

CLAIMS PERPETUAL RIGHT

Omaha Gas Company Says Its Franchise is Everlasting.

RECKONING SHOULD BE MADE

City Attorneys Argue that Corporation's Petitions are Not Consistent and Situation Should Come to a Head.

Comes now the Omaha Gas company to claim the city granted it a perpetual franchise with the passage of Ordinance No. 125, which conferred the franchise privileges.

"That said Ordinance No. 125 of the city of Omaha and its acceptance, performance, interpretation and construction be found, held and decreed to secure to the grantee and assigns thereof street rights in perpetuity for the purpose of conveying gas to said city and its inhabitants coupled with the duty to render public service under reasonable regulations."

W. C. Lambert, assistant city attorney, who has been handling the dollar gas case, believes the franchise question may not be settled by the disposal of the dollar gas suit, but he is of the opinion that the time will come when there must be a reckoning.

But the city attorney points out that in this supplemental petition of the gas company there is a statement not consistent with the company's former attitude. It is asserted that no amortization fund has been made and the company pleads for permission to set aside a certain sum annually for five years for this purpose.

When the case comes to trial again the city attorney will have to meet a whole new set of arguments and there may be skirmishing over the franchise perpetuity claim.

Maloney Declares War on Attorneys of Police Court

A certain lawyer, evidently receiving tips from police officers as to the city prisoners who bid fair to be paying clients, is apt to find himself and informant in considerable difficulty if this practice continues.

"This is not the first time this has happened and I intend to put a stop to the practice immediately. The prisoner whom the lawyer wished to see had some money and did not need the services of an attorney to relieve him of it. It was my intention to release the man as soon as his pictures and measurements could be obtained, as he is not wanted for any crime and is merely known as a one-time confidence man."

Rev. C. W. Savidge Needs Assistance in Helping Miss Leibke

Rev. Charles W. Savidge will in all probability take charge of Bertha Leibke, alias Paintner Bertha, and endeavor to place her in some institution or home where he can look out for her welfare.

Mr. Savidge is open to suggestions from persons that may be in a position to help him secure a home for the woman. The authorities of Iowa, her native state, refuse to care for her, and the Nebraska insane asylum authorities are said to be protesting her commitment to that institution because several of the attendants have announced they would resign if "Paintner Bertha" came back there.

AUTO DEALERS TO LAUNCH CAMPAIGN FOR NEXT SHOW

A meeting of the Omaha Automobile Show association is scheduled for this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Commercial club, when the campaign for boosting the show next spring will be launched.

At this meeting a board of directors will be elected and plans for the exhibitions of new cars will be discussed. Charles G. Powell was elected manager of the show at the close of the last one and he is at present bending his efforts to get all local dealers to join in making the event surpass the success of the last one.

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Tablet for Noted Warrior is to Be Placed in Hotel

The Major Isaac Sadler Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will place a tablet in the rotunda of the new Fontaine hotel in honor of the noted warrior for whom the hotel is named. This was decided at the meeting of the chapter at the home of Mrs. R. E. McKelvey Tuesday afternoon.

Nurses Sister Back to Health, Then Dies of the Same Disease

Miss Alma Odeman, a trained nurse living at 239 Webster street, died at 2 o'clock yesterday from an attack of typhoid fever. Miss Odeman had just successfully nursed her sister, Elsie, through a critical attack of the same disease at Denver, and it is thought that she contracted her illness while so doing.

She is survived by a brother, E. A. Odeman, and a sister, Elsie Odeman, both of whom live in Omaha. The funeral will be held at Red Oak, Ia., Saturday afternoon.

MAN THOUGHT TO BE A BURGLAR WAS A MILKMAN

Mrs. A. Barnett, 321 South Twenty-ninth street, called the police station Tuesday night and asserted that a burglar was in her house. Officer Joe Hill and several aides mounted the police emergency and rushed to the residence, where Lyman W. Schumback of Missouri City, Mo., was found sleeping peacefully with heavily laden breath, in the coal bin of the basement.

Lyman, who is employed by the Wood dairy of West Leavenworth street, had grown tired of close associations with milk, and had taken companionship with a liquid of greater strength. He was released by Judge Foster.

SHARY RUNS SPECIAL TRAIN OF LANDSEKERS

John H. Shary, president of the International Land and Investment company, left Tuesday night over the Missouri Pacific with an excursion party consisting of two carloads of people to the opening of Mr. Shary's new \$4,000,000 tract of land in the Lower Rio Grande valley of Texas.

JUDGE BRITT ORDERS THE RETURN OF BRANDED BOTTLES

Judge Britt rendered the first decision in Omaha concerning the new state law which provides that anybody holding branded property without a bill of sale from the owner whose name is branded on the property shall be liable to fine for misdemeanor and the property restored. Sam Ricketts, a junk dealer at Nineteenth and Nicholas streets, was accused of having in his possession bottles with the name of a local dairy inscribed on them. The bottles were ordered restored to the dairy.

Quit Meat When Kidneys Bother

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder troubles you.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver troubles, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

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COUNTY FAIR GETS MONEY

E. A. Smith Meets His First Reverse in These Cases.

JUDGE LESLIE MAKES RULING

Says that the Omission in the Law is Not Vital and that the Agricultural Society Will Get the Funds.

E. A. Smith, the attorney who has been bringing successful anti-junket suits against city officials, met his first reverse when he appeared from a decision of the Board of County Commissioners allowing the Douglas County Agricultural society \$7,000 under a new law passed by the legislature.

The judge ruled that because a clause restricting the amount to be allowed a fair society to the total premiums paid was omitted from the law as finally passed, but was left in the title, the act was not invalidated, as alleged by Mr. Smith. Other minor issues were decided in favor of the county.

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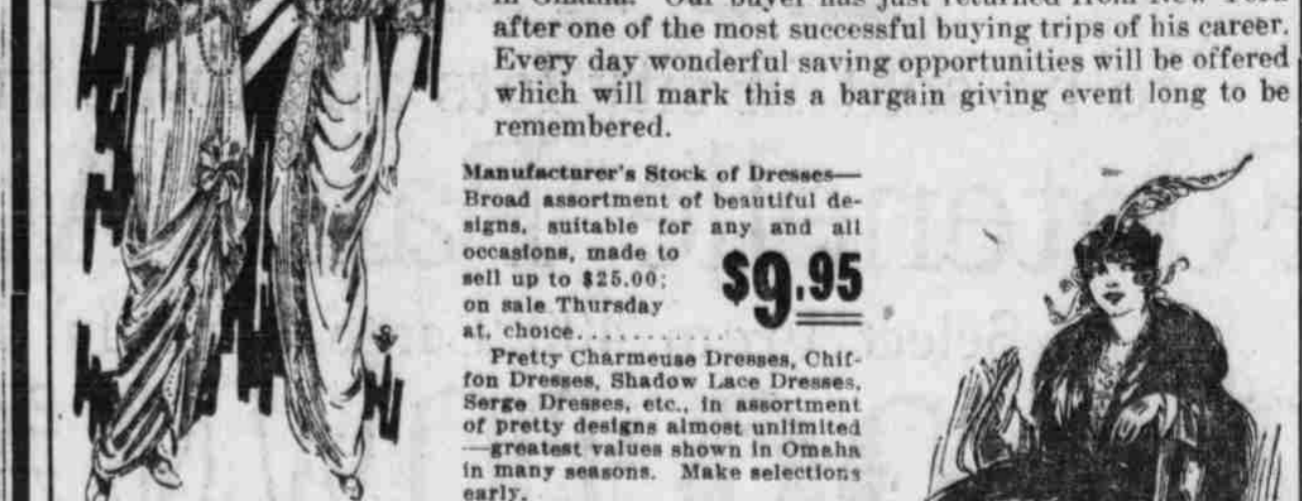
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