

government. The law in question was exhaustively discussed and the force of Judge Scott's conclusions was generally admitted. By virtue of the decision the mayor and city council were directed to proceed at once to appoint a Board of Fire and Police Commissioners and at a subsequent meeting of that body the mayor's appointment of J. F. Birkhauser and Matthew H. Collins was confirmed. The board of the commissioners were presented and approved and they at once made a formal demand for the possession of the office. This was refused by the same board, which declared its intention to carry the fight to the last resort.

In the Supreme Court. The case was taken to the supreme court January 22 by Attorney General Smyth with the approval of Mayor Moore and his associates. In the meantime the legal board made no further effort to take possession of the office. The case was argued before the supreme court on the 21st of June and was finally determined on the last day of June and it was a complete confirmation of the decision previously handed down in the district court. The supreme court ruled that the law is unconstitutional in that it deprives the citizens of Omaha of the right to regulate their own affairs in favor of the board appointed by the mayor. The Herdman game used all legal tactics to delay and stave off the inevitable. A writ of prohibition was asked from the supreme court by Herdman, but was denied. This was on July 1. Later an injunction was secured from Judge Kerner, restraining the new board from attempting to take possession of the office. The matter had been finally determined in the supreme court. Under this the matter has been in suspension since July 19, when the motion for a rehearing was filed in the supreme court.

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Principle of Law Involved. The underlying principle in the brief of McCoy & Olmsted attacking the law is that every citizen is possessed of an individual sovereignty which gives him the right to say who shall occupy the various offices in the municipality within which he lives. He shall not only have the right to vote for the officers to manage the affairs of the state, but he has a right to exercise in an individual capacity, counties, cities, school districts and townships. The legislature may say that certain officers shall be provided for, but it is for the voter alone to decide who shall fill the offices. It is pointed out that this right is guaranteed to the voter by the constitution of the state and of the United States, that it was a principle of the declaration of independence, was in the organic act creating the territory of Nebraska and was one of the promises made to the general government when the state was created. The law conflicted with this principle, in that it gave to the governor of the state the power to fill certain offices within the city of Omaha which only the voters of the city have a right to exercise. For these reasons the attorneys contended successfully that the law was unconstitutional.

HOW POLICE OFFICERS TAKE IT. Chief Gallagher Defends His Record and Says He Will Resign.

When the announcement was made at police headquarters that the city council had denied the outlawed fire and police board a rehearing of its case it cast a pall of gloom over those members of the department who had been enemies of the legitimate board. The report that the highest of the board, the department, with but few exceptions, were creations of the outlawed board.

Chief Gallagher was the only one who would express himself freely on the subject. He said, when asked for an expression on the matter: "As the supreme court has rendered a decision against us I suppose there is nothing left for us to do but submit to the mandate and throw up our hands. When the writ of habeas corpus is served on me I shall acknowledge it."

"I want to say this, however, that despite all the adverse criticism that has been heaped on the police, the city is freer from crime than it ever has been in its history. Under the present police administration crime has been minimized. There is less crime, and I have statistics to prove it, in Omaha than in any other city of its size in the country. Even though we have a great expense in the way of salaries there is less crime than there was ten years ago. I believe, in view of recent happenings, that the police department will be forced into partisan politics and I consider this when it is brought about it will be the greatest calamity that ever befell the city."

"I don't think politics ought to meddle with the police department, as it destroys the efficiency of the force. Regardless of what has been said to the contrary, I never interfered in politics and my record as a public officer, which did not begin in the police department, but as postmaster, will bear me out in that statement."

Police Captain Sigwart would not express himself on the matter and Chief of Detectives McGrath was equally as non-committal.

Sergeants Haller and King would not discuss the action of the supreme court.

Further than to say that "they supposed they would now have to take their medicine." Captain Haze, who was removed from his position at police headquarters and transferred to the exposition grounds some weeks ago for coming out flat-footed against the outlawed board, telephoned to a friend his own satisfaction with the ruling. Captain Haze, who in his night duty, could not be reached at noon, but it is known that the ultimatum was to his liking, as he several weeks ago swore fealty to the incoming board. Sergeant Her, also an opponent of the outlawed board, could not be seen as he is also on night duty.

Chief Redell of the fire department expressed himself as being well satisfied with the decision, as it placed the government of the two departments under home rule. Under the old board, which was manipulated from Lincoln, he said the needs of the two departments were not properly attended to. He has served under five different boards. He does not think the change will affect the department's personnel. Chief Gallagher, one of his captains, his chief of detectives and two of his sergeants will probably avail themselves of the opportunity of leaving the department gracefully when the writ of ouster is served.

To the majority of the rank and file of the department the change is one that they have long hoped for.

HOME, SCHOOL AND CHURCH Three Sustaining Influences of All That is Sound and Pure in Civilization.

The home, the school and the church, three sustaining influences back of all that is sound and pure in civilization, were spoken of by Dr. Leo M. Franklin last night in the weekly lecture at Temple Israel. It was shown that the prosperity of nations in which there is reverence was paid to those institutions that national decay followed. The three institutions which form the backbone of the structure of society are the home, the school and the church and the growth of the civilization of mankind is exactly commensurate with these factors. Their vital importance is apparent even in the case of those which we as individuals have of the whole social fabric, which sets at naught those influences as an empty sentiment.

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DEATH RECORD. Prominent American. (Copyright, 1898, by Press Publishing Co.)

BRUNO CHARLES DE FREYE, an American, died here suddenly on July 4, leaving evidence of large wealth, for which no heirs can be found. Dr. Freye was a large, handsome man. He resided at San Francisco. He died suddenly of kidney trouble. Among his papers were a Wells-Fargo letter of credit for \$2,000, bank books, showing recent deposits of several thousands of dollars and several thousand shares of mining stock. It was learned from his effects that he had practiced medicine in Spokane and that he had a sister whose name and whereabouts are unknown.

President Schaeffer, Iowa University. IOWA CITY, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—President Charles A. Schaeffer of the University of Iowa died this morning after a few days' illness of acute stomach troubles.

Soo Extension. ABERDEEN, S. D., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The extension of the Soo line west from Kuhn has been completed to Napoleon and cars are now running to that point. Nishek is the best town on the new line, being the center of an extensive stock district. The company has purchased a large tract of land near the town, which gives it control of a stock body of water that can be utilized by stock shippers.

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PLOTS AGAINST AMERICANS

Sensational Exposure of Germany's Alleged Plans in the Philippines.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—The Evening Post prints an article today in which it makes known the plans of the Germans in regard to the disposition of the Philippines. It will be remembered that some time ago the Post published an exclusive article regarding the capture of the Ladrone Islands by the United States.

The details of the plot on the part of the government are furnished by a high authority in the opinion of the government officials of this country and Germany. The same man states that Germany is endeavoring to embitter the followers of Aguinaldo against the Americans and that he has officers in their ranks secretly drilling them. The man in question states that this has been going on for years and prior to the interference of the United States in the Philippine affairs almost every German vessel that landed there carried one or more officers in disguise and stacks of arms and ammunition for the insurgents.

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NEMESIS PURSUES ITS FATE

Yellow Tragedy of the Yellow Mill Pond Has Another Ghastly Chapter Added.

SOUTHINGTON, Conn., Sept. 23.—Some strange Nemesis seems to pursue the remains of the unfortunate young woman who was the victim of the Yellow Mill pond tragedy and who has been identified as Emma Gill of this village.

This morning the remains were exhumed from the potter's field in Bridgeport and brought here for burial. Funeral services were held this afternoon, and the remains were solemnly again returned to the grave when Dr. Rosenbluth received a telegram from Coroner Doron of Bridgeport, asking him to make an investigation of the teeth. The body had been buried but a permit was issued and the remains will be disinterred tomorrow and the examination made. Dr. Rosenbluth is the dentist who did all the work on Miss Gill's teeth.

Harry Owsley and Howard Guernsey, two young men of prominent families, have been credited for supposed connection with the case and taken to Bridgeport tonight. No one in the village seems to have any knowledge of Guernsey being in the company of Miss Gill, while it was well known that Owsley was well acquainted with her and had exchanged frequent letters from her. What evidence the detectives have cannot be learned.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 23.—Charles A. Plumb, arrested in Stratford Wednesday night on suspicion that he was implicated in the Gill murder, was released tonight. The Post's investigation of the connection with the case, Young Guilford is still held. ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 23.—Eudora Guilford, daughter of Dr. Nancy Guilford, was arrested at the residence of her uncle, Stephen E. Fowler, in Walling, for complicity in the Bridgeport murder.

BURIAL OF WINNIE DAVIS Services Conducted from the Historical Church in Which Her Father Was Buried.

RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 23.—Varina Anne Jefferson Davis, "The Daughter of the Confederacy," sleeps her last sleep in the bosom of the land she loved so well. Her body was interred in the morning and was met at the depot by Lee camp, Confederate Veterans, of which she was a member, and delegates from Picket camp.

The casket was borne to the hearse from the funeral car by the men selected for active duty in the general insurrection. The Post regards the recent meeting of additional troops to Manila, after their mustering out had been ordered, as an indication that the United States has been informed of Germany's attempt to frustrate American acquisition of the islands.

MANILA, Philippines, Sept. 23.—A careful investigation of the attempt to poison Aguinaldo shows that the cook is not dead as reported and that no poisons are implicated, as alleged by the insurgents. Paterno, the president of the Philippine assembly, explained the facts in the case. Several Spanish cases were allowed to remain at liberty at Malolos and two of them were employed in Aguinaldo's household. One of these put a packet of oxalate of potash powder into the soup, but the cook detected it and threw it away. The other was injured. A packet was also found in the casero's pocket. There is no reason to believe that he had any accomplice. The Philippines and the Filipino government protest to send a long dispatch to President McKinley, protesting against the alleged Spanish misstatements as being calculated to "undermine the friendship between the Philippines and the Americans," but instead of doing this, they simply sent a dispatch to the United States government, and the American people.

On Thursday the Filipinos intend to have a great festival at Malolos in celebration of their independence. The Filipino National association has decided to request the Americans, first, to recognize the independence of the islands; second, to establish a protectorate over the islands; and third, to induce the powers to recognize their independence; third, to appoint a joint commission of Americans and Filipinos for the arrangement of details to "reciprocate the Americans' services."

How Aguinaldo's Agents Will Be Received at the White House. WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—It is probable that Anconillo and Lopez, the representatives of the Philippine government, who arrived yesterday, will call at the White House on their way through Washington to Paris. They will be admitted to see President McKinley, but only as individuals and not as representatives of any government. It would be entirely unexpected if they were to see the president at this date and pending the conclusion of the peace conference at Paris to allow it to be understood, by according a formal reception to the delegates, that he had thereby recognized the Philippine government as an independent nation. His attitude toward the Filipinos would be similar to that assumed by him toward the Cubans.

As the Filipinos have repeatedly sought to convey the impression that the United States representatives in Manila have at some time during the war recognized Aguinaldo as an independent ally and entered into formal co-operation with him, it may be stated that the government at Washington is unaware that any such thing has happened. Admiral Dewey, who was in command of all the United States forces during the most critical period, expressly called the secretary of the navy that he had entered into no agreement with Aguinaldo. As for Consul General Whitman, any understanding he may have assumed with Aguinaldo must have been upon his own personal and individual responsibility and would be of no formal standing, inasmuch as he had not the express authorization from the State department absolutely required to negotiate in such cases. The peace commissioners are free to deal with the Philippine problem at Paris absolutely without restriction, beyond that which might be supposed to arise from a sense of moral obligation to avoid committing the Filipinos again into the hands of their laie rulers.

DIVISION IN FILIPINOS' RANKS. Alleged to Be the Work of the Clerical Party. NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says: The schemes of the Spanish clerical party have divided the Filipinos almost beyond hope of reconciliation. On Sunday, when the archbishop of Manila went to Gopez to administer the rite of confirmation, a party of rebels attempted to kidnap the prelate. The success of the plot was prevented by the interference of the American soldiers who are stationed there. The purpose of the kidnapers was to take the archbishop to Melolos, where Aguinaldo is holding four Spanish priests as prisoners.

Seven Filipinos were detected yesterday at Santa Ana with money received from some Spanish priests. They were arrested on a direct order from Aguinaldo, despite the protest of Pio Pilar, the commander-in-chief of the district. They will be shot tomorrow.

Private Carrier, Dennis and Schultz of the Thirtieth Minnesota regiment, have died in the hospital this week. The regiment has forty-five men on the sick list.

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Miraculous Escape of Over Fifty Miners from a Coal Pit.

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