

SHERCLIFFE STAYS IN IOWA

Governor Holds Requisition from Oklahoma Is Futile.

INDICATES WOULD HONOR PROPER PAPERS

Promises, However, to Give Thomas an Opportunity to Be Heard in Case Papers Are Corrected and Returned.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DEB MOINES, June 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Governor Cummins today refused a requisition to Sheriff Jung for Frank Shercliffe, on the grounds that the showing of evidence that he was a fugitive from justice was insufficient. The indictment was presented without any of the evidence on which it was based. The governor held that under the Iowa statute this was insufficient.

Elmer Thomas was asked by the governor if he thought there was warrant for holding Shercliffe in Iowa so long merely to have him for a witness. Thomas thought warrant and precedent could be found. Governor Cummins expressed grave doubt on that point and said all requisitions had been refused before because of insufficient evidence that Shercliffe was a fugitive. Sheriff Lund was unrepresented by an attorney and in his own statement said a mere indictment was sufficient in California, Montana and many other states where he had gone, and thought it should do here. In case Lund perfects his papers Thomas was promised a hearing on the pretense that the indictment was inspired by Denison and his friends.

BIG CLASS GRADUATES AT AMES

Exercises Held in Large Pavilion of the Campus.

AMES, Ia., June 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Today marked the closing exercises of commencement week for the year 1905 at the Iowa State college. The largest class by far in the history of the institution, surrounded by parents and a host of friends, gathered in the large pavilion which had been erected in the center of the campus for the occasion to witness the closing ceremonies and to receive that which they had striven for the last four years, their diplomas. Fully 1,000 people were assembled for the program, which was opened by a selection from the college band.

The principal address of the day was delivered by Prof. Frederick J. Turner, Ph. D., of the University of Wisconsin. His subject, "The Contributions of the West to the American Democracy," proved to be a masterpiece of thought and oratory. The conferring of degrees upon those who had completed the courses was under the supervision of Dr. A. R. Storms, president of the college. There has never been such an elaborate program carried out at commencement week at this school as has been done here the last week.

CONTRACT FOR BIG DITCH IS LET

Large Amount of Land to Be Drained by It.

ONAWA, Ia., June 8.—(Special Telegram.)—The contract for the big Monona-Harrison ditch, the largest drainage ditch in Iowa, was let today by the joint boards of the two counties at Onawa. Many contractors were present, but only four bids were submitted. The recent court decision requiring contractors to advance money for damages before commencing work, scared out many bidders at the last minute. Section one, including dams and cutoffs of the Little Sioux river, was let to the Chicago-Cornel Construction company for 12 1/2 cents per cubic yard. Sections two and three were let to the Perry-Kosel Construction company of Boise City, Idaho, for 12 and 12 1/2 cents per yard and lateral number one went to Fred Crane, a Monona county man, at 11 cents. There is estimated to be 2,712 cubic yards in the work. The job will amount to approximately \$600,000 and is thought to be one of the most important improvements ever undertaken in Iowa. Seventy-six thousand acres of land is expected to be reclaimed and made good corn land.

SYNOUD OPENS WITH A CONCERT

Thirty-Two Applicants for Ordination Pass Examinations.

STANTON, Ia., June 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Despite the threatening weather this evening, the grand concert which opens the session of the Augustana synod, given by the famous Wenneberg chorus, was attended by a large congregation. The large church was filled. The work of examining the applicants for ordination was completed by the executive committee today. Thirty-two applicants were examined, all of whom were passed favorably. Among these is Dr. Andrew, the president of the synod, who has been one of those who will be ordained Sunday will go out as foreign missionaries. Opening services are at 10 o'clock tomorrow. At 2 o'clock the synod will organize. Meet officers and transact business. The business meeting is to be continued Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Sunday is ordination day. Monday is set aside for missions. Tuesday evening the confirmation society of the church will have charge of the services. The delegation will be completed tomorrow.

Pythians at Sioux Falls.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., June 8.—(Special.)—The grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, of South Dakota, convened here and is holding its annual session, which will extend over two days. There was a large attendance at the opening session, which was open to the public. The sessions are being held in the rooms of Granite lodge No. 18 of this city. J. H. Black of the executive committee, having in charge the arrangements for the grand lodge meeting, called the grand lodge to order and introduced Mayor George W. Burnside, who welcomed the visiting Knights of Pythias to the city on behalf of the people of Sioux Falls. Sol Star of Deadwood made a response on behalf of the members of the grand lodge. Chancellor Commander Christian of Granite lodge welcomed the visiting knights to the city on behalf of the local knights. Mr. Biebeck of the grand lodge made a response. The local knights have provided various entertainments for their visiting brethren.

South Dakota Dentists.

MITCHELL, S. D., June 8.—(Special Telegram.)—The State Dental society finished its work this afternoon and adjourned and the banquet which was called off because so many of the dentists desired to return home. The attendance has been good and much clinical work was accomplished, this being under the direction of Dr. Reeves of Chicago and Dr. Hildebrand of Waterloo, Ia. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. H. H. Jackson of Platteville; vice president, Dr. Wilson of Miller; secretary, Dr. W. F. Price of Vermillion; treasurer, Dr. Charles McDowell of Alexandria.

Two Indicted by Fraud.

ST. PAUL, June 8.—The federal grand jury reported true bills against William T. Horsnell of St. Paul and Royal B. Stearns of Pierre, S. D., who are accused of conspiracy to defraud the United States out of about \$1,000,000 of homestead lands in North Dakota through fraudulent homestead entries.

CURRENT LITERATURE.

The Harpers announce that the second set of five volumes in the important series of the American Nation will not be published all at one time, as were the first five. Instead, the volumes will appear at the rate of one a month during the coming summer. The next in the series, volume VI, will probably be issued in June. It is written by Prof. Everts B. Greene of the Illinois State university, and bears the title of Provincial America. The single story of a nation, wrought by a quarter of a hundred pair of hands, is an event of the utmost importance in the literary world, in which all intelligent persons must feel a lively interest. The excellence of the result, however, is attested by the fact that the authors of the separate volumes are specialists in their respective subjects. Unity is given to the series by the able editorship of Prof. A. B. Hart of Harvard university.

Among more than 30 distinct contributions to the Youth's Companion's five June issues will be articles by Carroll D. Wright, Prof. Dudley Sargent, Helen Keller and David Burdum, the authority on the care and training of horses; stories by Margaret Johnson, Winifred Kirkland, the writer of college stories; Finley Ames, Jr., Carroll Watson Rankin and others, who are always to be counted upon to delight the Companion's audience.

The World Today has surpassed itself in the World Recreation number in variety of topics and illustration. It would be hard to find a 25-cent magazine that would appeal to as cosmopolitan taste and diverse likings as this 10-cent periodical does in this latest issue.

It is now fifteen years since the Outlook began its annual practice of publishing about the list of June a special illustrated number having to do with out-of-door life, vacation experiences and recreation generally. As usual, the Recreation number for this year contains a large variety of articles and several scores of pictures.

The Garden Magazine for June is a superbly illustrated number of this most practical of all out-of-door publications. From the "Gardener's Reminder" on the first page, telling the actual things to do, to the many departments on "Hardy Borders," "Annual Flowers," the "Bulbs," "Water Gardens" and the like, it covers the subject of planting and of growing flowers, vegetables and fruits during the month, in the most adequate way.

The June issue of Country Life in America is the annual vacation number and is the strongest outdoor issue of the magazine in its history. It gives 100 vacation experiences, ranging from deep sea yachting in a small boat to an automobile in the wilderness of the Canadian mountains. And the 100 first hand experiences are so many hints for each reader of the methods in which he can plan his own vacation.

"Personal Magnetism and Auto-Suggestion" is the title of the leading article in Suggestion for June, a magazine of the New Psychology of which is Chicago. The magazine advocates the theory that correct mental attitudes have far-reaching effects on every condition of life, and that all have inherent psychic powers which may be cultivated with great profit.

The Reader Magazine for June contains the first installment of Meredith Nicholson's new story, "The House of a Thousand Candles," which will run through seven numbers of the magazine. The story is conceived by those who have had an opportunity of reading it to be by far the most vivid, intense and virile novel Mr. Nicholson has produced.

Mayor Dunne of Chicago, General O. O. Howard, Charles Warren, Stoddard, Dallas Lore Sharp head the list of contributors to the June National Magazine. Mayor Dunne's theme is "Chicago and Municipal Ownership," and he declares there are \$50,000,000 of water in the stocks of the Chicago street railways that will never be paid for by the city.

The June number of The Booklovers Magazine is particularly full of timely and well illustrated articles. There are four beautiful pictures in color, including Webster's celebrated portrait of himself, now in the Louvre. There is also a most interesting group of full-page pictures of famous American illustrators in their studios.

A glance through the beautifully illustrated pages of the June Housekeeper is sufficient to show why this up-to-date publication has come to be known as the "Magazine of the Housewife." In one or other of the many practical departments, edited by experts, the busy housewife will find solutions for all of her daily problems. In addition to help and instruction there is much of entertainment in the number.

Emerson Hough's recent resignation from the editorship of "Field and Stream" left him with more leisure to work at his own contributions to outdoor literature. In the June Country Calendar he gives in detail the best time to go to the field, the best time to go to the woods, the best time to go to the water, the best time to go to the mountains, the best time to go to the lakes, the best time to go to the rivers, the best time to go to the sea.

Back to Her First Love

Woman Sues Second Husband and Asks for Name of the First.

Jane A. Cobb is suing Almond W. Cobb in the district court for a divorce. She was the widow of Hugh M. Gallissey when she married Mr. Cobb at Blair, Mo., in January, 1898, and she desires to resume the name of her first husband if she gets the divorce. Her petition—on which the husband accepts service and waives summons—alleges that he was guilty of cruelty in compelling her to work in the fields on their farm and then when the harvest was gathered, as she alleges, he would take the proceeds and spend it as he pleased. She further alleges that he abused and threatened her, and in January last took all the farm tools, live stock and grain and left her.

Peruna Wins a Suit.

The question of a company having a contract with a patent medicine house to handle their goods and sell only to druggists who are not cutters, has been decided in the circuit court, to the effect that plaintiff has a right to replevin goods thus sold to defendant. This action was taken by Samuel E. Hartman, proprietor of Peruna, against McKesson & Robbins, a firm of druggists, who had been buying Peruna in carload lots. It developed that they had made a deal with John D. Park & Co., who are dealers of cutters for the Park & Co. to have a car of Peruna. As they attached the goods and the court sustained them, and also has issued an order compelling witness, Ambro R. Parks, to testify as to where he gets his goods, he having refused on the grounds that it was a trade secret.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Swit to Determine Liability of Live Stock Exchange for Taxes.

FRIENDLY PROCEEDING IS STARTED

Treasurer Howe Sends Out Distress Warrants in Eleven Cases and is Expecting Early Returns from Court.

Thursday afternoon E. E. Ridgeway, personal tax collector in the employ of City Treasurer Howe, served eleven distress warrants at the Live Stock exchange. These warrants were served for the purpose of bringing about a friendly suit. The personal taxes declared delinquent by the city treasurer are for the years 1903 and 1904. In a number of cases those who are claimed to be delinquent assert that the property has been overvalued. It is understood that those who were served with the distress warrants will hold a meeting and secure an attorney to replevin the property, supposed to have been taken under the distress warrants.

City Treasurer Howe expects that by Monday he will be served with an order from the district court preventing him from selling the property listed in the distress warrants. About \$1,500 in taxes is involved in the eleven cases.

At the city treasurer's office it is stated that by taking this procedure the persons owing personal taxes will be given an opportunity of getting the amount and proving, if possible, that the assessments for the two years mentioned is too high. There is no feeling in the matter and this course was agreed upon some days ago by Treasurer Howe and some of those on whom distress warrants were served. Mr. Howe is very anxious to have the courts pass upon this question, as he has no desire to go ahead with distress warrants unless he has a perfect right to do so under the law. This question is one which will be closely followed by the persons who are still in arrears in the payment of personal taxes. The understanding seems to be that every effort will be made by both sides to secure an early hearing of the cases, in order that the treasurer may know what action to take in the future.

Workmen Elect Officers.

Ancient Order of United Workmen lodge No. 66 elected these officers at the last meeting: Dr. Foulke, master workman; J. P. Offerman, foreman; J. P. Wolf, overseer; William Wanner, guide; J. R. Jordan, recorder; C. W. Miller, secretary; W. R. Rich, financier; William Mills, chairman of trustees; William Mills, captain of degree team. These officers are elected for six months.

Want More Information.

W. J. Hayes & Sons, who purchased the \$70,000 city hall bonds, are now after additional information. Thursday City Clerk Gillin received a letter from these Cleveland bankers asking for a certified copy of the amended South Omaha charter. Clerk Gillin has written to Lincoln to see if it is possible to secure a certified copy of senate roll No. 138. As soon as this copy is received it will be forwarded to Hayes & Sons. There is liable to be some delay in securing this copy, and the assumption is that the time limit on the bonds will be extended a few days as the Hayes bank has shown so much interest in the bonds, and the securities are now being lithographed.

Highland Park Club Meeting.

This evening the Highland Park Improvement club will meet at the Lincoln school to consider questions relating to the district. It is expected that definite action will be taken in regard to the opening of Twenty-fifth street from A street to the Boulevard. A committee is to report on a petition for grading street, and also on the prospects of a viaduct connecting A street at F street. The repaving of Twenty-fourth street will be talked over. A committee is to be appointed to look after the taxation before the Board of Review. Arrangements are being made for a picnic of the members of the club at Highland park.

Curfew Signals Again.

Alexander Hogeland was in South Omaha Thursday afternoon calling upon city officials in the interest of the curfew signal. Arrangements were made with R. C. Howe, general manager of the Armour company, for the blowing of a whistle at 9 p. m. each night from now until October 1. This whistle will be the signal for children to get in off the streets. From October 1 until March 1 the whistle will be blown at 8 p. m.

Malone-Dalton Wedding.

Miss Josephine Malone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Malone of Omaha, and Mrs. M. Dalton of Palmyra, Neb., were married Wednesday at St. Bridget's church. Rev. O'Callahan officiated. The bride is one of the well known and popular young women of South Omaha and the groom is a prominent business man at Palmyra. Shortly after the ceremony the couple left for Denver, where they will visit friends for a couple of weeks.

Russell May Recover.

Albert Russell, who was run over in the railroad yards Wednesday afternoon, is doing nicely at the Omaha hospital. Russell's right leg was amputated above the knee and the nurses at the hospital said last evening that he was recovering from the shock nicely. Owing to the age of Russell and the fact that he is weak goes against him, but the attending physicians hope for his recovery.

Janitors Finish Work.

The janitors in the employ of the Board of Education completed putting the school-houses in order Thursday and will be dismissed for the summer. Members of the board assert that every school building was cleaned thoroughly and that the boilers and ventilating apparatus had been gone over so that everything will be in readiness for the opening of the buildings in September. Now that the schools have closed the contractors who will build additions to the Madison, Corrigan and Lincoln schools will be expected to get to work at once.

Held to District Court.

John Sivinski was given a hearing in police court Thursday afternoon on the charge of obtaining money on worthless checks. Sivinski was taken into custody last Saturday night. Just prior to his arrest Sivinski endeavored to pass a worthless check at Wolstein's saloon. Twenty-sixth and O streets. He became alarmed at the delay in cashing the paper and hurriedly left the place. A check on the railroad tracks Sivinski was captured and employed of the Wolstein company and turned over to an officer. Police Judge King held Sivinski to the district court in the sum of \$500.

Magie City Gossp.

E. P. Roggen, deputy city clerk, is again on duty, after a week's illness. Charles Carlson returned yesterday from Portland, Ore., where he visited friends for a few days. Jack Haaberg, fire chief at Cudahy's, leaves today for Madison, Wis., to spend a two weeks' vacation. Thomas Keith and wife of Emerson, Neb., are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Wheeler for a few days. Frank W. Clifford and wife left yesterday for the Pacific coast. They will visit the Portland exposition. The police are busy again picking up vagrants before they reach the rock pile gang will be going in full blast. Quite a number of Iowa farmers attending the tournament at Council Bluffs visited the packing houses here yesterday. John H. Hoffman, collector in South Omaha for the Omaha Gas company, was married to Miss Maud C. Rowe, 419 North Sixteenth street, Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman will reside at 917 North Twentieth street.

CHINNY WILL BE SAFE HERE

Cigarette-Smoking Monkey Need Not Fear Law When He Comes to Omaha.

Chinny, the cigarette-smoking monkey of the Forepaugh-Bell Bros. show, which arrives in Omaha Sunday and exhibits Monday, will not have the trouble he did recently in Indiana, for the anti-cigarette law enacted by the last Nebraska legislature is not yet in effect.

The wily and practical joker and the refusal of an Indiana constable to be buffeted caused considerable trouble recently for the managers of the show. The joker, giving his name as John Jones, swore out a warrant before the city judge for the arrest of the monkey, which was held in the city on a charge of smoking cigarettes. The complaint was later transferred to another court and placed in the hands of a constable to serve.

On his arrival at the grounds the constable took his revolver and handcuffed him, and the warrant, demanding of the gate man that he be shown at once into the presence of the offending Chinny. Considerable trouble was had in gaining entrance to the tent, but after finding the manager and securing the aid of two constables, the constable finally was admitted to the main tent, where he was informed Mr. Chinny would be found.

Upon entering the officer was startled by a loud angry cry directly in front of him. He took a step forward and halted, looking squarely at the offending Chinny. Considerable surprise was manifest on the constable's face when he was informed that Chinny was no less a personage than the monkey, which he had seen before him, who even at the time held a partially smoked "coffin tack" between his teeth. The constable stared at the placard on the monkey's cage, which read: "Mr. Chinny, the Monkey that Smokes Cigarettes."

The constable insisted, however, that Chinny go to jail with him, claiming that even if he were a monkey he should have better judgment than to smoke cigarettes in defiance of the new anti-cigarette law in Indiana. The manager of the show, who was consulted with the instant upholder of the law, but to no avail. The monkey was "pinched." Finally, however, the constable said that if the manager would pay the fine for Chinny the justice would be satisfied.

SAMSON WELCOMES VISITORS

Chamberlain of Ak-Sar-Ben Holds Special Session for Undertakers and Liquor Dealers.

"How would you like to be the undertaker?" gasped one of the out-of-town morticians at the Ak-Sar-Ben den Thursday evening as he dangled lead downward over a vat of boiling water. By special invitation the delegates who have been attending the annual state conventions of the Nebraska Retail Liquor Dealers' association were invited to attend the initiation at the den, and to the mortician of the men who dispense drinks and attend to the dead responded. The undertakers proved the liveliest bunch that has been put through the Ak-Sar-Ben paces for many moons. They seemed to be fire-proof, bullet-proof and water-proof, and suffered but a small loss to their ranks. Ed Bradley, coroner of Douglas county, was on hand with his big wagon and kept open house at the morgue all night for the benefit of his fellow undertakers who fell by the wayside and were rescued from the cares of a busy world. The saloon men with the undertakers in showing their metal, and braced up now and then with a little stimulant for their stomachs' sake, managed to respond to the final call almost to a man.

Last evening was the fourth time the initiation crew at the den has given this year's ritual, and the "show" was a decided improvement over the one of Monday evening. Little extra stunts are being introduced from time to time, so that by next Monday evening the initiation will be still better.

After the initiation Henry K. Burket, speaker of the evening, introduced Val Heinbeck, Horace D. Parker, C. E. Meeley, C. E. Frasier, Carlton; Peter Fredericks, Falls City; M. T. Burke, Sutton; James Nevels, Columbus; Henry Keating, Omaha. A resolution of thanks was voted for the local entertainers, who were most hospitable in manner in which the delegates were entertained in Omaha. Another resolution of thanks was voted Samson, who extended the delegates an invitation to attend the den Thursday evening. As a number of the delegates already left for their homes or had made arrangements to do so when the invitation was received, the liquor dealers will not be represented by as large a number at the den as might have been expected. A goodly number will be on hand, however, and there were in all 368 delegates in attendance at the convention.

RETAIL LIQUOR MEN ADJOURN

Nebraska Association Concludes Meeting and Selects Columbus for Next Convention City.

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POSTMASTERS HOLD MEETING

Nebraska Association Assembles at Lincoln Where Notables Will Be Present.

The Nebraska Postmasters' association will hold its annual convention at Lincoln, June 13 and 14, and promises to surpass previous meetings in size of attendance and excellence of program. Every postmaster in the state has been granted a four days' leave of absence by his department so he can attend the gathering. Postmaster General Cortelyou will send a representative from Washington, and the various assistant postmaster general; the Railway Postal service, the Rural Free Delivery service and the inspectors' division. Senators Millard and Burdett will be present, with most of the Nebraska congressmen and will speak. Others on the program and in charge of the entertainment include Chancellor Andrews, Governor Mickey and Mayor Brown. President Steier of Lincoln has been assisted by the hospitality of state institutions, the facilities to visit public buildings, theater parties, concert parties, trolley and automobile rides and receptions. Many of the postmasters will bring their wives and Lincoln women whose husbands are connected with the department will also be present. Entertainment of the latter, indicated as that about 25 per cent of the best offices of the

FUNERAL DIRECTORS FINISH

Elect George Darling of Alliance President of the State Association.

The Nebraska State Funeral Directors' association closed its twentieth annual convention at the Creighton Medical college Thursday noon by electing the following officers for the ensuing year: President, George Darling, Alliance; first vice president, A. H. Fellers, Humboldt; second vice president, E. Mead, Chadron; third vice president, E. Craig, Greenwood; secretary, George Brown, (re-elected); Superior; treasurer, N. P. Swanson, (re-elected); Omaha; executive committee, James Heaton, chairman, W. G. Roberts and E. L. Troyer, all of Lincoln; delegates to the national convention to be held at Buffalo in July, W. M. Hill, Hebron; E. Mead, Chadron; C. E. Troyer, Dorchester; E. F. Brailey, Omaha. Alternate delegates, E. H. Cleveland, Lexington; W. Beckenauer, Hancock; A. O. Wymann, York; G. E. Walcott, Edgar.

It was voted to hold the next state convention at Lincoln for three days beginning the second Tuesday of June, 1906. A resolution was passed requesting the State Board of Health to reappoint George H. Brewer of South Omaha a member of the State Board of Examiners.

The local entertainment committee entertained the visiting delegates at Manawa on Thursday afternoon, a lunch at 4 p. m. being one of the features. On behalf of King Ak-Sar-Ben XI an invitation was received from Samson, the royal scribe, offering the freedom of the den on Thursday to the funeral directors.

During the convention thirty-eight new members were received in the association, making the total membership now about 250, nearly all being in attendance at the convention just closed.

Miss Emma J. Heffick of Lincoln, served as official stenographer at the convention, in which capacity she has been employed by the state funeral directors for nine consecutive years.

When the convention was received from Samson to visit the den Horace D. Parker, representing the Textile Manufacturing company of Westfield, Mass., who has been displaying his wares at the convention, said to the funeral directors: "I have been covering fifteen states for the past six years and I can tell you there is no king like Ak-Sar-Ben. He entertains in a manner unexcelled by any other monarch I have yet heard of."

FURNITURE MEN ORGANIZE

Retail Dealers of Nebraska Form Association with Forty Men in Attendance.

The Nebraska Retail Furniture Dealers' association was organized Thursday at Creighton Medical college by forty men in this business in various towns of the state. The object of the association is to protect and promote the welfare and interests of the members and establishing more intimate relations with each other; also to exact a square deal from the manufacturer and manufacturer's agent. A constitution with by-laws was adopted and the officers elected: President, F. R. Schell, Omaha; first vice president, A. J. Beaton, Omaha; second vice president, H. D. Karstens, of Nebraska City; secretary and treasurer, J. H. Banks, of Fremont; executive committee, George Darling of Alliance, Joseph Sonderman of Grand Island, W. R. Hoffman of Norfolk and J. C. McElhaney of Lyons.

CLAIMS ON EVANS' ESTATE

Creditors of Deceased Laundryman Have Hearing in the County Court.

Judge Vinsonhaler was busy Thursday hearing claims against the estate of the late John H. Evans. Up to this time there has been little or nothing said about these claims, but a list of the creditors has been filed with the county clerk. The claims against the estate of the total estate. They are mostly in the form of promissory notes, as follows: Omaha National bank, notes for \$80,876.82, \$25,000.00, \$5,333.33, \$5,000.00, \$3,600.00 and \$3,505.00; First National bank, \$5,000; Crawford & Clark, \$125.00. The claims against the estate held by the Omaha National bank are being pressed for payment by Serle, Johnson & Daniel, while Cornish & Robertson represent the estate. The note for \$80,876.82 was signed jointly by George E. Barker.

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