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Coroner's Jury Exonerates Man Who Shot and Killed Hunziker.

AMBUSH FOR FRITCH WITH A CLUB

Two Men Assault Him and Force Him to Adopt Desperate Measure for Protection of His Life.

PAWNEE, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—The inquest over the body of William Hunziker, the man who was shot and killed east of Pawnee on Saturday evening, was held by Coroner Schappert today. The jury consisted of L. W. Leonard, J. R. Gossin, J. S. Frankenhoff, J. M. Miller, Abe Forney and Low Agnew.

The jury viewed the remains at the home of the father and then went to the scene of the trouble and viewed it. Testimony was then taken. It was developed that Hunziker and one Ulrich Lohberger had gone into the cornfield adjoining the road to lay for Fritch and when he appeared they stepped out with clubs and tried to knock his way. Hunziker struck at Fritch and Fritch stepped back and when Hunziker struck again Fritch drew a revolver and shot him. After deliberating until late in the afternoon the jury reached this verdict:

"That the said William Hunziker came to his death on the fourth day of January, 1902, by means of a gunshot wound inflicted by one Frank Fritch, and that said shooting and killing was not feloniously done, but in the lawful defense of his person."

Fritch is recovering and was able to be on the street this evening.

SERIOUSLY INJURES HIMSELF

North Bend Doctor Accidentally Shoots Himself and May Not Recover.

NORTH BEND, Neb., Jan. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. Doane accidentally shot himself through the side this morning at 9:15. There is little hope of his recovery. F. H. Doane, the North Bend physician who accidentally shot himself this morning, was brought to the Fremont hospital this forenoon. The bullet entered his right side and passed diagonally through the abdomen, coming out on the right side. His recovery is considered impossible.

CONTEST CASE IS REOPENED

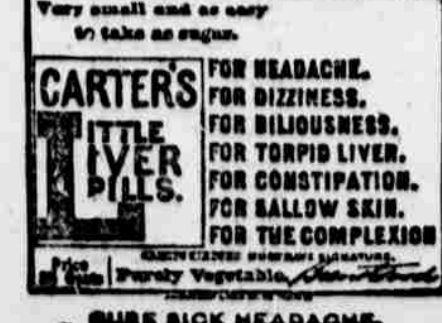
Fight for Office of Sheriff of Gage County is Reopened.

BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—A surprise in the Gage county contest case was sprung today when Attorney A. H. Kidd and L. W. Coby filed a petition in county court asking that the judgment and dismissal proceedings which were filed Saturday by the chairman of the

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

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CHANGE IN SUPREME COURT

Chief Justice Norval Will Retire Next Thursday.

BIBLE READING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Supreme Court to Pass Upon Daniel Freeman's Objections from Gage County—To Advance Omaha Savings Bank.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Chief Justice Norval will retire from the supreme court bench next Thursday and on the same day Judge-elect Sedgwick will take the oath of office as a member of the court. The retirement of Justice Norval will cause the promotion of Judge J. J. Sullivan to the position of chief justice. Mr. Norval will return to the practice of law in Seward, probably with the firm of Norval brothers.

Justice Norval will preside over the deliberations of the court tomorrow and Wednesday, but will take no matters under consideration that cannot be disposed of before his term expires. Judge Sedgwick will probably sit with the court and listen to any arguments that may be made, so that he will have a knowledge of all legal matters submitted at this week's sitting.

The oath of office for a member of the supreme court is similar to that required for all other judicial and executive officers, and is as follows:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of Nebraska, and will faithfully discharge the duties of judge according to the best of my ability, and that at the election, which I was chosen to fill said office I have not improperly influenced in any way the vote of any elector, and that I will not accept or receive, directly or indirectly, any money or thing of value in consideration of my office for any official act or influence.

Bible in Public Schools.

A case of interest to school people and school patrons that will soon be submitted to the supreme court for final judgment is that wherein Daniel Freeman of Gage county is seeking to restrain the authorities of that county from allowing certain portions of the bible to be read in the public schools. The legal proceedings were begun in the district court of Gage county in 1899. Freeman insists that a teacher in Gage county wrongfully and without legal authority read each day to her pupils certain portions of the bible, uniformly using the King James version, which is, he declares, an incorrect translation from the original tongue. Objection is also offered to the reading and singing of gospel hymns before the pupils.

In a brief filed this afternoon by the attorneys for the Gage county school district it is contended that the court cannot interfere with the discretion of the local board in the matter in question. The attorneys set up that the executive department of the state, through the department of public instruction, has constantly held the bible may be read and the Lord's prayer repeated in the public schools of the state; and further, that religion, morality and knowledge, being essential to good government, it shall be the duty of the legislature to pass suitable laws to protect every religious faith and to secure the peaceable enjoyment of its mode of public worship and to encourage schools and the means of instruction. It is pointed out that the exclusion of the bible and all references thereto from the public schools in the large cities have caused a positive damage to the state.

To Advance Omaha Savings.

All judges of the district court of the Second judicial district have indorsed a motion to the supreme court for the advancement of the case of the Omaha Savings bank against the City of Omaha. This action involves the legality of the special assessments for the expense of paving. The motion will be presented to the court at the sitting which begins tomorrow and it is thought likely that the case will be placed on the call for the second session in January.

Among the Cases assigned for hearing tomorrow or Wednesday are those instituted by former Attorney General Smyth against the Missouri Pacific and Rock Island railroads to collect penalties for alleged violation of freight rate laws. Another one is Farnham against the City of Lincoln, by which Dr. Farnham is seeking to have the court permanently restrain the city authorities from effecting a compromise of the case of the Omaha Savings bank against the City of Omaha. The principal office of the corporation will be in Omaha.

Acting Governor Steele.

Lieutenant Governor Steele, acting chief executive in the absence of Governor Sawyer, was at the state house for a brief period this afternoon. The signing of a few notarial commissions and other official papers was the only business requiring his attention.

The State Board of Public Lands and Buildings met this afternoon for the usual grant of accounts from the various state institutions and executive departments was presented for the board's consideration.

Narrow Escape from Fire.

The old Western Normal college building four miles southwest of the city had a narrow escape from fire this morning. Flames started in it early this morning and the building was threatened with destruction before much damage had resulted.

Change in Lincoln Charter.

As a reform movement several members of the Commercial club are agitating a change in the city charter that would provide for the election of councilmen by a vote at large, instead of by wards as under the present system. The suggestion is a stronger effort than ever before will be made to have it adopted by the legislature.

Another's Barbed Wire Sold

Justice Finck McCann as an accessory after the fact.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—S. A. McCann was fined \$5 and costs by Justice Hudson as an accessory after the fact upon the hearing of a complaint charging him with the theft of two spoons of barbed wire from August Beutcher's store, at Columbus. McCann was sentenced to prison for one year ago at Harrison, Sioux county, charged with the murder of A. L. Staudenmaier near Andrews, Sioux county. The jury has been secured and the first witness for the state has been called.

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Three Injured While Skating

Boy fractures a collarbone and two children break arms.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Three children in Columbus have sustained fractures while skating the last two days. Fred Baker fractured a collar bone and Ray Erskine and Besse Munro each broke an arm.

Water Meter Extension.

The Powell ordinance, extending to May 1, the time allowed water consumers to put in meters, was read the second time in the city council tonight and next Monday evening it will come up for passage. Under the existing ordinance all water users were required to have their meters installed by December 1, last year.

City Clerk Pratt says that over \$2,400 has been paid to the city in the last four months for water meters. The meters cost \$12.50 each and the expense of installation is about the same amount. It is said that seven-tenths of the consumers have already complied with the law.

Successor to Judge Sedgwick.

The supreme court is expected at the end of this week's sitting to name a successor to Judge Sedgwick, as member of the court commission. Prominent among those mentioned are: A. W. Lane of this city, J. B. Barnes of Norfolk, and B. C. Glanville of Grand Island. The appointment will be made by the court after reorganization.

Harrison and the Commoner.

Friends of W. J. Bryan assert that there is no foundation for the report that Mayor Carter Harrison of Chicago is to become one of the Chicago newspapers Sunday printed a story to the effect that Mr. Bryan had concluded an arrangement by which Mayor Harrison was to become his business associate at the end of his term of office. There is no one here with authority to speak relative to the statement in Mr. Bryan's absence, but those who stand close to the editor of the Commoner say they are confident Mr. Bryan has made no such arrangement.

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PACKERS HARD TO LOCATE

Only Two Are Served with Commerce Commission's Subpoenas.

OBJECTS OF THE INVESTIGATION

Member of Commission Says Will Examine Shipping Methods and Community of Interests, but Not Northern Securities.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Members of the Interstate Commerce commission gathered here today prepared to be an investigation tomorrow into the methods of shipping packing house products and dressed beef and also into the methods of combinations among railroads. Present plans are to probe into the handling of packing house products for two or three days and then to take up the more interesting community of interests matters.

United States Marshal Ames has succeeded in serving subpoenas on only two of the six packing house representatives who were wanted. The others are said to have fled at the rumor of a summons and have since remained under cover.

So far as known there is no intention of trying to get the master minds of railroad combinations before the commission. Commissioner Yeomans said on this point:

That will not be necessary. We have to deal with the present and the managers of railway properties and all we want to know is what they do after a combination has been effected; what is the result upon rates; how does it affect routing of freight; what is the manner and method of handling traffic under the community of interest plan that is different under the old plan; does it stifle competition, and a dozen other points which might be mentioned. With the Northern Securities company we have nothing to do and we do not propose investigating that.

BEATRICE WOMAN IS KILLED

Mabel I. Sisson, Wife of J. L. Ashby, Crushed by a Chicago Street Car.

BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—A message received here today announcing that Mabel I. Sisson was killed yesterday in a street car accident at Chicago, was a terrible shock to her widowed mother, Mrs. Mary H. Sisson, who lives here. Mabel was married last July to J. L. Ashby, a Chicago rubber molder, and came here to visit her mother during the holidays. She returned to her Chicago home Saturday and arrived in Beatrice yesterday forenoon. Mabel was born at East Saint Louis, Ill., twenty-four years ago and in 1879 came here with her parents. She was later employed by the Jones Dry Goods company of Kansas City as a clerk and remained in that capacity several years. She resigned to accept a traveling position with the Ayers Publishing company of Chicago. Her father, Dr. W. J. Sisson, who was widely known as an able physician, died nine years ago. Her husband, her mother and one brother, W. D. Sisson, a prominent business man of Fremont, survive her. Mabel was prominent here in social circles. Undertaker Rolston, who has charge of the remains, has been notified to prepare them for shipment to Beatrice, where interment will be made.

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LAYS EMBARGO ON PAPERS

Postmaster Says Advertisement is of Lottery Class and Refuses Mail Privileges.

NELSON, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The Gazette, Herald and Sun, three Nelson papers, were held up by the postmaster yesterday. A business firm had advertised a "grab sale," which consisted of goods put up in packages valued at from 25 cents to \$10, and the purchaser could take his choice for 25 cents. The postmaster took the position that it was a lottery and refused to pass the papers through the mail. The postmaster general has been asked for an opinion. In the meantime the advertisement in question is cut out, prior to mailing the papers.

Complaint is Filed Against the Lindsey Barber Who Assaulted Andrew Christensen.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—V. C. Connelly, the Lindsey barber, is charged in a complaint filed this morning in Justice Hudson's court with assault with intent to kill upon Andrew Christensen. The preliminary hearing will be deferred until Christensen, who is still in a somewhat serious condition from the terrible razor cut received from Connelly, is able to appear against the latter.

Judge Jensen Convenes Court.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Judge Paul Jensen arrived in Plattsmouth from Nebraska City today and convened district court. Most of the business of the court today was hearing of motions and demurs.

Nebraska Newspaper Doing.

W. H. Gibson and Charles S. Lewis have purchased the Wayne Republican. The Grand Island Independent has completed its eighteenth year as a daily. V. C. Connelly, who returned this morning from Chicago, says that most of the business of the court today was hearing of motions and demurs.

Theo. Gillespie Tells in a Few Words What Smith's Green Mountain Renovator Did for Him.

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