

Sale of Holdrege Bank Collateral Halted by Court

Injunction Stops Sale of Securities, Held by Omaha Bank, Set for Tuesday.

Less than 10 minutes before the sale scheduled for 10 yesterday morning of \$164,000 in collateral held by the State bank of Omaha to secure loans of \$85,000 made to the defunct Citizens' State bank of Holdrege, officers of the Omaha bank were notified of an injunction issued by the state supreme court to stop the sale.

President Schantz declared there were several out-of-town bankers waiting to bid for the collateral. The injunction was applied for by the state, according to President Schantz, who received the "phone message from Lincoln telling of the injunction.

Bankers Behind More, Belief.

The injunction is believed to be the outcome of a secret meeting held by a group of 15 state bankers here Sunday. These bankers protested the sale of the collateral of the Holdrege bank, claiming that the price would be lower than if the various items were offered separately, hence resulting in a loss to the state guaranty fund.

A group of bankers endeavored to get an injunction Monday afternoon in district court, to prevent the sale, but were refused by Judge Fitzgerald, according to President Schantz.

Says Order Unnecessary.

Commenting on the proposed sale, F. H. Gains, a director in the Omaha bank and attorney for it, said: "This is the usual method of realizing on collateral and the State bank of Omaha gave an unusual time in order that there should be plenty of opportunity for various bankers in the state to attend the sale and purchase the notes offered."

Institute Backs Capitol Architect in Controversy

The Nebraska chapter of the American Institute of Architects, at its meeting here last week, got behind Bertram G. Goodhue, capitol architect, in his controversy with the capitol commission over choice of building stone and other materials.

They passed a resolution, pledging to Mr. Goodhue the moral support of the architects of the state. The resolution follows: "Whereas, a member of the New York chapter of the American Institute of Architects, Bertram G. Goodhue, fellow and rendering a distinguished service to architecture and to this commonwealth as architect of the new capitol of Nebraska, has been attacked through the public press in a manner which outrages every idea of justice and challenges our every sense of sportsmanship.

Victim Fails to Identify Suspect in \$5,000 Holdup

Harry Kane, 22, 1449 South Nineteenth street, was taken to the city jail Monday morning, charged and held all by Detective Harry Buford, for investigation in connection with the holdup of Michael Kulakofsky, proprietor of the Central Market, Sunday morning. Kulakofsky failed to identify him as one of the men who entered his store and robbed him of \$5,000 in cash.

Two Omaha Girls to Get Wellesley College Awards

Wellesley, Mass., March 6.—(Special.)—President Ellen F. Pendleton of Wellesley college announced tonight that Misses Virginia Leuser and Josephine Platner, both of Omaha, led the list of Wellesley and Durant scholars. President Pendleton announces the Wellesley scholars in order of their standings.

Winfield Mayne, Pioneer Bluffs Attorney, Dies

Winfield S. Mayne, 99, Council Bluffs lawyer and farmer, died yesterday morning at his home at 223 Park avenue. Until a few weeks ago he was active in caring for his business and farms.

Road Conditions

(Published by the Omaha Auto Club.) All roads within a radius of 150 miles are still in very bad condition. Roads are frozen this morning and are rough and rocky. As soon as it begins to thaw roads will become very muddy and slippery, and we would advise tourists not to attempt to travel for another day or two.

National Officer of Camp Fire in Omaha



"It is not that moral laxness is increasing," says Lester F. Scott, national executive secretary of the Camp Fire girls who is holding a two day conference in Omaha, "but as you increase the speed of transportation so the physical motion is also increased."

"Where is the man who is satisfied with the speed of a horse and buggy these days? There is no change in the race, but there is question of nervous energy and restlessness. There is no girl problem, or boy problem, any different today than in other days."

The Camp Fire girls are now in 17 countries. They have a membership of 170,000, and 700,000 Camp Fire girls have gone through the camp fire program since its inception 12 years ago. The Camp Fire girls will celebrate their 12th birthday on St. Patrick's day.

Mr. Scott spoke before the Lions club at Hotel Fontenelle yesterday noon, and talked on "Growth of Camp Fire, especially during the past five years, and what it means to girls of America and other countries," at the First Central Congregational church last night to the Camp Fire girls and their parents.

Omaha Firemen Get \$1,000 Check from Armour & Co.

Fire Chief Salter yesterday received a check for \$1,000 from Armour & Co. in appreciation of the department's heroic efforts in battling the blaze which destroyed the company's hog plant.

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Smith Funeral to Be Held Today

M. E. Smith & Co. and Burgess-Nash Store to Close All Day.

Funeral services for the late Arthur Crittenden Smith will be held at All Saints church this afternoon at 2. Active pallbearers will be: Lewis A. Burgess, Paul C. Gallagher, Charles W. Hamilton, Jr., Willard D. Hordford, Burton Millard, Casper Yost Offutt, Morse Palmer, Henry W. Yates.

Demos Win Muscatine.

Muscatine, Ia., March 6.—(Special.) marked the city election here yesterday in a political scramble with many surprises. As a result, the democrats today control the city council, smashing a precedent of 13 consecutive years. The entire complexion of the council was changed, the democrats now holding five seats. One republican, a socialist and an independent constitute the remainder of the council.

Market Week Gains Hadway

More Than 500 Out-of-Town Merchants in Omaha on Second Day.

Visiting merchants, more than 500 strong, were entertained in Omaha today, the second day of the spring Merchants' Market week. More are arriving hourly.

L. B. Clough, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the week, is enthusiastic over its success thus far, declaring that despite the storm, which, it was feared, would prevent many merchants of nearby towns from driving in, the attendance up to date is as big as last year.

Howell and McLaughlin Off for Panama to Watch Joint Fleet Maneuvers

Washington, March 6.—Secretary of the Navy, Admiral Clegg, chief of naval operations, and a party of senators and representatives sailed from Washington last night for Panama Bay, where they are to witness joint maneuvers of the Atlantic and Pacific fleets and battle practice with the radio-controlled battleship Iowa as the objective.

The party is making the voyage on the naval transport Henderson, which, on the way to Colon which will be reached March 13, will make a brief stop at Port au Prince, Haiti. The transport is due back in Washington April 14.

Those who had made arrangements to make the trip included Senators Kendrick, Wyoming; Philips, Colorado; King, Utah; Oddie, Nevada; Senator-Elect Howell, Nebraska, and the following members of the house during the last congress: French, Idaho; McLaughlin, Nebraska; Buchanan and Garrett, Texas; Johnson, Wash-

Housekeeper Exonerated in Death of Her Employer

Vivian Cunningham, 24, 1711 North Twenty-fourth street, was exonerated by a coroner's jury yesterday of the death of John Anderson, 1713 North Twenty-fourth street, who was stabbed in the abdomen Saturday night.

The jury decided Anderson came to his death by a self-inflicted wound and recommended that the woman, his housekeeper, who was being held, be discharged.

Cosgrave Flays Free State Foes

Dublin, March 6.—(AP)—President Cosgrave of the free state cabinet has replied to a message from John F. Finerty, head of the American Association for Recognition of the Irish Republic, protesting against the government's action in suppressing the irregulars.

Newer Form of Iron Helps Give Renewed Vim and Energy

Actual blood tests show that a tremendous number of people lack iron in their blood and that they are ill for no other reason than lack of iron. Lack of iron in the blood not only makes a man a physical weakling, nervous, irritable, and easily fatigued, but it utterly robs him of that virile force, that stamina and strength of will, which are so necessary to success and power in every walk of life.

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