

YOUNG DONALD ELLER DIES

Father Refuses to Call Physician to Attend His Son.

CORONER WILL INVESTIGATE THE CASE

Medical Assistance Denied the Boy During His Illness of Three Weeks, Reliance Being Placed in Christian Science.

Donald Eller, aged 15, died at 7:45 yesterday morning at the home of his father, former County Judge J. W. Eller, 923 South Fortieth, after an illness of three weeks, during which time he had no medical attendance and was ministered to by only his father and a reader of the Christian Science church. The funeral, it is planned, will be at the home at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon and the burial at Exeter, Neb., the following morning.

At 1:30 yesterday afternoon Coroner Bralley saw County Attorney Shields and it was decided that an inquest shall be held at this time as the coroner may elect. To a reporter the prosecutor afterward said: "The inquest will be held that there may be a full investigation of the affair. Until that investigation is made I have nothing to give out and no comment to make."

Something Must Be Done. The mayor said further: "Something has to be done, for the body cannot be buried without a permit from the Board of Health and the board will not wish to grant such permit without a physician's certificate, or until the matter is disposed of in a post mortem examination. Judge Eller promised Dr. Ralph yesterday afternoon when Dr. Ralph called at the house that he would summon a doctor, but did not do so. This morning Undertaker Burket telephoned that the boy was dead."

City Physician J. B. Ralph said yesterday that he believed the boy died of typhoid fever. Mayor Moore said he felt that something should be done and is willing to do whatever devolves upon him, but considers the matter to be rather in the province of the county attorney. Coroner Bralley says he will be governed by the advice of that prosecutor.

Corroborating this Dr. Ralph said: "When Judge Eller let me see the boy, he called to some other practitioner yesterday afternoon he said he would if the boy grew worse. I answered that I wished his assurance with no qualifying 'if' in it, and he answered: 'All right, then,' which I naturally took as definite promise. This morning on my way to the house I met him coming from a telephone office and he told me the child was dead."

A reporter saw Judge Eller yesterday and was given this version of the story: "Three weeks ago tonight my son was out in a wagon with a crowd of young people and was showing them how fast he could back over the rear end of the wagon. While in this position, with his feet under the seat in front of him and his back across the rear end of the wagon box, someone in the crowd playfully struck him in the stomach. He complained of pains the next day and told his sister Frances of what had occurred. Very little attention was given to it and he played and ran around as usual the next day. Saturday night of that week he awakened at 1:30 o'clock and called to me for assistance, saying that his stomach was aching. I gave him Christian Science treatment and the next day he was up, but did not seem to take an unusual interest in the affairs as he usually did, though he seemed to be recovered. During the night he suffered pain for about an hour and a half. Sunday afternoon he again became sick and I called in C. W. Chadwick, first reader of the church, who since that time had charge of the case and administered treatment. The neighbors were allowed to be with us at this time. They diagnosed the case as typhoid fever, while I called it gastric fever. He seemed cold outside and hot on the inside. At this time I talked with him about a physician and he asked me if he had a doctor would he have to take medicine, and when I told him yes he said he wanted me to treat him.

No Use for Doctors. "He had been secretary of the Christian Science Sunday school and had demonstrations of his own, and I think knew more of the science than I did. I knew more of a doctor, nor did I agree to call in a doctor, for I did not believe one could do him any good. Dr. Ralph came to see me

MOULDERS' STRIKE IMMINENT

International Board Approves Demands of the Omaha Union.

UNION PACIFIC AFFAIR IS A LOCKOUT

Under Rules of Organization Workmen in Other Departments Will Not Be Allowed to Touch Non-Union Castings.

Within a week every moulder in the city of Omaha will be on a strike, unless the advance in wages requested by the union is conceded. At the time of the trouble at the Union Pacific shops each foundry in the city was requested to advance wages to 25 cents an hour. The moulder's union received 1 cent an hour in the Union Pacific shops and an average increase of 5 cents an hour in the other shops. When the Union Pacific shut down its foundry the moulder employed in the other foundries continued at work under protest until an approval of the moulder's union was received from the executive board of the international union.

Yesterday morning a telegram from Omaha announced that the demands of the Omaha union had been approved by the international executive board and that the board had also declared the Union Pacific shut-down a lockout. With the recognition of the lockout at the Union Pacific work was sent from national headquarters to the Featherstone foundry in Chicago, instructing members of the union there to refuse to work on Union Pacific jobs. It is said that the Featherstone foundry is a strictly union shop and that an attempt to force the work of the railroad into that foundry will cause every man to lay down his tools.

Members of the Moulders' union claim that the members of the Machinists' union and the Carpenters' union in the local shops of the railroad company will be asked to work on castings made by non-union men and that if a contract is made with a firm employing such men the majority of the present employees of the shops will be forced, under the rules of the unions to which they belong, to lay down their tools and walk out.

The regular meeting of the Moulders' union will be held Friday and it is believed that at that time action will be taken in regard to the shops of the city where men are still at work.

Railway Notes and Personalities.

General Agent Cheyne of the Northwestern line has returned from Kansas. Traveling Passenger Agent John Mellen of the Chicago and Northwestern railway is in Omaha.

General Passenger Agent E. L. Lomax of the Union Pacific railway has returned from San Francisco.

C. M. Rathburn, superintendent of the Missouri Pacific railway at Atchison, Kan., is in Omaha.

W. C. Watrous, superintendent of transportation of the Missouri Pacific railway, is in Omaha.

General Passenger Agent J. R. Buchanan of the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad went to Chicago last night.

Chauncey D. Mahanah has resigned his position as chief of the passenger department at Burlington headquarters, and Roland Honnell, has been appointed to the place.

Union Pacific passenger trains Nos. 1 and 101 were two hours late into Omaha, west-bound, yesterday owing to the derailment of a portion of No. 10 eastbound, near Boone, Ia., last night, causing some delay to all morning trains in both directions.

General Agent Riche of the Chicago & Northwestern railway at San Francisco formerly general agent in Omaha for the city Friday with the remains, through wife, which he will take to Stockton, Minn., for burial.

The Missouri Pacific railway has just replaced its sleeping cars on trains No. 1 and 10, running between Omaha and Kansas City, daily, with brand new Pullman sleepers. The cars are electric lighted and are furnished with comfortable berths. They have twelve sections and a drawing room.

CORNERSTONE AT AUDITORIUM

Directors Want to Have It Placed on July First if Possible.

The Board of Directors of the Auditorium company has decided that the cornerstone of the auditorium building shall be laid July 1, if it is possible to make an arrangement to that effect. When the board met the subject of subscriptions was taken up and a discussion by several of the members and the president at length. It was the consensus of opinion that better results could be obtained from solicitation after the walls of the building appeared above the ground and it was informally decided to do little more in the way of raising subscriptions until after that time. The promotion committee called for help on its plans for the sale of common stock and was empowered to increase its membership if desirable.

A plan for raising funds on auditorium day was presented and in that connection it was said that besides all stationary members of the company should bear the label of the allied printing trades. The board adjourned to meet Friday of next week.

Children Like It. "My little boy took the croup one night," says F. D. Reynolds of Mansfield, O., "and grew so bad you could hear him breathe all over the house. I thought he would die, but a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure relieved and sent him to sleep. That's the last we heard of the croup." One Minute Cough Cure is absolutely safe and acts at once. For coughs, colds, croup, grip, asthma and bronchitis.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The last work on last year's grading contracts is just completed except for a strip of sidewalk on the avenue from Twenty-third to Thirty-eighth streets, which is delayed by a controversy over the grade.

The remains of Mrs. Harvey Morse were sent to Bedford, Mass., yesterday for burial, after a funeral service conducted by Rev. Martin of the residence of Harvey Morse, a son, 234 Dewey avenue. Mrs. Morse was 71 years of age and was the wife of A. D. Morse, deceased. Mrs. Harvey Morse accompanied the remains.

Frank Matthews was arrested Wednesday afternoon by Henry Roman, deputy United States marshal, on charge of giving liquor to Indians. The deputy marshal saw him give a bottle of whiskey to George Whiteheads and confiscated the liquor. He was held until the morning of the grand jury now in session. George Thomas has been arrested and bound over on the same charge.

The Paxton-Gallagher company has leased the five-story building east of the present location of the company's warehouse. This additional space will give them an increased floor area of 21,760 feet. The factory for the grinding of glass used for storage purposes.

Judge Baxter has made an order, returnable next Saturday, for the body of the deceased of Shuler D. Becker, in jail at South Omaha. Shuler relates that he is selling rugs for a foreign company at 212½ South Omaha. The payments to be made on the installment plan, and that he was delivering a rug to Mrs. A. J. Kuhn Tuesday when he was arrested on a charge of peddling without a license. He was held and thrown into jail to serve out the amount of his fine and costs.

The Secretary of the Commercial club has received a letter from Secretary Steinhart of the Nebraska City Commercial club inviting the members who accompany the excursion train next week to take lunch with the Nebraska City organization when they are in that city. The manufacture of commercial men of Nebraska City are preparing "home-made" sandwiches, which the principal viands served will be manufactured in the city. The club will arrange to accept the invitation.

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Considerable interest is manifest in the result of the election of officers in the Grand Army of the Republic, which will meet at Omaha May 21. At the meeting held last year at Plattsmouth a new plan for the election of officers was inaugurated. Previous to that time it had been the custom to stand the officers in the order of their elevating, the senior vice commander being elected as commander and all officers moving up one grade. At the Plattsmouth meeting an attempt was made to overthrow this precedent and it succeeded insofar as the election of junior vice commander was concerned, the present incumbent, J. R. Maxon of Linden, having been elected on a platform in which he pledged himself not to be a candidate for re-election to a higher office.

Lieutenant Governor Steele was elected senior vice commander before the junior vice commander was chosen, so it is claimed that he is in no way bound by the victory of the anti-successionists and that he is therefore the logical candidate for commander. Friends of other members of the order do not take this view of the case and Judge Lee Estelle of Omaha has been mentioned as a candidate. The contest between these parties is being warmly waged by their friends, while there is talk of springing a dark horse on the eve of the election who will carry off all of the votes not pledged to either of the recognized candidates.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the encampment is meeting with success in raising funds and all will be ready for the encampment. The Grand Army of the Republic will occupy rooms in Washington hall for the transaction of business and the Women's Relief corps will have a hall in the Patterson building at Seventeenth and Farnam streets as its headquarters.

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