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CONNOR WILL FIGHT IS ON

Girl Witness for Five Hours in $400,000 Suit.

ORIGINAL TESTAMENT IS GONE

Proponents, Who Are Board of Trustees to Establish Parochial Schools, Offer Copy of Will Which Decedent Had Drawn Up.

Miss Grace Cook Connor sat five hours in the witness chair yesterday in the first day's hearing of the Connor will case. She is the adopted daughter of Joseph A. Connor and one of the principal witnesses in the contest which involves an estate of $400,000.

Miss Connor was called by the proponents, who are the board of trustees named by Connor in the copy of the will he had drawn up in May, 1908, this board to establish parochial schools with the bulk of the estate. Miss Connor, who is not a legal heir, and her aunt, Mrs. Ellen O'Connor, sister of the decedent each being left $25,000 and other sisters smaller sums.

In the effort to break the will Miss Connor's testimony is of importance for the respondents as well as the proponents and when C. J. Smyth had finished a long series of questions County Attorney English for the allied relatives, quizzed her at length.

What Happened to Will Important.

The case hinges about the disposition Connor made of the will drawn up for him by Attorney Edward Duffie. This has not turned up despite diligent search and the lawyers for the proponents Bishop Scannell and the other trustees, have offered a copy in its stead. There is a presumption of law that Connor destroyed this testament and the lawyers trying to get the copy admitted to probate will argue that it was highly improbable that he would have so acted since this would have left Miss Connor without a penny, for she never was legally adopted as his child. Miss Connor has joined with the sisters of the decedent in a post mortem agreement to share alike in the estate and if the will is broken will get one-fourth.

Connor Expected to Recover.

The testimony swung round and round Connor's last illness. It was brought out by Attorney James P. English for the relatives that Connor expected to recover and would therefore have made another will. Also that he was left alone during his illness, which was not deemed serious by himself or the other members of the household, and therefore could have had a chance to destroy the missing document. Smyth on return examination developed the fact that the intervals during which Connor was left alone were not longer than twenty minutes at a time.

Connor had the will making habit in acute form, according to the attorneys of the natural heirs of the decedent and the development of this fact may have an important bearing on the outcome of the case. What purports to be his last will and testament left the bulk of his property to the board of trustees.

Five lawyers, half a dozen immediately interested women and a large number of casual spectators occupied seats when Constantine J. Smyth for the proponents made his opening address. He and Edward P. Smith represent Bishop Scannell and the other trustees named in the will, alleged to have been left by Connor.

Lawyers Out in Force.

The natural heirs had three attorneys present, County Attorney English, Judge Sullivan and E. R. Maher of Chicago. An unkind spectator, viewing the glittering array of legal talent, was moved to remark cynically that it takes a big will case to bring the bar out in force.

Edward Duffie, an attorney, was the first witness for the church's side. He drew up the will in question and produced the copy of it through which the proponents hope to prove their case. The original, which was signed in Edward's office, Connor himself retained, and it has utterly disappeared. Duffy testified that the copy was identical with the original and that it had been in his possession ever since May 18, 1908, when Connor signed the other paper. He deposed that the testator was of sound mind and that he clearly knew he was making his will.

Mrs. Carrie A. Dennis, the stenographer who made the will and the copy, testified to the identity of the copy. Mrs. Dennis, who was a willing witness for the proponents, is a comely young woman, whose presence illuminated the somber court room, while she was on the stand. She wore a picture hat of red, trimmed with a red bird of brilliant plumage, a gray tailor-made gown and a blue four-in-hand scarf, completing her costume. The vivid color of the hat was in contrast with the black gowns of the other women in the court room, who are in mourning.

GENEVIEVE STARTS ROMANCE

New "Lady" Boarder Introduces A. D. T. Boy to the Sheet Music Girl.

"I was wandering around in a big dry goods store early Monday morning when I was attracted by a young woman in the music department who was hammering out rag time by the yard to a crowd of spellbound spectators," said Miss Genevieve, the new boarder. She was at the same time working wonders with a mouth full of gum, automatically keeping time to her playing.

"'Gee, ain't she just great?' vouchsafed small youth at my elbow. He was really not addressing me, but I was killing time and here was a bright A. D. T. boy who looked talkative.

"'A friend of yours?' I inquired.

"A broad grin overspread his countenance.

"'Nop, but gee, I wish I knowed her. Say, maybe she's on your calling list, and you'll tip me off to an introduct, or whatch you call it.'

"'Well, no,' I replied, 'I am not acquainted with the lady, but maybe I can help you out.'

"So when our pianist ran down, I asked her if it wasn't a bit fatiguing, playing as much as she did.

"'No,' she answered, goodnaturedly, 'it gets sort of mechanical-like after a while.'

"I mentally affirmed this as the truth.

"'You do not know me,' I went on, 'but I have bought music of you now and then and have often listened to your concerts. There is another ardent admirer of yours who is not as bold as I am. May I introduce him?'

"'Sure,' she answered. Oh, you mean that kid,' as my eyes glanced towards the blushing A. D. T. 'Say, he's hanging around here all the time, so I suppose I might as well say he's not a friend of mine, anyway.'

"That was all the introduction there was, the youth needing no further advances on her part. In a moment they were chatting like old college chums, and I was left out in the cold.

"Having done my duty, and not being needed any longer, I moved on to the book department, wandering what sort of a romance I had started."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

James W. Orr, general attorney for the Missouri Pacific of Atchison, is a guest at the Paxton.

C. A. Cairns, general passenger and ticket agent of the Northwestern, was in Omaha a short time Sunday.

D. F. Felton of Happy, Tex.; F. Nelson of Hartington and J. W. Butt of Nebraska City are at the Merchants.

T. H. Namus, C. L. Horton of Stanton, H. S. Wiggins and W. A. Wagner of Lincoln are at the Iler Grand.

Roy R. Allen of Fremont, P. Johnson of Arlington and A. R. McCrimmins of Montrose, Colo., are at the Schlitz.

F. Pearson of Alliance, J. P. Merritt of Tekamah, J. J. Elmers of South Sioux City and W. McEver of Columbus are at the Hotel Loyal.

W. S. Justice and son of Meadow Grove, O. H. Conrad and daughters of Broken Bow, W. J. Moss of Fairbury and W. G. Hughes of Auburn are at the Murray.

F. M. Sullivan of Butte, Mont.; Field Sherman of San Francisco, Mrs. H. J. Scully of Denver, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Miller of O'Neill and F. P. Reed of Weeping Water are at the Henshaw.

J. W. Hardy, J. F. Ensign of Denver, J. V. Pearson of Ponca, E. H. Young of Callaway, Nelson J. Bell of Waterloo, F. L. Cummins of Plattsmouth and W. M. DeHart of Norfolk are at the Millard.

Kenneth O. Loane of Seattle, Mrs. Alexander Cunningham of Casper, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Evans, Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald, Miss Fitzgerald of Lincoln, Clay Clement of Paris, Tex., and Gladys Wynne of London, England, are at the Rome.

Women's Secrets

There is one man in the United States who has perhaps heard more women's secrets than any other man or woman in the country. These secrets are not secrets of guilt or shame, but the secrets of suffering, and they have been confided to Dr. R. V. Pierce in the hope and expectation of advice and help. That few of these women have been disappointed in their expectations is proved by the fact that ninety-eight per cent. of all women treated by Dr. Pierce have been absolutely and altogether cured. Such a record would be remarkable if the cases treated were numbered by hundreds only. But when that record applies to the treatment of more than half-a-million women, in a practice of over 40 years, it is phenomenal, and entitles Dr. Pierce to the gratitude accorded him by women, as the first of specialists in the treatment of women's diseases.

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MOVING THE PIE COUNTER

Bill to Put Printing of Amendments in Hands of Governor.

WARM DEBATE OVER MEASURE

Ransom Shows His Sore Spot in His Reference to the Secretary of State Concerning Abstract of State Vote.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Jan. 25.—(Special.)—"The first act of the senate is then to be a bill to enlarge the scope of the pie counter," exclaimed Senator King this afternoon as the majority members made known their intention to recommend for passage Senator Tanner's bill giving the governor the right to designate the newspapers that are to print all constitutional amendments.

Consideration of the measure had been spirited and a number of speeches had been made from a partisan standpoint, in which the three senators from Douglas county all participated. The vote was strictly along party lines.

S. F. 15, by Tanner of Douglas, was the measure under consideration. It merely reenacts the law slightly amended under which at present the secretary of state says what newspapers in a county shall for three months before election publish the constitutional amendments as notice to voters. The purpose was briefly stated by the South Omaha senator, when King of Polk rose to declare it was plain, since the governor was of the same political faith of Mr. Tanner, there was not enough pie to go around. He moved to postpone the bill indefinitely.

"The governor in his campaign visits the entire state," said Tanner, "and in the course of his journeylngs learns the map like a book and meets the newspaper men and knows them all. This duty does not devolve upon the secretary of state, hence the chief executive is the one to say which newspapers shall perform the duty for the people."

King replied it was an innovation to take from the secretary of state the duty he has always performed, with no better reason than to secure more political pelf.

Tanner suggested there was nothing scandalous in the request for the passage of the bill.

"Are you the owner of a newspaper?" asked Senator King.

"Yes," replied Tanner.

"Then why is this not in the interest of somebody?" asked the Polk county member.

"Because I will not print the amendments," replied Mr. Tanner.

This attack upon Douglas county brought Senator Ransom to his feet and he said the motive behind the bill might be that the secretary of state was becoming too all-powerful for the good of the commonwealth. "He has set up a stand between the legislature and the enforcement of the law already," said the senator.

Mr. Ransom thought the governor, no matter what his politics, was the head of the party in the state and as such was a larger man than any officers under him. Whether republican or democrat, the governor was better fitted to designate what newspapers should print the amendments than the other officers.

"Why, the secretary of state has defied the legislature already," said the senator. "The request for certified copies of the returns on the vote on the constitutional amendments was met by his placing the oldest man in his office on the job and he has turned out four copies of county returns in five days. We offered to give him help and he refused."

"You offered him senate employes, I presume," said Senator King.

"Yes," admitted Mr. Ransom.

The bill was finally amended in an immaterial manner on motion of Senator Tibbets and in committee of the whole the motion to postpone was lost—11 to 18.

Myers of Rock moved to designate the secretary of state and the governor should act jointly in designating the papers and made a fight for the proposition later before the senate, but the plan failed by a strict party vote.

RESIGN AT INSANE HOSPITAL

Employes Take no Chances With Democratic Ax.

NORFOLK, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Resignations at the Norfolk insane asylum hospital are coming thick and fast. Following Dr. Dishong's resignation, Miss Sinclair, superintendent of nurses, today forwarded her resignation to Governor Shallenberger. Through her resignation the training school for nurses here loses its affiliation with Clarkson, Methodist and Mercy hospitals, Omaha. Mrs. W. G. Baker, matron, announced her intention to resign.

Atkinson Wins Debate.

ATKINSON, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Last Friday evening the boys of the Atkinson High school defeated representatives of the O'Neill High school in a debate upon the compulsory arbitration question as applied to railroads. This was one of the debates of the High School Debating league of the state. Atkinson upheld the affirmative side of the question. The debate was one of the most hotly contested ever held in Atkinson and the decision was in doubt until the very last. Atkinson won out on the quality of its rebuttal, which was far superior to that of O'Neill. The championship of the northern district will be settled in the near future between Atkinson and Valentine. Prof. M. M. Fogg of the state university acted as one of the judges and spoke highly of the work of both teams. The other judges were E. H. Whelan of O'Neill and Ellsworth Mack of Atkinson.

Changing the Elkhorn River.

ARLINGTON, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—The plan to change the Elkhorn river by straightening it has caused much interest here. A number of those living along this river announce that they will try to have the river turned into Rawhide creek at a point near the Maynan bridge, four miles northwest of this place. This would let the water flow through the lowest part of the valley and it would be a short cut to the Platte. The ground is higher along the Elkhorn than it is back from the river. It is thought that this plan will be recommended by the government surveyors, should the government undertake the work. It is claimed by those familiar with ditching that it would cost less to follow the Rawhide, and would be better, as this creek flows through low land and the banks would not wash as the soil is mostly gumbo.

Hunter Accidentally Shot.

BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Harry Lehigh of this city was wounded in the breast today while out hunting. The gun was accidentally discharged as he was in the act of picking up a rabbit. Bad luck seems to be following young Lehigh, as he has broken both his legs during the last year.

Beer is Stolen.

ARLINGTON, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—The Northwestern depot here was broken into some time Saturday night, but nothing is missing except some bottled beer. The thieves broke into two cases of beer and took six bottles from one and four from the other.

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Nebraska News Notes.

TECUMSEH—William Carr & Sons of Tecumseh have been awarded the contract for about $5,000 worth of grading on the tracks of the Otoe County Speed association at Nebraska City.

COLUMBUS—During the last week there has been just an even dozen transfers of real estat filed in the county clerk's office. The largest amount of money, or its equivalent, paid was $15,000; the smallest $1, and the total was $27,852.

COLUMBUS—The Columbus Commercial National bank has just held its annual meeting and election of officers, with H. P. H. Oehlrich as president, Jonas Welch, vice president; Daniel Schram, cashier; Albert Becker and Frank Rorer.

TECUMSEH—A meeting of the creditors of David F. Grim, recently in the grocery business in Tecumseh, will be held with the county judge Saturday. It is thought arrangements will be made to have the store reopened and the stock sold.

TECUMSEH—Prof. C. C. Danforth of Tecumseh, who for several months has been doing special work in Chicago university, has accepted the position as teacher in mathematics and physics in the Illinois Normal college, and will begin his new work on June 1.

HUMBOLDT—The local Rebekah lodge had installation of newly elected officers at its hall, conducted by Mrs. Mrs. Melita Taylor of Broken Bow, state president of the order. After the work was over refreshments were served by the members of the local lodge.

TABLE ROCK—C. S. Wood received last week three ring-neck and one golden pheasant hen from Chicago. He already has three roosters, and expects to raise quite a number of these game birds the coming season. Yards are being fitted up at the residence of Dr. C. C. Covert.

TABLE ROCK—Chris Shawhan killed a wolf Thursday night which had evidently been chased some distance by dogs, and when it ran into his yard it was so weary that he was able to run up to it and strike it on the head with a club. It was a large gray wolf of a kind not often seen in this vicinity.

CRETE—The members of the Sacred Heart church at Crete had their annual parish meeting last Sunday and re-elected the trustees of last year by acclamation. They also decided to install a heating plant of steam or hot water in their parochial school, a fine brick building of three stories and basement.

TECUMSEH—The people of Cook, this county, and the other towns along the Crete-Auburn branch of the Missouri Pacific railroad are continually finding fault with the train service they are receiving. A mixed train each way each day is said to constitute the service, and this train is frequently very late or in an accident of some kind, it is said.

TECUMSEH—A new Catholic church will be erected at Crab Orchard, this county. It is said the board will let the contract some time in February. The building will be of good size and of brick. Rev. Thomas Barden, rector of St. Andrew's Catholic church of Tecumseh, may be credited with the movement that is going to make the new church possible. The gentleman will lend assistance as a member of the building committee.

TAFT ON TARIFF COMMISSION

Simply Body to Collect Information on Cost of Production at Home and Abroad.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 25.—President-elect Taft has written a second letter in reference to the creation of a permanent tariff commission to the committee on arrangements of the National Tariff commission convention, which meets here February 16 to 18. His first letter endorsed the proposed convention and its object. The second letter follows:

You have asked me to come to your meeting, but it will be impossible for me to come. My last letter to you, which has been published, has evidently given rise to some misconstruction, and I have written the following to Mr. Payne, chairman of the ways and means committee of the house, which I hope makes a little clearer what I meant in my letter to you:

"My Dear Mr. Payne: I have your letter. A tariff commission would be harmful or useful as its functions were prescribed in the bill. My own ideas have been that there ought to be a permanent commission of tariff experts to keep themselves advised by all means possible of the cost of producing the articles named in the schedules, in foreign countries and in this country. I think what we lack is evidence and some such means might well be used for the purpose of securing it. I should be the last to advocate a commission with any power to fix rates—if that were constitutional, as it would not be—or with any function other than that of furnishing the evidence to congress upon which from time to time it might act."

READY TO RESUME BUSINESS

Paris and New York Houses Promise to Help Firms at Reggio.

REGGIO, Jan. 25.—A number of firms engaged in the manufacture of the essence of oranges, lemons and other fruits have reopened their concerns, and efforts are being made to put business in general on a footing again. The extraction of essences is one of the chief industries of Reggio, and a number of perfume houses in Paris and New York have cabled here promising their support.

Earthquake shocks continue at regular intervals, but in most cases are not severe. Lumber is being transported to the various Calabrian villages as quickly as possible for the construction of temporary houses. The steamer Volta landed a large quantity at Bagnara today. A number of the villages have been completely wiped out, however, and in many of these cases the survivors were few. There were 4,000 persons killed at Sibari out of a population of 6,000.

MESSINA, Jan. 24.—General Mazza, commander-in-chief of the earthquake zone, telegraphed to the premier today saying 4,050 bodies have been taken from the ruins of Messina and that the estimated number of those still under the wreckage is 50,000.

NOTHING DONE ON TRAINING

Summer Base Ball Also Passed Over by Conference.

DES MOINES, Jan. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—The meeting of the Missouri Valley conference here today decided to hold its next meet in Des Moines at Drake stadium. It discussed summer base ball for five hours, and then left the settlement of the question to a committee composed of Waldo of Washington university, former arbitor of the Chicago conference; Lansdon of Kansas and Beyer of Ames. The training table proposition was not reached during the day, but the meeting adjourned.

Ames and Iowa have patched up their differences, and will meet in base ball in the spring and foot ball next fall. They meet in basket ball this winter. It is not known when Beyer of Ames and Smith of Iowa met, but the decision was reached before representatives of the schools came to Des Moines. Neither team admits wrong. It is simply a resumption of relations.

COLUMBUS HOTEL WRECKED

Gas Explodes in the Basement of the Thurston.

MAN AND WIFE SERIOUSLY HURT

Party of Traveling Men in Dining Room Escape With Minor Injuries—Fire Breaks Out in Wreckage.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 25.—An explosion of gas in the basement of the Thurston hotel this evening badly wrecked the building and seriously injured J. L. Hunter, the cook, and Mrs. Hunter, his assistant, the woman so badly she may not recover. James O'Brien, a workman, who was in the basement, was blown out of the room, but not seriously hurt. Fifteen traveling men in the dining room escaped with minor injuries. Windows of a store building across the street were shattered. The rear part of the hotel is torn to pieces. Fire which broke out in the wreckage was extinguished after a hard fight.

BRYAN ISSUES A STATEMENT

Admits Inspiring Resolution Concerning University.

LINCOLN, Jan. 25.—W. J. Bryan in a statement tonight, explained his attitude toward and connection with a joint resolution introduced last week in the Nebraska legislature providing for a school of citizenship in the University of Nebraska. The resolution was introduced by Senator Miller of Lancaster county, and Mr. Bryan says he inspired is introduction, but adds that he has no pecuniary interest in the matter, and that whatever lectures he may deliver will be without compensation. Mr. Bryan said, in part:

"During the last few years increasing attention has been given all over the country to the study of government, sociology and citizenship. Nebraska has kept abreast of the times, but our state should take the lead and focus attention upon the studies that especially prepare the students for the proper discharge of the duties of citizenship. We ought to be able to attract students from other countries, and how can we better help the orient and the republics to the south of us than by educating the more ambitious of their young men, and sending them back to apply American ideas and ideals in the working out of the problems that confront their people?"

MOVE FOR OMAHA UNIVERSITY

Pastors of Kountze Place Churches Will Discuss Methods of Promoting It.

The pastors of all Protestant churches in and near Kountze place and others interested in the project will meet this evening in the lecture room of the Plymouth Congregational church, Twentieth and Spencer streets, for the purpose of discussing the proposed University of Omaha. Reports will be received at this meeting and the best method of interesting eastern capital will be discussed.

Dr. H. H. Maynard, financial secretary, spoke at Lowe Avenue Presbyterian church yesterday, prefacing his sermon with some remarks about the plans for the University of Omaha. He said the general plan for the present was to raise $500,000 as a starter, $200,000 in Omaha and vicinity and $300,000 abroad.

"You give us the $200,000 and we guarantee you we will get the $300,000," he said. "In twenty-five years of this experience I have never found in all this land a place offering such advantages for a school of this sort as Omaha offers, and if the people do not embrace this opportunity and make the most of the advantages they will be losing the chance of a lifetime."

Dr. Maynard said this university idea was not a new one. It had its incipiency in the mind of Dr. Kerr, formerly president of Bellevue college, years ago and is only now being worked out. He spoke with great hope in the plan.

"NO, INDEED, NOT DR. M'BRIDE"

Another Than He Charged with Proselyting—Maybe Fellman Does Not Know.

"Brother Fellman says it is not likely the Ministerial union will take action on the charges of proselyting I propose to bring against one of the fellow preachers," observed the minister, who says he is going to submit such charges against a certain brother at the next meeting of the union. "Well, I don't know what the union will do, but I do know that several members of that union are just as anxious as I am for some action that will effectually stop the practice of one pastor coaxing members of other churches into his own and I am more than half inclined to believe that the union will take action notwithstanding what the president of the union is quoted as saying.

"I see that the paper which quotes Brother Fellman also asks the question, entirely on his own responsibility, if the pastor under criticism is Dr. McBride. No, indeed, it is not Dr. McBride. I have never heard or known that Dr. McBride ever resorted to such methods. I am certain he never did."

An Active Salesman—A Bee Want Ad.

Corn Show at Beresford.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—The interest of the farmers of the extreme southeastern portion of the state is centered at present in the annual corn show and farmers' institute, which will be held at Beresford on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. The affair will be the big event of the year in this part of the state and it is expected the attendance will be greater than at any former corn contest and farmers' institute ever held in that region. John Sundberg, of Whiting, president of the Iowa Corn Growers' association, who scored the corn at the National Corn show in Omaha and the state corn show at Sioux Falls, will be present and score the exhibits of corn.

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L. T. Cooper's preparation, which is at present enjoying a tremendous sale in New York, was strongly endorsed by E. A. Castle, of 300 West Seventeenth street, Tuesday.

Cooper, who claims that most ill-health is caused by stomach trouble, is meeting the public and explaining his medicine at present in New York. Mr. Castle called at the Cooper headquarters about 3 o'clock and said:

"This New Discovery is all and more than Cooper claims. I say this after a remarkable experience with this preparation. I had heard of Cooper's success in Boston, and therefore when I began to hear of him in New York I came to see him some time ago. I had little faith in any medicine, but after four years of constant suffering, during which time I consulted the very best specialists, was operated upon twice and received no benefit whatever, I made up my mind to try this treatment.

"I started taking Cooper's New Discovery seven weeks ago. At that time I was in such poor health that I had given up business. I began to improve after the first week, slowly at first, and later very rapidly. For the past three weeks I have had no sign of stomach trouble. I can eat anything with no bad effects whatsoever. I have a fine appetite and am gaining flesh. I am cheerful, full of energy and am no longer nervous. My bowels are in perfect condition for the first time in years. I am now back at my business again and feel as though I had been made over.

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