

PROMINENT PEOPLE

As Mild as His Brother Is Emphatic

You would never suspect, say intimate friends of the new comptroller of the currency, Henry M. Dawes of Chicago (portrait herewith), that he was an own brother of Gen. Charles G. ("H-I and Maria") Dawes, who used to be comptroller and achieved fame as head of the budget bureau. By that these intimate friends mean that Brother Henry's speech is by comparison meek and mild and that he doesn't stage a war dance during a warm argument.



"He is retiring in nature, but a thorough financier," said one of his friends. "I have never known a more able man. It isn't difficult for him to form a judgment. He was trained that way. He is what might be called a conservative type. But he's also fearless. He plays an average game of golf, has a keen sense of humor and is a pleasant conversationalist. He has never run for office nor held one."

The new controller is connected with many financial institutions and holding companies, notably in the gas and electric field. He and his three brothers, Charles G., Rufus C. and Beman G. Dawes are sons of the late General Rufus B. Dawes, who commanded the Iron Brigade during the Civil war and later was a member of congress. The brothers were graduated from Marietta college. The controller went into the lumber business to manage family holdings, but about fifteen years ago severed these connections and went to Chicago to become treasurer of the various companies controlled by the Dawes interests.

"He is a great balance-wheel," said one man who knows him well.

New Lord Carnarvon Is Already Famous



This is a portrait, just arrived from overseas, of Henry George Alfred Marius Victor Francis Herbert, sixth earl of Carnarvon. All his life people will point to him and say: "There goes Lord Carnarvon! You know, Tut's tomb—Pharaoh's curse and all that!" Yes; he is the son of the Lord Carnarvon who uncovered the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen in the Valley of the Kings, near Luxor, and died soon after. Medical science says he died of pneumonia following blood poisoning from the bite of an insect. The superstitions are that he died because of the "curse of the Pharaohs" on those who should disturb their last sleep.

Americans have an additional interest in the young earl from the fact that in July, 1922, he married Miss Catherine T. Wendell of New York, who has relatives in Boston and Chicago.

Not very much is known here of the new earl. He had some sort of official duties in India, whence he hastened to his dying father's bedside in Cairo. He is immensely rich. His father owned about 36,000 acres, including Highclere Castle, in Hampshire and Bretby Park, Burton-on-Trent. His mother, the dowager Lady Carnarvon, is a godchild of the late Alfred Rothschild and, it is said, was substantially remembered in his will. Lord Carnarvon inherits his father's racing stud, which was prominent on the English turf.

Catherine, New Countess of Carnarvon

An up-to-date portrait of Catherine, Countess Carnarvon, is reproduced herewith. She was Miss Catherine T. Wendell of New York. Her marriage to Lord Carnarvon, fifth earl of Carnarvon, took place July 17, 1922. The tragic death of the fifth earl recently at Cairo after uncovering the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen at Luxor, Egypt, focuses world-wide attention upon the young sixth earl and his countess, and interest in the young couple increases.



Lady Carnarvon is the daughter of the late Jacob Wendell, a New York commission merchant. He was a brother of Professor Barrett Wendell of Harvard. The new countess has other relatives in Boston and in Chicago. The wedding in London was a brilliant society function, with a thousand guests, including Ambassador Harvey and the prince of Wales and titled men and women galore.

The Carnarvons are likely to remain long in the limelight, since the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen in the Valley of the Kings has been sealed up to await cooler weather in the fall. And nobody knows whether or not it contains the mummy of the Pharaoh.

W. Z. Foster Is Now Most Notorious Red



William Z. Foster, charged with violation of the Michigan law against criminal syndicalism, is just now the most notorious Red in America. The jury at St. Joseph, Mich., stood 8 to 6 for 88 ballots.

Foster was the first to face trial of the thirty-two men and women arrested as a result of the raid on the convention of the Communist party of America, held in the lonely dune country near St. Joseph last August. The trial was the first test of the Michigan law against criminal syndicalism, passed during the war. The act makes it a felony punishable by ten years' imprisonment and up to \$5,000 fine to advocate sabotage, crime, terrorism or other means of force and violence as a method of accomplishing political or industrial reform.

Foster, of course, regards the disagreement of the jury as a victory. Others say that the trial has served its purpose in that it has brought out clearly before the public the theory and practice of the Reds in this country.

For instance, Matthew Wolf of Chicago, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, regards with a cold eye the "hero" whom Chicago radicals greeted at a mass meeting upon his triumphant return from St. Joseph.

"To ignore Foster now is to destroy the great monster that has been made out of mere tissues of capitalised propaganda," reads his statement. "To disregard him is to inflict the greatest punishment that can be given him. He and his kind feed on notoriety. He and his kind die for want of it."

MANY PLOWS AT WORK OVER STATE

COTTON AND SHEEP OFFER REAL OPPORTUNITY FOR EXPANSION.

TO PLANT 5,000,000 ACRES

Now is Time to Study the Situation Carefully and Plant Cash Crops Says Frank Parker.

Raleigh.

More than half a million plows have been put to work for the 5,000,000 acres to be planted in North Carolina this spring. Frank Parker, North Carolina and United States department of agriculture, announced in calling attention to what he said was a "considerable probability of superficial inflation of commercial conditions right now."

The situation, he continued, is approaching the peak of three years ago, just after which the depression was the most extensive in the history of the country.

"It has been slowly and wobbly climbed back to another peak, having now recovered almost two-thirds of the phenomenal drop," he stated. "This means looser money and better spot prices, but the basis is apparently immeasurably high. High prices may not be counted on for this year's crops. A depression is inevitable.

"The past war panic is apparently over. We hope it may not be only temporarily so. The average American is at work and trade is active. City prosperity is of great interest to farmers even if it was gained to a considerable extent at the farmers' expenses. Now is the best time to study the situation carefully and to plant cash crops on a safe farming basis only."

"The two items that offer a real opportunity for safe expansion are sheep and cotton. There is a shortage in the stocks of these. Corn and hay as raw materials, usually move with the livestock prices. The individual farm problem is tremendous."

"Farming still is at a considerable disadvantage among the national productive industries. Being driven to it, the more progressive farmers took the initiative, and until now there has been a strong sentiment in their favor or that was not there before. None but the 'reasoning' farmer with progressive methods may have a chance to make ends meet this year."

State Refuses to Submit Case.

The State has declined a proposition made by former State senator Willie M. Pearson, of Franklin, that an agreed case be made up and submitted to the Supreme court in his suit to overthrow the enactment of the last General Assembly exempting stocks from taxation, it was announced by R. A. Doughter, Commissioner of Revenue.

Commissioner Doughter declared that the State will contest the action every step of the way and this decision is regarded as precluding any possibility of the case reaching the Supreme court at this term, which will end next month. Senator Pearson's desire was to waive all technical points and get the case to the highest court immediately but the State has taken the view that the action has been brought improperly and should not be allowed to lie.

New Corporations.

Charters were filed with the Secretary of State for the following corporations to do business in North Carolina:

White-McCubbins Co., of Salisbury, with \$100,000 authorized capital and \$300 subscribed, by David White, David J. White, of Greensboro; and Frank McCubbins, of Salisbury.

Kinston Insurance and Loan Co., of Kinston, with \$25,000 authorized capital and \$600 subscribed by H. H. Taylor, George L. Jordan, and C. S. Chamberland, all of Kinston.

Philadelphia Lumber Co., of Elizabethtown, with \$25,000 authorized capital and \$5,000 subscribed by E. N. Reaser and Ralph Boring of Elizabethtown, and M. T. Reaser, of Birmingham, Ala.

Concord Knitting Co., of Concord, with \$100,000 authorized capital and \$16,000 subscribed by A. Hoover, A. R. Howard and C. W. Swink, all of Concord.

Southern Exporting Co., of High Point, with \$100,000 authorized capital and \$300 subscribed by L. E. Dodamead, S. R. Anderson, and W. B. Davis, all of High Point.

Will Begin Building New Station.

Counsel for the Southern railway has informed the attorney general of North Carolina that it will not attempt to carry the Salem station case, in which the company was ordered by the state corporation commission to build, with the Seaboard Air Line, a union station at Selma, to the United States supreme court, but will start building immediately.

Assistant Attorney General Nash stated that the railway company will carry the Durham underpass to the United States supreme court.

Census of Deaf is Being Taken.

A complete census of the deaf in North Carolina now is being promoted by the department of labor and printing, through its bureau for the deaf, and all county superintendents of public instruction have been requested to assist in compiling the information, it was announced by M. L. Shipman, commissioner.

J. B. Robertson, chief of the bureau, has addressed a letter to the superintendents of instruction, a part of which follows:

"The general assembly of 1923 provided for the establishment of a bureau for the deaf in the department of labor and printing for the purpose of aiding this class of the state's citizenship in a special way. Among the duties prescribed are:

"The bureau desires a complete census of the deaf and obtain facts, information and statistics as to their condition in life with a view of the betterment of their lot; shall endeavor to obtain statistics and information of the condition of labor, employment and education of the deaf in other states with a view to promoting the general welfare of the deaf of this state."

"The bureau desires a complete census of the deaf of North Carolina and needs your co-operation in obtaining this information. Doubtless, you have come in contact with a number of white, and colored deaf persons in traveling over your county; if so, will you kindly forward to this bureau the names and addresses of those whom you have met? We may be able to assist them in securing positions, in the event they are out of employment."

"There are many positions that can be filled by capable deaf people to the satisfaction of any considerate employer, especially in the industries of the state. Of course, this fact must first be emphasized to some employers and the bureau contemplates starting a campaign of education along this line soon."

"Many of the deaf in your community may not be aware of the existence of this bureau and we shall be glad if you will apprise them of the fact and purpose for which it was created. Its activities are not to be confined to employment alone. We hope to be helpful to the deaf in many other ways."

Banks Must Publish State Deposit.

B. R. Lacy, state treasurer, has sent out a letter to all banks and state officials, advising them of the action taken by the North Carolina General assembly this year in passing an act requiring all banks that have monies belonging to the state to publish the amount in their statements.

"The last legislature passed a law, H. B. 1676, S. B. 1518, requiring all banks that have any monies belonging to the state to publish the amount in their statements," his letter reads.

"The law is as follows: 'Section 1. All banks in which any money is on deposit by the state of North Carolina, or any of the officials thereof shall, in their published statements as by law required, show the amount of money on deposit in such bank to the credit of the state, or of any official thereof; and no officials of the state shall deposit money in any bank which shall refuse to comply with the provisions of this act.'"

"As it does not allow any official to deposit money in a bank which shall refuse to comply with the provisions of this act, I write to request that you publish a statement, a clipping from the paper in which you publish it, so I can obey the law. This is important."

Adds to Force of Auditors.

The force of auditors that has been at work checking the State's accounts since February 12 will be increased from 10 to 18 and it is expected that at least another month will be required for the enlarged force to complete the audit, it was announced here following the first meeting of the legislative investigating committee since adjournment of the general assembly. The auditors were instructed to take nothing for granted, but to examine every item.

The investigation was ordered by the legislature on February 2 in response to a heated demand from Governor Morrison following a charge by Corporation Commissioner A. J. Maxwell that the operating account of the state for the period from December 1, 1923, to January 1, 1923, showed a deficit of \$5,000,000 instead of a surplus of \$2,400,000, which had been asserted by Governor Morrison and the Budget Commission would be shown when all taxes levied but not collected had been received.

Both Mr. Maxwell and the governor obtained their figures from the reports of State Treasurer B. R. Lacy which they accepted without question and it was commonly supposed that the legislative committee would render its report within a few days.

Millions Lost in Stocks.

More than \$100,000,000 has been lost by citizens of North Carolina in worthless stocks in the past four years, according to the estimate of Stacey W. Wade, Insurance Commissioner, who addressed the Raleigh Lions Club on the subject of investments. Since the days of the Louisiana lottery, probably no period in the history of this state has been characterized by greater activity on the part of the promoters than the past four years.

POULTRY CLUB MEETING SUCCESS

EASTERN CAROLINA BANKS ARE LENDING AID TO PROGRESSIVE IDEA.

GREENE COUNTY IS FIRST

Money is To Be Loaned in Amounts of \$25 for the Purchasing of Chickens.

Goldsboro.—No movement in a long time has met with such ready response as the \$1,000 poultry club idea, advanced by the Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce at a recent meeting of that organization. A call was sent to the various banks to enlist in a campaign for more poultry and better poultry for Eastern Carolina. It takes money to get new things started and the banks were asked to make provision for the necessary funds in the various communities.

The banks were asked to loan \$1,000 to reliable persons interested in getting into the poultry business and by doing so they become a member of the Eastern Carolina \$1,000 Poultry Club. This money is to be loaned in amounts of \$25 and will be used for the most part for purchasing six and eight weeks old chickens for this season.

The hustling town of Snow Hill was the first to register and the Greene County Poultry Association was formed for the purpose of furthering the industry in that section. The Snow Hill Bank and Trust Company has already started the ball rolling by making the first advance for this new industry for that county.

The following banks have also joined the movement: Farmers' Bank and Trust Company, Goldsboro; Farmers' Commercial Bank, Benson; Citizens Bank and Trust Company, Rosemary; First National Bank, Roanoke Rapids; Citizens Bank, Mount Olive; Bank of Warsaw. With these as a starter, Eastern North Carolina will soon become a real poultry producing section. In less than twelve months poultry ought to be selling by the carload. It is a sure money crop, and deserves the support of all the banks of the state.

Fox Hunters Planning Hunt.

Kinston.—The State fox hunters organization, to stage its annual meet in the Seven Springs section in the early part of October will be "let in on the secret" of Southwest creek. It was stated by officers of the Kinston Hunt Club. The local club will play an important part in the entertainment of the hundreds of persons who will participate in the big chase.

On the peninsula formed by the creek are hundreds of foxes. It was stated. These will afford the "glittering cavalcade" no end of sport. Hounds valued at several thousand dollars each will be entered in the competitions, together with many lesser lights of the canine world.

The Lenoir county authorities will see that all roads in the county leading to the hunt area are in perfect condition for the hunters. Remus R. Rouse, county road commissioner, will attend to the preparations in this respect. Each farmer in the section will constitute a reception committee of one.

Greenville Curb Market.

Greenville.—The long-discussed, agitated and visioned curb market for Greenville will turn into a reality on Saturday, May 12th, when the doors of the Forbes and Morton Warehouse will swing open to receive the farmers with their produce that is ready for market. So great is the demand for such a place where vegetables and other farm produce may be sold and purchased that there is a certainty that on that date the sellers will be met by a sufficient number of buyers to take everything that they may have to offer on the market.

Fires Rage Over 60-Mile Area.

Fayetteville.—Forest fires, sweeping an area of sixty square miles between Linden and the Overhills hunting preserve and a 250 acre tract of valuable timber in Rockfish township, this county, have wrought damages which will amount high into the thousands of dollars.

The two fires seem to have started about the same time in opposite ends of the county from causes undetermined at this time.

The timber burned in the Overhills-Linden section alone is estimated at more than \$1,000.

Woman Killed in Crash at Oxford.

Oxford.—Mrs. J. J. Chapman, of Keokuk, Iowa, 45, was instantly killed at Bullock, on the national highway, ten miles from Oxford, and her husband, J. J. Chapman, a prominent western banker, was dangerously injured, when the car in which they were riding and operated by Mrs. Chapman plunged into an embankment. It is believed that Mrs. Chapman lost control of the automobile and was unable to right it before the crash came. The woman was dead when reached.

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Nashville, Tenn.—Mrs. Dudley B. Stuart, 519 Ash Street, this city, recently made the following statement:

"Before I started taking Cardui, I was sick in bed. I weighed 90 pounds. My mother came to see me and told me to get Cardui. My husband went to town and brought home two bottles which I took. At once I began to improve, although up to that time I had taken medicine, but it had not helped me at all. From the first dose of Cardui my appetite began to come back.

"I had been suffering from female trouble...was so weak and in such a run-down condition. That was two years ago...I kept on taking Cardui as a tonic.

"My appetite is good. I certainly owe a lot to this fine medicine. Nothing did me any good until I began to take it. It made me gain 48 pounds. I don't weigh quite so much now on account of the baby nursing, but I feel perfectly well. I am very grateful for what it has done for me, for I was suffering agony when I began to take it."

Writing later of her experience in the use of Cardui, Mrs. Stuart said: "My health is better now than ever and am proud to say Cardui did it."



Poet With Blank Mind.
Poet—I put my whole mind into this poem. Editor—Evidently. I see that it's blank verse.

If You Need a Medicine You Should Have the Best

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited to those who are in need of it.

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