

Davis Yells 'Ouch!' As Man Who 'Stung' Bank Asks Parole

Attorney General Finds Self In Position to Be Real Philanthropist—Board Reviews 55 Cases.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—Hearing on applications of 55 convicts for paroles which began today will be continued tomorrow before the State Board of Pardons and Paroles. The present list is the largest considered by the board since it was created.

Attorney General Clarence A. Davis faced an opportunity for true philanthropy at the meeting when Albin Edwards, sent up from Holdrege for forging a \$2,500 check on the Citizens State bank there, asked for parole.

"What bank did you say got stung?" Davis asked.

"Citizens State," Edwards replied.

"Ouch!" said Davis.

Davis is vice president of that bank.

The application of Edwards, like those of the other men, will be considered later.

Bundy Nominated For Major General



Washington, Dec. 13.—Nominations sent to the senate yesterday by President Harding include Brig. Gen. Harry Foote Hodges and Brig. Gen. Omar Bundy to be major generals and Col. Benjamin Andrew Moore, infantry, and Col. George Van Horn Moseley, field artillery, to be brigadier generals.

General Bundy is in command of the Seventh army corps, with headquarters at Fort Crook. He commanded the American Second division on the Marne front in the world war.

Future Trading Order Modified by Supreme Court

Chicago Board of Trade Relieved of Complying With Contested Portions of Act Pending Test.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The supreme court yesterday announced a modification of its order of November 21, suspending the operation of the future trading act while the pending test of the constitutionality of the law is under consideration.

The modification is designed to protect members of the Chicago board of trade who are contesting the law but who feared that, in case the law is held constitutional under the terms of the supreme court's original order, they would be subject to the collection of the prohibitive tax of 20 cents a bushel imposed by the future trading act upon dealings in futures outside of a contract market.

Under the provisions of the modified order the secretary of agriculture is authorized to designate the Chicago board of trade as a contract market without requiring it to comply with the conditions imposed by the contested portions of the act. The contestants also are required to give bond of \$25,000 and to pay any damages that may arise as a result of the order.

Gay Lothario Steals Coat at Dance; Fined; Asked to Next Dance

Shenandoah, Ia., Dec. 13.—(Special.)—He was such a gentleman at the country dance—

And he made many hearts flutter—

But one of the boys missed an overcoat and that led to the arrest of L. M. Kelley, who is employed on the grading of Waubesa trail. Kelley was given a hearing in police court for the theft of Frank Peck's overcoat at a dance at Lester Smith's home.

Kelley admitted he took it and was fined \$19.50.

Peck and Smith both shook hands with him and asked him to the next dance.

Wallace Predicts Normal Times Near

Secretary of Agriculture Says Change Will Come Before People Realize It.

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—"Normal times will return to the people of the United States shortly; they will be with us again before we realize that the change has taken place," Henry C. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, who is here attending the annual meeting of the Iowa Fair Managers' association, said today.

"I believe the depression has slackened up considerably already," Mr. Wallace said.

Mr. Wallace was asked if he thought the farmer should burn his corn.

"This is a matter for intelligent thought and decision," he replied. "If the farmer needs the money and must make a sacrifice to get money with which to buy fuel, and if he can burn corn at saving over the cost of coal then I believe it is all right. However, if the farmer can hold his corn for higher prices, which I believe will come, and if he can buy fuel cheaper, then he should save his corn."

Doors for mines have been invented that are automatically opened by approaching cars, closing after they have passed.

Original Method of Finance Successful

Leon, Ia., Dec. 13.—(Special.)—Here's an example of a new kind of finance.

A year ago Marion Woodard sold 100 bushels of corn for \$200. With the money he purchased a \$200 note. A few days ago he collected \$20 interest on the note. With this \$20 Woodard bought 100 bushels of corn. He now has his original quantity of corn, plus the note for \$250. The latter represents a clear profit.

Heirs of Wyckoff Estate Get Encouraging Report

Macedonia, Ia., Dec. 13.—(Special.)—Encouraging news from New York brought there here a score of the heirs of the Wyckoff estate in Brooklyn, N. Y., estimated to be worth \$800,000. J. A. Walker, Atlantic truck gardener, who says he can trace a direct lineal connection back to Peter Wyckoff, founder of the estate, is in receipt of a letter from men in New York who are investigating the records, in which they assert they have uncovered valuable evidence tending to establish the claims of Walker and his co-heirs.

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Women Can Serve, Iowa Court Rules

Attack on Constitutionality of Fair Sex Serving on Juries Fails to Hold.

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—The right of women to serve as jurors was upheld by the Iowa supreme court in a decision handed down today in the case of the state vs. Walker, appealed from Hamilton county.

The defendant charged the conviction was due to women on the jury, and charged it was unconstitutional for women to perform jury duty.

The case was reversed on other grounds, but the right of women to serve as jurors was upheld.

2,866,000 Pounds of Stock Shipped by Association

Avoca, Ia., Dec. 13.—(Special.)—Nearly 3,000,000 pounds of live stock were shipped from here by the Avoca Co-Operative Live Stock Shipping

Weather Records Broken.

All local weather bureau records for December 12 were broken Monday when the thermometer noon. And yesterday started out to exceed this. At 7 a. m. the temperature was 42, which was 4 degrees higher than Monday at the same hour.

Seeks Husband's Parole.

The pretty red-haired wife of Ed Falconer of Omaha, stood with her baby in her arms as she pleaded for his parole. Falconer is serving time for robbery.

Earl Kiser, confessed abductor of a 13-year-old Aurora girl, waited a parole.

John Kelly of Lincoln told the board that he had two brothers killed at the Battle of Gettysburg, and he couldn't understand how his son went A. W. O. L. from the army and later forged a check.

Raymond Lane, Joe Turner and Russell Griffin, confessed Omaha holdup men, also applied for paroles.

Former District Judge A. J. Sutton of Omaha appeared before the board and pleaded for the pardon of Frank L. Henry, whom he sentenced to life imprisonment in 1909, when on the district bench here.

Judge Sutton stated he came to Lincoln to resent this plea, at his own expense, because he feels that Henry should be released.

Slew His Wife.

"During my terms on the district bench, I sentenced 20 men to life terms and every one has been released for one reason or another except Henry," he said.

Henry's sentence was imposed for the murder of his wife.

Henry's brother, William, also is serving a life term for murder.

M. M. Robertson, president of the Evans laundry and employer of both Henry and his wife, also asked to have the sentence commuted.

Pleads for Brother.

Helen Bender, sister of Clark Bender, 807 South Twentieth street, Omaha, made a plea for the pardon or parole of Clark, who is under sentence of one to 10 years for grand larceny.

"There never was a better boy than he," she said. "He supported my mother, grandmother, sister and me and he made us girls go to school and to church."

H. L. Weaver, only man convicted among the cases growing out of the court house riot in Omaha, is among the applicants for parole.

Hastings, Neb., Gets 15-Cent Cut in Gas

Hastings, Neb., Dec. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—A reduction of 15 cents in the price of gas was announced by the Hastings Gas company, which asked the city council to enact an ordinance changing the rate from \$1.90 to \$1.75. This follows reductions by the city in water and light rates.

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Four Persons Injured In Bassett Prairie Fire

Bassett, Neb., Dec. 13.—Four persons—Joseph Zeink, Mrs. John Strelow, John Hagentire and Frank Keller—were badly burned, one of them seriously, in a prairie fire near here which raged all of Saturday and Sunday and was brought under control yesterday. It covered an area of 30 square miles and consumed 200 tons of hay.

Shelton (Neb.) Pastor Gets Call to Loup City

Shelton, Neb., Dec. 13.—Rev. Frederick E. Black, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Shelton, has received a call to supply the Presbyterian church at Loup City, and will leave here the first of the year. Rev. Mr. Black will preach his last sermon to the local congregation on Christmas day.

34 Dairy Cows and 11 Head of Stock Burned to Death

Watertown, S. D., Dec. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—A loss of several thousand dollars resulted when fire destroyed the large barn on a farm occupied by R. C. Kimberly, three miles from Watertown, and burned to death 34 head of valuable dairy cows and a team of horses. Kimberly was able to save 11 head of young stock and another team, but was unable to get into the main part of the barn and rescue the remainder of his animals.

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