

EXPANSION OF CHURCH HAILED BY SCIENTISTS

Work Throughout World Is Described at Sessions at Mother Church.

BOSTON, June 9.—Growth of the Christian Science movement throughout the world, as indicated by formation during the last year of seventy-nine new branch church organizations, was reported here Monday at the annual meeting of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist.

The Mother Church now has 2,519 branch churches and societies, in addition to forty college and university organizations.

For the first time Poland has a branch church. Another has been added to those already in Africa and in Asia, four more to those in Australasia, two more in South America, forty-five more in North America, and twenty-five additional in Europe outside of Poland, officials disclosed.

Progress Determined by Faith

Robert E. Buffum, Belmont, Mass., was elected president; Edward L. Ripley of Brookline, Mass., was re-elected treasurer, and Ezra W. Palmer of Brookline, Mass., was re-elected clerk. George Shaw Cook of Chicago and Mrs. Elisabeth P. Norwood of Brookline Monday started the last year of their three-year term as first and second reader, respectively.

Duncan Sinclair, retiring president, declared in introducing his successor that the growth of Christian Science depends directly upon spiritual healing in accord with its teachings.

"Principally," he said, "the progress of our movement is determined by the growth of the spiritual understanding of Christian Scientists throughout the world—by their growth in spirituality, and their power to heal."

Edifices Symbolize Growth

Our church edifices and other material appurtenances of our movement are undoubtedly symbolic of its strength, and of the healing and regenerating work that is being done.

But we do not fail to remember that it is the power to think and act rightly, to think from the standpoint of principle and to act accordingly, that is the great essential. It inspired all our activities; it determines all our successes," he said.

Roland R. Harrison, manager of the Christian Science Publishing Society, traced the progress of the society from its small, temporary quarters in 1883, to the present.

Misconceptions Fewer

"Today," Mr. Harrison said, "we have 919 actual employees, and more than 3,000 other individuals actively connected with the society—advertising and circulation representatives, Monitor contributors and periodical writers."

Editors are becoming increasingly friendly toward Christian Science and are opening their columns more freely to statements correcting misconceptions of the subject, C. Augustus Norwood, manager of committees on publication, reported.

FRUIT TRADE TREATY TO BE BLOW AT U. S.

Canada, Australia Get Together on Raisin, Orange Imports.

By United Press

OTTAWA, June 9.—A new Canadian-Australian trade treaty, signed by representatives of both countries and to be submitted to both parliaments, will provide special Canadian preferences on fresh, canned and dried fruits now mainly imported from the United States.

Australian raisins particularly are expected to profit at the expense of the American product. Preference on Australian oranges is expected to swing the trend of orange purchases.

In return, Australia will give Canada the benefit of its British preference, with some exceptions.

LA GUINAN TO RENO

At Least, Tex Wants to Know About Business Chances.

By United Press

RENO, Nev., June 9.—To this play spot may be added the one it lacks—the famous cry of "Hello, sucker!"

Friends today received a cablegram from Tex Guinan, prominent French rejectee.

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HOOVER LIKELY TO RESPOND TO CRITICS ON TOUR

Speeches in Three States Essential to Ambitions for Re-Election.

By Ben Stern.

Visit of the great "purist," Will H. Hays, president of the movie industry, former postmaster-general, former national Republican committee head and former state G. O. P. chieftain, to Indiana last week has revived talk among party leaders that the "Deacon" may have his eyes fixed on the nomination for Governor.

Things are not going so well in the movie business and the story is out that the extra trimmings and flourish afforded by Hays' name on the stationery at a colossal salary isn't worth it in these depression times, so that post may be abolished.

In that event, Hays may go back to his first love, politics, and take a shot at the nomination for Governor. Some of the workers say that his re-entry should be encouraged with the thought that he could stop Fred Landis.

None of the Republican leaders of the state seemed overjoyed at the prospect when it was broached to them.

This may in a measure be due to Hays' intimacy with Harry Sinclair, Albert Fall and others of Teapot Dome fame and his activities with the Continental Trading corporations, the stock of which was used to pay off the party's 1920 campaign debts.

Besides, they claim, when Hays left the state organization, it was held over head in debt and great difficulty was experienced in clearing this.

As far as can be learned, no one is tickled pink at the thought of Hays' possible re-entry into Indiana politics.

It is felt that Hays got all the reward coming to him because of his labors in the political vineyard and he can not expect anything back here at home with so many deserving Republicans waiting for a chance at the trough.

If Hays were to hop into the puddle, he would force some of the small fish out, and that is something not to be desired, they say. For after all the "Deacon" has but one vote to cast and his influence here, through lack of use, has waned greatly.

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In Indianapolis the President is expected to frankly discuss political conditions and to answer the critics of his administration. He is expected to furnish inspiration to workers in the Republican national committee and the state organizations throughout the country who already are actively preparing for next year's campaign.

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THE INDIANAPOLIS TIMES

a reunion of Grand Army veterans at Columbus. Wednesday he will eulogize Abraham Lincoln at President.

Reports now being received from Ohio, Indiana and Illinois as to the state of Republican popularity are none too encouraging. In each state the Republican administration has lost much prestige since 1928, and in each state the Democrats gained such victories in the congressional and senatorial elections last fall that they are looking forward to the next year with confidence.

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MILLIONS PASS THROUGH LOOP

Banks' Assets Transferred in Gigantic Mergers.

By United Press

CHICAGO, June 9.—Armed trucks clanged through the loop today as millions of dollars were transferred from building to building in completion of the biggest bank mergers in Chicago's history.

It was a huge task and hundreds of bank employees and armed messengers assisted.

The banks merged were the First National and First Union Trust, which took over the big Foreman banks; and the Central Trust of Illinois and National Bank of the Republic, which were consolidated

into the Central Republican Bank and Trust Company.

Together, the two new institutions have resources of approximately \$1,250,000,000, almost \$1,000,000,000 of which is held by the First National and First Union Trust, now the fifth largest bank in the country.

Under the new arrangement, the Foreman banks, linked closely since 1862, with Chicago history, became

a thing of the past. Three of the outlying smaller banks closed Monday and had depended for years upon the Foreman loop institutions for support and failed to open when this support was withdrawn.

For taking photographs from the air, a German has invented a camera that is carried aloft by a rocket, being lowered by a parachute after the plate is exposed.

Cuticura Healed Breaking Out in Form of Rash on Baby's Face.

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