

### One of Mickey's State Salaries Is Discontinued

Payments to Uni Professor for Testing Materials Stopped by State Engineer, Cochran.

Lincoln, June 4.—Prof. Clark E. Mickey of the engineering college of the state university, who has been drawing \$4,000 a year for teaching engineering in the university and \$2,500 a year for testing materials used in state building from the appropriation of the department of public works, won't do any more of it publicly.

Roy Cochran, state engineer, under whom Mickey worked in his inspection of state materials, announced today that Mickey would be discontinued on the state's payroll.

"We must have someone to inspect materials for us," Cochran said, "and if we can gain the consent of the university chancellor we will continue to use the university testing machine and pay the cost of testing to the university and not to Professor Mickey."

"Professor Mickey was not reappointed by me. I have kept him on the payroll, however, as there was some important work to be done. I was ignorant that he had received a \$2,000 a year increase in salary in September of this year."

The Mickey episode, which revealed, according to C. D. Robinson, state treasurer, that a university professor was using a state-owned testing machine in testing stone for a state department and charging \$2,500 a year for it in the face of a section of the code law which states specifically that no code employee can engage in any other business, has raised the old question on how far university instructors can go in making outside money.

While the university is as much a part of state government maintained by state taxpayers as the code departments are, there is no section in the statutes which forbids them to work for outside concerns. The code departments are alone in having such a restriction placed upon them.

That university professors are working outside and making money out of such work is admitted. One instructor has a downtown office in Lincoln, where he consults with corporations and aids them in filling out government income reports.

Another tests water for the city of Lincoln and numerous other cities with university testing apparatus. He collects for this work.

Another has prepared detailed reports of public utilities rates charged in Nebraska cities and towns. This data has been used by corporations in arguments before the legislature. Numerous other instances are cited and admitted by university instructors.

**Ad-Sell League to Stage Follies Show on Tuesday**  
"Tut, tut! Mum's the word!"  
Third annual production of the "Sunset Follies" of the Omaha Ad-Sell league will be staged tonight at the Masonic temple.

The production will deal with the visit of Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean, together with their entourage, to the historic Valley of the Kings. Personal appearance of King Tut is guaranteed by the management.

A buffet luncheon and smoker will follow the show.

Tickets are on sale in the Ad-Sell league office in the lower lobby of Hotel Fontenelle.

**General Dorey to Join Overland Hike of Troops**  
Gen. Halstead Dorey left Fort Omaha Monday for Fort Snelling, Minn., driving through in his automobile, accompanied by Capt. Abbott Chase and Lieut. Forest Cookson.

He will stop at Fairbault, Minn., to visit the Shattuck school where he was once a student.

At Fort Snelling he will inspect the troops which will march to Fort Des Moines. He will accompany them for two days on the march.

**Man Discharged, Woman Is Fined on Vagrancy Charge**

Sam Pidgeon, taxi man, and Katherine Lee, arrested Saturday on a charge of vagrancy, and released on bond, on order of Judge Patrick, after police had ordered them held without bond, appeared in municipal court this morning.

Pidgeon was released. The woman was fined \$5.

**Deputy's Flivver Eats Gas Like Big Car After Rain**

Lee Weekes, deputy United States marshal, drove from Lincoln to Omaha Sunday after the rain in a Ford car. He said he went "backward, forward and sideways," and used 10 gallons of gasoline between Eleventh and O streets, Lincoln and Ak-Sar-Ben field.

**Leland Wolf Wanted.**

Leland Wolf, who boards on Sixteenth street, is wanted in Sargent, Neb., according to a telegram received by Omaha police today from O. M. Wolf, a relative. The telegram says that his father has died.

**Girl-Mother Deserts Her Baby for Night; Both Taken Into Custody**

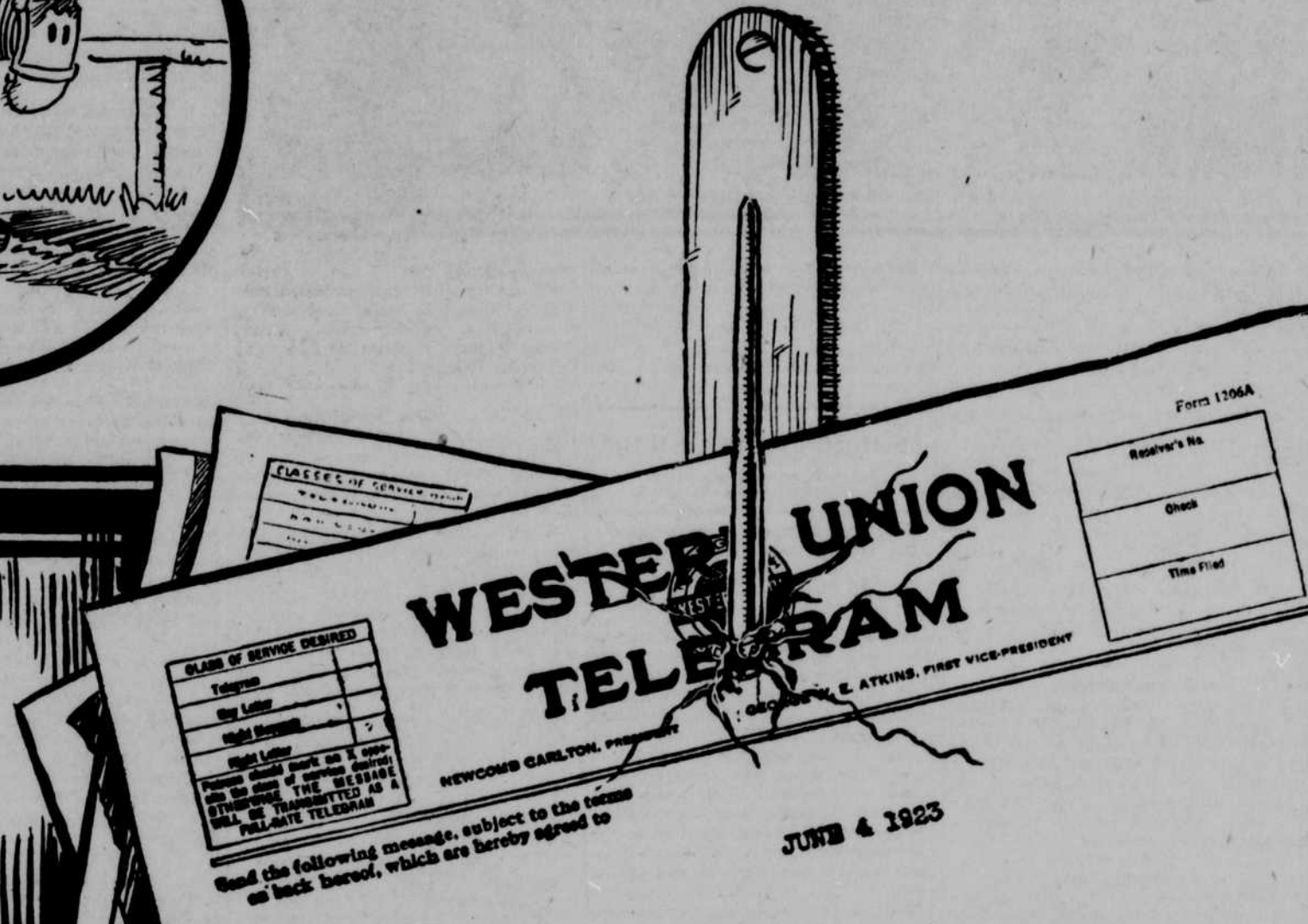
Irene Manson, 16, gave her 6-months-old baby to Mr. and Mrs. William Mays, 1613 Chicago street, to care for Sunday night, while she "went downtown."

When she had not returned Monday morning Mays notified the police. He also called juvenile authorities to get the baby.

Juvenile authorities and the girl's mother arrived at the same time and both mother and baby were taken to the juvenile court office in the court house.

Miss Manson was employed as housekeeper in the rooming house where the Mays lived. Her father, Alec Futow, was sentenced to 10 years in the penitentiary last November for an attack upon the girl, according to police.

Her mother, Mrs. Alec Futow, 722 Bancroft street, employed at the Henshaw cafeteria, declared yesterday that she asked Esther Johnson, juvenile officer, several days ago, to pick up the girl.



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