

MRS. SCHRAM STAR WITNESS

Woman Claiming to Be John Walker's Sister Under Cross-Examination.

INJECTS DRAMA INTO UNIQUE CASE

Relates Tale of Brother's Affection and Effort to Destroy Her Life—Old Man's Sweetheart Turns Up.

Mrs. Isabella Schram of Canada, claiming to be a sister of the late John Walker, the South Omaha red-head, who died intestate and with \$200,000 in his pocket, in her attempt to secure a share of the estate, was the star witness yesterday in the county court.

INJURED MAN AN ENIGMA

Stranger Found on Street Refuses to Give Police Any Information of Himself.

Charles Mason, the stranger who was found by the police Tuesday afternoon on the sidewalk at Fifteenth and Douglas streets, is being held at the police station for further investigation and with hopes his assailant may be apprehended.

Mason's story now is he was struck in the mouth by a large man wearing a brown suit of clothes. He says the blow felled him to the walk and bruised his head. Judging from his actions at the station it was thought the man's condition was serious, so he was sent to the Clarkson hospital, but after being examined at the hospital it was learned there is nothing wrong with the man further than a few ordinary bruises.

Mason has been returned to the police station. He maintains a stubborn silence regarding himself and movements. He carried a \$50 bogus draft when found on the street.

HOW EVANS SAW THE SHOW

Sixth Ward Councilman is Mistaken for Crook by Circus Detective.

Councilman Evans has found a new way of getting free entrance to the circus. He was standing near the big tent at the show the other night contemplating a short cut across lots. A policeman was refused to let him shorten his homeward trip and he was merely standing doing nothing when a detective belonging to the circus force appeared and asked him what he was doing. Evans told him and the detective asked him if he did not want to see the show. The councilman politely de-

clined, but the detective politely insisted. His invitation grew exceedingly pressing and the councilman finally gave way.

"The detective took me inside and placed me in a box with Captain Dunn of the local detective force and several other officers. Of course he thought he had run across a crook of some kind and if he steered me into some of the city officers they might recognize me and take me up. Captain Dunn gave the glad hand and I enjoyed the performance a great deal. The detective faded away when he saw he had made a mistake."

OMAHA PRAISED BY IOWAN

Gate City and Its Festive King Arouse Admiration of Des Moines Man.

"During the last fortnight I have interviewed most of your leading business houses," said D. B. Lyons, municipal and industrial bond buyer of Des Moines. "As a guest at your Ak-Sar-Ben meeting I was royally entertained and immensely amused. I took the sacred oath and swore allegiance with the rest of the boys, though I had the mental reservation that it was to last only while in Omaha. Your Ak-Sar-Ben is great. You are facing increasing prosperity."

"Your Commercial club is only two-thirds as big as ours, but I note its commission is planning an immediate increase in membership."

"Omaha has some things that Des Moines might profitably copy. The reverse also is true."

COLD KILLS THE GERM.

Lieutenant Perry Says There Are No Bald Heads in the Arctic Region.

The people who come back from Klondike testify to the fact that no native bald heads are found in the Arctic region. It is the cold climate that kills the germs that eat the hair off at the root. Lieut. Perry, who went to the Arctic regions, gives the same evidence. Newbro's Herpicide has the same effect as the cold climate. It kills the germ that eats the hair off at the root, and the hair grows again. Herpicide is the first hair remedy built upon the principle of destroying the germ that eats the hair off. Its phenomenal sale demonstrates the correctness of the soap germ theory.

Sold by leading druggists. Send for stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., Omaha, Neb., special agents.

Low Colonist Rates

Via Chicago Great Western Railway To points in Montana, Idaho, Washington and western Canada. Tickets on sale daily from September 15 to October 15. For further information apply to S. D. Parkhurst, General Agent, 1512 Farnam St., Omaha, Neb.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued up to noon, September 14: Augustus Residuous, 30 and 31, Anton Hoffman, Omaha, 21; Louise Rasmussen, Omaha, 21; Mad. P. Madson, Omaha, 21; Amelia H. Anderson, Omaha, 21; Frank A. Brown, Omaha, 41; Alice Bever, South Omaha, 37; Frank W. Pickering, Ashland, 21; Letha Russell, Ashland, 21; Charles L. Barber, Ashland, 21; Emma E. Becker, Ashland, 21; George W. McDonald, Omaha, 21; Elmer M. Smith, Omaha, 21; 18 K. Wedding Rings, Edholm, Jeweler.

RIGG MATTER TO COME UP

Appointment to Be Considered by Republican State Committee.

BURKETT ALSO GETS CONSIDERATION

Only Wants His Name to Appear Once on Ballot and the Senatorial Nomination Put Off.

A general meeting of the state republican committee and the executive committee will be held at the state headquarters at the Murray Hotel Thursday night. Some of the candidates also may be present.

Among the matters that may come up is the action of Chairman Burgess in appointing Charles Rigg as chairman of the speakers bureau without the approval of the executive committee and the number of times Congressman Burkett's name will appear on the ticket. The congressman's friends say he does not want his name to go on except for congress and wishes to have the senatorial nomination by the state convention left off. Others have pointed out, however, that if this is done there will be nothing morally binding on the members of the legislature to vote for Burkett for senator next winter. The question still is pending and the committee may attempt to have it settled.

Republicans who called at the state headquarters Tuesday included W. H. Harrison of Grand Island, B. J. Patrick of Beatrice, Captain McLaughlin of Beatrice, Frank McCartney, postmaster at Nebraska City; Charles E. Smith of San Diego, Cal.; John D. Pope, formerly of Fremont, now of Chicago, and Judge E. M. Coffin of Lincoln.

Fred Bruning has filed his petition as a republican candidate for county commissioner from the second ward. He is the second to file from this district, the former being Tom McVittie, who wants the same office.

Harry Fischer, business agent and secretary for the Retail Grocery Dealers' association, has announced himself as a candidate for state senator before the republican primaries October 7.

Chairman Arter of the democratic county committee has announced that the local campaign will be formally set in motion September 20, when headquarters will be established at the Jacksonian club, with himself in charge.

AGED WOMAN BADLY BURNED

Mrs. Johanna Knight Thought to Be Fatally Injured from Fire.

At her home, 1234 Ohio street, about 8 1/2 years ago, Mrs. Johanna Knight was seriously injured by a fire that broke out in the kitchen. She was badly burned and her hair was singed. She was taken to the hospital and her condition was thought to be fatal. She is now recovering and is able to walk with the aid of a cane.

BOY RULES AT DOG POUND

Colored Lad Punished for Upsetting Peace and Dignity of Canine Detention Bureau.

Waiter Read, a colored boy, has been fined \$10 and costs in police court, where he was arraigned on the charge of assault and battery on Henry Cleveland, an employee at the city dog pound. According to the story told by Poundmaster Laughland and his staff, consisting of Ora Gilbert and the Cleveland boy, the Read boy took umbrage to the retention of his dog at the pound by hearing the Cleveland boy informally apply to the poundmaster for the dog. Read threatened to assault the Cleveland boy and his father and mother, and in fact, the general peace and dignity of the dog pound has been in jeopardy for some time.

One Way Rates.

Every day from September 15 to October 15, 1904, the Union Pacific will sell One-Way Colonist tickets at the following rates, from Missouri River terminals, Council Bluffs, to Kansas City inclusive: \$20.00 to Ogden and Salt Lake City; \$20.00 to Butte, Anaconda and Helena; \$22.50 to Spokane and Wenatchee, Wash.; \$25.00 to Everett, Fairhaven, Whatcom, Vancouver, and Victoria, via Huntington and Spokane; \$25.00 to Portland and Astoria; or to Tacoma and Seattle, via Huntington and Portland or via Huntington and Spokane; \$25.00 to Ashland, Roseburg, Eugene, Albany and Salem via Portland; \$25.00 to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego and many other California points. For full information call on an address CITY TICKET OFFICE, 1512 FARNAM ST., Phone 235.

Special Sunday Rates to Great Western Park, Manning, Ia.

For the months of June, July, August and September, on every Sunday except July 3, the Chicago Great Western railway will sell round-trip tickets at one fare to Great Western park, Manning, Ia. For further information apply to D. Parkhurst, General Agent, 1512 Farnam street, Omaha, Neb.

For Rent.

An excellent office location, fronting on Pearl street, only half a block from Broadway, with a nice large show window which can be used for display. See office, 10 Pearl street, Council Bluffs.

Home Visitor's Excursion Fair.

Tuesdays in September and Oct. 11. Good thirty days. Half fare plus \$2. Many points in Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky. Inquire at the Northwestern Line Office, 1401 and 1402 Farnam St., Omaha.

Diamonds! Diamonds!! Diamonds!!!

Edholm, Jeweler.

Try Colfax Purse water.

Zimmerman Ready with Verdict.

Acting Mayor Zimmerman says that while he has not fully informed himself on the matter, he thinks he will veto the sidewalk merchant ordinance passed by the council Tuesday night. Says he thinks the sidewalk vendors do no particular harm and that the ordinance merely affects the downtown district, therefore discriminating as to localities where they are proscribed.

DIED.

BONNEVIER—Charles A., September 14, at his late residence, 1321 California street, aged 31 years. Funeral Saturday September 17, 2:30 p. m. Interment Forest Park.

Be Sure It Is

Hypom Photographers. They You Are Alright. 318-320-322 So. 15th St. WEST Side of the Street.

BREATHE HEALING BALSAMS

Hymel's Novel Way of Curing Catarrh—Sherman & McConnell Guarantees a Cure.

This novel treatment for catarrh consists of a hard rubber inhaler of a size convenient to be carried in the vest pocket or purse, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hymel. By its use it is possible to breathe while at home or at work, air which is almost identical with that of the mountains or health resorts where the air is laden with healing and health giving balsams.

No other medicine gives such prompt relief as Hymel in the treatment of catarrh. The first breath soothes and heals the irritated and smarting air passages, and its regular use for a few days or weeks will cure the most stubborn cases.

Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., corner 15th and Douglas streets, Omaha, will sell a Hymel outfit for \$1.00 with their personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure. You run no risk whatever in buying Hymel, for your word decides the question as to whether you pay for the remedy or not.

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The Perfected American Shoe. The Ideal Comfort-Giving Shoe for Women—It fits all feet because it is made in all shapes.

Only the deformed foot must now have them made to order. The Price \$3.50 Catalogue Sent Free

Sorosia Shoe Store 203 S. 15th St. Frank Wilcox, Mgr.

Nebraska Clothing & Farnam. New Fall Custom Tailored Suits for Women. Here is two very special suit values for women—We do not think there is another house in Omaha where the women can buy strictly custom tailor suits—Made from exclusive fabrics—such as only the high priced tailors show—at anywhere near so low.

Moore's Stoves Always Please. An excellent office location, fronting on Pearl street, only half a block from Broadway, with a nice large show window which can be used for display. See office, 10 Pearl street, Council Bluffs.

AK-SAR-BEN CANDY GIFT BOX. Our Own Manufacture. Purity and Excellence Guaranteed. \$1.00 DELIVERED ANYWHERE IN THE UNITED STATES. Send a sweet remembrance to your out-of-town friend. BALDUFF, Farnam St. ...1520...

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Dewey & Stone Furniture Co. 1115-1117 Farnam Street. NEW LINE OF BUFFETS. We have just received a big line of the latest patterns of the above goods, made of selected quarter-sawed oak and finished equal to the finest goods made.

Fred Krug Brewing Co. Omaha's Model Brewery. Telephone 420. OMAHA. THE BEER YOU LIKE. Is unequalled as a tonic, it is unequalled for invalids and convalescents. Young mothers will find it superior to any other beer for its milk producing qualities.

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Walk-Over. The one Man's Shoe that fits Men's Feet. In all the shapes and all the leathers. Whether for store, shop or street, the comfort and style is certainly found in the Walk-Over at \$2.50 and \$4.00. Decatur Shoe Co., 1521 Farnam St. Frank Wilcox, Mgr. Sole Makers of A. E. Nettletons and Walk-Over Shoes.

Every Woman DOCTOR. SEARLES & SEARLES. Omaha, Neb. CURES GUARANTEED. Quicker and for LESS MONEY than other SPECIALIST. Cures all special diseases of men—kidney, bladder and diseases of women. Blood Poison cured for life. Soon every body in mouth, tongue, throat, hair and eyebrows (falling out) disappear completely.

Orchard Wilhelm Carpet Company. Big September Furniture Trade Sale. The Saving Average a Full Third. IRON BED—Like illustration, head stands 6 1/2 inches high, made of best material, hand finished enamel in choice of colors, brass trimmed top rails, spindles and knobs, bow foot. \$4.95. ROCKER—Oak or mahogany finish, upholstered leather or tapestry back, September Trade Sale. \$4.50. ROMAN CHAIR—Oak or mahogany finish, finely polished, September Trade Sale. \$3.95.

Burlington Route \$8.50 GOACH EXCURSIONS. St. Louis and Return. September 15, 16, 17, 20, 22, 27 and 29. The Burlington's St. Louis Flyer carries the handsomest chair cars (seats free). It is the only train from Omaha stopping at Washington Avenue, the hotel and business district of St. Louis, in addition to the Union Station. On return this train leaves St. Louis at the desirable hour of 9:00 p. m. Call on me for special World's Fair folders, for berths, tickets, and for any assistance or information in connection with your trip. J. B. REYNOLDS, City Pass. Agent, 1502 Farnam St., Omaha.

VAIL ON CROSS-EXAMINATION. Put to Rigid Test by Attorneys for Packers in Federal Court Hearing. The hearing in the strike contempt cases was continued in the United States circuit court yesterday morning with Stephen Vail still on the witness stand. He was subjected to a rigid cross examination, with the apparent view to identify him directly with tacit violations of the injunction order. The witness said at all times he had counseled and advised the strikers to live wholly within the law, refrain from violence and not to gather in crowds. A protracted argument was entered into between the attorneys, as to the court's explanation of the paragraph in the restraining order pertaining to the prohibition of picketing and the relation that it bore to the construction placed upon the Union Pacific injunction relating to picketing, and as to the technical definition of actual and constructive contempt. The only witness in rebuttal was Fred A. Robinson, foreman of the Cudahy cannery department, who testified as to the orders given the men of his department going out at the time of the strike and

Western Military Academy. Upper Atton, Illinois. Call A. M. JACKSON, A. M. Supt.