

CONTEST ANNA WILSON WILL

Old People's Home Sued for Not Complying with Provisions.

INSTITUTIONS MAY BE GAINERS

Plaintiffs May Profit Under a Residuary Clause if Court Upholds Their Contentions in Re-half of Bequest.

As the result of alleged failure of the Old People's Home, 224 Wirt street, to fulfill provisions of the will of Anna Wilson, the charitable institution may lose bequests of the dead woman's valuable Kountze Place home and \$10,000 in cash.

An attempt by the Old People's Home to secure approval of the district court of a project for its removal from 224 Wirt street to a site in the northwest part of Omaha, has precipitated for the first time a contest over the Wilson will.

Other charitable institutions which will profit under a residuary clause if its bequest is declared forfeited, are the Omaha Kountze Place home and \$10,000 in cash. Interpretations of provisions of the will previously have been made by the district court, but until now predictions that no contest would arise have been verified.

The Old People's Home, informs the court in its petition that according to architects' estimates it is not enough for fitting the residence for its new purpose and asks the court to allow the sale of the residence and the use of the proceeds with the \$10,000 for the establishment of a home at a new site already secured.

Tramp Turns Down Good Food and Asks Garbage Can Diet

"Take back your ham and eggs and toast—I know not how they taste—and give me what you throw away, I thrive on kitchen waste." Such were the words sung by an unkempt ragged individual who paraded a feed at the rear door of the home of Mrs. Frank Shotwell, 224 Poppleton avenue.

The individual started off with the usual "Could you spare a bit for a poor, unfortunate man," and Mrs. Shotwell forthwith produced some ham and eggs and toast leftovers from breakfast.

"Here my poor man," she said sympathetically as she handed over the food, but stopped short at the look of disgust on the face of the tramp.

"Take it away leddy, take it away," he said in pained accents. "Give me some real grub, I ain't at nuttin' but garbage for fifteen years," he explained, "and I don't see no reason why I should change. Show us the garbage can and give us the right to go to it, and I'll remember you in me prayers."

Youth Taken With Big, Loaded Revolver

Paul Withrow, aged 18, armed with a large revolver in an elaborate studded holster, was taken from a Union Pacific freight train Wednesday night by special agents of the Union Pacific, near the intersection of the tracks and Thirty-second avenue.

It is said that the young man is wanted in Council Bluffs for passing a forged check on the dealer at the time he purchased the revolver there.

After a preliminary hearing it is said the young man was bound over to the grand jury.

Thirty to Go to the Houston Meeting

Starting out of Omaha at shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon will be a special car on the Burlington road, carrying some thirty Omaha and Nebraska men to attend the national meeting of the Travelers' Protective association at the Houston, Tex., June 8 to 12. The car will be filled largely by Omahans, but some from out in the state have also arranged to be here to go with this car.

JOSEPH HAYDEN TO LAND IN NEW YORK JUNE 13

Joseph Hayden, who, with a party of friends, has been making a trip around the world, has sailed to Thomas Quinn, general manager of Hayden Bros. store, that he expects to land in New York June 13 and will come shortly after that date to Omaha.

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PREACHES FIRST SERMON AT SOUTH OMAHA SUNDAY.



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EXPLOSION INJURES THREE

Escaping Gas is Ignited by Lantern in Hands of Repair Man.

TWO WOMEN AND BABY HURT

Man Who Was Nearest to the Explosion Escapes Without Injury to Himself—Loss to the Building is Heavy.

A gas explosion in the home of Philadelphia Cantania, 808 North Eighteenth street, resulted in the injury of three occupants, a loss of approximately \$3,500 to the building and a fire. The injured are Mrs. Cantania and her baby and mother, all of whom received slight cuts.

The explosion was caused by escaping gas becoming ignited from a lantern in the hands of a repair man of the gas company who was working in the basement of the house. The man escaped without injury.

The explosion shocked and started the whole neighborhood. Cured of Indigestion. Mrs. Sadie P. Clawson, Indiana, Pa., was bothered with indigestion.

"My stomach pained me night and day," she writes. "I would feel bloated and have headache and belching after eating. I also suffered from constipation. My daughter had used Chamberlain's Tablets and they did her so much good that she gave me a few doses of them and insisted upon my trying them. They helped me as nothing else has done." For sale by all druggists.—Advertisement.

FIGHTING HIGHER TARIFFS

E. J. McVann and Omaha Lumbermen Contesting Rail Rate Raise.

AT THE ST. LOUIS HEARING

Representatives Submitting Evidence Before Interstate Commerce Commission at the Missouri Metropolis.

The traffic affected by the proposed increase in lumber freight rates from the south, which proposed increase is now being contested by the lumbermen and manufacturers of Omaha and other points in a hearing before the Interstate Commerce commission at St. Louis, will average 25,000 cars of lumber annually.

The proposed tariffs, which range from 1 to 2 cents on 100 pounds, are to apply to shipments from practically all the southwestern lumber territory to the Missouri river cities. But even though the rates are to apply in shipments to the Missouri river cities, the question has a much larger meaning.

Pathe Weekly Will Take Pictures Here of School Exercises

Victor Miller of the Pathe picture concern has arrived in Omaha from Denver to take some pictures of the exercises of play day for the Omaha schools at Fort Omaha today. It is only occasionally when big things are doing that the Pathe people send men to get photographs.

CITY COUNCIL WILL NOT PAY FOR BURGLAR INSURANCE

Upon the advice of Assistant City Attorney L. J. Te Pool the city council has returned a burglar insurance policy on the safes in the treasurer's office and has notified the treasurer that the premium will not be made, because the insurance was taken out without the consent of the council.

Got anything you'd like to swap? Use the "Swappers' Column."

Sixth Ward Suffrage Meeting Held at the Home of Mrs. Brown

The first of a series of ward or neighborhood suffrage meetings which are planned by the city central suffrage committee was held in the Sixth ward Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas Brown, 1824 Wirt street.

Mrs. M. B. Munson, suffrage organizer, was the principal speaker, her subject dealing with property laws and guardianship of children as applied to women in the various states. Mrs. W. C. Sunderland, city chairman, also spoke and musical numbers were rendered by Miss Augusta Mengedoh and Miss Adah Klapp.

At a meeting of the Omaha Suffrage association Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. C. S. Hartwick reported propaganda work in the Italian settlements in the city. The work is carried on through the medium of two young Italian girls, who act as interpreters.

Stockwell Gets Top Price for Hogs

L. F. Stockwell of Gilmore, Neb., sold in the South Omaha market his last load of lambs of this season's feeding Wednesday at \$3.30, within a dime of the top of the market for the day.

Mr. Stockwell also had a load of Berkshire hogs of his own feeding in, which averaged 36 pounds and sold at \$8.75, the extreme top of the market. his home farm at Shelton, Neb., for a period of about twenty years and later at Morrill, Neb., but owing to the inconvenience of being so far away from market, he decided last fall to move his feeding operations to Gilmore, Neb., where he expects to feed on a still larger scale.

HUSBAND OF FORMER HIGH TEACHER TO BE BURIED HERE

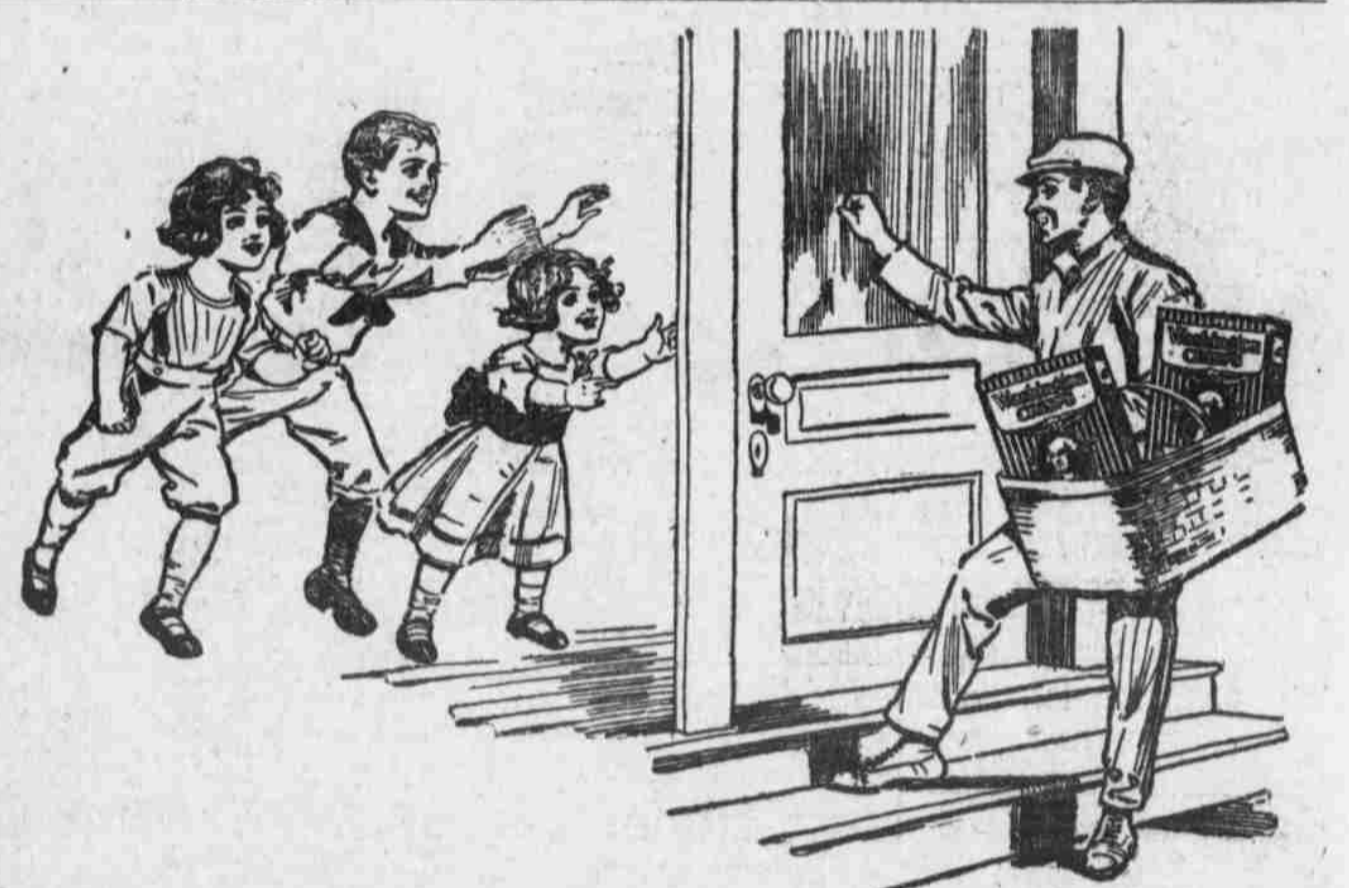
Funeral services for John M. Davis, Menominee, Mich., where he was the superintendent of schools, will be held here this morning at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple, of which order this deceased was a member. Mr. Davis was the

husband of nee Miss Winifred Lemon, former teacher at the Omaha High school.

The body arrived here last evening with a Masonic escort over the Northwestern. Mr. Davis died Monday after a brief illness. Interment will be at Forest Lawn.

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Browning, King & Co. Saturday we are going to close out all broken lines of men's, young men's and children's clothing (our own make.) No buying of seconds and marking up and then marking down to deceive the public, no such fake methods have a place in our store. "A real sale or no sale at all" is our slogan. The merchandise tells the story. You will not be disappointed with the price and the clothing will show the mark-down from the regular selling price, Men's furnishing goods and hats that are different and at prices that are within reach of all. SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY 225 Wash Suits at \$1.75 worth up to \$3.50 150 Wash Suits at \$1.00 worth up to \$2.00 200 pair of Boys' Knickers at \$1. worth \$2 George T. Wilson, Manager



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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY THE LAST TWO DAYS Of Mort's Clothes Shop Reorganization Sale Offering the entire stock of the highest grade men's Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats that sold up to \$40, at one price— \$17 The stock must be sold before Saturday night, June 6th. Nothing reserved. Get your share of the greatest bargains offered in Omaha. No charge, no deliveries, alterations free. MORT'S CLOTHES SHOP Opposite Hayden Bros.

6:30 P. M. Burlington Route Chicago Limited Official Train, June 8, for the Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs Enroute to the General Federation, Chicago..