

### CLAIMS HOSTILITY TO BUSINESS MEN

Manufacturers' Association Blames Industrial Depression on Legislators.

### OPEN SHOP IS FAVORED

Union Label Condemned as Conspiracy to Mislead Public in Report to New York Meeting.

New York, May 21.—There was a tone of pessimism in the resolution passed yesterday at the second day's session of the annual meeting of the National Association of Manufacturers at the Waldorf.

Officially the administration was ignored as to a separate and distinct mention. But directly and inferentially lawmakers and proposed legislation were attacked in the resolutions which were unanimously adopted.

The first resolution adopted by the association sounded imperative.

"Hostility to business must stop," it began. "With feelings of profound anxiety we observe prevailing industrial and commercial depression wholly at variance with those healthy and prosperous conditions to which our country is entitled. On all sides productive industry and operative manufacture is shrinking in volume and output to a degree that forebodes years of slow recovery before prosperity can be restored."

### Hostility to Business.

"We witness with amazement hostility toward established and legitimate business from many sources—journalistic, legislative, and even administrative—but we fail to detect any concerted and affirmative efforts to restore business vitality or to argue those great industrial forces that should express the sovereignty of our trade and commerce. The number of unemployed American workmen, now hundreds of thousands, is increasing."

"We affirm our conviction that unless there is a cessation of hostility to legitimate business the vitality of our commerce and trade will be critically impaired."

Another resolution asserted that it was the patriotic duty of the members of the association to appeal to American citizenship to condemn and displace "those self-appointed or politically protected demagogues who seek to perpetuate themselves in the administration of public affairs by any means or measures, no matter what the economic effect, so long as such seem to promise temporary popular votes."

### Closed Shop Condemned.

A third resolution, enthusiastically adopted, condemned the closed shop and pledged the association to the principle of industrial freedom as exemplified by the open shop."

A resolution was adopted which demanded that government aid for industrial education should not be provided for any institution until they satisfied a government commission that they were maintaining a certain standard.

On the subject of immigration the

### IT'S THE GREAT FACTORY SALE OF Kimballs

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### Folk Hopes to Trace Missing New Haven Millions

Washington, D. C., May 20.—That the probe into the affairs of the New Haven railroad will be thorough and without mercy to the financiers, officers and directors of the corporation, and politicians who brought the property to the verge of bankruptcy, is the promise given by Solicitor Joseph W. Folk of the state department, who is chief counsel for the interstate commerce commission in its present investigation. This is why former President Charles S. Mellen was called to testify despite the opposition of Attorney General McReynolds. This is why several directors of the road are to be placed



Charles S. Mellen (on right) testifying before interstate commerce commission. On the left is Commissioner C. C. Mchord. In the center is Chief Counsel J. W. Folk, snapped while leaving one of the hearings last week.

upon the witness stand. In the words of the statement issued by the commission last week:

"Just who got the vanished millions belonging to the stockholders of the New Haven railroad and how the deals were carried out by which these millions were diverted from the road's treasury to the pockets of favored financiers are questions which the interstate commerce commission expects to answer through the pending investigation."

According to Mr. Folk, it became a

practice of certain financial interests to buy up properties, which they had been led to believe the New Haven wanted, and then unload them onto the New Haven at from two to four times what they paid for them. He believes suit would lie against these interests by which they could be forced to return money so obtained to the New Haven stockholders. In his judgment the facts developed during the present investigation will reveal "amazing financial jugglery and manipulation," and show the necessity for the enact-

ment by congress of legislation along these lines.

To prohibit officials of a railroad from being financially interested in any subsidiary of the road with which they are connected.

To prohibit one railroad from owning stock in another.

To provide for government supervision of the issuance of all common carrier securities.

To hold common carrier directors criminally liable for mismanagement of the trusts imposed upon them.

### DAY IN DAVENPORT

Woman Refuses to Testify at Trial—At the inquest held over the body of Eulalio Rangel, Mexican murdered at Ottumwa by Rafael Davila as the result of a quarrel which began in Davenport, Mrs. Maggie Davila, wife of the murderer, was not placed on the stand and the sensational testimony which she is expected to give was not brought out.

Coroner Elerick had County Attorney Steck called, but the fact that her husband was the man held responsible for the killing gave the wife the right to refuse to testify. The mother-in-law of the slayer, Mrs. Eva Doud, at whose home the shooting occurred, had also assumed a different attitude since the time of the murder. Mrs. Doud and her daughter had no doubt as to whom they saw do the shooting Saturday, but at the inquest the younger woman refused to testify and her mother said that she did not know who the man was that entered the house and shot Rangel. Two pictures of the Davila woman were found among the effects of the dead man when the coroner searched his clothes. A number of letters that teemed with endearing terms and sent by the Davila woman to Rangel while he was in Davenport and Bettendorf, where he worked in a foundry, were also found in the dead man's pockets. When the coroner attempted to quiz Mrs. Davila regarding the letters and pictures she refused to testify and had two lawyers for counsel. Her mother refused to identify the letters as having been written by her daughter and said the pictures were not given Rangel and that he must have taken them from the home. The coroner's jury returned a verdict without naming any person other than that death was caused by three gunshot wounds, the gun in the hands of some person unknown to the jury. A more thorough investigation will be made by the coroner and county attorney.

Vandals Sought by Authorities—Plain clothes men on the Davenport police force have been placed on the trail of vandals who paid a nocturnal visit to the Lewis home, 419 Kirkwood boulevard, wrecking flower beds, tearing up plants by the roots, and cutting great holes in the lawn. The wanton destruction has caused a heavy loss to Mr. Lewis, an employe at the Gordon-Van Tine company, and Chief Schramm has actively interested himself in the case. The police are of the opinion that the work is that of certain enemies of Mr. Lewis. No other flower beds or lawns were touched in that particular neighborhood, all of which strengthens the belief that the damage was wrought with an idea of paying off a grudge.

Telephone Company Begins Operation—The Automatic Telephone company yesterday began laying its conduits on Rockingham road, permission having been granted them by the board of public works, some time ago. The automatic people had asked for permission to lay conduits in all the streets, but the board decided that operations could only be carried out on thoroughfares which are to be paved this season. Three workmen and a foreman began operations. Commissioner Crowley notified the phone company that the force would have to be substantially increased in order to

get the work done in advance of the paving contractors without unreasonable delay.

Are Bound Over to Jury—H. A. Johnson and Louis Bronson, the two boys charged with breaking into the room of an aged man in the Windsor hotel a week ago and rifling his pockets of \$15, were bound over to the grand jury under \$1,000 bonds each following hearing before Justice Phil Daum. Both the boys pleaded not guilty although Bronson, following his capture, confessed to Detective P. J. Phelan that he and Johnson had stolen the money. Neither was able to furnish bail and both were accordingly sent to jail.

The money was stolen from H. Kinkade, who occupied a room adjoining that of the two lads. They effected an entrance to his room by using a skeleton key and rifled his pockets as he slept. Witnesses at the hearing were Kinkade, E. S. Arnold, manager of the hotel; Detective Phelan and Florence Johnson, a chambermaid.

Licensed to Wed—Henry Maes and Mary Van Geetson, both of Moline; Charles LeRoy Koehler and Loretta M. Jessen, both of Davenport; Henry Haase and Mary Gallagher, both of Davenport; Edwin J. Delarue and Helen A. Gillette, both of Davenport; John F. Ehlare and Catherine Schurr, both of Pleasant Valley; Bernhard Powers and Augusta Lehman, both of Davenport; Michael Wehinger and

### IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush the Kidneys at once when Back-ache or Bladder bothers—Meat forms uric acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

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### CONGRESS DELAY ON DRY MEASURE

Hobson Decides Not to Press Vote on National Prohibition Bill Now.

### SUFFRAGE ALSO TO WAIT

Petitions for Another Hearing Before House Committee Are in Vain.

Washington, D. C., May 21.—Prospects for action at this session of congress on either the nation-wide prohibition or the woman suffrage proposed constitutional amendments faded further away yesterday as the result of developments in the house.

While presenting to the house two telegrams from religious gatherings, praying for congressional action on the prohibition resolution, Representative Hobson of Alabama, its sponsor, announced that for the present he did not purpose to press it. He gave as a reason that many members of the house, particularly from southern states, who are for prohibition have been frightened by the section which bears on state's rights.

Representative Mondell, author of the suffrage amendment resolution, said he purposed to urge his measure.

Two delegations yesterday vainly sought to have the house rules committee accord another hearing on suffrage. One of the delegations comprised Virginia suffragists and the other was the group of women.

Chairman Henry told both of them that he could not call the committee together to consider the suffrage question.

### Thomson for Hobson Bill.

In a circular letter to his constituents of the Tenth district of Illinois, Representative Thomson, a progressive, yesterday announced that he would vote in favor of the Hobson resolution. Mr. Thomson says he will support the resolution because he is opposed to the manufacture and sale of intoxicants for beverage purposes.

Wilhelmine Hoffman, both of Davenport; William W. Estabrook and Sadie Ross, both of Montpelier; George Schriver of Montpelier and Charlotte Anderson of Rice Lake.

In District Court—Pat Garvey has filed suit for separation from his wife, Mary Garvey, through his attorney, Charles B. Coffman.

The will of the late Henry Klever has been admitted to probate, and Johanna Klever, widow of the deceased, has been appointed executrix without bond.

Asking judgment in the sum of \$294.99 for goods and merchandise furnished defendant, the Tri-City Electric Supply company has filed suit against C. L. Bragg.

### City to Create Two New Offices.

At a committee of the whole meeting the city council decided to create two new offices, those of principal assistant and second assistant city engineer. Roscoe Sawistowsky, who is now acting as Engineer Ryan's assistant, will be handed the first position. That of second assistant is a matter of conjecture. Under the present plan of the city engineer appoints his own assistants. In the future, the jobs will

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School Contract Awarded—The general contract for the construction of the Sacred Heart cathedral school to be erected on Eleventh street, just opposite the present school building, was awarded to A. A. Arnould. The various contracts for wiring, plumbing, heating, etc., have not yet been awarded. The total cost of the building will be from seventy-five to eighty thousand dollars.

Plan to Attend Clarke Banquet—To attend the big banquet in honor of the opening of the new Clinton Coliseum, at which Governor George W. Clarke of Iowa is to deliver the dedicatory address, a large party of Davenport boosters will leave for Clinton tomorrow in a special car over the I. & I. Commercial clubs from all over the state will be represented at the gathering.

Obituary Record—Samuel. Thomas, 83 years old, a pioneer resident of Davenport, died at his home, 229 East Locust street, after a long illness. Mr. Thomas was born Nov. 8, 1830, in Warren county, Ohio. The family removed to Jefferson county, Ind., in 1835, and Mr. Thomas came to Davenport in 1856, where he followed his trade as carpenter for a number of years, when he took up farming as a life business. He was married Feb. 8, 1859, to Frances Louisa Kindred, daughter of the late Charles E. Kindred. He was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Davenport for over 50 years. He was also school director in Davenport township for a number of years and president of the school board of that township for several years. In 1908 he removed to his late home in

Davenport, where Mrs. Thomas died Sept. 9, 1909. He leaves one daughter, Lillie M. Thomas, at home, an only child. A brother, A. E. Thomas, has made his home with the deceased for a greater part of the time since Mr. Thomas moved to Davenport. Another brother, A. G. Thomas, resides in Madison, Ind., and a sister, Mrs. A. W. Harden, resides in Wichita, Kan.

Miss Pearl Beatrice Campbell died at the family home, 1634 Rock Island street, after an illness of several months' duration. She was the oldest daughter of the late T. J. Campbell. She was born near Dixon, Iowa, but has spent most of her life in Davenport, attending the public schools and Ida institute. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Ida M. E. Campbell, a brother, Charles T. Campbell, and a sister, Ruby R. Campbell.

Mrs. W. P. Ross, 829 East Fifteenth street, received word of the death of her father, Henry Hecht, which occurred at his home in Tipton. Mr. Hecht was 81 years old. He was a pioneer of Cedar county, where he has resided for 60 years. He had a wide acquaintance in and around Tipton. Surviving are the widow, four daughters, Mrs. Rose, Miss Ida Hecht of Clarence, Iowa; Mrs. D. L. Deihl and Mrs. F. B. Cobb of Tipton, and a brother, Fred Hecht of Tipton.

### Find Smallpox in Train.

Springfield, Ill., May 21.—An unidentified man, said to be a resident of Chicago, caused consternation aboard a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy train, when it was found that he was suffering from smallpox. He boarded a train at Sandwich for Chicago, and when he was found to have smallpox he was isolated in a car at Aurora. The state board of health sent an inspector to make an investigation.

## What Every Wife Should Say To Her Husband

Here is no sentimentalizing about the "drink" question: no moralizing: not the story of a drunkard's wife or the wife of a man who "drinks." It is the ringing word of the wife of an "average" man, of seven out of every ten men. What this woman says, how she says it, what should be "on the lips of every wife and every woman," should be read by every wife, mother or woman. It is a clear, true, ringing note on a much-muddled question.

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