ASKS ROOM FOR PRISONERS

Nebraska Wishes to Place State Convicts in Iowa Penitentiary.

PARDONED MAN BREAKS HIS PAROLE

Judge Tedford of Mount Ayr Will Resign from the Bench—Des Moines Athletic Club Wants to Have Prize Fight.

DES MOINES, March 2.—(Special.)—Governor Shaw this morning received a telegram from Governor Dietrich of Nebraska, asking if Iowa could accommodate some of the Nebraska prisoners temporarily until the penitentiary could be rebuilt at Lincoln or other provision be made for caring for the prisoners. Governor Shaw is on his way to Washington, but the matter was taken under advisement by Chairman Kinne of the State Board of Control, which board has full control of the two Iowa state penitentiaries. Judge Kinne immediately wrote to the wardens of the two penitentiaries in regard to the matter and an answer is expected Monday, but it is certain that if terms can be agreed upon some of the Nebraska prisoners can be cared for in Iowa for a short time.

The last reports showed that there were 462 prisoners at Fort Madison and 457 at Anamosa. The prison at Anamosa has had at one time over 600 prisoners in it, and that at Fort Madison has accommodated many more than at present. The wardens will be opposed to taking more prisoners because it will greatly increase the work of caring for them, as many will have to be doubled in the cells. All the cells are arranged, however, for double berths, and if the prisoners are not unruly the doubling can be done without much harm.

Iowa has a number of federal prisoners in the state penitentiary and for the keeping of these the state receives 35 cents a day. A few years ago a number of prisoners from along the Mexican border were received and cared for, but all are now out. The number of prisoners in the Iowa penitentiaries has been decreasing for some time. It is reasonable to expect that Iowa will say to Nebraska that from fifty to 100 can be taken at each of the state penitentiaries without serious inconvenience.

Breaks His Parole.

The executive office was informed this morning that Frank Ausburne, a paroled prisoner from Woodbury county, will be taken to the state penitentiary again on Monday. Ausburne was serving time for robbery at Smithland, but on petition of nearly all the residents of Smithland he was released. Some time ago the governor was notified that he was violating his parole and ought to be sent back. Early last month the sheriff of Woodbury county arrested him, but before he had got him out of Smithland permitted him to escape. Today he was arrested again on order from the governor and will finish his sentence.

New Corporations.

The Workingmen's Mutual Accident association has been organized at New Hartford, Ia., with F. W. Pauiger, G. M. Bronson, N. C. Mack, M. R. Hughes and Leclair Martin as incorporators. The company is strictly mutual in its plan of operations.

The Earling Drug company, with a capital of $2,000, has been organized at Earling, Shelby county, by Lewis Sherett, president; L. G. Powell, vice president, and P. J. Korth, secretary.

Found Guilty of Murder.

John Davis was this morning found guilty of murder by a jury at Knoxville. Davis was accused of having killed a young man named William Holloway at a dance at the home of Davis near Weir City. A quarrel ensued and Holloway was struck by a stick of wood thrown through an open door and almost instantly killed.

Judge Tedford to Resign.

Judge J. H. Tedford of Mount Ayr has written friends in Des Moines that it is his intention to resign from the bench at an early date. He has been in ill-health for some time and his physicians fear that if he continues hard work he will break down completely. Judge Tedford is an associate of Judge Towner, the two representing the same district in southwestern Iowa, and if Towner should be nominated for supreme judge, for which he is a candidate, it would mean two new judges in that district.

To Go to Philippines.

Rev. Homer D. Stuntz will leave Iowa this week for San Francisco and will soon sail for the Philippines to accept the proffered post of presiding elder of the Methodist church for the Manila district. Dr. Stuntz has been engaged in pastoral work at Mount Vernon, Ia., but is well qualified for the position he will assume, as he has had experience in missionary fields. He will be accompanied to Manila by Rev. W. A. Goodell, pastor of the Methodist church at Blairstown, Ia., who will act as his assistant.

Ready to Become Soldiers.

Two of the new companies of the Iowa National guard which are to take the places of other companies mustered out are now ready to be sworn in and this will be done as soon as the adjutant general returns from Washington. These are the companies at Albia and Winterset. The orders for the three companies were issued at the same time, but unfortunately the company at Atlantic is not organized as yet.

The new company at Albia is being organized by a young man who was an officer in the volunteer regiments from Iowa during the Spanish war and he has gathered about him a fine company of young men. At Winterset the organization was entrusted to a young lawyer, who has had no experience in the volunteer service, nor in the guard, but was in charge of a cadet company while at the State university and made a fine record.

It is learned there was some disappointment at Winterset over the selection of a physician to make the examinations, but there was no effort to rebel against the selection of the surgeon general. Winterset has been trying to get into the guard for a good many years. Both the Winterset and Albia companies will be organized in time to take part in the annual encampments this year and it is hoped that the third company will also be ready at that time.

Prize Fight for Des Moines.

An athletic club has been formed in Des Moines for the purpose of trying to secure a prize fight of first-class nature and it is expected that a bid will be made for the Jeffries-Ruhlin match. Efforts to locate this match in Illinois and Ohio have failed, and, while Governor Shaw has declared that he will enforce the laws to the letter and prevent any prize fighting anywhere in Iowa, the men who are forming the Athletic club have secured legal advice to the effect that the Iowa laws can be evaded with ease and the power of the state government be defied with perfect safety. The club will contain a number of professional men and leading citizens and will have abundance of money back of it.

Many Pensioners Die.

The records of the Des Moines pension office for the Iowa-Nebraska pension district show that the pensioners are passing away with great rapidity. During February there were 163 deaths reported to this office of persons who were on the pension rolls here. During the same time there were 176 original pensioners added, eighteen of whom were from the war with Spain and one a widow of a Mexican war soldier. The pension payments for the month from this office amounted to $51,929.82.

Southern Iowa Undertakers.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Association of Funeral Directors for southern Iowa was held this week in Oskaloosa. Thomas Zook of Albia, vice president, was elected president to succeed S. G. Hersman of Red Oak; O. C. Scott of Ottumwa was made vice president and Tracey Osborne of New Sharon succeeds W. S. Cutler of Colfax as secretary and treasurer. The new officers compose the board of directors with Mark Starr of Sigourney, J. B. McCurday of Oskaloosa and A. D. Woodruff of Grinnell. The next meeting will be held in Grinnell.

NORTHWESTERN TRAINS MEET

Crash in Yards at Clinton and Engineer and Firemen Are Injured.

CLINTON, Ia., March 2.—(Special Telegram.)—Northwestern passenge train No. 16 collided with a freight train while running fifteen miles an hour in the yards this morning. Engineer Keefe of Clinton and Fireman P. P. Mott of Boone were seriously injured. Both engines were badly damaged and several cars derailed, the main line being blocked for three hours. The accident was caused by a misplaced swith.

Boy Killed by Wagon.

BOONE, Ia., March 2.—(Special.)—At Fraser, yesterday afternoon, Dannie Wright, the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wright, was run over by a team while playing in the street and instantly killed, his skull being fractured and neck broken.

Burial at Storm Lake.

STORM LAKE, Ia., March 2.—(Special.)—The body of Ruth Katherine Springer, who died of pneumonia in Sioux City, was brought here for burial on Tuesday, accompanied by the near relatives and Rev. Stauffer of Sioux City.

STEEL'S BIG CAPITALIZATION

Figure Given for United States Steel Corporation is by Morgan as $1,154,000,000.

NEW YORK, March 2.—A circular addressed by J. P. Morgan & Co. to the stockholders of the Federal Steel company, National Steel company, National Tube company, American Steel and Wire company, American Tin Plate company, American Steel Hoop company and American Sheet Steel company, which together with the Carnegie company are to be merged into the United States Steel corporation, was issued today.

It recites the previously known terms of exchange of securities of the constituent companies and is supplemented by an address of the board of directors of the various companies urging acceptance of the terms on the score of reduced expenses and larger net earnings without advances in prices of manufactured products.

In order to carry out the provisions of the consolidation the capitalization of the United States Steel corporation will be $1,154,000,000. Of this amount $425,000,000 is 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock, an equal amount of common stock and $504,000,000 of 5 per cent bonds.

The bonds are to be used only in acquiring the bonds and 60 per cent of the stock of the Carnegie company. An underwriting syndicate of $200,000,000 has been formed to finance the plan. J. P. Morgan & Co. will manage the syndicate and exchange the bonds and stocks of the new corporation for those of the subordinate companies and $25,000,000. The syndicate is to retain all stocks not required for the acquisition of the combining companies. Negotiable receipts will be issued for the deposits of stock at the depositories designated.

VICTORY FOR "PONY EXPRESS"

Chicago Jury Grants Verdict in Favor of John F. Lund.

CHICAGO, March 2.—Judge Kohlsaat in the district court today sustained the action of a jury which gave a verdict in favor of the "Pony Express" system against the United States Express company and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad company. He decided, however, that the verdict for $2,000 in favor of the plaintiff, John F. Lund, was excessive, and that half that amount would have to be returned if a new trial is to be avoided.

The "Pony Express" system is the name giving the methods employed by out-of-town "purchasing agents" who buy goods in the city and carry them back as personal baggage, the express companies thus being deprived of what they considered their legitimate business.

WILLIAM M. EVARTS' FUNERAL

Is Held in Cavalry Protestant Church—Private Services Held in Home.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Funeral services over the body of former Senator William M. Evarts were held in Cavalry Protestant Episcopal church today. Before the services in the church there were private services at the late home of the deceased on Second avenue, at which only the immediate relatives were present. The church was crowded. Rev. James Lewis Parks officiated, assisted by Bishop Leonard of Ohio and Bishop Potter. The pallbearers were Sidney Webster, William Allen Buller, J. Pierpont Morgan, John E. Parsons, Carl Schurz, John L. Cadwalader, Samuel Sloan, Whitelaw Reid, Benjamin F. Tracy and Thomas B. Reed.

After the services the body was taken to Windsor, Vt., for interment.

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If we could sell one package of Pyramid Pile Cure to every person in America who is troubled with piles and who would gladly give the 50 cents to be rid of piles, we would have about ten million dollars. The only reason that we don't sell that many packages this year is that we will not be able to get ten million people to try it. Just one application will prove its merit and amply repay the cost of a whole box.

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We have never heard of a single case that it failed to cure; we have heard of thousands that it has cured quickly and completely.

Here are a couple of letters recently received.

From Geo. C. Geick, Owens Mill, Mo.: "Some time ago I bought a package of Pyramid Pile Cure for my wife who had suffered very much. The first trial did her more good than anything she has ever tried. It is just what is claimed for it."

From Richard Loan, Whipple, Ohio: "I have used the Pyramid Pile Cure and am entirely pleased and satisfied with results. It does the work and no mistake."

The proprietors of the Pyramid Pile Cure could publish columns of similar letters, but these are enough to show what it will do in different cases.

All druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure or will get it for you. It is 50 cents per package and made only by the Pyramid Drug Co., of Marshall, Mich.

MITCHELL AS STATE CAPITAL

South Dakota Legislature in Caucus Decides on Removal.

WOLF BOUNTY BILL IS PASSED

Now Only Waits the Signature of the Governor—Project for Library and Historical Building is Killed.

PIERRE, S. D., March 2.—(Special Telegram.)—A legislative caucus today decided on Mitchell as the site for the state capital. The old plan of all favoring the project with an agreement to stand by the town having the highest number of caucus votes came up. The caucus last night failed to reach any agreement and another was called to get the conflicting interests together. A test vote on recess to 3 o'clock to secure time for the noon caucus was carried by a majority of two in the house.

The caucus took three ballots to settle on a place, the points voted on being Watertown, Redfield, Sioux Falls and Mitchell. Mitchell won on the third ballot.

In the senate, on motion of Englesby, the apportionment committee was ordered to report Monday. The conference report on the wolf bounty bill was adopted, as it was in the house, and the bill now goes to the governor. The deficiency bill for Fred Evans on his soldiers' home contract, which was lost yesterday, was reconsidered and made a special order for Monday. An unfavorable report on Martin's bill to tax the product of mines was rejected by the senate by a decisive vote and the bill goes on the calendar.

The bill for reorganization of the Board of Charities and Corrections, which passed the house yesterday, was passed in the senate after several vain protests on the part of its opponents, Loomis moving to strike out that portion of it which applies to the present board, but failing. Johnson of Douglass moved to strike out the emergency clause, insisting that the only emergency which exists is that of those who desire to secure the places to be opened by the bill. It passed with the necessary two-thirds and immediately went to the governor and has been approved.

Library Appropriation Killed.

The senate went into committee of the whole on the general appropriation bill and the only change of importance was the striking out of the item of $5,000 for a library and historical building. Loomis opposed this and Stewart took the position that it was a matter for the people of the whole state and he did not care whether it was cut out or not. Several other changes were made and the bill was adopted without material change.

The senate went into executive session and confirmed the appointments of the governor for the new Board of Soldiers' Home commissioners, which is the old board reappointed.

The house passed a few minor bills and gave Speaker Somers his chair and gavel. The special appropriation bills for buildings were taken up and the bills pushed through, aggregating $276,000. The appropriations were: For the Aberdeen Normal, $30,000; School of Mines, $20,000; Agricultural college, $50,000; Deaf Mute school, $3,500; Springfield Normal, $18,000; State university, $40,000; insane asylum, $53,000; militia, $3,000, and several small bills pertaining to individuals.

By consent Gross introduced a bill to create a new Board of Charities and Corrections of three members with a salary of $1,500 per year each. The general appropriation bill was taken up and passed with but minor amendments, the only one of importance being to add $6,000 to the Redfield asylum appropriation. Then came the battle of the capital removal people, who had a large majority in the house. The speaker was with the majority, and he recognized his friends, which resulted in a continuation of the effort to adjourn from about 6 o'clock until 11:50, when a compromise was reached, and the capital bill was introduced and made a special order for Monday afternoon.

SIOUX FALLS WANTS CAPITOL

Will Instruct Representative in State Legislature to Secure Its Removal from Pierre.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., March 2.—(Special Telegram.)—At a mass meeting of citizens today to discuss the question of the removal of the state capitol from Pierre, which is now before the legislature, a resolution was adopted, with only a few dissenting votes, asking Mayor Burnside to instruct the Sioux Falls representatives in the legislature to secure the removal of the capital to Sioux Falls and to pledge the city to provide a capitol building and site without expense to the state.

Drovers Must Pay Tax.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 2.—In the case of John Kelly against County Assessor Rhodes the supreme court has sustained the decision of the district court, upholding the right of the state to tax sheep which were being driven through the state from Utah to Nebraska. Kelly sought to evade the tax, but the court held that as the sheep grazed while in transit, the tax did not conflict with the interstate commerce laws, on which ground Kelly sought evasion.

Drops Dead After Arrest.

HURON, S. D., March 2.—(Special Telegram.)—J. J. Benash, wanted here on the charge of selling mortgaged property and for whose arrest a reward has been offered, was captured in Edgely, N. D., yesterday and an hour later dropped dead. Sheriff Kerr of this city was asked today what should be done with the body.

Boy Killed by Father's Gun.

HURON, S. D., March 2.—(Special Telegram.)—Robert Cowen, living at Alpena, returned from hunting Thursday evening, placing his rifle beside the barn while he went in. His 4-year-old son got hold of the gun, yhich was discharged, the ball passing through his head, killing him instantly.

A BALD NEWSPAPER MAN.

Getting a New Crop of Hair and Has No More Dandruff.

Everybody in the northwest knows Colonel Daniel Searles, the veteran journalist and publicist of Butte. January 10, 1900, the colonel writes: "I used a couple of bottles of Newbro's Herpicide with marvelous results. The dandruff disappeared, a new crop of hair has taken root, and the bald spot is rapidly being covered." Herpicide is the only hair preparation that kills the dandruff germ that digs up the scalp in scales as it burrows its way to the root of the hair, where it destroys the vitality of the hair, causing the hair to fall out. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide.

To Be Roosevelt's Personal Escort.

CHICAGO, March 2.—The Roosevelt Rough Rider clubs of Minneapolis and St. Paul arrived here at 10:10 a. m. today and departed at noon for Washington, where, according to present plans, they will act as Colonel Roosevelt's personal escort during the inaugural demonstrations.

Brewers Cut Prices.

BALTIMORE, March 2.—A price-cutting war between the Maryland Brewing company and the independent breweries was inaugurated this morning by a reduction in the price of beer from $6 to $4.50 a barrel upon the part of the company.

This cut was met by some of the independent concerns, while others made reductions ranging from 50 cents to $1 a barrel.

MAN'S MALADIES MASTERED

I made up my mind, soon after graduating from college, that no one man was great enough to master the entire field of medicine and surgery. Many physicians have tried to do this, but they have met with results usually disappointing to themselves and often disastrous to their patients. For this reason I determined early in my professional career to confine my practice strictly to a single line of disease and to originating and perfecting cures for them. I therefore treat only what I am absolutely certain that I can positively cure to stay cured—VARICOCELE, STRICTURE, CONTAGIOUS BLOOD POISON, NERVO-SEXUAL DEBILITY and all reflex complications and associate diseases and weaknesses of men. To these maladies alone many of the best years of my life have been earnestly devoted and on them all my faculties are concentrated. Our consultation and operating rooms are thoroughly equipped with every scientific apparatus, instrument and device essential to the most modern methods of practice and our references, both professional and financial, are among the best citizens of this vicinity, who have been cured by us and made happy. I want every afflicted man to freely and fully investigate our treatment. Each case is treated separately, scientifically, closely watching it and carefully following its symptoms with remedies varied through every stage. The diseases that constitute my specialty are more fully commented on below and are well worthy the careful perusal of all men in need of medical attention.

Varicocele

Whatever may be the cause of Varicocele, its injurious effect is well known. It depresses the mind, weakens the body, racks the nervous system and ultimately leads to a complete loss of sexual power. If you are a victim of this dire disease come to my office and let me explain to you my process of treating it. You will then not wonder why I have positively cured hundreds of cases of Varicocele during the past twelve months. Under my treatment the patient improves from the very beginning. All pain instantly ceases. Soreness and swelling quickly subside. The pools of stagnant blood are forced from the dilated veins, which rapidly assume their normal size, strength and soundness. All indications of disease and weakness vanish completely and in their stead come the pride, the power and the pleasure of perfect health and restored manhood.

Stricture

It matters not how long you have suffered from Stricture, nor how many different doctors have disappointed you. Our treatment will cure you just as certainly as you come to our office for treatment. I will not do it by dilating or cutting. My treatment is new, entirely original with me and perfectly painless. It completely dissolves the Stricture and permanently removes every obstruction from the urinary passage. It stops every unnatural discharge, allays all inflammation, reduces the prostate gland when enlarged, cleanses and heals the bladder and kidneys when irritated and congested, invigorates the sexual organs and restores health and soundness to every part of the body affected by the disease.

Nervo-Sexual Debility

Men, many of you are now reaping the result of your former folly. Your manhood is failing and will soon be lost unless you do something for yourself. There is no time to lose. Impotency, like all sexual diseases, is never on the standstill. With it you can make no compromise. Either you must master it or it will master you and fill your whole future with misery and indescribable woe. I have treated so many cases of this kind that I am as familiar with them as you are with the very daylight. Once cured by us, you will never again be bothered with emissions, drains, prematureness, small or weak organs, nervousness, failing memory, loss of ambition or other symptoms which rob you of your manhood and absolutely unfit you for study, business, pleasure or marriage. Our treatment for weak men will correct all these evils and restore you to what nature intended—a hale, hearty, happy man, with physical, mental and sexual powers complete.

Contigous Blood Poison

On account of its frightful hideousness Contagious Blood Poison is commonly called the king of venereal diseases. It may be either hereditary or contracted. Once the system is tainted with it, the disease may manifest itself in the form of scrofula, eczema, rheumatic pains, stiff or swollen joints, eruptions or copper-colored spots on face or body, little ulcers in the mouth or on the tongue; sore throat, swollen tonsils, falling out of the hair or eyebrows and finally a leprous-like decay of the flesh and bone. If you have any of these or similar symptoms you are cordially invited to consult us immediately. If I find your fears are unfounded I will quickly unburden your mind. But if your constitution is infected with syphilitic virus I will tell you so frankly and show you how to get rid of it. Our special treatment for Contagious Blood Poison is practically the result of our life work and is endorsed by the best physicians of America and Europe. It contains no injurious drugs or dangerous medicines of any kind. It goes to the very bottom of the disease and forces out every particle of impurity. Soon every sign and symptom of blood poison disappears completely and forever. The blood, the tissue, the flesh, the bones and the whole system are cleansed, purified and restored to perfect health and the patient prepared for the duties and pleasures of life.

Associate Diseases

In curing an ailment of any kind we never fail to remove all Reflex Complications or Associate Diseases. If the case is Varicocele, the weakness caused by it disappears. If it is Stricture and has developed into Prostatic, Bladder or Kidney Affections, the injured organs are all restored to a perfectly healthful condition. If it is contagious Blood Poison, any and all Skin, Blood and Bone Diseases arising from the taint are entirely and permanently eliminated from the system. If it is Impotency, the many distressing symptoms following in its train and indicating a premature decline of physical, mental and sexual power are totally removed and rapidly replaced by the youthful energy of robust manhood. Hence all resulting ills and reflex complications, which may be properly termed Associate Diseases, and which, in fact, are often more serious than the original ailment that gives rise to them—all, we say, disappear completely and forever with the cure of the main malady.

Correspondence

Most cases can be treated successfully at home. One personal visit is preferred, but if it is impossible or inconvenient for you to call at our office, write us a full and unreserved history of your case, plainly stating your symptoms. Physicians having stubborn cases to treat are cordially invited to consult us. We make no charge for private counsel and give to each patient a legal contract to hold for our promises. If you cannot call today, write. Address

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ENOUGH IN THE COMBINE NOW

Other Companies Willing to Come In, but Promoters Do Not Want Them.

NEW YORK, March 2.—It has been learned from a well-informed source that circulars signed by the directors of each of the companies which are to be taken into the United States Steel corporation have been prepared and will be sent out at once to the stockholders. These circulars state the terms named by J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. for exchange of the stock, adding that the signing directors have agreed to turn in their holdings on those terms, and advising the other stockholders also to consent to exchange their shares for stock of the new corporation.

It is reported that several additional steel companies are desirous of being taken into the new combination. Their names are not mentioned, but it is hinted that among them are the Tennessee Coal and Iron company and the Schiess-Sheffield Iron and Steel company. Both are southern companies. In financial circles, however, as well as in the trade, it is believed that the United States Steel corporation will not, for the present at least, absorb any companies other than those already accepted by the underwriting syndicate, although it is said that the American Bridge company may come in at some future date.

SNAKE BAND GIVEN A CHANCE

Judge Thomas Suspends Eight-Year Sentence and Fine During Good Behavior.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., March 2.—The winding up of the Snake trouble came today in the United States court as arranged last week between Chitto Harjo and his band of Indians, through his attorneys. It was agreed that they all plead guilty before United States Sanson to conspiracy. After pleading, they were called into the United States court, which was in regular session, Judge Thomas presiding, and then, after a very forcible charge on the grave offense charged against Snake and band, he sentenced them to eight years in the penitentiary and a fine of $250 each, but agreed to suspend sentence if they would go to their homes and not commit any such acts again.

The court house was crowded and many prominent people were present, among them Chief Porter, who made a talk to the Indians.

Movements of Ocean Vessels March 3.

At New York—Sailed—Columbia, for Hamburg, via Plymouth and Cherbourg; Rotterdam, for Rotterdam, via Boulogne; Etruria, for Liverpool; Ethiopia, for Glasgow; Phoenicia, for Hamburg; Trave, for Naples, etc.; Minnehaha, for London. Arrived—Lucania, from Liverpool; Patria, from Marseilles; Prinzessin Victoria Louise, returning from West Indian cruise.

At Liverpool—Sailed—Umbria, for New York.

At Auckland—Sailed—Sonoma, from Sydney, N. S. W., for San Francisco, via Honolulu.

At Antwerp—Sailed—Switzerland, for Philadelphia; Kensington, for New York.

At Havre—Sailed—La Champagne, for New York.

"KING OF CHINATOWN" IS SAFE

Sam Moy Says He Traveled Incognito to Avoid Danger from Assassin.

CHICAGO, March 2.—Sam Moy, the "King of Chinatown," whose failure to return here yesterday from Kansas City, gave rise to fears for his safety, arrived here today. Sam Moy is one of the most influential celestials in the west and two weeks ago went to Kansas City in an endeavor to effect harmony between warring Chinese secret societies.

"I traveled incognito most of the time," said he, "and the faction which seeks my life had no chance to attack me."

WANTS TWENTY THOUSAND

Man Who Claims His Skull Was Fractured Seeks Damages from Employers.

Charles H. Hargadine says his skull was fractured and that he was otherwise injured while working on an Illinois Central bridge for Contractor Edward W. Raymond last June. He holds both Mr. Raymond and the railroad company responsible for the accident and has begun suit against them in the district court for $20,150 damages.

Frame Dwelling Burned.

At 3 o'clock this morning fire destroyed a one-story frame dwelling occupied by Allan A. and Edward Covington at 811 North Twenty-First street. Mrs. Covington, a woman of middle age and an invalid, had to be carried from her bed to the home of a neighbor. The blaze originated when a gasoline stove was lighted to heat some water.

The house was owned by Dr. Paul and was insured. The furniture was not insured. It was a three-room cottage. The loss is $200.

Perfect Tin Can Organization.

NEW YORK, March 2.—According to a special from Baltimore to the Tribune, the consolidation of the tin can manufacturing interests of the United States has practically been effected. The money required to finance the deal, estimated at over $10,000,000, it is said, has been placed on deposit by bondholders in New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Baltimore banks. The leading Baltimore manufacturers held out for a long time against the promoters, insisting that they be paid in cash instead of stock. The promoters offered half cash and half stock, but the manufacturers insisted on all cash, and upon this basis the deal is effected.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Name and Residence.	Age.
Loren R. Franklin, Council Bluffs	25
Grace Antel, South Omaha	24
Santo Marasco, Omaha	28
Rosa Cardamone, Omaha	24
Charles H. Nordwall, Omaha	29
Dorothy H. Pony, Omaha	21
George Hudelson, Blair	26
Essie A. Tait, Omaha	23
Jens W. Jorgensen, South Omaha	27
Christina Petersen, South Omaha	25
Allan J. Hill, Mexico, Mo.	36
Hedwig F. J. Gouler, Butte, Mont.	31

Ante Room Echoes.

The Scottish Rite Masons have all preparations made for the initiation and entertainment of candidates and visitors at the annual reunion, which begins one week from Tuesday. The Nobles of the Mystic Shrine have decided to hold no ceremonial session this month, placing the date of that event some time in May.

Washington lodge No. 145, Knights of Pythias, was instituted at Calhoun, Neb., last week by G. E. French, grand commander, assisted by members of the Pythian lodge of Blair. A full set of officers was installed and sixteen candidates initiated. At the close of the work a banquet was spread at the hotel.

A number of Pythians of Omaha made a fraternal visit to the lodge at Elkhorn Wednesday evening.

All of the local camps of the Modern Woodmen of America are interested in making arrangements to attend the meeting of the head camp, which convenes in St. Paul in June. Committees have been appointed to take up the matter of railroad transportation and the Omaha lodges hope to secure an exceedingly low rate for the trip. It has been determined that the drill teams of B. & M. camp, Beech camp, Maple camp and Magnolia camp will not only attend the head camp meeting, but will take part in the meeting of the Foresters of the order, making an attempt to secure at least a part of the $5,000 which has been donated by the citizens of St. Paul to be used for prizes for the best drilled teams.

Clematis camp, Royal Neighbors of America, will be the guests of Pansy camp Wednesday evening.

The united lodges of the Ancient Order of United Workmen of Omaha have decided to make an active campaign to secure the headquarters of the grand lodge of the state for Omaha. The headquarters are now at Grand Island and are not conveniently situated for the majority of the members of the jurisdiction. Since the temple association purchased permanent quarters in Omaha the members of the lodges in the city feel that the grand lodge headquarters should be removed to the center of the largest membership. The question will be decided at the grand lodge meeting in May.

The degree teams of Union Pacific lodge and of North Omaha lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen, will meet in competitive drill on the evening of Saturday, April 13.

A number of Omaha Knights of Pythias paid a fraternal and social visit to Antiers lodge No. 72 of Elkhorn Wednesday night. The Antiers had work in the third degree and turned it over to the visiting brothers. A team from Nebraska, No. 1, assisted by Messrs. Blake and Rothholz of Triangle No. 34, put the work on in the best of form. After the business session a merry time was had for a couple of hours, songs and speeches being in order. Chancellor Commander Walsh of Nebraska No. 1 made a hit with his "copyrighted" song, "There's a Hole in the Bottom of the Sea." Refreshments were served, cigars smoked and everyone present was of the opinion that Antiers lodge was "the best ever." Among those present from Omaha were: Messrs. Walsh, Cady, N. Rothholz, Weinberg, Wulpi, Berg, Connoran, Dennis, Fife, J. Rothholz, Heath, Joy, Malone, Kalteire, Cowgar, Blake, Matthews, D. Rothholz and Lees.

At the masque ball of the Sons and Daughters of Protection last week prizes were won as follows: Women's prizes—First, Mrs. Wisenburg; second, Mrs. Christiauson; best costume, first, Miss Brayhill; second, Miss Miller; third, Miss Neilson. Men's prizes—First, George Mahoney; second, Bert Stiles; third, Mr. Neilson.

Druid camp, Woodmen of the World, gave a smoker at its club rooms, Twenty-fourth and Grant streets, Friday evening.

Banner lodge, Fraternal Union of America, entertained guests from the other lodges of the city Thursday evening.

The Royal Highlanders of Swan Swanton, Neb., celebrated the admission of women to full membership in the society with a banquet February 26. The annual statement of the society recently filed with the state auditor shows a remarkable growth for this Nebraska institution.

The entertainment committee of Omaha lodge, Star of Jupiter, for the month of March consists of Louie Schonlau, Miss Anna Kelly and Miss H. Moline.

A. L. Morcau, supreme manager of the Bankers' Union of the World, was present at the meeting of Harvard lodge February 27.

The Ben Hur Budget, the new paper of Mecca court, Tribe of Ben Hur, is much appreciated by the members of the order.

TROOPS ARRIVE FROM CUBA

Companies from Tenth Infantry to Relieve Garrisons of Western Forts.

The companies of the Tenth infantry, returning from service in Cuba, have left Chicago for the forts of the west, where they are to relieve the other companies which have been assigned to duty in the Philippines. Two companies came west on the Chicago & Northwestern to Missouri Valley, where they are to be transferred to the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley, one company being taken to Valentine for Fort Niobrara and the other to Fort Robinson. Next Tuesday there will be an outgoing movement from the same forts of the troops enroute to San Francisco, where they will embark for the Philippines.

Sues for Loss of Oil Wells.

PITTSBURG, March 2.—Four suits, aggregating in all $180,000, were entered today in the United States court against the Erie railroad to recover for the loss of oil wells located along the defendant company's road in McKean county, this state. During May of last year eighty-two oil well rigs and derricks were burned and the alleged cause is said to have been a spark from a locomotive on the Erie railroad. The plaintiffs are Sarah McKeown, McKean Bros. and the Baker Oil company.

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