rate expert, Alton D. Adams, falls short of the valuation figure of the company's expert, U. G. Powell, former expert for the railway commission.

The raise in rates granted by the commission from time to time the last three years, boosting fares gradually from six-for-a-quarter to 8 cents, have been only emergency rates. The company is asking for no specific permanent rate. The commission has set Tuesday for hearing two freight rate applications from all Nebraska carriers in the forenoon to increase the minimum carload weight on scrap iron, and in the afternoon to amend rates on returned cement and plaster sacks.

Warrants Issued for Two Men in Mail Train Robbery

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Warrants charging theft of mail pouches from trucks at the Union station early last Tuesday morning were issued against Wm. Conroy and John McFadden today. The two were arrested yesterday by postoffice inspectors. Postoffice authorities declared they believed solution of the robbery was close at hand. The final figure of bonds stolen was set at \$43,000 today. Of these \$40,000 worth were registered and of no value to any one but the owners.

Protecting Your Family's Future

How long will your family be able to maintain its present standard of living when your efforts stop?

That depends on whether you exercise the same prudence and forethought in your personal affairs that have made your business a success.

The prudent thing to do now is to call in your lawyer and make a will.

And, in your will, appoint a trust company as the executor and trustee of your estate. It will protect and conserve your estate when you are no longer here to look after it yourself.

The officers of any of the undersigned TRUST COMPANIES of OMAHA will be glad to consult with you regarding the appointment of a Trust Company as executor or trustee under your will.

United States Trust Company The Peters Trust Company
The Equitable Trust Company First Trust Company
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Temptation Too Great, Says Bandit-Minister

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ages of bills and stuffed them down into a box, then took the mail sack and burned it in the heating stove in our living room back of the repair shop. Next we planned to hide the money away safely. I put some of the bundles with \$100 bills into an egg crate, more bundles into a big box, covering them with paper and piling jars of jelly on them. More bundles were put into another box under a layer of oats. Then we took some of the loot to our North Side warehouse and concealed it. I tore out the hair in an old mattress and stuffed it with bills.

Planned to Bury Money.

"This was all possible because I was just moving my family to a house near our warehouse on the North Side and could come and go, unobserved. We planned to gradually take all of the money up there and bury the majority of it in my yard, leaving enough handy around the downtown office to slip into our bank account every week. After a year or two we planned to incorporate our automobile business, sell bonds and slip all of the money to our joint accounts. Then sell out. I was going to take my family to California then and live easy the rest of my life. With the money once thoroughly concealed, I thought that I could keep safe a little at a time into the business, buying larger stocks and so on, without any one once suspecting me. I had gone straight for 20 years and nobody had suspected me of this thing, if my partner had not led the inspectors to the hiding places and laid all the blame on me. I am taking the blame. I will not even employ a lawyer, but I hope that my family will be taken care of in some way while I pay the penalty for my act.

"I quit the ministry because it did not pay me enough to make ends meet," he said, in answer to a question, "but I wish 10,000 times that I was back there and clean now. The fortune stolen was like dirt and ashes to me from the minute I first saw it."

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have never thought of arresting him. There is still much to be checked up; whereabouts of small parts of the cash yet unaccounted for and where Kyle spent it, but I am inclined to believe that he pulled this, the biggest cash robbery in years, by himself.

"His charges are ridiculous, but expected," said Williamson, who was found laboring at the downtown repair shop that has been turned upside down in the search for hidden money.

"It was at home in bed when the robbery occurred. I began to suspect Kyle the day after when he made frequent trips to the warehouse, and in his absence searched the downtown place and found the egg crate with \$100,000 in it. Then I telephoned State's Attorney Thompson and Sheriff Grant Levin to bring the inspectors at once. We went over the repair shop and the warehouse and found most of the money. Kyle led the officers to the hiding place of about \$5,000 after he had been arrested. I think that his reckless spending of money first aroused my suspicions and when 'Red' Allen, express driver, told me Kyle had given him a tip of \$3 for taking a box to the warehouse, I began the investigation."

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Deputies Give Premier Briand - Confidence Vote

French Chamber Expresses Confidence in New Premier and Ministry by 475 to 68.

Paris, Jan. 22.—Aristide Briand, France's new premier, and members of his ministry were given a record vote of confidence by the chamber of deputies tonight. By a vote of 475 to 68, the deputies but their stamp of approval on the policies of M. Briand, who in a two-hour speech, characterized by its vigor

and oratory, answered interpellations and promised to make the collection of reparations from Germany, the guiding principle of his administration.

The premier avoided a statement of any definite plan for carrying out the treaty and the restoration of France to its former economic position, but promised to devote all his time and energy to this purpose. His remarks frequently were interrupted by applause in which, for the most part, the members of the right did not join.

Asks Full Confidence.

At the outset of his speech, M. Briand told the chamber that it must give the new government a clean-cut vote of confidence "at this critical time when the policies of France probably would be pledged for the next two years."

The size of the vote, which surprised many deputies, is regarded as not only an expression of confidence in the government, but as manifestation of national unity in the face of

the forthcoming meeting of the allies. M. Briand asserted the French people had come to the point where they wanted realities and not words.

"We have had formulas of truth for two years, but no indemnities," he declared. "It would be the greatest travesty of justice if the attackers of civilization were to be let off without payment for their crimes."

Denial was made by the premier of the charge that France had not stated the extent of her claims, so that she might "extort brutal payment from Germany by force."

Statement Untrue.

"Such a statement is untrue, he added, "and France today more than at any other time is entitled to the confidence of the rest of the world. She fought, suffered, was burned, pillaged and drenched in blood, and yet she accepts, in spite of her lack of strength, the many impossibilities imposed on her."

Referring to the policy toward Germany, Premier Briand said the government would exhaust all re-

sources before it used force and then only in accord with her allies against the former enemy. He believed the allies should immediately establish the financial possibilities of Germany and then set up a forfeit which would bind the allies in the future.

Although the German treasury is empty, M. Briand declared that many private persons in Germany had enriched themselves and that contact must be established between these and the German government to permit the latter to pay indemnity.

After dealing with France's internal questions, he said he would support the project for resumption of relations with the Vatican.

Prominent Mason Dies

McCook, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Clarence B. Gray, 60, water commissioner of McCook, died of pneumonia. He came to McCook in his infancy. He is well known over this part of the state in masonry, being connected with all the bodies in this city.

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\$25.00 Madeira napkins, \$12.50 a dozen.	\$20.00 Mosaic napkins, \$10.00 a dozen.
\$25.00 Mosaic napkins, \$12.50 a dozen.	\$35.00 Mosaic Napkins, \$17.50 a dozen.
\$ 9.00 Cluny lace scarfs, \$4.50.	\$17.50 Cluny lace scarfs, \$8.75.
\$22.75 Cluny lace scarfs, \$11.38.	\$35.00 Cluny lace scarfs, \$17.50.
\$20.00 Cluny lace cloths (54-in.), \$10.00.	\$65.00 Venetian lace cloths (72-in.), \$32.50.
\$35.00 Madeira lunch cloths (54-in.), \$17.50.	\$6.75 hemstitched Mosaic scarfs, \$3.38.
\$7.75 hemstitched Mosaic scarfs, \$3.88.	\$8.75 hemstitched Mosaic scarfs, \$4.38.
\$17.50 Mosaic scarfs for \$8.75.	\$20.00 Mosaic scarfs for \$10.00.
\$20.00 Mosaic lunch cloths (54-in.), \$10.00.	\$8.75 Venetian lace centers, \$4.38.
\$10.00 Venetian lace centers, \$5.00.	\$15.00 Venetian lace centers, \$7.50.
\$20.00 Venetian lace centers, \$10.00.	Irish linen cloths with napkins to match:
\$15.00 cloths (2x2 yards), \$10.00.	\$15.00 napkins for \$10.00 a dozen.
\$1.50 lace-trimmed scarfs, 95c.	

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Apparel—Third Floor

Three Spring Styles In Sorosis Footwear

A new satin pump with two narrow straps over the instep has a dainty tracery of jet beads around the vamp and over the instep strap. Light hand-turn soles and modified French heels complete them—\$11 a pair.

Soft dull kid pumps with light hand-turn soles and baby French heels are also \$11.

A new oxford of soft dark brown kid has welt soles and military heels, its price is only \$12.

French Kid Gloves for Springtime

Winter gloves are looking rather shabby at the fingertips and new gloves should be donned very nearly as early as the first spring hat.

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Two-class French kids for \$4.75 and \$5.50. Single clasp for \$4. And the greatly favored slip-on style for \$6.50 a pair.

\$2.50 Sheets \$1.85

A good quality in sheets suitable for single or three-quarter beds; they measure 63x99 inches. Monday for \$1.85 each.

Second Floor

\$12-Automobile Robes for \$7.50

Large robes in attractive plaids—darker blues, browns, grays and maroon predominating. Specially priced for Monday, \$7.50 each.

Second Floor

Reductions on Flannelette Gowns and Pajamas

Women's flannelette gowns in white and colors, sizes 34, 36 and 38 only.

\$3.25 and \$4.00 Gowns Monday \$2.59

Two-piece pajamas in white and colors: \$4.50 values, \$2.69

One-piece pajamas that were \$5.25 are now \$3.89.

Knitted Cotton Princess Slips Medium weight slips regularly \$2.75, Monday, \$1.98.

Second Floor

The Men's Shop Presents

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\$1.50 neckwear, 95c
\$2.00 neckwear, \$1.35
\$3.00 neckwear, \$1.95
\$4.00 neckwear, \$2.75
\$5.00 neckwear, \$3.50
\$6.00 neckwear, \$4.25
\$7.00 neckwear, \$4.95

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Second Floor

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