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MAYOR TRIES TO FREE FELON

Abolition Bailed in Attempt to Usurp Powers of Governor.

ISSUES PARDON WHICH IS IGNORED

Seeks to Set at Liberty Man Indicted by Grand Jury and Subject to Penitentiary Term.

Mayor Dahlman has been balked in an attempt to free from the county jail a man charged with a felony, the county authorities refusing to recognize his attempt to usurp the duties of Governor Mickey.

Piles

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A CONVINCING ARGUMENT.

That is why we say to every person suffering from the piles or any form of anal disease, send us your name and we will gladly send you a free trial package. For we know what the result will be. After using the trial you will hurry to your nearest drug store and get a box of Pyramid Pile Cure. It is the best medicine in the world for piles. I suffered untold misery for four months when my wife begged me to send for a box. When it was half gone I knew I was better and I didn't take any more. I got one to send for a second box. I think I am about well now but if I feel any symptoms of a return I will order at once. I order it from the Pyramid Drug Co. to be sure of the cure. Tell all about this fine remedy for piles.

And if there is anything in this letter you want to use do so. I received your letter a few days ago. Yours for a remedy like Pyramid Pile Cure.

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To get a free trial package send today to the Pyramid Drug Co., 24 Franklin Building, Chicago, Ill. I will come by return mail with the results. My wife is right and demands proof.

NEW CARB. GAS LAWS FOR CITY

Legislation Will Be Fought This Winter to Give Omaha Gas System.

HEALTH COMMISSIONER MAKES PLANS

Dr. Connell is Preparing Draft of Needed Laws that Will Give Him and the City Salubrious Powers.

Health Commissioner Connell has received from the health commissioner of Milwaukee a list of questions regarding the garbage situation in Omaha. Owing to the loose condition of Omaha's garbage system it was Dr. Connell's unpleasant duty to inform the Milwaukee official that he (Connell) could not imagine how a city could have poorer control of its garbage than Omaha has at present, and has had for some time. Health Commissioner Connell is, however, looking forward to better things for Omaha in the garbage line. When the present health commissioner assumed his office he consulted with the city legal department and soon learned his hands were tied so far as the garbage system was concerned. The local garbage system has been in a woeful condition for some time. Next year's promises a change.

The Milwaukee commissioner asked whether Omaha owned its garbage plant. It is let by contract, how is garbage disposed of, and a few other queries of minor importance. Dr. Connell replied that Omaha does not own its plant and garbage is neither gathered by contract or collected by the city, as anyone can under the present system collect garbage.

FOUR THOUSAND FOR DUMP

Omaha is now paying about \$4,000 a year for maintenance of the dump at foot of Jones street and for removal of dead animals. A man is supposed to stay at the dump during the day and another at night, but it appears no system is maintained in the management of the dump. Only a few weeks ago complaint was made to the city that Jones street from Tenth east had been strewn during the night with offensive matter.

Under existing conditions it was impossible for the health commissioner to trace the offender. Proprietors of the two large garbage companies declared they had no work during the night in question. The man paid to stay at the dump during the night could offer no information that would lead to the identity of the miscreant, who evidently was using a wagon not tightly boxed. Numerous other incidents of a like nature have been brought to the attention of the police during the year.

Most of the garbage moved during the year was handled by two firms, although various individuals engaged in the business. Citizens living in the outer parts of the city have had difficulty in getting garbage removed in anything like a reasonable time, it is through a lack of garbage system in Omaha.

CITY'S RIGHTS PROSCRIBED

At present the city has no right to order garbage removed. The city charter is practically a nonentity, so far as giving the health commissioner control of garbage. If the garbage of one citizen becomes offensive to another, the latter may file a complaint against the former charging him with maintaining a nuisance, but appears to many as a rather severe relief when requests for change in the existing law would meet requirements.

Commissioner Connell is hopeful of securing legislation this winter and inaugurating a new system next May, for he contends, Omaha is in pressing need of laws.

MRS. JOHANNA MCCARTHY DEAD

Pioneer Woman Whose Husband Built Washington County's First School, Dies.

Mrs. Johanna McCarthy, a pioneer of Washington county and for fifty years a resident of Nebraska, died at 2 o'clock Monday morning at Chicago from pneumonia. Word to this effect was received by Omaha relatives. Mrs. McCarthy was well known in Washington county, where she settled with her husband on a farm three miles south of Blair. Their home was known far and wide for its hospitality, especially to emigrants and other travelers passing through the state, and to the early settlers. Her husband, Michael McCarthy, built the first school house in Washington county. Fifteen years ago, after the death of her husband, Mrs. McCarthy moved to Omaha to be with her children. She suffered two paralytic strokes and about eleven months ago went to Chicago to take treatment. During her long residence in this part of the state she made a large number of friends, who were deeply moved by the news of her death.

The body will be brought to Omaha and will rest in the home of her son-in-law, Councilman Thomas McGovern. The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from St. John's church. Burial will be at Holy Sepulcher. She leaves five daughters and two sons, Mrs. McGovern, Mrs. P. H. Ryan, Mrs. Walter Bulles and Mrs. J. Reed of Chicago, Mrs. W. Carey of Omaha, Michael McCarthy, a member of the Omaha police force and Charles McCarthy, a railway engineer living at Memphis.

STOVE GAS NEARLY KILLS

Fumes from Hard Coal Stove Overcome Woman, Not Yet Out of Danger.

Mrs. Mary McKenna lies in a precarious state at her home, 184 Clark street, from the effects of inhaling fumes from a hard coal stove. There are hopes for the woman's recovery. Mrs. McKenna is a widow and resides alone at the address mentioned. She had her home remodeled a few weeks ago and it appears that in the course of the work a chimney became obstructed with mortar and pieces of brick. Mrs. McKenna started her hard coal stove last Friday evening and went to sleep, believing everything in usual condition. Saturday morning neighbors forced an entrance to the house and found the woman unconscious. Dr. T. R. Ward was summoned.

EXPERIENCE IS SOMETIMES A DEAR TEACHER.

So many parents of young children do not realize the danger from scroup until they have had the experience of one severe case in their own home. To be awakened in the middle of the night by the peculiar cough and find their little one suffering from a fully developed attack of the scroup and nothing in the house with which to relieve it is a lesson never to be forgotten. A good remedy at hand is of incalculable value in a time like this and nothing better can be obtained than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The fact this remedy contains no narcotic makes it perfectly safe to give to the children.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Name and Residence.	Age.
Robert Joseph Lowry, Omaha.	21
Margaret Frances Mulvihill, Omaha.	21
Fred Haschenburger, Jr., Weeping Water.	21
Ella Mosell, Dunbar, Neb.	21
Thomas Hogue, South Omaha.	20
Viola J. Ferguson, South Omaha.	20
Emmanuel Negethon, Omaha.	20
Louisa Thomsen, Omaha.	19
Frank Kloucek, Omaha.	20
Joseph J. Hummel, Omaha.	20
Joseph Lacin, Omaha.	20
Mary Kudrna, Omaha.	20

DIAMONDS—Edholm, 11th and Harney.

Too Much Water in Milk. On the complaint of Joe Seilly, an inspector of the city health department, a warrant has been issued for the arrest of A. P. Grobcke, Seventh and Harney streets, on the charge of being the dealer of pump too high in connection with his dairy business.

CATTLEMEN LOSE ONE POINT

Richards and Comstock Fail to Show Dr. Tilden's Incumbency Illegal.

MUNGER HANDS DOWN HIS DECISION

Attorneys for Defense Proceed to Second Technical Attack, Motion to Quash the Indictment of Their Clients.

In their fight to obstruct the trial of their clients, Bartlett Richards and W. G. Comstock, the indicted land and cattle men, the attorneys failed in their first attack on technical grounds, which was the claim that the indictment was defective because drawn by a jury selected by Dr. Tilden, jury commissioner, whose incumbency in office they pronounced illegal. Judge Munger knocked out this plea and the counsel for defense proceeded to their next technical step, argument of their motion to quash the indictment.

Judge Munger handed down his decision Monday morning, sustaining the demurrer of the attorneys for the government to the plea in abatement, filed and argued by the counsel for Richards and Comstock last week. The opinion is based upon a precedent in the case of Agnew against the United States, where a similar question was involved. Judge Munger further held that no specific grounds were stated in the plea and that the plea in abatement was not filed in time.

The plea in abatement was one of the moves on the part of the defense to nullify the indictment against Comstock and Richards and was based on the ground that Dr. George Tilden was not eligible to participate in drawing the grand jury that returned the indictment against Comstock and Richards in the land fencing or any other case, because of the fact that he had never been regularly reappointed as jury commissioner by Judge Munger, also for the further reason that since the first appointment of Dr. Tilden, who was originally appointed as a democrat, the chief of the central district court was at present a democrat, while the law provided that the jury commissioner and the district clerk should be of opposite political faiths. The attorneys for the government, on the other hand, claimed that the date of Dr. Tilden's appointment as jury commissioner was made permanent by Judge Dundy in April, 1880, and since that time he has lawfully continued as such officer, from the fact that he has not resigned or been removed for cause.

Motion to Quash Indictment. The argument on the motion to quash the indictments against Richards and Comstock was resumed Monday morning by Mr. Woodrough of counsel for the defense. Mr. Woodrough's argument is based on the contention that a preliminary filing on lands for use and possession during the pending maturity of final proof and actual title does not constitute a fraud, and that until such final proof is made and patent issued by the government there has been no alienation of the title from the government, and hence no fraud is committed, nor is there any ground for alleging the completion of the alleged conspiracy to defraud the government out of title. He further alleged that several of the counts have been garbled from the indictments in the Diele case and are not germane to the case at bar. Other features of the argument were that the charge of a crime in the several counts of the indictment should be more specific. Mr. Woodrough occupied the entire forenoon in his argument. Mr. Rush will follow for the government and the arguments for the defense in support of the motion to quash will follow by Messrs. R. S. Hall and Harry Brome.

INTERESTED LISTENERS TO THE ARGUMENTS

were Messrs. Bartlett Richards, Will G. Comstock and Asaella Triplett, each of whom are included in the indictment under argument.

MAN PAYS FOR HITTING BOY

Larrups Laid He Thinks Snowballed Him and is Fined Ten Dollars.

Charged with severely beating the young son of Dr. W. A. Bolling of the Hamilton flats November 14 because he believed the boy had hit him with a snowball, Charles Schlegel, proprietor of the Elmwood Park dairy, was fined \$10 and costs in police court Monday morning.

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SIX DEGREES ABOVE ZERO

Limit to Which Mercury is to Descend by Tuesday, Says Welsh.

The weather bureau gives out the chilling information that the mercury is figuring on getting down to about 6 degrees above zero Tuesday. There is nothing serious in the outlook other than the admonition is suggested that it might be wise to replenish depleted coal bins.

CARD OF THANKS.

We thank all our friends and neighbors for the kind assistance and sympathy shown us in our recent bereavement, also for the many beautiful floral offerings. MR. A. B. ANDERSEN. MR. R. JORGENSEN AND FAMILY.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

The following births and deaths were reported to the Board of Health during the forty-eight hours ending Monday noon: Births—George Ritchie, 20th Davenport, girl; Clarence Carey, 511 William, girl; J. H. Wilson, 223 Leavenworth, boy; George Brubaker, 229 South Twenty-fourth, boy; Phillip Lindberg, 401 Bancroft, boy; Drew Elving, 217 South Twenty-first, girl; John Valen, 123 South Fourteenth, boy. Deaths—Mrs. Mary Reagan, 401 North Twenty-sixth, 77; Charles W. Root, 219 North J. Hummel, 123 South Fourteenth, 78; Louis Bernholtz, Anoka, Neb., 85.

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in which Mr. Robert E. Park reports the blood-stained exploitation of the Congo Free State by Leopold of Belgium.

Turning toward timely Christmas subjects are: "Where the Toys Come From," by Vance Thompson; "A Christmas Thought," by Eugene Wood.

And then the fiction—which taken by itself would ordinarily be enough to class this issue as a fiction number: "Before Adam," by Jack London; "The Heart of the House," by Mary Heaton Vorse; "A Fool and a Mule," by G. W. Ogden; "In the Deep of the Snow," by Charles G. D. Roberts; "The Stolen Bridegroom," by Emerson Hough; "Pepton's Paint Lady," by Zona Gale and Jill Menkey; with EVERYBODY'S regular departments.

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