

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Wright Believed to Have Won Battle for Paving.

BRICK BLOCKS WILL BE LAID

Gambling and Bootlegging Joints Ordered to Cease Operating, but Slot Machines Have Not Yet Been Disturbed.

A. A. Wright, who brought an injunction suit a year ago to restrain the city council from carrying out a contract for paving M street from Third to Twenty-fourth by the National Construction company, wins his fight. M street will be paved as soon as the city council can pass the required ordinance. It is more than probable that the paving material will not be scarce. Wright it is understood has been given an understanding that he may have whatever material he selects on M street. His choice and the choice of the majority residing on M street was said to have been Buffalo brick block.

It is certain that the contractors and the Hootor administration will be glad enough to pave M street in accord with the wishes of the people living thereon. If Wright and those who have been opposing the Sarcro product will lay down their arms, it may be certain that things will go right on M street paving," said Wright, "before I lay down." "It has cost me \$1,000 to get this far in the fight but if they are willing to stay I will spend more to see that M street is paved in accordance with the wishes of the residents on that street.

As a matter of fact, a resolution calling for bids for the paving of M street was prepared Monday night and handed to one of the councilmen to introduce. The councilman in question stuffed it in his pocket with the remark that it was going to stay there until he knew more about the matter. He said he was tired getting resolutions like it placed in his hands five minutes before the meeting began. The resolution will probably be introduced next Monday night and it is said that the National Construction company will handle it a bidder.

To Close Joints. Orders have been given by the Fire and Police Board for the closing of bootlegging joints and gambling houses. While the orders have been carried out by Chief Briggs as far as is possible there is still considerable traffic in liquor on Sundays and after hours, it is said. The slot machines are doing regular business, however, and no attempt is made to stop them. In some saloons as high as three slot machines are doing business. The gum machines in many cases are altogether dispensed with and the regular gambling devices are in operation.

It is understood that County Attorney George Magney has refused to lend himself to any of the old ways of giving protection to the faithful. It is said that the closing of the gambling houses followed an intimation from Magney that he would enforce the law. The slot machines, however, are still running and there is no order issued against them nor any attempt made to stop them, although they are gambling devices pure and simple and the state law on the matter is said to be plain. It is said that when arrests are made care is taken to capture a dangerous looking gun machine so that the moot question of what constitutes a gambling machine may be raised. But there are saloons in South Omaha where not only one but three regular gambling machines have been doing business for months.

Pepper Fined. Paul Secort qualified as a "peeping Tom" in the police court yesterday and was given sixty days in the county jail for peeping into the room of Miss Ethel Barker, daughter of Ray Barker, Thirty-second and U streets, Monday night.

Alumni Dance. On Friday evening, June 20, the Alumni association of the South Omaha High school will give a dance and reception at the Ancient Order of United Workmen temple in honor of the class of 1913 of the high school. All alumni of the high school are invited, whether they are members of the association or not. Invitations and tickets may be secured at Bowen's pharmacy, Twenty-fourth and J streets.

Major Morgan Heady is contemplating a fishing trip to Courtland Beach. Drs. Crothers & Walzen, dentists, Tel. No. 24. Miss Gladys Wells is entertaining her cousin, Miss Mabel McFarland, of Council Grove, Kan.

Office space for rent in Bee office, 2313 N. St. Terms reasonable. Well known location. A. Berglund, Tel. 21.

L. N. Levy of the Levy Furniture and Carpet company left Tuesday for a trip of several months through Europe. For an case of Jetter's Old Age or Gold Top beer call No. 388. Prompt delivery to all parts of the city. Wm. Jetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Breyer, 234 Cassell street, report the birth of a son. The birth occurred at the South Omaha hospital.

Miss Maude Thielke has returned from Illinois and will spend the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thielke.

The Willing Workers of the First Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Wilson, Twenty-eighth and D streets, this afternoon.

Frenchy homestead No. 140, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, will hold a very important meeting Sunday evening, June 23, at the Ancient Order of United Workmen hall. All members are urged to be present.

Interest is Refused Loan Men by Judge

Loan firms who had claims against the estate of James F. Jackson, a negro, who died several weeks ago, were sent away from county court yesterday by Judge Crawford without a penny of interest on the money they loaned Jackson because they had planned to extort usurious pay for its use. L. M. Clark, George F. Abbott and Charles I. Rowe were the men on whose claims Judge Crawford took this action.

One of the notes on which a claim of \$84 was filed for principal and interest was for \$8. Jackson received \$40 when he signed it. He had paid \$21.20. The judge allowed the difference between the latter sum and \$40, and sent the loan man on his way. He took similar action on the other two notes.

NEBRASKA GIRLS GRADUATE FROM ABBOTT ACADEMY

ANDOVER, Mass., June 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Among the girls who graduated with honors today from Abbott academy, one of the famous girls' educational institutions of the east, were the following from Nebraska: Academic Class—Miss Cornelia W. Crittenden of Lincoln. College Preparatory Class—Miss Louise Coe of Nebraska City.

Big Commencement Crowd Sees Yale Shut Out Harvard

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 18.—Yale shut out Harvard today, 3 to 0, in the first game of the series between the rival universities before a commencement crowd of 30,000 persons. In the ninth inning Middlebrook, Yale's center fielder, made a sensational catch of Captain Winstate's hard drive and threw to second, catching Hitchcock on a double play. That played the game and the Yale reunion classes and undergraduates rushed on the field, carrying off the Yale players on their backs.

Preceding the game the reunion classes, headed by bands, had their annual march around the field. Former President Taft headed the class of '78 and was greeted with cheers as he passed the standard. Yale's first game as a result of opportunity hitting. In the fourth Reilly singled into right field, sending Riddell home with a run. In the fifth Pitcher Gile cracked out a long hit to left that sent Cornish in from second with the second run.

Both teams left for Cambridge tonight, where the second game will be played tomorrow. Score: R.H.E. Yale..... 3 0 0 Harvard..... 0 0 0 Batteries: Yale, Gile and Burdette; Harvard, Frye and Hitchcock and Young; Umpire: Adams and Kelly.

Mathews Means Slap at Bryan

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, June 18.—A faintly perceptible rumbling can be heard around the state house over the appointment of Leo Mathews to be secretary of the Board of Control. Of course Leo's friends are not doing any of the growling, but there is just enough of comment by others to indicate that the appointment has not met the approval of the Bryan contingent in the democratic party.

C. S. Clayton, who was supposed to have things cinched for the secretary's job, was in town today, and came up to the state house to see how things were coming on. When he heard that Mathews had beat him to it, he looked as if he would like to say a few things, but contented himself by walking by the door of the office of the board and looking sideways. It is understood that Clayton had been told that he would be the selection, and he does not deny this, though he does not want to talk for publication. The defeat of Clayton is looked upon as a direct slap at the Bryan wing of democracy in Nebraska as Mathews was a well known anti-Bryanist, and had a faculty of letting his feelings be known during the campaign.

Other appointments are George Wiedenthal of Omaha for bookkeeper and Joseph L. Riley of Lincoln as stenographer. There seems to be no kick on the two latter.

Assessment Left On Water Mains

Assessments of personal and real property of the Omaha Water board including mains, in South Omaha, Dundee, Florence, East Omaha and Benson, were left unchanged from last year by the county board equalization yesterday. Representatives of these suburban municipalities being successful in their plea that the assessments be left on the books although a suit was started by the city last year in an attempt to have the courts decide that the county could not tax the Water board's property.

The board's decision involves county taxes on the Water board's property outside Omaha. Men who appeared in behalf of the suburban towns argued that since the Water board charged them a high rate for water they in turn should derive some revenue from taxes on the Water board's property. Attorneys Learned and Olmstead appeared before the board on behalf of Florence; Harry Reed spoke for Dundee and Gus Sessman for East Omaha.

The city's contention is that because the property is owned by a branch of the city government the county should not be allowed to tax it.

BARTON'S EFFORT FOILED BY NEW YORK MEMBER

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, June 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Believing that the government ought to manufacture its own armor plate, Representative Barton today tried to have the house pass under unanimous consent a resolution calling upon the Navy department to furnish the total amount paid out for armor plate, and how much of that sum was paid to various steel corporations, including the Carnegie and others. The resolutions also asked the cost of powder.

An objection was promptly offered by Representative Fitzgerald. The information as to powder, he said, had already been furnished to the appropriations committee, and he said he thought that the committee on naval affairs ought to consider such a resolution before the house passed it.

"Since the democratic secretary of the navy favors government manufacture of armor plate and powder," said Mr. Barton, "it seems to me there should be no objection to having these figures furnished."

YOUNG WOMAN SUCUMB TO HEART DISEASE ATTACK

Following an attack of heart disease a week ago, death came to Miss Minnie Seymour, 124 Wild avenue, niece of Police Sergeant A. T. Sigwart. For the last week she has been at the Wise Memorial hospital. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Miss Seymour was 21 year old and was a graduate of the Omaha High school. With Mrs. Sigwart, she was planning a vacation trip to Texas when the attack of heart disease overtook her.

HOPE TO USE NEW LINE BY FOURTH OF JULY

GIBON, Neb., June 18.—(Special.)—Gibson will celebrate the Fourth in the old-fashioned way. The city has invited Hastings to celebrate the day here and an effort will be made to get a special train over the new road. Arrangements are being made for a special train, Gibbon to Hastings, where the ballasting is finished.

NO MORE SIGNS ON BRIDGES State Highway Commission Makes Rules of the Road.

PERMANENT STRUCTURES ONLY

Nineteen-Year-Old Gtr. at Des Moines Admits Forging Names of Merchants to Twenty-Two Checks.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., June 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The State Highway commission has decided upon certain rules that painted and posted signs shall be barred from the bridges on the county highways of the state.

The commission will prosecute for defacing public property, those who paint signs on the concrete bridges.

The commission has also decided upon compelling counties to put in only permanent structures on the county highways.

Woman Admits Forgeries. Eva Stream, aged 19 years, today confessed to detectives that she had forged twenty-two checks and passed them on Des Moines merchants.

The police have been trying to catch her for several months. The names of doctors were forged to the checks.

Foresters Elect Officers. At the triennial meeting of the high court of Foresters for Iowa, held here today with sixty delegates present, J. W. Kinsinger of Dubuque was elected chief manager and Peter B. Hoffman, Dubuque, secretary.

Next session will be held in Dubuque. Success on State Game Farm. The state game department is making a decided success in the matter of the raising of English pheasants with which to stock certain game preserves in the state and for general distribution. A part of the state property user for the state park was taken over and about five acres fenced off for this purpose. Over 400 young pheasants are now growing and three or four times as many will be grown during the summer. As soon as they are large enough they will be captured and be subject to distribution in the state.

Death of Senate Secretary. Joseph J. Hayden of Adair county, who was reading secretary of the senate at the last election, died here, where he was living with his mother and sister. He had been a cripple and in ill health and near the close of the session he nearly broke down entirely, later taking ill while on a visit to Chicago. He had been a resident of Adair county.

Ready for Officers' School. About 300 Iowa national guard officers arrived in the city this evening to attend the school of instruction, which commences tomorrow at Camp Dodge, the state rifle range north of Des Moines. There are also arrived here from Fort Leavenworth nine army instructors from the school there, who will give instruction to the Iowa guardsmen in the science of military tactics. An examination of guardsmen for commission will also be held at the same time.

For Reduction of Assessments. Des Moines real estate owners will have the Commercial real estate suit to the state assessment or taxation commission for a reduction in the assessments on property in Des Moines, on the claim that the assessment as made was too high as compared with the property in other cities of the state. It is declared that Des Moines property is assessed at about 85 per cent of its actual value. The state law requires assessment at full value, but as there is no such assessment anywhere in the state, it is declared that Des Moines business interests will ask for a reduction here to correspond to that which it is said exists elsewhere in the state.

Guy Baker Will Seek Release. On the ground that his health has already been impaired, it is understood that Guy Baker of Lone Tree, Johnson county, will seek release from a long term in prison for second degree murder. A petition for his pardon is already in circulation and it will go to the parole board soon. Baker was convicted of the murder of Oliver Driver and given a twenty-year sentence, which the supreme court reduced. A desperate effort was made to secure release before he was finally sent to prison, but the governor refused.

Rock Island Suit in Fall. The suit brought by Kietle & Wright, Council Bluffs attorneys, to collect more than \$2,000,000 from the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad company will not be heard before the September term of court, according to Judge Lawrence De Graff, in charge of the assignments.

The supervisors Kietle & Wright, the Greater Des Moines committee and the Rock Island will have plenty of time to settle their dispute as to whether the contract under which the action was brought is legal," said Judge De Graff.

F. W. Sargeant, counsel for the Rock Island in Iowa, said yesterday that in view of the fact that the case will not be tried until the September term of court, no answer will be filed until that time.

Governor Will Go to Keosauqua. Governor George W. Clark said at least a part of his military staff will go to Gettysburg to attend the soldiers' reunion. General Logan, adjutant general, will be at the head of the party but it is not fully decided who will accompany them.

About 500 Iowa soldiers will go to the reunion and very many of them will make the start from here and secure special train accommodations. The appropriation of the state of \$10,000 for paying expenses of the Gettysburg veterans has been supplemented by private subscription so that all survivors of the battle can go from Iowa.

Many Auto Accidents. The last week has been prolific in automobile accidents here and elsewhere in the state. Last night an auto cycle with two persons collided with an auto-truck with disastrous results. Clarence Myers and Genevieve Wright, who were riding the cycle, were dangerously injured. The truck was declared to have been running at a high rate of speed. James Hueston of Fort Dodge was injured and is at a hospital today because of being struck while riding in a wagon by a fast moving automobile.

Contest of Soap Man's Will. Contest of the will of the late T. W. Henry was commenced in court today by his two children by a first wife. He had left the property valued at \$60,000 to his second wife, the two children claim his second wife had died that if made by Henry he was not of sound mind at the time. Henry came to Des Moines a number of years ago and became manager and then owner of a factory to make "H. & H." soap and became wealthy at the same time.

A tablet to the memory of some of the

MARTINE AND MORTON CLASH

Mine Operator's Offer to Buy Drinks Starts Row.

SENATOR IS VERY MUCH PEEVED

First Fight in West Virginia Inquiry is Averted by Interference of the Other Senators and Attorneys.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 18.—At a stormy session of the senate mine strike committee at which a near fist fight between Senator Martine of New Jersey and Quinn Morton, manager of the Paint Creek Operators' association, was narrowly averted, the coal operators of Paint and Cabin creeks presented today their side of the controversy. Mr. Morton, as the principal witness for the operators presented their account of the negotiations which preceded the strike and detailed his activities during the trouble. His discussion of his participation in the attack on the strikers' camp at Holly Grove from an armored train precipitated the clash with Senator Martine.

Mr. Morton had denounced the attitude of Senator Martine in questioning him, as "outrageous," and the trouble broke out again when the senator wanted to know whether Mr. Morton had expressed satisfaction at the effect of the firing on Holly Grove, but before he had developed his line of questioning, Senator Swanson, sensing trouble, adjourned the committee. Mr. Morton leaned back in the witness seat as Senator Martine, his hat and heavy walking stick in his hand, stood behind the press table still asking questions.

Drinks Suggested. "Well," remarked Mr. Morton, "we'll all go down and take a few drinks and then we'll feel better." The crowd had already begun to crowd toward the door of the room when it was arrested by a shout of Senator Martine.

"What was that you said, sir?" he demanded, leaning toward Mr. Morton.

"I said we'll all go down and have a few drinks and we'll feel better," repeated the mine operator.

Fushing his way through the little throng about the stenographer's table, Senator Martine shouted:

"You are a background of the worst character to address such a remark to me."

Out of the confusion that followed came the voice of Morton.

"Did you not take three drinks with me in thirty minutes?"

With a bound, Senator Martine covered the short distance that separated the two men.

"You have forfeited all right to consideration as a decent white man," he shouted.

"You are an excited old man," interposed Attorney Vinson as both men pressed towards each other. Vinson protested against his client being insulted.

Senator Swanson hurried around the committee table and seized Senator Martine. Aided by Sergeant-at-Arms Higgins, he hurried him from the room, Mr. Morton and Mr. Vinson protesting.

MUSICAL COMEDY STOCK COMPANY AT THE BOYD

William Thiess of St. Paul, Minn., has taken a lease on the Boyd theater for an indefinite time, and will install a stock company to produce musical comedies and farces. His company is expected to reach Omaha today, and will open the season there on Sunday night in "Wine, Women and Song."

St. Louis Students Give Prize Money to Losers by Storm

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Students of the Sacred Heart college, St. Maryville, the majority of whom belong to St. Louis families, sacrificed all their prizes at the commencement exercises today and gave the money which would have been spent for rewards to the Omaha storm sufferers.

The money thus saved by the girls amounted to about \$60. As a consequence of their sacrifice only the graduating class received gold medals. The remainder received illuminated cards with the name of the prize which they would have received printed on it.

Archbishop Glennon distributed the honors and gave the diplomas.

Adderley to Speak to Manufacturers

J. C. Adderley of Chicago, secretary treasurer of the Ben Franklin Mutual Casualty company and secretary of the Millers' Mutual Casualty company, will address the Nebraska Manufacturers' association at the monthly meeting to be held Friday night at the Commercial club. There will also be a debate between the old line insurance agents and the organizers of the mutual insurance companies on state insurance under the company's liability and workmen's compensation act which becomes effective July 17.

Another speaker before the manufacturers' will be George W. Doonan, commercial agent representing the federal department of commerce. He will talk on "Developing Foreign Markets for American Manufacturers."

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