

Unemployment In Nebraska Is Not Serious Problem

Reports of Mayors in Middle West to Jobless Conference Show Few Men Unable To Work.

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Washington, Nov. 2.—There are comparatively few men who need work and cannot find it in Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska, according to the reports sent by the mayors of the largest cities to the president's conference on unemployment. Col. Arthur Woods, former police commissioner of New York City, is chairman of the committee on community, civic and permanent measures, and at the request of Secretary Hoover, chairman of the conference, is in correspondence with mayors of cities of more than 25,000 inhabitants, to learn the status of their unemployment, and to inform them of some emergency measures that are being applied in certain municipalities.

Some of the relief measures, Colonel Woods stated today, are "spruce-up campaigns"—as applied to the home, the office and the municipality—additional work on the street-cleaning departments and the hastened construction of necessary public works.

Drive Gained Important.

Reports gathered by the committee, from many cities, indicate that individuals, organizations and municipal bodies are waking up to the national emergency and that the unemployment drive is gaining impetus, it was stated. Mayors in all cities state that they can care for their own unemployed, but cannot take care of hordes from other cities. Nebraska is not suffering seriously from unemployment, Governor Samuel R. McKelvie has informed the conference. "There seems to be work for almost everyone who cares to work at a living wage," he says. Some building is being done in the state and a limited amount of public improvements will be carried on this winter.

This is Nebraska's plan to provide winter employment for agricultural labor. Governor McKelvie reports as follows: "We have a very large corn crop in this state and through the various agencies we are directing as many as care for this kind of work to places where they may find employment."

Lincoln Unemployed Few.

Lincoln, Neb., has one of the smallest percentages of unemployment of any city in the country. The United States Department of Labor statistics for September 1 gave only 473 without work in the city of 54,948—a percentage of only 0.9 unemployment. Frank C. Zehring, mayor of Lincoln, reports that there is no urgent need for relief at present, and in his opinion, there is not likely to be. Many laborers may have to submit to wage cuts, he said, which will necessitate the proportionate cutting of luxuries in the homes, but unless there is a change in conditions, he does not foresee any actual suffering.

Lincoln has no slums, and no very poor people, and not many factory workers, he asserts, and all the residents are considered "rather prosperous." The Chamber of Commerce, with its membership of 2,000, has held a meeting to discuss the general unemployment situation, and is ready to take any steps that may be necessary if an emergency arises in Lincoln.

Does Much Building.

An extensive building program, both of public structures and private, is one of the contributing causes to Lincoln's high status of employment, Mayor Zehring reports. These build-

"Daredevil" Asks Divorce



New York, Oct. 31.—"Daredevil Jack," of the films, otherwise known as Jacques Young, is suing Ima Young for divorce and the custody of their 4-year-old son, Richard. Mrs. Young is making a desperate fight for the possession of her child.

Young hazarded a lone expedition to Labrador recently for a moving picture company. When he came back he made charges against his wife. Two supposed detectives trailed her, according to Young's attorney, and gathered evidence. Under oath, Mrs. Young denied the accusations and is now filing a counter suit against her husband.

Mrs. Young is 24, and thin, small and nervous. There are premature lines on her face that fade into a glowing, tender smile when she speaks of her little son. She said: "They are trying to take my baby away from me. But I'll fight for him. He needs me; and, furthermore, I don't wish him to leave me because he is at the age when he needs a mother's care. My husband, 'Jack' Young, never wished to make a permanent home for us. We always had to live in furnished rooms and hotels."

ing projects include: School building, \$750,000, largely for labor; \$200,000 to be spent by the city on paving, paving repairs, sewer extensions and sewer repairs; work on the state capitol, to be commenced before the end of the year, giving employment to hundreds of men; \$100,000 to be spent by the county on road and bridge work; demand by farmers for cornhuskers to assist in one of the largest corn crops in the history of the state; \$30,000 spent by the traction company on track construction and repairs; Lincoln factories are running almost at normal capacity; the railroads are adding men to their payrolls instead of laying them off.

and although the building permits are got up to normal, there is perhaps sufficient building to employ 100 men. On October 8 permits were granted by the city engineer for the construction of six residences in Lincoln, their total cost being \$35,500.

Mayor James C. Dahlman of Omaha has notified Secretary Hoover that unemployment is not acute there, and actual relief will not be necessary unless the weather becomes severe. Organization of efforts is being perfected, and the city and state bodies will co-operate with federal authorities in carrying out the recommendations of the president's conference.

British Premier Unable to Attend Arms Conference

Lloyd George Cancels Passage To America Owing to Grave Crisis in Irish Peace Negotiations.

London, Nov. 2.—(By the Associated Press.)—Premier Lloyd George has definitely canceled his passage on the steamer Aquitania, on which he was to have proceeded to the United States November 5 to attend the Washington conference. This fact became officially known here tonight for the first time. It had been known, however, for some days that the critical stage of the Irish negotiations had reached probably would prevent Mr. Lloyd George from sailing Saturday.

Cancellation by the premier of his passage is considered a favorable, rather than an unfavorable, sign of the progress of the Irish negotiations. The interpretation placed on it is that Mr. Lloyd George hopes that a few days' delay will enable him to see a settlement reached, or at least the basis of an agreement. In this connection importance is attached to the fact that Sir James Craig, Ulster premier, is coming Saturday.

There was a reason to believe today that a plan of settlement of the Irish question has been drafted and is being discussed in detail by the committee representing the government and the Irish delegations.

Aside from the recent formal meetings of the committee and of the conference as a whole, there have been more intimate explorations of the situation at private meetings. Negotiations relative to peace in Ireland have progressed to a point which makes necessary the presence in London of Sir James Craig, the premier of Ulster, it was declared here this morning. Political correspondents of London newspapers today centered their attention upon the Ulster question and speculated whether Sir James would soon join in the conversations going forward here.

Attorney General Rules On Prescription Beer

Lincoln, Nov. 2.—(Special.)—The order of federal authorities to release beer for prescriptions will effect no cures in Nebraska, according to Attorney General Clarence A. Davis. "Absolutely nothing doing in the prescription line," Davis rules. "Nebraska rests serene upon its state prohibitory law, which prohibits the prescribing of intoxicants for use as a beverage."

Dog Hill Paragrafs



By George Bingham

Jefferson Potlocks says when a family gets so large that the littlest of the children begin to get caught in the mouse-trap, it is time to call a halt.

Luke Mathews, who got badly frightened during the civil war, is trying to get a pension.

Columbus Allsup is trying to make the public think that he has a fine large cow, by putting a big loud bell on his small, scrub one.

Mrs. Beckenridge Dies

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She first bought \$1,000 worth of stock in the fall of 1918, she says, when agents for the company represented to her that it was a going concern, and able to pay 7 per cent dividends on all its preferred stock. They also told her that it had a reserve fund of \$250,000, she says, and because she was a widow, offered to give her money back at any time on 48 hours notice.

In April, 1919, she bought \$5,300 worth in addition to the ten shares she first purchased.

In 1920, she says, she asked for the return of her money, which was refused.

Another claim made by stock salesmen for the company, she says, was that the United States government was behind it.

Prussian Ministry Resigns.

Berlin, Nov. 1.—The Prussian ministry has resigned. Its decision was taken after the failure of attempts by Premier Stegerwald to reconstruct the ministry.

Beatrice Y. W. C. A. Gets Half of Building Fund

Beatrice, Neb., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—In the first day's drive for \$20,000 to be used in building a new home for the Y. W. C. A. the committee reported that the sum of \$10,915.86 had been raised. The committee in charge of Mrs. T. E. Adams won the banner for raising the largest sum, which was over \$400.

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