

COLBY AND SUMMERS MEET

Former Adjutant General Comes to Omaha in Reference to His Trouble.

NOT POSTED AS TO DETAILS OF CHARGE

Is Engaged in Prosecution of Notorious Deceits in Kansas—Does Not Come on Summary.

General Leonard W. Colby of Beatrice, former adjutant general of Nebraska, and against whom it is reported that a bill was passed by the federal grand jury Thursday evening, is in the city.

"I have just returned from Norton county, Kansas, where I am engaged in the prosecution of the Deceits for which they stand charged in the ranch case. We have just completed the preliminaries for the trial, which will take place in Norton county under a change of venue in February next."

"In reference to my case before the federal grand jury here, I can say nothing just at present, as I do not know what I am charged with. All that I know of it is what has appeared in the papers. The purpose of my visit here is to consult with District Attorney Summers, and until I know the full nature of the charges I do not care to say anything."

"I have not read the papers today, and having traveled all night in addition to a thirty-mile buggy drive from St. Francis to Benkelman, where I took the train for Omaha Thursday, I am pretty tired. I am not prepared to say what will finally result until I know more of the case. No, I was not summoned to Omaha. I came of my own volition. I expect to return to Beatrice this evening."

Captain Murdock Here.

The presence of Captain C. M. Murdock of Wymore at the federal building, coincident with the appearance of General Colby, gives rise to the presumption that he may have been summoned here in the case against General Colby.

Captain Murdock was formerly commander of the Wymore battery, Nebraska National Guard, and there was a considerable coldness between the two officers during General Colby's term as adjutant general, which finally resulted in the retirement of Captain Murdock from the National Guard through the expiration of Captain Murdock's commission and his failure of reappointment.

Captain Murdock maintains, however, that his visit to Omaha is a private matter and that he is here simply to solicit Mr. Summers' endorsement for his candidacy. He holds that as the reappointment of Mr. Summers is impossible and that Mr. Lindsay's chances are also very uncertain, he may capture the plum.

It was stated at the federal building that Elliott Love had given bond and that Judge Munger had passed on its sufficiency.

Cite New Witnesses.

William Sheasby, J. T. Steele, W. T. Johnson, E. N. Hayman and E. A. Francis of Hastings, have been summoned before the federal grand jury to testify in the matter of the cost of the removal of the Hastings postoffice from its old to its present location.

STEALS SWEETHEART'S COAT

Man Takes Jacket While Girl is Absent and Latter Has Him Arrested.

"I don't consider it stealing to take a girl's jacket away with me," said Madsen Johnson, who was arraigned in police court on complaint of his sweetheart, Nellie Gibson, who alleged that he stole a fur-lined jacket from her room at the Oxford hotel while she was down town.

"I went out to hunt her up," continued Johnson, "but I couldn't find her, so I 'hooked' the jacket. I didn't think she'd care."

But Miss Gibson did care and appeared in court to testify against the young man. The jacket was recovered from the pawn shop and restored to its owner, and Johnson will do thirty days in the county jail for his part in the transaction.

RECTOR OF ST. LUKE'S.

Ashburnham, Ontario, Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

ASHBURNHAM, Ont., April 18, 1903.—I think it is only right that I should tell you what a wonderful effect Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has produced. The day before Easter I was so distressed with a cold and cough that I did not think to be able to take any duties the next day, as my voice was almost choked by the cough.

The same day I received an order from you for a bottle of your Cough Remedy. I at once procured a sample bottle, and took about three doses of the medicine. To my great relief the cough and cold had completely disappeared and I was able to preach three times on Easter Day. I know that this rapid and effective cure was due to your Cough Remedy. I make this testimonial without solicitation, being thankful to have found such a God-sent remedy. Respectfully yours,

E. A. LANFELDT, M. A., Rector of St. Luke's Church.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who showed us so much kindness, sympathy and assistance, in our late bereavement, the loss of our beloved husband, son and brother. (Signed) Mrs. Mary Goldsborough, Andrew Goldsborough and Family.

Cannot Pay Back Hire.

Fred Stray and Henry Newman of South Omaha, the latter a saloon keeper, were before Judge Berka charged with refusing to pay Harry Corbett, hack driver, for services rendered and which, beginning at 8 p. m. Thursday night, lasted until 5 a. m. the following morning. Evidence adduced showed that Newman, at the time Stray had contracted for the rig and at the end of the ride was not able to pay the \$6 required. Stray was fined \$5 and costs.

Don't Scold

Irritability is a nervous affection. Strengthen the nerves with Dr. Miles' Nervine. Sleep better, eat better, work better. Feel better, and be better. Sold everywhere. Book on nerves for postal.

UNDER CHARGE OF PERJURY

Police Officer William Colter Pleads Not Guilty in Judge Berka's Court.

Police Officer William Colter, of South Omaha, who was arrested a week ago by Detective Donahue on complaint of John T. Connolly, was arraigned in police court yesterday to answer to a charge of perjury and pleaded not guilty.

The complainant, Connolly, is the Wyoming cattleman who lately instituted damage proceedings before County Judge Slaughter to recover \$60,000 from the Union Pacific Railroad company for the loss of both legs below the knee sustained on the morning of August 11, 1902, in the company's yards at South Omaha.

Colter, who was a witness at the trial, testified to a certain conversation he alleged having had with Connolly just after the accident. The words used by Connolly and to which Colter testified in the county court, were in answer to questions put by himself and to which questions Connolly had replied in effect:

"It was my own fault," and "I was trying to climb between the cars while the train was moving."

To both of the alleged statements Connolly, through his attorney, T. J. Mahoney, took exceptions, Connolly asserting that he had had no such conversation with Colter or anyone else, and had made no such statements either in substance or in those exact words.

The case was continued until January 6, 1904, when the court will hear arguments from opposing counsel.

MATERIAL GAINS BEING MADE

Improvement is Realized by Board of Review in Work Over Last Year.

Material gains are being made in personal property assessments by the Board of Review in the cases of wealthy citizens who have come off lightly in the past. The board has asked that the names of the individuals be suppressed, and all the cases who have been summoned this year have acted in what the board considers a fair and generous manner.

Yesterday the assessment of a retired real estate dealer was fixed at \$30,000. Last year it was less than \$1,000. Another well known man, a merchant, had his assessment raised from \$5,000 to \$42,000, which was the amount of the voluntary return the board induced him to give.

Hayden Bros, and the Boston store have been increased \$10,000 each over the assessments made upon them last year, the former at \$17,700 and the latter at \$18,000. The American Hand-Sewed Shoe company was raised to \$10,000 from its voluntary return of \$100,000. The Bennett department store is being considered by the board. As it is made up of many departments, each owned and controlled by different parties, the listing is taking time and will not be complete for a day or two.

In the matter of the estate of the late Dean Campbell Fair, R. S. Hall, administrator, the proposed assessment of \$115,000 was not made, because the property was found to be somewhat complicated in shape, being widely distributed and at present under probate proceedings in several courts. The comparatively small amount was agreed upon.

THE PEOPLE ALL

In Chorus Cried, Give Us Newbro's Herpicide.

This word of late has been in everyone's mouth, and many are wondering what the word signifies, though no one has yet been found who will deny that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE does the work. Well, for the information of thousands of people who like to know all about a good thing, we would say that HERPICIDE means, a destroyer or killer of "Herpes." Now "Herpes" is the family name of a disease caused by various vegetable parasites.

A similar microbe causes dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair; this is the microbe that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE promptly destroys after which the hair grows bold by leading druggists. Send for a sample to The Herpicide Co., Dept. 511, Mich. Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., special agents.

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM.

One More Homeowner's Excursion.

Oklahoma is southern in point of geographical position. The people are western in their aggressiveness and untiring energy; they are eastern in their educational facilities and lines of thought; they are northern in their methods of farming. The territory possesses the happy medium in its kindly climate, and the ability to bring forth the products that are native to the north, east, south and west of the United States.

The raising of live stock is one of the most profitable pursuits. The pasturage is rich in verdant grasses and wholesome water, while the mild, dry winters make it possible to turn the cattle into the growing wheat fields. Horses, mules, Angora goats, sheep and hogs are raised as cheaply as in any other state in the union.

There is much walnut and oak, hickory, pine, and the lumber production runs into millions of feet annually.

The taxable valuation of the territorial books show more than \$65,000,000 taxable and \$75,000,000 of real wealth. There are now about 107,000 children attending the public schools of Oklahoma and the population is 98 per cent of American birth and 97 per cent are under the age of 50. More than 80 per cent of the population owns its own homes and 80 per cent of the settled farms are now endowed with quick assets above the value of the land in the shape of live stock, farming implements, storage stocks and dairy supplies.

One more Homeowner's excursion via Rock Island System to points in the south-west—December 15.

Full information at this office. F. F. Rutledge, D. P. A., 123 Farnam street, Omaha, Neb.

DIED.

MANVILLE—Freeland J. December 9, 1903, aged 70 years, 7 months and 15 days. Funeral services will be held from St. Barnabas church, Nineteenth and California streets, Saturday, December 12, 1903, at 11:30 a. m. Remains will be placed in receiving vault at Forest Lawn cemetery. ELLINGWOOD—Mrs. Mary aged 87 years, at her home, 188 North Seventeenth street, at 11:30 p. m., Thursday, December 10.

Funeral from late residence, 188 North Seventeenth street, at 7 o'clock p. m., Saturday, December 12. Interment, Prospect Hill cemetery. Friends invited.

Barrios Diamonds Confiscated

DECLARED GENUINE HELD FOR \$275,000.00 DUTY

Wm. Theobald, Secret Service Expert of the Treasury Department, arrests representatives of the Barrios Diamond Co. as smugglers.

A RACE ACROSS THE CONTINENT. Read the accompanying clipping.

Barrios Diamonds are positively the finest imitation on earth. If they can fool officials who have made the study of diamonds a business for years, you certainly can wear them with perfect assurance.

Advertisement for Barrios Diamonds jewelry. Includes images of various pieces like Star Sunburst or Pendant, Large Marquise Ring, Cuff Buttons, Flat Belcher, Grecian Scroll Brooch, Solitaire Stud, Round Belcher, Solitaire Screw Earrings, Twin Cluster Ring, Small Marquise Ring, and Cuff Buttons. Each item is described and priced.

IMPORTANT. BARRIOS DIAMONDS HAVE NEVER BEFORE BEEN SOLD IN THIS CITY. DO NOT CONFOUND THEM WITH THE WORTHLESS IMITATIONS SOLD AS BRINE STONES, ALASKAN, BOLIVIA, BRAZILIAN, OR LA PERLA DIAMONDS.

HAYDEN BROTHERS

MAYOR CONSIDERS IT A HOLDUP

After Investigation He Regards Locust Street Deal as Attempt to Fleece City.

"There is now no question in my mind but that the Locust street deal is more or less of a holdup game against the city," said Mayor Moore.

"I think the latter body should repeal the ordinance passed, now that protests have been made and the affair has been so thoroughly exposed by The Bee."

A. H. MERCHANT IS SECRETARY

Former Railroad Man Unanimous Choice of the Omaha Grain Exchange.

Amos H. Merchant is the secretary of the Omaha Grain exchange. Mr. Merchant was formerly assistant general freight agent of the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley road in this city.

MAYNARD FUNERAL SUNDAY

Late Pioneer of Iowa and Nebraska Will Be Buried Under Masonic Auspices.

Merwin Maynard, assistant ticket agent at the Union Transfer depot in Council Bluffs, who died this week, will be buried Sunday.

MANY PERMITS FOR BUILDING

Much Work is Contemplated, Despite the Presence of the Cold Weather.

Winter appears to have no effect whatever upon the building boom, and the records of the city building department show that it continues despite the cold weather.

OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee each and every stone to retain its brilliancy forever and the mounting to give perfect satisfaction.

HAZARD IN RAILROAD YARDS

One Prisoner Confesses to Theft, While His Pal Pleads Not Guilty.

Marion Elmore, alias John Smith, and John White, alias John Sullivan, were arraigned in police court for the theft of four boxes of rubbers from the B. & M. freight depot Thursday night.

THE BEE BUILDING

is conducted for the well being and comfort of its tenants. It is constantly under the watchful care of an able superintendent.

SUITE 322—This suite of offices consists of a waiting room and a large private office. It faces the broad corridor around the beautiful court of the building and has a north light, which is sought after by artists and physicians.

SUITE 305—This is the only large suite in the Bee Building. It faces Farnam street and is as handsome a suite as there is in the building.

Photo calendars free with Christmas orders. Photographer, 121 Farnam street.

Advertisement for The Bee Building. Includes an illustration of a man in a suit and hat, and text describing the building's features and rental information.