Bar Association Holds Memorial for Recent Deed

Eight Omaha Lawyers Eulogized at Services Held in Courthouse.

Lawyers preached eloquent sermons Friday morning at the memorial service in the courthouse for the following eight members of the Omaha bar who died in the last year: William Baird, C. J. Smyth, W. D. McHugh, Charles L. Fritchey, Franklin Shotwell, John Van Dorn, T. J. Nolan and William F. Wappich.

"The immortality of the soul is as certain to my mind as the existence of the earth," declared A. S. Ritchie, speaking in memory of his former associate, Charles Fritchey.

Isaac Congdon told of visiting Judge W. D. McHugh, stricken by a fatal disease so he could no longer speak.

"He wrote on the pad, 'I know my condition. You know I will make the fight and I am not afraid of the dark,' he said," said Congdon.

W. J. Connell, speaking later, declared: "There may be the dark, but I have that beyond that in the heaven light and that we will emerge into immortality."

Speaking of William Baird, Frank Gaines said: "He believed in a personal God. I never met a man who had more quietly the unquenchable faith in his God and the future life. Death to him was only the opening of a door to the blessed place where he would meet his God face to face and be forever happy."

Among the other speakers were John L. Webster, Arthur Mullen, Myron Learned, Ralph Van Orsdel, Edson Rich and Ed. P. Smith.

The district judges sat on the bench. Most of the lawyers of the bar were in the audience. Federal Judge Woodrough and Congressman Sears were present also.

"The Grave--What Lies Beyond It?"

Theosophical Society Lecture, by Claude F. Watson, National Lecturer for the American Section, Theosophical Society, Sunday, May 4th, at 8 p. m. New Theosophical Hall, 561 Arthur Ave., 314 South 15th St. Special Music by Mr. Warren Wallace.

Death need not remain forever a "great leap into the dark," and man need not remain in absolute ignorance of the conditions of the After Death Life. Religious teachers and seers of the past have given reliable information on the subject, and Theosophical investigators in the present age have gathered together the facts of science, religion and philosophy and have added to these the researches of though investigators who work along lines quite different from those of the psychic or medium, and who use methods as accurate and reliable as those of the scientist. They are thus able to give interesting and reliable information regarding the life beyond the grave. The truth about death robs it of its terrors and places it as an incident in an evolving, endless life.

Admission Free. Public Invited.

"Good News About Evolution"

A certain type of Religion is now passionately protesting against the doctrines of Evolution as destructive of its faith. In this protest an effort is made to employ the governmental powers of the state.

In the present battle the Religion that has brought on the conflict is doomed to defeat; for nothing is more certain than that Evolution is here to stay.

But there is a Religion that can rejoice in Evolution as confirming its faith, that is not shaken by the findings of science.

Such is the assurance to be presented by Rev. Ralph E. Bailey, at the First Unitarian Church, 2114 Harney street, Sunday, at 11 a. m., in the sermon: "Goods News About Evolution."

This message will be the last of a series of discussions of the timely subject: "The Good News of Liberal Christianity."

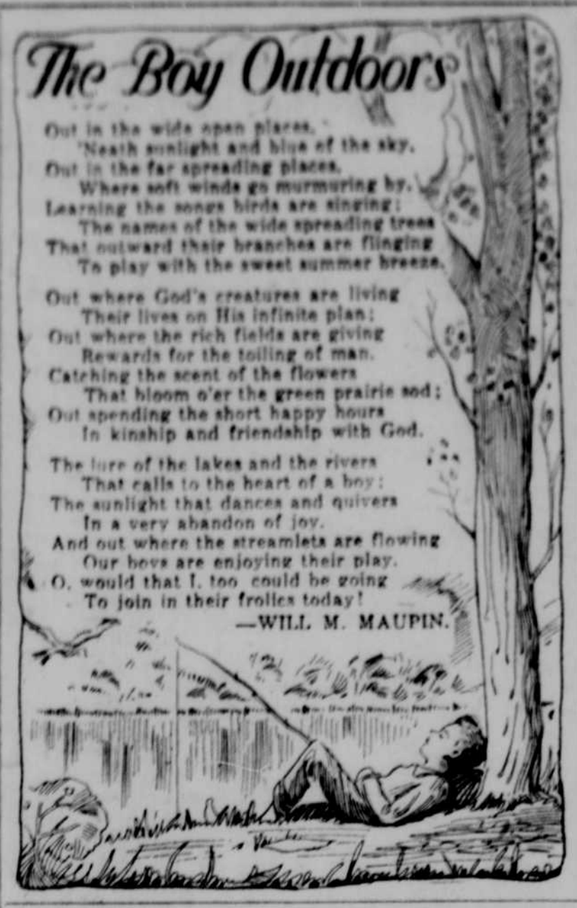
MISSING MAN'S BODY IS FOUND

Pueblo, Colo., May 2.—The body of Conrad Bloch, 65, of Kansas City, Mo., was found Thursday along an old wagon road, two miles from Pueblo. A sheep herder made the discovery. Bloch came here last February from Kansas City and had been missing since March 28. There was a bullet hole in his head and a revolver was found clutched in his hand. Police investigators in expressing the opinion of suicide, said that Bloch had been worried over financial matters.

A son, W. A. Bloch, who came here to search for his father, returned to Kansas City last week.

YEGG GETS $300 IN M'COOK SAFES

McCook, Neb., May 2.—Yeggs broke into two safes in McCook last night securing small sum in each. The Bullard Lumber company's safe was blown with nitro glycerine and badly wrecked, about $200 was secured in cash, checks aggregating about $400 were left. The McCook Equity Exchange vault was entered by chiseling off the combination. About $100 in cash was taken, but check totaling about $500 were undisturbed. No trace has as yet been secured. This is McCook's first safe blowing experience in her history of over 40 years.



LAUNDRESS ENDS 29-YEAR SERVICE

After 29 years of daily standing at a table and expertly ironing expensive laces, Mrs. Mary Ecklenberg, 72, recently retired from work at the Leavenworth laundry. Laundry employes accorded her a birthday party Friday noon.

A birthday cake, flowers and gifts were there.

"I've been at this work so long I don't know whether I can leave it or not," said Mrs. Ecklenberg.

4 BYSTANDERS KILLED IN RIOT

Hankow, China, May 2.—In a popular outbreak following the arrest of men charged with kidnaping and slaying children and selling parts of the bodies to native druggists, four on-lookers were accidentally shot.

The disturbances became so serious that soldiers were called on to quell them. The shootings occurred when the crowds refused to disperse.

One Day Left in Boys' Essay Contest

AT MIDNIGHT Saturday the door of opportunity is going to slam shut.

After that it will be too late to make a bid for the cash prizes offered in The Omaha Bee's Boys' week essay contest by The Omaha Bee, Peters Trust company and Peters National bank.

Those having submitted expositions will be the ones to have a chance at the $50 grand prize, which is open to everybody; the $25 prize, open to high school boys and girls, and the other $25 prize open to grade school students.

There is still over 24 hours in which to turn in an essay. The subject is: "Why Are Boys a Nation's Greatest Asset?" Limit your essay to 200 words. Send it to the Boys' Contest editor, The Omaha Bee.

PARADE PHOTOS AT WORLD TODAY

First motion pictures of the boys' parade, which was held Thursday, will be shown on the screen at the World theater tdday. The movies of the parade were taken by Chenoweth. The reel of parade pictures will be shown as part of the new program starting today at the World.

Relatives Believe Johnson Was Murdered at Lemont

York, Neb., May 2.—Impressive funeral services for Berger M. Johnson, whose body was found in the Chicago drainage canal recently at Lemont, Ill., were held here.

Mr. Johnson was 46 years of age and unmarried. He left York two weeks ago for Lemont to obtain work. When his body was found it had been stripped of a ring, watch, purse and valuables.

Relatives believe he was robbed and murdered and the body thrown into the canal.

Cucumbers were originally tropical vegetables.

Health Lecturer Declares 40 to Be Dangerous Age

More People Die From Overeating Than From Starvation, Says Expert.

A man or woman at 40 years has reached the dangerous age, declared Dr. Martha Turner of the Turner products in her lecture on health Thursday afternoon at the Brandeis store-Omaha Bee exposition. It is a time to treat the body as never before, she said.

"We learn enough about the body, but little about its care," said the doctor. "The way to save bills for sickness is to give the body a daily bath of oil. In the time of Christ there was anointing of the body in oil. There is no reason to live as we do now, only oiling the face and hands occasionally."

"The time will come when red meat will not be used as a part of the diet," said Dr. Turner. "Red meat poisons the nerves quicker than any other food," she said. "We must replace the red meats by nuts, fruits and vegetables. If we would stop eating red meat for three months we would never go back to it. Our stomachs are abused. If we could see what goes on inside the stomach we would be more careful what we eat. Give it a chance. More people die from overeating than from starvation."

Dr. Turner closed her lecture by demonstrating the correct way to walk and to sit.

Crowds jammed the elevators to the eighth floor to see the exposition after the parade. Demonstrations were lively giving their talks and passing out samples in high school boys and girls as well as older people. At all booths where contests are being held there was report of great interest in them. Men as well as women were taking advantage of the free treatments during the afternoon. The operators have not stopped their movement work through the day.

Randall's orchestra and Hans Johnson's Boys from Damland furnish the music.

IMPROVERS FOR DAHLMAN SLATE

Members of the Murray Hill Improvement club have announced their support of the "square six" ticket and will help the Dahlman group on election day.

The candidates were endorsed at a meeting Thursday evening. A special meeting will be held Monday evening.

FATHER SHOOTS CHILDREN, SELF

San Francisco, May 2.—George Lohse, a baker, shot and killed his daughters, Marion, 8, and Beth, 5, perhaps fatally shot his son, Frank and then shot and killed himself here today. He left a note saying that his insurance had been take care of, but giving no motive for his act.

Heed Nature's Warning Before It Is Too Late

Pains in the Side, Back and Kidneys Show That Something Is Wrong With Your System—Nervousness, Loss of Appetite and Sleeplessness. Are Advance Warnings That If Heeded Will Save Serious Trouble Later On.

TANLAC HAS HELPED THOUSANDS REGAIN NORMAL HEALTH

Over 100,000 Persons Have Testified That TANLAC Has Corrected Stomach Trouble, Indigestion, Rheumatism, Nervousness and Kindred Ailments—It Builds Up the System and Starts Rich Red Blood Coursing Through Your Veins. All Good Druggists Sell TANLAC.

What Is It?

"Mystery"

See Sunday Paper

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(10x12 size)

Good Copies from Old Masters, including--

Watts, Reynolds, Hitchcock, De Hough, Le Brun, Corot.

Subjects—

The Dance of the Nymphs. The Avenue of Trees. The Dutch Flower Girl. The Dutch Mill. Little Innocence. Miss Simplicity. The Boy with the Rabbit. Madam Le Brun and Child.

Frames—

Gilded and decorated with fancy metal tops. Mouldings are most attractive and carefully joined.

The price is applicable only to the pictures on hand, of which we have 200, so come early **1.29**

These pictures sell regularly at 2.50

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From this great assemblage you are certain of finding a smart frock or coat that will fit your requirements exactly.

Every new and favored fabric, every color that is in vogue — all sizes, from 14 to 46—make your selection early Saturday

Dresses Sixth Floor

Coats Fourth Floor

500 Coats and Dresses in This Wonderful $18 Sale Saturday

Buying will be decidedly active, because there is not a woman who will see these dresses but what will recognize them as the year's best offerings.

The Following Ballots to Be Voted at the City Election May 6, 1924

Sample Ballot

City of Omaha Election, May 6th, 1924

Candidates for Commissioner of the City of Omaha
VOTE for ONLY SEVEN

- [ ] ROSS J. MaGOWAN
- [ ] LEO ROSENTHAL
- [ ] THOMAS F. STROUD
- [ ] JAMES C. DAHLMAN
- [ ] JOSEPH KOUTSKY
- [ ] JOSEPH B. HUMMEL
- [ ] DEAN NOYES
- [ ] JOHN HOPKINS
- [ ] RAY J. SUTTON
- [ ] GEORGE KIENE
- [ ] DAN B. BUTLER
- [ ] THOMAS P. REYNOLDS
- [ ] HENRY W. DUNN
- [ ] CHARLES R. COURTNEY
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The city commission ballot will be rotated in the different precincts. Polls will be open from 8:00 A. M. to 8 P. M. May 6th, 1924.

WM. D. McHUGH, JR.
Election Commissioner.

The Following Are the Ballots to Be Voted at the City Election, May 6, 1924

SAMPLE BALLOT

City of Omaha Election, May 6, 1924

Proposed Amendments to the Charter of the City of Omaha

Shall the Charter of the City of Omaha be amended by addition thereto of a Section to be known as Section 13-A of Article V, which proposed section reads as follows:

Article V, Section 13-A. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 13 of Article V, the Board of Directors of the **POLICE RELIEF AND PENSION FUND** are hereby authorized and empowered to pay a pension not to exceed Forty Dollars ($40.00) per month out of the Police Relief and Pension Fund of the City of Omaha to such widows as shall survive on the date this provision shall become effective, who are the widows of police officers when such officers died while in the service prior to 1913."

For the Amendment Vote YES.
Against the Amendment Vote NO.

- [ ] YES
- [ ] NO

Shall the Charter of the City of Omaha be amended by the addition thereto of a Section to be known as Section 26A, Article III, which proposed section reads as follows:

"Article III, Section 26A. It shall be the duty of the **CITY ENGINEER** before bids are asked for by advertisement in any improvement district, to make a careful and detailed **ESTIMATE OF THE COSTS OF THE CONTEMPLATED IMPROVEMENT.** Such estimate shall be itemized so that a comparison may be made between such estimate and the bids called for. Such estimate shall be submitted to the City Council and in advertising for bids for any such work the Council shall cause the amount of such estimate to be published therewith. All bids received for any such work shall be referred by the City Council to the City Engineer for tabulation. If in any improvement district no bid is received within such estimate, then no award upon any bids received in excess of such estimate, shall be made in such district until after fifteen days after the time for receiving bids under such advertisement shall have expired; within which time any one desiring to do so may file a bid with the City Engineer, providing such bid be within the estimate of such Engineer and be accompanied by a deposit or other guaranty of performance similar to that required of bidders upon the work under the advertisement calling for bids.

If any bid within the estimate be so filed with the City Engineer he shall at any time thereafter within such fifteen days transmit such bid to the City Council and award may be made thereon in like manner as if said bid had been received in pursuance of the advertisement calling for bids.

In any improvement district where no bid is received within the estimate of the City Engineer the bids shall not be published within such fifteen days nor shall any petition designating material be signed, dated, or acknowledged within such time unless a bid as above set forth be filed with the City Engineer and an award be made thereon by the City Council.

When any such bid is received and an award is made thereon it shall in all respects be treated like a bid received and opened at a regular meeting of the City Council in pursuance to advertisement calling for bids.

When bids are called for by advertisement for grading any street or alley within the City and no bid is received within the estimate of the City Engineer the City Council may enter into a contract to do such grading without further advertising for bids, provided the contract price be within the estimate of the City Engineer and the contract be entered into within thirty days after the time for receiving bids under the advertisment calling therefor."

For the Amendment Vote YES.
Against the Amendment Vote NO.

- [ ] YES
- [ ] NO

Shall Section 3 of Article III of the Charter of the City of Omaha, which now reads as follows:

"Authority to improve without petition.—The City Council is authorized to order any of the improvements within street improvement districts specified in this Act, **EXCEPT BOULEVARDS,** when the outer boundaries of the improvement district shall not exceed one and one-half miles from the streets surrounding the block on which the city hall is located."

Be amended to read as follows:

"Article III, Section 3. Authority to improve without petition. The City Council is authorized to order any of the improvements within Street Improvement Districts specified in this Act, **INCLUDING IMPROVEMENTS UPON BOULEVARDS,** when the outer boundaries of the improvement district shall not exceed one and one-half miles from the streets surrounding the block on which the City Hall is located."

For the Amendment Vote YES.
Against the Amendment Vote NO.

- [ ] YES
- [ ] NO

Shall the Charter of the City of Omaha be amended by the addition thereto of a Section to be known as Section 13A of Article IV, which proposed section reads as follows:

"Article IV, Section 13A. The City Council shall annually, notwithstanding the limitations contained in Section 13, Article IV, of the City Charter, (Sec. 13, Art. IV, Chap. 116, Session Laws of Nebraska 1919-1921), certify to the County Clerk and cause to be levied sufficient **TAXES TO PAY THE ANNUAL INTEREST UPON AND TO PROVIDE A SINKING FUND TO RETIRE AT MATURITY ALL BONDS,** except such as are hereinafter enumerated, that may be issued by the City during the year 1924 or any time thereafter. Provided it shall be the duty of the City Council to provide and require that any money to the credit of said sinking fund shall be invested in securities of the United States, the State of Nebraska, Metropolitan City of Omaha, Douglas County, or school district of the City of Omaha, or in the securities of municipally owned and operated public utility property and plants of said City of Omaha, but such investment shall be so made as to be available to retire all such bonds at maturity. The provisions of this Section shall not apply to bonds issued to acquire or construct electric light or power plants or other utility plants or systems when a charge for service is provided sufficient to pay the bonded obligations therefor and pledges are made to that end, nor to bonds, the payment of which is secured by pledges of a special assessment sinking fund, but shall be deemed to include such proportion of the "Bonds to Finance Street Improvements as is to be paid and redeemed from the General Sinking Fund, under the provisions of Section 23 of Article IV, of the City Charter. (Sec. 23, Art. IV, Chap. 116, Session Laws of Nebraska 1919-1921").

For the Amendment Vote YES.
Against the Amendment Vote NO.

- [ ] YES
- [ ] NO

Shall the Charter of the City of Omaha be amended by the addition thereto of a Section to be known as Section 25A of Article IV, which proposed section reads as follows:

"Article IV, Section 25A. Whenever property is purchased or acquired by the exercise of the power of **EMINENT DOMAIN** under the provision of Section 57, Article III, of the City Charter (Sec. 57, Art. III, Chapter 116, Session Laws of Nebraska 1919-1921) for streets, alleys, avenues or boulevards or for enlarging, widening or extending any of the aforenamed, **THE ASSESSMENT OF SPECIAL TAXES** to pay all or a portion of the cost of acquiring such property as provided therein shall be made, unless the City Council shall provide otherwise under the terms of this Charter, as follows:

The cost so assessed shall be levied at one time upon on the property and become delinquent as herein provided. **ONE-TENTH** of the total amount shall be delinquent in fifty days after such levy; one-tenth in one year; one-tenth in two years; one-tenth in three years; one-tenth in four years; one-tenth in five years; one-tenth in six years; one-tenth in seven years; one-tenth in eight years; one-tenth in nine years; each of said installments except the first shall draw interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from the time of levy aforesaid until the same shall become delinquent, and after the same shall become delinqunt, shall draw interest at the rate of one per cent per month, payable in advance, as in case of other special taxes. Such asssments shall be collected and enforced as in other cases of special assessments; provided that the entire special tax levied upon any tract or lot may be paid and satisfied by the owner thereof at any time by paying the principal sum of said tax together with accrued interest.

All such special taxes and assessments and all interest accruing thereon shall constitute a sinking fund and shall be used only for the purpose of paying the interest and principal sum at maturity of the "Special Improvement Bonds" issued in such proceeding.

As soon as such special assessment has been levied the Council is thereupon authorized to issue bonds of the City of Omaha to be called "Special Improvement Bonds" of the City of Omaha. Such bonds shall set forth the improvement proceeding under which they were issued, shall bear interest not exceeding a rate of five and one-half per cent per annum with interest coupons attached, and shall also provide that the special taxes and assessments levied in such proceeding shall constitute a sinking fund for the payment of bonds with interest. Such bonds shall not be issued until the special taxes for such improvement have been levied and only for the purpose of financing such improvement.

For the purpose of determining the authority to issue bonds and the limitations placed thereon by the provisions of Sections 21 and 22 of Article IV (Secs. 21 and 22, Art. IV, Chap. 116, Session Laws of Nebraska 1919-1921) of the City Charter, the "Special Improvement Bonds" hereby authorized to be issued shall take the same classification and be subject to the same limitations as are bonds "to finance public improvements" under the provisions of said Sections."

For the Amendment Vote YES.
Against the Amendment Vote NO.

- [ ] YES
- [ ] NO

The City Commissioner ballot will be rotated in the different precincts. Polls will be open from 8:00 A. M. to 8:00 P. M. May 6, 1924.

WM. D. McHUGH, JR.
Election Commissioner.