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THOMAS RABB SHOT LAST NIGHT WHILE ON WAY DOWN TOWN; IN SERIOUS SHAPE

BULLET FIRED BY HERBERT H. COTTON ENTERS LEFT SIDE OF YOUNG MAN AND IS THOT TO HAVE PENETRATED LUNG.

The city was profoundly stirred last night at 6:30 when as the culmination of trouble engendered by the strike of the shop-crafts of the Burlington, Thomas Rabb, aged twenty-two, one of the strikers was shot and seriously, if not fatally injured by H. H. Cotton, one of the men now employed in the Burlington shops in this city.

From Thursday's Daily. The shooting occurred when Thomas Rabb and his father, Andrew Rabb, Sr., were on their way from their home in the northwestern portion of the city to the business section of the city, and met Mr. Cotton, who was on his way home from the shops, on Washington avenue near the Tenth street intersection.

The causes leading to the shooting are conflicting from the statements of the parties involved and will not be thoroughly threshed out until the preliminary hearing of the case, which has been set for 10 o'clock Wednesday, November 22nd, before Justice of the Peace William Weber. According to the story related by the two Rabb's, they were coming down to the business part of the city and noticed Cotton approaching and he had flashed his flashlight along the walk before he reached them.

Mr. Cotton did not stop at the scene of the shooting, but continued on to his home several blocks away, while the father, Andrew Rabb, assisted his son to the residence of Oscar Sandin a short distance away, where the injured young man was cared for and Dr. R. P. Westover called to dress the wound.

At today's election conscientious objectors who were excused from war service were excluded from voting, the reform act of 1918 providing for a disqualification period of five years from the termination of the war. All males of twenty-one years of age or upwards and all females of thirty and upwards who could show a six months' residential qualification were entitled to vote.

BONAR LAW SEEMS SAFE IN ELECTION

Appears Certain of Majority in the House of Commons—Conservatives' Majority Ten.

London, Nov. 15.—Bonar Law appeared certain of a majority in the house of commons at noon today, after Britain's general election had been under way for five hours in the metropolitan districts and four hours elsewhere.

Irish nationalists, 1. There were returned unopposed. Early voting today was largely done by workers and servants, the leisure classes waiting until the sun had a few hours' work on the fog.

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VISITING DAUGHTER HERE

Mrs. Fred Tuchenhausen of Glenwood, Iowa, is in the city for a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Detlef and family. The mother was called here by the fact that Mrs. Detlef has been under the weather for the past few days and has been kept confined to her home.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

From Friday's Daily. S. D. Rohyler, who was taken to the Lincoln hospital last Thursday, submitted to an operation Monday of this week and withstood the shock remarkably well for one of his age. He is an old soldier past 80 years. The affliction was bladder trouble with which he has suffered for years, and the operation was a last resort to relieve the suffering he sometimes endured.

MACABEE LADIES HOLD A MEETING

Enjoy Pleasant Time Tuesday Evening and Act as Hostesses to Cast of Recent Play.

From Thursday's Daily. The ladies of the Macabees enjoyed an unusually pleasant time Tuesday evening at their lodge rooms and which was quite well attended by the membership of the order. There were a number of candidates initiated into the order and the impressive ritualistic work of the order put on by the officers in fine shape.

To add to the delights of the occasion, Miss Freda Klingner gave a number of readings while Miss Minnie Klingner presided at the piano for a number of selections, as well as playing for the dancing party.

GAMBLE TO QUIT BANK POSITION

Former School Superintendent Here Will Devote His Time to His Private Interests.

John W. Gamble, for the past four years vice president and director of the First National bank of Omaha, announced that he will retire from active service in the bank on January 1, in order to devote his entire time to his own business interests, the rapid growth and development of which are demanding his attention.

He will continue as a member of the board of directors, but will give up the active management of the bank.

Mr. Gamble is president and treasurer of the Standard Chemical Manufacturing company; also president and treasurer of the American Machinery and Supply company, and president of the John W. Gamble company, in all of which companies he is the majority owner.

F. H. Davis, president of the bank, confirms Mr. Gamble's announcement and states that he and all the other officers and directors regret exceedingly Mr. Gamble's decision to retire from active service in the bank, which have been particularly valuable to the institution during the past four years, which have been unusually strenuous ones not only in financial but in all business institutions.—Omaha Bee.

WEeping WATER MAN HELD UP IN CHICAGO

As Mr. T. F. Askew was returning from Astabula Harbor, Ohio, where he went with his father, Mr. George Askew, to visit his son, C. W. Askew, he thought it a good time to stop over and see the city of Chicago. While walking about looking at the big new theatre building, he was joined by a well dressed stranger.

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GRANTED A DIVORCE

From Saturday's Daily. This morning in the district court Mrs. Katherine Tams was granted a decree of divorce from William Tams. The defendant was not present to contest the case and the testimony of the plaintiff was presented to the court and after hearing the evidence Judge Begley granted the prayer of the plaintiff for an absolute divorce.

DEATH OF JAMES R. HUNTER OCCURS THIS MORNING

Old and Highly Esteemed Resident of this City Passed Away this Morning at 11 O'Clock.

From Thursday's Daily. At his home in the south portion of the city, James R. Hunter, a resident of this community since 1877, passed to his final reward following an illness of some duration from heart trouble. The death came as a great shock to the community, which he had been known to for many years and as a severe blow to the wife and children.

James Ramsey Hunter was born January 21, 1832, at Borrowstounness, Linlithgowshire, Scotland, and was at the time of his death, aged seventy years and eleven months. He came to America in June, 1859, landing at Castle Garden, New York, and for a time after his arrival was employed as bookkeeper for a wholesale house at Hartford, Conn., continuing there for about six months. The same year he left for San Francisco, crossing the isthmus of Panama on the four-days westward, and was employed in the California city for a number of years by the Spruce Valley Water-works of that city.

He was married at Plattsmouth on January 21, 1880, to Miss Harriett L. Billings and to this union there were eight children born, namely: Robert Spencer, Ella Annas, James Ramsey, Robert Ramsey, Joseph, Janet, Grace and Paul, one child, Robert Spencer, died when an infant. Mr. Hunter, in addition to the immediate family in this city, leaves two sisters, Mrs. Agnes Kent of Providence, Rhode Island, and Mrs. Kate Watson of Aber, Scotland.

CHIEF OF POLICE WILL ENJOY REST FROM HIS DUTIES

While Undergoing Treatment William Barclay Will Lay Aside Duties of Police Chief.

From Friday's Daily. For some time past Chief of Police William Barclay has been suffering from an attack of his old ailment, gall stones, and for several days in serious shape, and on Monday attempted to resume his duties but found the strenuous condition of his physical condition and therefore yesterday he was relieved for the present of his duties.

Mayor C. A. Johnson has designated Alvin Jones, who has been on the night force, to take over the work of the chief for the present and thus giving the chief an opportunity to more fully recuperate from his sickness.

The many friends of the genial chief are hopeful that he may find in the relief from the many activities that the last few months have brought to his office, the desired rest necessary to regain his health.

Mr. Jones, who has had previous experience in the office of chief, will be able to continue the work in a most satisfactory manner and without the difficulties that might beset an inexperienced man in the office.

HAS A REAL SIGN

The business section of the city is being noted for its handsome and attractive electric signs and the latest of these to be installed is that of Weyrich & Hadraba, the druggists, which was placed in position last night for service as soon as the wiring is completed. The new sign is one of the latest type and will add materially to the appearance of that portion of the city in the evening and be a great addition to Plattsmouth's great white way.

The matter of the electric signs the north side of Main street has the edge on the southsiders as Wescott and Weyrich & Hadraba are the only ones to have these signs on the south side while the Farmers' State bank, Morgan's Sweet Shop, the Popular Variety store, the Merry Drug Co. and Graham's Cafe already have signs placed and a number of others are planned.

ENTERTAINS FOR FRIENDS

From Friday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Frank H. Dunbar was hostess to a number of friends in honor of Mrs. Letitia E. Burton of Los Angeles, Cal., who is here visiting at the old home, and at this gathering a number of the former close friends of Mrs. Burton were present, including Mrs. E. E. Hilton of Canada who is also visiting with friends in this city. The afternoon was spent in social conversation and visiting and also in singing the old songs that proved very delightful to the ladies. At a suitable hour the hostess assisted by her daughter, Jane, served a very delicious luncheon, the decorations of the table and rooms being in beautiful flowers.

FORMER GASS COUNTY GIRL MARRIED IN OMAHA

Miss Agnes Evelyn Tighe United in Marriage to Mr. J. A. Hughes at St. Cecilia Cathedral.

From Friday's Daily. One of the most charming weddings of the fall season occurred yesterday morning at Omaha when Miss Agnes Evelyn Tighe was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph A. Hughes of that city. The ceremony occurred at 9 o'clock at the St. Cecilia cathedral, Father W. L. D. Higgins of the St. Patrick's church of Manley, and an old friend of the family of the bride, officiated at the nuptial mass.

The bride wore an unusually beautiful gown of brown velvet trimmed with white satin. The bride carried a shower of the bride roses and wore the gift of her parents, a beautiful platinum cross set with diamonds. The bridal party was attended by Miss Lily C. Tighe, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid and Mr. Bernard Hughes, brother of the groom, as best man. Miss Lily Tighe wore a gown of golden brown crepe trimmed with French flowers and monkey fur and carried an arm bouquet of pink roses.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Tighe, old residents of Cass county for many years, residing at Manley where the bride spent her childhood days and where her friends are legion. She is a graduate of the St. Clare college, St. Sinsinawa Mounds, Wisconsin, and is a lady of charm and talent.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes departed at 4:30 for St. Louis and other southern cities where they will enjoy a honeymoon of some two weeks before returning to Omaha.

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LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

From Friday's Daily. The American Legion Auxiliary held their regular meeting for the month of November last evening and were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Webb on Pearl street. A very interesting business session was held, at which time various matters of importance were taken care of and one of the pleasing features of this session was the fact that the ladies realized a neat sum from the chicken pie supper held November 11th.

After the business session the ladies devoted an hour or so to a delightful social time and partook of a dainty and tempting luncheon, provided by the hostesses, Madamames Thomas Walling, Sr., Emil Hill and Elmer Webb, and on their departure for their homes, the ladies expressed to them their appreciation of the delightful evening afforded and to Mrs. Webb for her kind hospitality and use of her home.

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MRS. ELIZABETH BEVERAGE CALLED BY DEATH ANGEL

After Illness Covering Period of Several Months Aged Lady Passed Away Yesterday.

From Friday's Daily. Yesterday at her home in this city, Mrs. Elizabeth Beverage was called to her final rest, death coming to her 82nd after an illness dating back to last June and during the greater part of this time the aged lady had been confined to her bed and from the outset of her sickness but little hopes were entertained for her recovery.

The deceased lady was a native of Virginia, her birthplace being Crabtown, Highland county, where she saw the light of day January 19, 1840, and amid the hills of the Blue Ridge she grew to womanhood. On May 24th, 1866, she was united in marriage to Washington Beverage. To this union there were born six children, three of whom have preceded the mother in death, namely, Roberta, Robert Brown and James Thomas. The children living are Mrs. Amy Hawksworth of Omaha, Samuel Guy and Ethel Jane of this city.

The family came to Plattsmouth in 1873 and have lived in this community for all of these years, for a time being located in the vicinity of Plattsmouth on a farm where Mrs. Beverage was united with the Methodist church in which she continued a devout member until death came to her.

There also survive three sisters and one brother, Mrs. Morgan Waybright and Mrs. C. D. Brown of Los Angeles, Mrs. Joseph Jeffers of Olympia, Washington, and Mrs. Caroline Snyder of Highland county, Virginia. The life of Mrs. Beverage, now closed by the angel of death, has been one of loving devotion to her family and to the circle of her loved ones, death and its separation comes hard indeed. There was no task too great, no hour in the day or day in the year that did not find this splendid Christian woman ready to do her utmost for her loved ones and in this her life stands out from the drab and darkness of daily life as a monument of the unyielding love of motherhood. As she drew near the valley of the shadow before crossing the river of life to her greater life in the great beyond her thoughts were of those she had loved and for whom she had made every sacrifice even unto giving up her life.

The funeral services were held this afternoon at the late home conducted by Rev. E. E. Pfoutz, pastor of the First Methodist church. During the service Mrs. E. H. Westcott sang a number of the hymns that had been so well loved by the deceased lady in her lifetime and at the close of the service the body was borne to Oak Hill cemetery where it was laid to rest.

SECOND TEAM WINS

From Friday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon the second team of the Plattsmouth high school and the Weeping Water high school reserves clashed on the local gridiron and with the result that the visitors lost the game by the score of 6 to 0. The Weeping Water team had a number of fumbles and one of these proved costly as Damian Flynn, captain and quarterback of the locals, secured the ball and carried it over for a touchdown.

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