

TO REVIVE OLD COVINGTON

Sioux City Houses of Sin May be Concentrated in Nebraska.

Sioux City, May 17.—To erect a miniature city on the deserted ruins of old Covington is the plan which is being fostered by the managers of Sioux City houses of sin, according to the best of police information. Since the issuance of the police order to the effect that disreputable resorts must pass, so far as Sioux City is concerned, it is understood that managers of the resorts have been casting their eyes South of the Missouri river.

The proprietors of the houses, knowing that they will have the strongest kind of public opinion to fight, are not entering into the plan to establish Covington anew without being able to offer the town inducements. The plan that has come to light contemplates the erection in South Sioux City of a special dry goods and clothing house, a big grocery store, a furniture house, a butcher shop, and a big restaurant.

It is said that already, through concerted efforts, the managers of the houses have prevailed on South Sioux City business houses to promise the erection of stores and shops if the Sioux City resorts are located on the other side of the river, the promise on the part of the resort keepers being that they would buy all their materials from such stores and would make them profitable ventures.

Attorneys have been busy investigating the laws covering the resorts in Nebraska, and they have announced to the resort keepers that where the proprietor of such a place owns the property on which the offense of running a disreputable house is committed, he or she can be prosecuted only on the grounds of a lesser misdemeanor. In this way the law is favorable for the establishment of the resorts in old Covington.

It is a notable fact that the managers of most of the disorderly houses have acquired a large amount of property in Sioux City, and most of them might be considered in affluent circumstances. It is said these people plan buying up property in South Sioux City and erecting substantial places. All of the structures will be in brick, and already the greater number of the resort keepers have picked out the places where they intend to build, in case they can make the residents see their way clear to allow the houses to come. The buildings will be two stories in height. About twenty of these houses will be erected.

The movement will entail the expenditure of a large amount of money, both in the erection of the palaces of sin and in the building of the accompanying business houses. In many cases saloons will be established in the lower portions of the houses, as is the case in Sioux City at the present time.

The stores and shops will be but branches of the Sioux City houses that have promised to erect them, and will be stocked from time to time from the local places. Owing to the fact that the combination bridge has a draw, to place the necessary gas piping into South Sioux City it has been declared the pipes will be laid underneath the high bridge. The Sioux City Service company already has electric connection with the Nebraska town.

Besides the promises of making South Sioux City a better business town, in the pressure that is now being brought on the city officials the managers of the places have compiled figures from the police court records showing the amount of money paid by them to Sioux City. These figures, running as they do close to \$1,200 a month in fines, they have pointed out, will enable the city to support the special police force which they propose to establish, will pave the streets and be the means of creating a city water plant.

It is said the officials of the Nebraska city have looked over these figures and have almost come to the conclusion that the places should be admitted. This assertion has been made to appear in the light of truth because of the fact that so many of the managers of resorts have been examining property there and have been entering bids for favorable sites.

The past offers such a specter, however, that many fear the history of old Covington will down the move on the part of the resorts to locate there, no matter what the offers. In the boom days Covington often was heralded as the wickedest hole on earth. Men went there in closed carriages and never returned. In the dens of vice they met death and no one knew the history of their passing. On occasions embittered lovers did pistol duel in the streets for the love of unworthy paramours. These old impressions have not been erased by time, and hence great stress is being laid on the fact that the houses, if established, will pay for the strongest kind of police patrol.

Schavland is Killed by Auto.

Lincoln, May 17.—Christopher Schavland, formerly treasurer of Madison county and lately secretary of the state board of equalization, was run down and killed by an automobile at 11 o'clock last night near the state capitol, where it is presumed he had just left his office.

The machine, a large touring car, struck him full and his skull was fractured. He was placed in the car and hurried to the hospital, but died soon after reaching there.

Herman Bernecker, the young man driving the car, had as companions another youth and two young ladies. They claimed they were driving at a low rate of speed, but admitted they had taken the automobile from the garage, where Bernecker is employed, without the knowledge of the owner.

Bernecker was detained at the police station. Secretary Schavland has been a state house attaché for over a year and was a well known and popular official.

News of the death of Christopher Schavland in front of an automobile in Lincoln Sunday night, will be received throughout Madison county, his former home, as a great shock and with universal sorrow.

For several years Mr. Schavland served as county treasurer of this county, leaving the office after serving the full limit of the law in point of time.

Mr. Schavland was one of the most popular and one of the most efficient county officials ever known in the county's service. He was a man of great integrity and honor, respected by all who knew him.

At the end of his term as county treasurer Mr. Schavland was appointed to the position which he held in Lincoln at the time of his death. He was recently re-appointed, which is an indication of his ability.

Christopher Schavland was just in the prime of his life when he was so suddenly taken off. No accident in recent years will cause the widespread sorrow in Madison county that will accompany the receipt of this news throughout the county.

SCHAVLAND INQUEST TONIGHT.

The Funeral Will Probably be Held at Madison.

Lincoln, May 17. Special to The News: An inquest into the death of Christopher Schavland will be held at 8 o'clock tonight. The funeral will probably be held at Madison.

H. A. HAUGHAN DEAD

Chicago, May 17.—Helge Alexander Haughan, president of the State Bank of Chicago and well known in Scandinavian circles in this city, died today of heart trouble. He was president of the Chicago Clearing house.

Death of Rev. Dr. Crofts.

West Point, Neb., May 19.—Special to The News: Rev. G. W. Crofts, D. D., pastor of the Congregational church at West Point, died Monday at the parsonage in this city at an advanced age. His health had been failing for some time but his demise occurred quite unexpectedly, his friends and the congregation looking forward to his complete recovery on the advent of warm weather. The doctor came here two years ago from Beatrice and from the day of his arrival established himself firmly in the esteem of the community. He was a man of profound learning and deep piety and possessed the happy faculty of making friends everywhere by his cordial and unaffected manner and his christian life. His demise has cast a gloom over the city where his cheerful voice and face will be greatly missed.

Robbers Get \$6,000.

Cairo, Neb., May 19.—Bank robbers secured \$6,000 from the Cairo State bank last night, demolishing the safe and building by three explosions. A water works bond election was carried by one vote yesterday and fire arms and anvils were used in the celebration. The explosions at the bank were thought to be part of the election enthusiasm, and the alarm was not sounded. Sheriff Dunkel is in pursuit of the robbers.

Grand Island, Neb., May 19.—Special to The News: The State Bank of Cairo, nineteen miles northwest, was blown up about 4 o'clock this morning and badly wrecked. Citizens heard the three explosions, but the town had last night celebrated the carrying of water bonds and it appears to have been in the mind of everyone that the shots were fired by belated celebrators. No one arose and it was not until 7 o'clock this morning that the true nature of the explosions were known. The building was badly wrecked, including the safe. The men, evidently two or three in number, took a hand car and ditched the safe four miles northwest of this city. Deputy Sheriff Leiser, with hounds, has taken up the trail where the hand car was ditched. The loss was insured, the bank at once continuing to do business, securing the necessary cash here this morning. The bank safe and adjacent furniture were completely wrecked. The building was not much damaged. Practically all of the bank's cash, balance of \$6,220, was taken. Five hobo's, two of whom were fairly well dressed, are the only clue. The bank's clock stopped at 1:45.

Schavland Funeral is Held.

A number of Madison county people went to Lincoln Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late Chris Schavland, who was killed by an automobile there Sunday night. The funeral was held from the family home in Lincoln at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

About twenty-five people went from the city of Madison, including S. C. Blackman, Dr. and Mrs. Smart, F. A. Peterson, George E. Richardson, John Horshner, Fred Deiers.

Mr. Schavland is said to have carried \$7,000 life insurance. He is survived by a wife and three children, Oscar, Louise and Thomas. He was a member of the Masonic order of Madison and was an Odd Fellow and Royal Highlander.

Mr. Schavland was born at Finno, near the city of Stavanger, Norway, August 27, 1866. He was educated in Norway for the Lutheran ministry and spoke several languages. His father was at one time wealthy and engaged in shipping on the high seas. Mr. Schavland came to America when 21 years old. He worked as a clerk in a Madison store and later was made cashier of the Citizens State bank, now the First National of Newman Grove. In 1895 he was elected clerk of the district court in this county in which capacity he served until 1903 when he was elected county treasurer, which position he held four years. A year ago he was appointed secretary of the state board of equalization, by Governor Sheldon. His successor has not been named but it is said Henry Seymour, the assistant, will be made secretary of the board. Mr. Schavland was "making good" in his position.

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Lincoln Gets Too Much Water.

Lincoln, May 18.—Stella Cole, wife of Henry Cole, thirty-third and Boulevard, was drowned last night. She attempted to escape from her home by wading through a broad expanse of water, and stepped into a gully. With her she had her eighteen-months-old child. The infant was rescued by a son of Dan Kelly.

More than 100 Russians were rescued from the Salt creek bottoms. More than two inches of rain fell in Lincoln and the surrounding country last evening in less than half an hour. The deluge started at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Streets were flooded, cellars filled and street car service impeded. Salt creek began rising at 6 p. m. The water drove 200 people from their homes. The police assisted many to leave.

A bad flood is reported at the town of Rockeby, on the Rock Island railroad, a few miles from Lincoln.

Heavy Rains Near Omaha. Omaha, May 18.—Eastern Nebraska received another wetting from Jupiter Plusius Monday evening. The precipitation between Omaha and the state capital was heavier than in other portions of Nebraska. Down in Gage county it rained hard. The southern tier of counties, from Gage east, shared like conditions. Along the line of the Union Pacific and Burlington roads there was little rain outside of local showers west of Lincoln.

Burt, Saunders, Sarpy, Dodge and Cuming counties were visited by showers Monday afternoon about 5 o'clock and later in the evening.

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

W. A. Porterfield left this morning for Lincoln.

Fred Haase and Herbert Wichman are back from Omaha, where the latter took the examination for a railway mail clerkship.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anderson returned yesterday from a short trip to Omaha and eastern Iowa.

Dr. C. S. Parker and Dr. H. J. Cole left for Lincoln to attend the state dental convention.

Miss Mae Harrison is spending the week in Meadow Grove.

J. B. Maylard was in Niobrara Tuesday on business.

R. E. Williams has gone to Wisner on a short business trip.

Chester Turck has returned to his home in Bloomfield, after a several weeks' stay in the Black Hills country.

Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Hammond left for Denver, where they will attend a meeting of general assembly.

Peter Barnes has returned from Madison, where he attended the Stork funeral.

Deputy State Game Warden J. B. Donovan was in Norfolk Tuesday.

M. C. Wilde, after being in Norfolk over Sunday, returned to Bazile Mills Tuesday morning.

R. Lanman's brother-in-law, Charles Tepper of Plainview, stopped off yesterday for a short visit. Mr. Tepper is enroute to Chadron to play on the Chadron baseball team.

Paul Rudat is in the city from Texas, visiting his mother. He leaves next month for Hamilton, Cal., where he goes into a sugar factory being managed by J. McCoy Williams.

H. L. Bear of Neligh is a Norfolk visitor today.

The candidacy of John F. Flynn for the democratic nomination for sheriff of Madison county was formally announced today. Locally it is reported that Flynn came in line for the nomination when the stewardship at the hospital was given to Herman Gerecke. On the republican side Walter Elley and Clint Smith, both of Madison, are already active candidates.

A. H. Backhaus of the Pierce Leader was in Norfolk on business yesterday.

V. A. Venow and Oscar Hauptli spent the day fishing at Kent's siding.

A. J. Durland spent Tuesday at Mike Hughes farm near Bree Creek.

Among the out-of-town visitors were: Dr. Thomas, Pierce; M. H. Whaley, Clarke; Ed Latta, Tekamah; F. G.

Auringer, Neligh; John Gowin, Foster; F. P. Brooks, Running Water, S. D.; J. W. Shubert, Whitewood, S. D.; and Mrs. William Holmes, Wall, S. D.

Mrs. Orpha Pinkerton is home from a brief visit in Madison.

Mrs. Scott Spragg of Spragg, Neb., is visiting a few days with Mrs. W. M. Brechbill.

Miss Helen Bridge arrived home last night, after a prolonged absence in Chicago and other points.

G. C. Brewster and his mother stopped over night at the home of W. M. Brechbill, enroute to Long Pine.

A. P. Doe of Davenport, Ia., is in Norfolk for a two weeks' visit with his daughter, Mrs. G. D. Butterfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Braden, returned to Missouri Valley yesterday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. S. Wells are in Omaha, the guests of Mr. Wells' daughter, Mrs. W. M. Rainbolt. Mr. Wells is attending an Episcopal conference.

"Tae" Peters, accompanied by Mrs. Peters and Norton Howe, ran to Stanton this afternoon in his automobile, to watch a ball game between Stanton and Pilger. Roy Bovee of this city pitched for Stanton.

Miss Lera Brown has resigned her position with the A. L. Killian store.

Mrs. P. H. Salter will entertain the West Side Whist club Thursday night.

Mrs. J. B. Donovan of Madison was quite ill the forepart of this week, but is reported better today.

Clarence Salter, who has been bedfast with an attack of rheumatism for a week, is somewhat improved.

J. P. Bailey of Omaha, general secretary of the Nebraska Y. M. C. A., arrived in Norfolk at 11 a. m. from Columbus, for the purpose of spending the day looking over the Norfolk situation.

Will Hughes, at one time secretary of the Christian association here, who is now boys' secretary at the Y. M. C. A. at Boulder, Colo., will leave Boulder the first of June to spend three months in Boston, preparing to go on the road as an entertainer.

The business which J. H. Conley will conduct at Presho, S. D., will be known as the Conley Land and Loan company. Before this it has been known as the Mitchell Land and Loan company. The organization back of Mr. Conley is the Chamberland Land and Loan company, with its head office at Chamberlain. It is said to be a land and banking company with a large capital.

The candidacy of W. R. Martin of Schoolcraft precinct, for the republican nomination as sheriff of Madison county at the forthcoming primaries, is formally announced in the advertising columns of today's News. Mr. Martin has lived in the county for many years and is said to have a great many friends in his part of the county. He is general superintendent of the Madison County Agricultural society.

Chief Game Warden Guyless is to send seines to Deputy Game Warden Donovan, to be used in removing the carp from the Kent cut-off lake, west of Norfolk. John Donovan has been giving Norfolk streams more or less attention recently, having planted thousands of tiny trout in Spring Branch, a few thousand catfish in the Northfork, and having taken three gill nets and two fish traps from the Northfork.

Earl Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Perry, and Miss Clara Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Anderson, both of Norfolk Junction, were married Wednesday morning at the home of the bride's father, the Rev. John F. Poucher of Stanton of fiancing. The happy couple, pursued by many friends who filled their seat in the train with rice and thoughtfully posted several signs in conspicuous places proclaiming the fact that they were just married, left for a short honeymoon trip to Sioux City.

Norfolk will have a visit from one or more of the big circuses this summer. Barnum & Bailey's circus, which is coming to Omaha in July, will likely open the circus season here. Campbell Brothers are in Sioux City soon, but nothing has been heard of their annual visit here. The old Lemen circus, now the Pan American circus, which A. O. Perry is managing, may skip Norfolk, according to reports, but will probably make a number of other north Nebraska towns on the North-western.

The Anderson family of boys, which, on account of the unusual number of the little fellows who will in some considerable time be voters, was called to the attention of President Roosevelt, were in Norfolk Tuesday afternoon with their father, who is a brother of "Buffalo" Anderson, the Stanton county farmer who recently committed suicide with a bath cord. The oldest lad had on a pair of boots. The other little fellows were barefooted. Mr. Anderson is keeping his family together in the face of great difficulties, as his wife died more than a year ago.

Sadie DuBois will have to take her chances with the county attorney Tuesday afternoon Sadie assaulted Carl Bathke, an old man of 75 years, and beat him with a cane until his head was a mass of wounds. The police first went after Sadie but it was decided to call in County Attorney Nichols so that if a sentence was returned the woman could be held in the county jail. Word was received Wednesday that Mr. Nichols would be up in the evening to investigate the case. Dr. Mackay, as city physician, examined Bathke's wounds. He said it was surprising that the old man could be about or that he had not been seriously injured by the beating.

The "vag" situation in Norfolk is not improving, the police being called on to make constant raids on "vag" camps and afternoon gatherings in

and about the city. Two officers were called to the vicinity of the Klug beer vault yesterday afternoon to stop a fight between two tramps. Both were arrested. This morning the chief was called to the brick yards, when a small "vag" company had started a fire preparatory to roasting a chicken. They were able to show that they had bought the chicken up town and were simply ordered to move on. The bringing in of a low class of laborers incident to the work of ballasting the Bonesteel line accounts for the over supply of hoboes. Many of the men come west for jobs merely for the trip and quit at the first pay day, or sooner. G. W. Porter, who was put to work on the streets, made a getaway yesterday and has not been seen.

James A. Read, who left Norfolk with his family yesterday noon for his new home at Entwistle, in Alberta, Canada, ended a residence of twenty-six years in Norfolk. Mr. Read was prominent in democratic political circles, and during one of the Cleveland administrations was a prominent candidate for the postoffice appointment, being pitted against Dr. Daniels. Believing that he was not getting the endorsement of the local leaders, Mr. Read went to the personal expense of holding an election. He was overwhelmingly victorious in the popular vote, but the men behind Dr. Daniels had the ear of the president and the doctor won. Mr. Read, for several years past, has been bookkeeper at the Sugar City Cereal mills. Up to about ten years ago he was connected in the capacity of bookkeeper and assistant cashier with Norfolk banks. Mr. Read has secured ground adjacent to the townsite as a homestead and will live on the edge of town. He will invest in Canadian land and may enter business.

School Board Committees. The standing school board committees for the coming year were announced last evening at the board meeting by President A. H. Vele. Committee on grounds, buildings and supplies: S. G. Dean, C. S. Bridge and A. Degner.

Committee on discipline, course of study, text books and teachers: A. Degner, John Welsh and A. H. Vele. Committee on finance, claims and salaries: H. C. Matrau, S. G. Dean and C. S. Bridge.

The school board last evening filled two vacancies which existed in the local teaching force. Miss Florence Roth, who will graduate next month from the teachers' college of the state university and who had very high recommendations, was elected as normal training instructor. Mrs. R. Mendenhall of Elk City was elected as eighth grade instructor. She was recommended by former Superintendent E. J. Bodwell.

W. H. Widaman was chosen as census enumerator.

Plant Potatoes in Brown. Ainsworth, Neb., May 19.—Special to The News: Bryan's old 1896 slogan of 16 to 1, bobbed up here Tuesday with unusual energy. The east side boys played a game of ball with the west side bunch, and the result was a score of 16 to 1 in favor of the east side. Rev. Vincent R. Beebe, the pastor of the Methodist church, made the only score for the west side. It was a great game.

Marion Potter and Miss Bessie Dodds slipped off down to Omaha Sunday night and were married Monday noon in that city. The cards received say that they will be at home in Ainsworth after June 1. The bride is a daughter of I. S. Dodds and wife who live near this city, and has been one of our very successful teachers. She has also been in charge of the Central phone office where she made many friends by her kind and courteous treatment of all customers. The groom is a son of Judge Potter of the county court and one of our most successful young business men.

Rev. B. L. Shepherd, a retired minister of the Methodist church, celebrated his nineteenth birthday on May 6, without any ostentatious displays, simply going about his work as usual and saying nothing about the great honors of the day. He looked like he might be able to round out the century and his many friends hope that he may.

Colonel Robert Martin celebrated his seventy-sixth birthday Tuesday of this week. A dinner was given at his home in honor of the event.

An unusually large acreage of potatoes was planted in this county this year, and now the corn planting season is at its height. We have not had very much rain in May thus far, but the ground is in good condition and as soon as it warms up a bit things will grow.

Redmer Case Not Concluded. After having heard the testimony of three witnesses in the Stokes-Redmer remonstrance case, the city council adjourned promptly at midnight, continuing the hearing until next Friday evening. No action was taken on the remonstrance filed by Stokes against Otto Selling. Meanwhile the seventh saloon license remains ungranted.

The council meeting was scheduled for 8 o'clock, but was not called until the arrival of Councilman Hibben from his railroad run, at 9:30. Councilman Dolin was absent.

Object to Barnhart. City Attorney H. F. Barnhart, at the opening of the meeting, appeared for W. A. Redmer as his attorney. Jack Koenigstein, counsel for William Stokes, remonstrating against Redmer, objected to the city attorney appearing as a private attorney and as an advisor of the council at the same time. Councilman Winter sustained Koenigstein's point and a vote was taken. On roll call, however, no one objected but Winter. Following a conference between Barnhart and Redmer, Burt Mapes was telephoned

and that attorney was aroused and called in as counsel.

Raise New Points.

Attorney Koenigstein filed an amended remonstrance in the case. Two new points were raised and the testimony of the evening was devoted to the new tack taken. It was charged that the Redmer petition did not contain the names of thirty resident freeholders of the Second ward and that Redmer had run a saloon for a month under Ray Weber's license.

Attorney Koenigstein asked that it be proven that five of the thirty-four names represented resident freeholders. Councilman Winter announced that he knew that Mrs. Schwartz, living at 201 South First street, who was one of the signers objected, to owned her home and was therefore a freeholder. This brought the number of accepted signers up to the required number of thirty.

William H. Hille, a Beemer Jeweler who was a member of the Beemer town board which granted Redmer a license there, was called by Attorney Mapes and testified as to the good character of Mr. Redmer as a resident of Beemer. W. L. Lehman was summoned and not answering, was called to the council chamber. He said that he had known Redmer for twenty years and had never heard anything against him.

Ray Weber, whose saloon Redmer purchased, was placed on the stand by the Stokes side of the remonstrance. Under the examination of Attorney Koenigstein, Weber was unable to remember many of the details of his saloon business. He said that during the last month of his license he had owned the license and the stock, while Mr. Redmer had purchased the fixtures from R. L. Beveridge. More than this he could not remember without his books, which he supposed were in the possession of Mr. Redmer, to whom he had sold the remainder of the liquor after his license had expired May 4.

After being on the stand nearly two hours, Mr. Weber became exasperated and in reply to Koenigstein's query as to whether or not he knew anything at all, replied: "No, I always was a fool and you're trying to make a worse one out of me." Koenigstein disclaimed any such intention and the witness was released.

On motion of Winter, seconded by Craven, the council adjourned until 8 o'clock Friday evening.

Lunatic and Ex Convict Escape.

Waterloo, Ia., May 19.—Mattie Corliss, 54 years old, an inmate of the poor house for forty-one years, eloped last night with Charles Dale, aged 50, an ex-convict who was also an inmate of the poor house. The woman has no conception of time, believing she is still a girl.

Fire Near Uehling.

Fremont, Neb., May 19.—Special to The News: Fire from lightning this morning burned four horses, big barn, a corn crib and 2,000 bushels of grain belonging to Charles Osterberg, near Uehling. Loss \$3,000.

Paris Back to Normal.

Paris, May 19.—The life of Paris was in all respects normal today and the general strike, decreed by the general federation of labor to commence today with the building trades, promises to be a huge fiasco.

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Tripp County Candidates.

On June 1 Tripp county holds its first county election. The Colomo Times prints the following list of candidates as having filed up to the time of its last issue:

For County Judge—L. B. Callender, Colome; Roscoe Nodell, Lamro. State's Attorney—Emil J. Woerth, Lamro; W. B. Backus, Colome; G. O. Van Meter, Lamro.

Treasurer—C. J. DeBoer, Lamro; Fred J. Kurtz, Red Hill; R. F. Taylor, Lamro. Assessor—Chas. Leiboldt, Colome; John Hart, Lamro; H. J. Hellickson, Lamro.

Sheriff—Gus C. Loeb, Lamro; P. Myrick, Tripp county; Ernie Place, Lamro.

Auditor—J. J. Benedict, Lamro; J. P. Hilligan, Red Hill; Henry Grebe, Colome.

Registrar of Deeds—Fred H. Salter, Lamro; Otto C. Banderze, Red Hill. Clerk of the Courts—Jesse Wright, Red Hill.

Surveyor—Clifford Nelson, Lamro; Robert I. Young, Colome.

County Commissioners (three to be elected)—Edward Colombe, John W. Weaver, Isaac P. Battelyoun, R. D. Elliston and T. T. Glidden.

Justices of the Peace (four to be elected)—Ira Stewart, David Cole, H. M. Hawkins, E. M. Root, George Huggins, M. H. Griffin.

Constables (four to be elected)—Chas. Ecreth, Paul Brecht, Garfield Raymond, Geo. P. Love, John Raymond, Nels McGee, Felix C. Bull and Chas. Carter.

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presided. Addresses were delivered by Dr. Butler, Prof. Samuel T. Dutton, secretary of the Peace Society of New York; Dr. George W. Kitchew of Columbia university, Albert K. Smiley and Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood of Boston, secretary of the American Peace society.

Salvation Army Meeting. Chicago, Ill., May 19.—Four hundred officers of the Salvation Army were in attendance at the annual national congress of the Western American district, which opened a five days' meeting here today. A preliminary council of officers and an address by Commander Eva Booth were the features of the day's program. Commander Booth, who was suffering from a severe nervous attack upon her arrival from New York last night, was reported as entirely recovered today.

Bell Phone Company Wins. Toledo, O., May 19.—Judge R. W. Taylor of the United States court today dismissed the suit for injunction brought against the Central Union Telephone company by the United States Telephone company. The suit had for its purpose the restraining of the Central Union (Bell) Telephone company from making contracts with the independent companies.

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