

FELT PAIN, AS SHE IS STILL HUMAN

Christian Science Practitioner So Testifies in Suit Against the Street Car Company.

SAYS SHE CONSULTED DOCTOR

Mrs. Lenna P. Ellsworth, Christian Science practitioner, who sued the street railway company for \$10,000 damages for alleged personal injuries, testified in District Judge English's court that she felt pain when injured because she is "still human" and has not yet reached such an advanced state as to be exempt from suffering.

W. J. Connell, attorney for the street railway company, endeavored to induce Mrs. Ellsworth to say that she had no pain, because suffering may be an element of damage if the jury holds that the street railway company was responsible for her injury.

The dialogue was as follows: "Did you have pain?" "Yes, sir."

"Well, don't your faith and belief eliminate pain as well as medical treatment?"

"No, I am still human, and I am striving to get the understanding of my God."

"I see."

"And apply that wisdom to the best of my ability, but I have not reached that state yet, where I am exempt from suffering when I am hurt."

"Did you at any time get relief from pain by reason of this treatment that was given to you by this Christian Science healer?"

"I certainly did."

Mrs. Ellsworth and Mrs. Harriet Beasle Jones, Scientist healer, who treated her after the injury, were cross-examined regarding the difference between present and absent treatments.

Mrs. Ellsworth said: "If you know anything about Christian Science, you know that our treatments are given through prayer—through our understanding of the Divine."

Consulted Physician.

Mrs. Ellsworth testified that she consulted a physician, but received no medicine and would not have taken any had he prescribed it.

Just before the afternoon session of court began attorneys for the plaintiff and the defendant company notified Judge English that the case had been settled. The suit was then dismissed. The amount of the settlement was not made public.

Whitehorn Leaves Light Company to Engage in Business

William B. Whitehorn, for fifteen years purchasing agent and assistant to the president of the Omaha Electric Light and Power company, has resigned to engage in business for himself. His resignation will become effective January 1, when he will become secretary and manager of the National Oil and Paint company, in which company he has bought an interest.

Mr. Whitehorn was born, reared and educated in Omaha. He has lived here all his life and for years after reaching manhood he was connected with the Pacific Express company. Subsequently and before going with the light company for several terms he was a member of the city council.

BELLEVEUE GIRLS ENTERTAIN WITH CHRISTMAS GIFT BOX

Miss Anne Johnston and Miss Margaret Diddock entertained at a "chamber" tea in Fontenelle hall, Bellevue college, Tuesday afternoon, from 4 to 5, as a farewell gathering before the holidays. Christmas red and green were used in the decorations. For diversion a Christmas gift box from which each guest might draw a fanciful holiday gift was suspended in the center of the room. Thirty college girls and Miss M. L. Carter, dean of women, were present.

ASK BIG APPROPRIATION FOR NEW WELFARE BOARD

The advisory committee of the Associated Charities and the newly organized Public Welfare board held a joint meeting at the Commercial club at noon. Chairman E. F. Sturgis and John Blane of the Welfare board told the charities committee of the plans and hopes of the board. Before adjourning the charities board passed a resolution suggesting that the city commissioners appropriate a fund of not less than \$20,000 yearly for the work of the new board.

SANTA CLAUS IS PINCHED FOR RUSHING THE SEASON

Santa Claus is now languishing in the city jail. A young man who gave his name as D. E. Stard, Twenty-seventh and Ames avenue, decorated in the bright raiment of the legendary saint, was eliciting Christmas funds for a local charity when Officer Mansfield happened along and decided that Santa Claus had been a bit previous in celebrating the holiday season, so he took him in charge.

SEVEN HUNDRED NEW BOOKS FOR THE LIBRARY

Seven hundred books have been ordered by the Public Library board, to arrive during this month and next. Some of the volumes will be new titles, others will replace worn-out volumes, and still others will be duplicates of books so popular that extra copies are needed. Miss Edith Tobitt, librarian, says that the new books will be distributed between the Omaha and the South Side libraries.

LEO ANGUS BOUND OVER FOR RUDMAN SHOOTING

Leo Angus, charged with the shooting of Carl A. Rudman at Thirteenth and William street, several days ago, was bound over to the district court, without bonds.

Best Treatment for Croup.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for the past five years, and for croup I have never found its equal," writes Bernard George Nelson, Mo. Before becoming acquainted with this remedy Mr. George lost a child from an attack of croup. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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Mrs. Johnson Again Heads Old People's Home Association

Mrs. Edward Johnson, one of the best known clubwomen in the city, was re-elected president of the Old People's Home Association at the annual meeting held Tuesday at Young Women's Christian association. Other officers are Mrs. E. R. Hume, vice president; Mrs. M. N. Woodward, recording secretary; Miss Carrie McConnell, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. J. K. Spalding, treasurer. Five new trustees for the three-year term were elected. They are Mesdames Johnson, Woodward, H. K. Burket, H. I. Adams and R. S. Wilcox. Mrs. Charles Tracy and Miss McConnell will fill vacancies in the two-year term.

The board of managers was chosen as follows: Chairman, Mrs. Isaac Douglas; vice chairman, Mrs. J. W. Bedford; Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Tracy and Mrs. Adams. Committees are as follows: Devotions and visiting, Mrs. R. S. Wilcox; wardrobe and hints, Mrs. Charles Sherman; outside repairs, Mrs. Frank Martin; finance, Mrs. Edward Johnson, chairman; Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Spalding and Mr. Edward Moran, Jr.; auditing, Mrs. Robert McEachron, Mrs. D. W. Merrill and Miss Alice Troxell.

Shorthill Arrives in Omaha to Prepare for Grain Meeting

J. W. Shorthill, secretary of the Nebraska Co-operative Grain and Live Stock State association, has arrived in Omaha to arrange some of the advance details before the opening of the convention of that association at the Hotel Rome this afternoon.

Tonight the delegates are to have a banquet at Hotel Rome tendered them by the Omaha Grain exchange.

The Thursday night session is to be held at the Commercial club rooms, where Prof. Hibbard of Wisconsin university is address the delegates on price fixing. This lecture of Prof. Hibbard is said to be the result of personal investigation, and observation, and he is said to have some very interesting facts at his command on this much-discussed and little-understood subject. The officers of the co-operative association are much interested in having any business men of Omaha attend this lecture also.

Dundee Lighting System Extended

The city council authorized the extension of the Dundee lighting system from the Happy Hollow boulevard to the pavilion in Elmwood park; also on Dodge street to west line of Elmwood park, and from Cuming street in a northeasterly direction to Western avenue. Stipulation in a resolution was made that the cost should not exceed \$2,000.00.

OMAHA MAN DIES AT HOME OF SISTER IN KANSAS CITY

Edward S. Stout, a resident of Omaha for the last sixteen years, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. W. Jackson, at Kansas City at the age of 48 years. He is survived by his wife and five sisters—Mrs. Lou Ingersoll and Mrs. L. W. Sherman of Waterloo, Neb.; Mrs. M. L. Mangham of Indianapolis, Mrs. Laura Davis of Chicago and Mrs. C. W. Jackson of Kansas City. Funeral services will be held from the home of Mrs. Sherman at Waterloo.

DUNDEE WARRANTS ARE CALLED IN BY THE CITY

The city department of accounts and finance has called in all outstanding registered Dundee warrants issued prior to the merger. These warrants amount to about \$19,000 and are drawing interest.

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PERMITS GRANTED TO EIGHTY-EIGHT

City Commissioners Approve That Number of Applications for Saloon Licenses.

SEVERAL HELD UP FOR TIME

Eighty-eight saloon licenses for 1916 were approved by the city commissioners in executive session and these were formally granted at a regular meeting yesterday.

The applications of the Otto Liquor company, 1123 Douglas street, and Harry Z. Rosenfield, 1024 Douglas street, were held up at the request of Commissioner Kugel, who reported that slightly more than 200 applications from these places before new licenses are granted.

The superintendent of police reported complaints against C. M. Christensen, 2231 Cuming street; Anton Powal, 201 South Ninth street; and Maurice V. Preisman and Joseph Kraus, 1130 North Sixteenth street. These applications were held for investigation.

The application of Chris Paulsen, 111 Douglas street, was taken under consideration because this is a new location. The Minneapolis Brewing company asked for a wholesale license, which was refused by the city council last year. The applicants took the case to the district court and won, but upon appeal by the city to the supreme court the city won the case.

Midway Permit Approved.

James Christopher was granted a license for 211 South Thirteenth street, formerly operated by Milder Bros. Jack Bromfield's application for the Midway was approved.

A hearing will be held on the application of Rome Miller, Sixteenth and Jackson streets, as a protest was received against granting that license.

Judge is Touched by Master's Plea; Shep's Life Spared

When a shepherd dog belonging to Gustav Berk, 2615 Dodge street, was sentenced to be shot by Judge Foster because it bit a passing gas inspector, Berk and his wife put up such a plea in its defense that Foster reconsidered the sentence and agreed to spare the animal's life if it was sent to the country. Berk agreed to this, after telling the court with tears in his eyes how the dog had saved his life. It seemed that Berk several years ago was walking one night on a poorly lighted street in Denver, when an armed holdup man stopped him. The dog seeing its master in danger seized the writ containing the weapon in its teeth and Berk was enabled to overpower the marauder. It was when this tale was finished that the judge agreed to spare the canine's life.

Father Worries and Wants to See His Son During the Yuletide

"The love of a mother passeth the understanding of man."

An elderly woman sat in a corner of the naval recruiting office in her long heavy coat and with a little shawl over her head. She was waiting for a letter written to her son, her only son, who was lost for seven years, and was finally found two years ago a sergeant in the marine corps, stationed at New York City.

The woman is Mrs. H. Kaplan, 1128 North Twentieth street.

"These gentlemen here are so good, they are better than children," she said, indicating her son's Mate Dixon, Hospital Apprentice Cook, Lieutenant Tipton and the rest. "I wrote for two years they write letters to my boy for me."

"And then the flood of love for her son poured out, how he had worked up at Hayden Brothers for \$100 a month, had suddenly disappeared, was unheard from for seven years, and then his sister had suddenly seen his face flashed on the screen of a moving picture theater in a group of United States marines. Inquiry brought information where he was and then communication with him. His name is Harry Abe Kaplan."

"For two years I come up here when I want to write to my boy and these kind gentlemen write for me," she said.

"His father is sick now. He worries so much about Abe, and I want to write and ask if he won't come home for Christmas or New Year's. Oh, if he would only come."



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That dull, dead appearance of the hair no longer troubles the woman who has adopted the silimene method of keeping her tresses in curl. The result is very different from that produced by the dry, devastating waving iron. The hair appears more naturally wavy and curly and the application is really beneficial to the life and growth of the hair. Any druggist can of course supply the liquid silimene and one need not get more than a few ounces. A small quantity should be put on before retiring, using for the purpose a clean tooth brush drawing this down the full length of the hair from root to tip. The effect upon arising is delightfully surprising and there is no discoloration, no stickiness, no greasiness, nor any other unpleasant accompaniment. The hair is quite manageable, no matter how it is done up.

Francis Joseph is Reported Paralyzed

PARIS, Dec. 14.—A report that Emperor Francis Joseph's legs were paralyzed last year and that the emperor also has lost the use of his right arm, is forwarded by the Rome correspondent of the Matin.

He says it is understood in Rome that this information was taken to the Vatican by Cardinal Von Hartmann, archbishop of Cologne, who recently went to Rome for the consistory.

According to this report the emperor is unable to sign state papers and a special stamp has been made for use in his presence by his private secretary.



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