

NO REHEARING FOR SHUNWAY

Supreme Court Refuses to Interfere for Gage County Murderer.

LAWYERS TO TRY INSANITY FLEA

Appeal Will Be Made to Governor and to Lancaster County District Court—Big Damage Suit on Trial.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—R. Mead Shunway, sentenced to be hanged tomorrow, was today denied a rehearing by the Nebraska supreme court.

Judge Frank Hamer yesterday filed in supreme court an application for a rehearing and a brief wherein he points out the alleged error in the conduct of the case.

This brief is concerned with the case of the peremptory challenges. Judge Hamer is of substance that seven of Shunway's peremptory challenges were used in an improper manner and that after the sixteen had been used that four or five men were put on the jury who were biased and unable to render fair judgment in the case.

The court held that the record showed that the defendant had had a fair trial. Judge Lester wrote the opinion. Three of the members favored a rehearing, however, and three of them were opposed. Judge Hamer has attempted to point out particular errors in the record that will cause Judge Lester to change his opinion and agree with the three who favored a rehearing.

Shunway was hanged Tuesday by Rev. I. F. Roach. Shunway requested that the minister, who knew the relatives of the young man at Waverly, Ia., be sent to him. The Gage county convict protested his innocence of the crime for which he has been imprisoned and condemned to die and begged that he would yet be saved from the rope.

Hudson for Council.

Mayor Stone this afternoon appointed Samuel P. Hudson of Sixteenth and R streets a member of the city council from the Third ward, to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of Horace Bishop. The council will meet upon the appointment next Monday night. Mr. Hudson is a salesman and is well known in the city.

Principals Held Banquet.

The regular banquet of the Principals' club was held last night at 6:30 o'clock at the Lincoln hotel, with a large attendance. The club consists of the principals of the city schools. Dr. Eaves of the sociology department of the state university delivered an address on "The Value of Play."

A \$10,000 Damage Suit.

The \$10,000 damage suit of Charles D. Van Horn, administrator, against Cooper, Cole Bros. & Co. for the death of Frank C. Van Horn, has reached the trial stage in Judge W. E. Stewart's division of the district court. The plaintiff is father of the deceased, and it is claimed that the company is liable for the death of young Van Horn.

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The deceased was less than 30 years old at the time of his death and is claimed to have been making about \$50 a month. He supported his parents. Van Horn was killed by a fall down the elevator shaft at the store of the defendants on South Tenth street.

Visiting Divines to Preach.

Representatives of the A. B. C. F. M., the A. M. A. and the C. H. M. E. will be in Lincoln Sunday and Monday next. The pulpits of the Congregational church will be supplied by these visiting divines. The object of the visit is to confer with the pastors and churches in reference to the observation and development of missionary interest.

Swan Willing to Be Good.

Having recovered from his "jag," been relieved of his revolver and put up a \$200 bond to keep the peace, Charles Swan has been released. He was arrested and brought before Justice Stevens on a peace warrant sworn out by his wife, who charged that he had been intoxicated for some time, and getting into an ugly mood, came home and hunted up his revolver and proceeded to make things interesting for his family partner by threatening to shoot her.

Swan is a waiter in a local restaurant and his wife is also employed in the "hashery." They live in a business block at Eleventh and N streets. Mrs. Swan told Justice Stevens that her husband is all right until he gets drunk. Then, she says, he is likely to do almost anything, and she is particularly afraid of him when he gets hold of a revolver, as he sometimes does. She said that when he comes home drunk he is inclined to abuse her and when he appeared Tuesday with a load of "corn juice" and a loaded revolver, he told her to live up to her married name and sing her "Swan" song.

When the time came for the hearing Swan had completely sobered up and was duly penitent, but his wife pressed her complaint to the extent of requiring that he give bond to keep the peace and also insisted that the revolver be taken from him, for, she said, he had no need for it. He cheerfully gave up the weapon, which now forms a part of the archives of the court, and got T. A. Burt to sign his peace bond.

Y. M. C. A. STATE CONVENTION

Two Hundred Delegates in Attendance at Hastings.

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The twenty-ninth annual state convention of the Young Men's Christian association was opened with song and prayer service this afternoon. About 200 are here and half as many more are expected tomorrow. Tonight the visitors assembled for a banquet. The convention will continue until Sunday.

Wright Works Norfolk Men.

NORFOLK, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Three Norfolk men cashed bogus checks for William M. Wright of

Omaha, now being hunted for bigamy. The victims here were: D. Reed, \$70; James Pierce, \$10; William Berner, \$10.

BOYS LAND WITH BOGUS DRAFT

Man Thought to Be Innocent Rather Than a Swindler.

FREMONT, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—George H. Ramehart was arrested at Schuyler and brought to Fremont by Sheriff Bauman yesterday on the charge of passing a bogus draft. The officers are of the opinion that the man is mentally irresponsible, and instead of being held to the district court, an effort is being made to communicate with his relatives and have him cared for. On all subjects except buying land he appears to be perfectly rational. His first pit in an appearance at Fremont last week. He called at Terry & Palmer's real estate office and practically closed a deal for the purchase of a large farm north-west of this city, giving a \$500 draft on a bank in Rochester, N. Y., to bind the bargain. He next went to Schuyler and began negotiations with real estate men for farm lands, representing that he wanted to invest about \$20,000 in real estate, and was arrested at that place while dining with a prospective seller. He is, according to papers in his possession, a member of an Odd Fellows lodge in Buffalo and has relatives in that city. It is thought that he may have been an inmate of some sanitarium and escaped. He had no money when he reached Fremont except a few dollars, and when he left Fremont took along a new fur overcoat which he had borrowed from Mr. Terry.

DOG DEFEATS BANK ROBBERS

Just Ready to Work on Vault When a Howl Gave Tip.

BENNINGTON, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—A dog's bark frightened two would-be bank robbers here Wednesday. They had sawed a large hole in the side of the frame building which houses the Mangoldt & Glendel bank and were ready to begin operation on the brick vault just at the time a dog across the street began to howl. A hoversman saw the two men walking away from the vicinity a few minutes after he heard the dog yelp.

Killed by Falling Tree.

PLATTSBOROUGH, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—Herman Herold, one of the oldest and best known citizens, died at his home in this city Wednesday evening as the result of a tree falling upon him which he had just cut down on the premises. Mr. Herold was born in Saxony, Germany, January 14, 1836, and came to Plattsmouth fifty-five years ago, where he has since resided. He is survived by a widow, one son, O. F. Herold, and three daughters, Mrs. W. R. Skinner of Lincoln, Mrs. A. T. Pitt and Miss Freda Herold in Plattsmouth. Canon H. B. Burgess will conduct the funeral services at the residence Saturday.

Simply Overdrafts, Says Margala.

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—Benjamin Margala, who was arrested in Kansas City on the charge of negotiating a worthless check for \$60 through the Bank of Holstein, in this county, was brought here yesterday and will be arraigned Saturday. He says he is in debt between \$12,000 and \$15,000, most of which is represented by what he terms overdrafts on the Bank of Chappelle, in Deuel county. He declares that the Chappelle bank allowed him to overdraft his account there and that he simply went too far. His actual indebtedness to the Chappelle bank, however, is said to be about \$4,000.

Bees Busy at Holdrege.

HOLDREGE, Neb., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—Holdrege lodge No. 34 of the Western Bees was organized last evening with nearly 100 members present. Supreme Secretary

Charles Boehl of Omaha acted as installing officer. Supreme President H. A. Whipple of Omaha made the address of the evening, which was highly appreciated by all present.

Nebraska News Notes.

BEATRICE—The shops at Wynore yesterday adopted the eight-hour schedule. The employees have been working nine hours heretofore.

KEARNEY—Farmers living in the vicinity of Odessa are complaining about the Kearney power canal overflowing its banks and flooding the land.

KEARNEY—Forty acres of alfalfa land located north and east of this city sold yesterday for \$100 per acre. R. Dunley of University Place was the buyer.

HUNTLEY—The marriage of Mr. Jacob A. Sell to Miss Katie Knapp of Wilcox was solemnized at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sell, Wednesday.

BEATRICE—At a meeting of the firemen last evening a program was arranged for next Monday evening, at which time executive ordinances are to be given to twenty-four firemen.

BEATRICE—Yesterday at 11 o'clock at Central Methodist parsonage was solemnized the marriage of James I. Miller and Miss Daisy Fovk, both of the Hills neighborhood, Rev. U. G. Brown officiating.

HUNTLEY—C. E. Martin, concrete block manufacturer of this city, traded his farm near Lurtie, Neb., for a pool hall and restaurant in Sutton, Neb. He left with his family immediately for their new field of business.

PLATTSBOROUGH—County Attorney W. C. Ramsey filed a complaint before Justice Archer Thursday charging John Clarence with murder in first degree for killing John F. Thacker, by shooting him with a revolver.

CENTRAL CITY—Considerable surprise was shown here when news was received of the marriage of Miss Ellen Larsen to George Dolan of Council Bluffs, as it was not known by many of her best friends that she intended leaving the city.

SEWARD—The express car on the noon train from Lincoln caught fire between that point and Seward, Neb. The car was an express matter was burned—some belonging to Seward merchants. The Blaine patients were in the car, escaped the blaze.

SEWARD—L. C. Johnson has purchased the residence of Phillip Witt, in the east part of town, the consideration being \$12,000. This is one of the finest residences in the city. Mr. Witt has purchased Joe Brown's residence in west Seward for \$4,000.

HUNTLEY—G. H. Aults, a B. & M. employe of this city, received a telegram from Gregory, S. D., bearing the news of his aged mother's death. The body was sent to St. Michael, Neb., for burial. Mr. Aults and family left immediately for that place to attend the funeral.

PLATTSBOROUGH—John W. Steinhart of Nebraska City delivered an interesting address to the Plattsmouth Commercial club. He spoke of the many manufacturing plants that have been secured for his town. The Nebraska City Commercial club is incorporated.

SEWARD—Mrs. William Smith, mother of Mrs. E. J. Ashton, formerly of Seward, died at her home near Elm Creek, Neb., last Friday, and her remains were brought to Seward today, accompanied by Mrs. Ashton, and interment was made in the North cemetery.

SCHUYLER—While coming downstairs at the Wells-Abbott-Nieman company mill, where he is employed, Walter Lumburg slipped and fell over the side of the stairs and landed on the edge of a water barrel below, tearing a large piece of flesh out of the upper part of his leg.

FAIRBURY—John Heideck went into his saloon after closing hours last night and found a young man, Joe Kautzman, hidden under a bar with the contents of the money drawer, a couple of revolvers and a few bottles of liquor stored in his pockets. Kautzman was held to \$500 bonds to answer at the next term of court, but was unable to find bond.

HASTINGS—The First Baptist church last night elected Rev. W. J. Coulston of Lincoln to the pastorate, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. R. S. Hudson three months ago. Rev. Mr. Coulston has accepted the appointment and is planning to enter upon his new duties within the next few weeks.

SEXTON—At the home of the bride's parents William Taylor of York and Miss Mabel Husman of Exeter were united in marriage at 4 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Rev. Mr. Hull of the Methodist Episcopal church officiated. About forty relatives and near friends were present.

WESTON—T. F. Pearson of this place and Margaret Dooly of Cassaca were married today in Walnut by the county judge.

BEATRICE—Miss Mills Anderson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Anderson of the Filley neighborhood, was united in marriage to Carl Sorenson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson, here, by Rev. Mr. Sorenson officiating. The young couple will make their home on a farm near Filley.

SEWARD—Sheriff Gillan and D. E. Rivers are at Lincoln today to look for a man who has been employed by Mr. Rivers to sell brooms for him. The fellow sold ninety dozen brooms, for which he collected the money and has not been heard from since. The loss to Mr. Rivers is about \$25.

NEBRASKA CITY—The Odd Brothers company met last evening and elected the following officers: President, Theo Webering; vice president, John Maties, sr.; secretary and treasurer, Fritz Funke. The directors are Chris Schwadere; Theo Webering, Alex Maties, Fritz Funke and John Maties.

LEXINGTON—The Lexington P. E. O. club entertained the Goshen P. E. O. club today. A dinner from Goshen arrived in the morning and was entertained at luncheon at the residence of Mrs. F. L. Temple and in the afternoon a reception was held for the visitors at the residence of Mrs. O. S. Kinney.

COLUMBUS—Rev. R. Neumarker, pastor of the German Reformed church, officiated at the marriage ceremony at the church on Tuesday morning making Mr. Charles Deland and Miss Alvina Loochen man and wife. They have gone to Denver on their wedding tour, and after their return will settle on a farm.

KEARNEY—Word has been received in this city telling of the death of Mrs. Eva E. Cochran at Tompkins, N. Y. Mrs. Cochran has been a great benefactor of the Episcopal diocese in Nebraska and elsewhere. By a gift of \$25,000 from her estate she has built a hall at the Kearney military academy.

NEBRASKA CITY—The stockholders of the Nebraska Brick company held their annual meeting last evening and elected the following officers: President, J. M. Huberle; vice president, J. W. Buehler; secretary and treasurer, F. J. Homenyer; directors, O. C. Morrison, F. H. Huberle, J. Homenyer, J. W. Burt and George Eady.

NEBRASKA CITY—Mike Gardner leaves next week for Keith county to fence several sections of land which he, Captain L. Bryant and H. N. Hanks recently purchased. They have contracted for 300 head of cattle, which they will feed up there in April, they will put on 150 head more of cattle and feed them during the coming summer.

COLUMBUS—Rev. D. I. Roush, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, tied the cup and knot for Miss Nettie Blanche Miller and Mr. A. M. Avery at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Miller, on Wednesday morning, in the presence of the immediate friends. The couple will have a short wedding tour and then take up their residence at Fullerton.

BEATRICE—Notice was yesterday served upon the Kautner Hotel company by Mrs. Marie Colby, owner of the Paddock block, to the effect that an immediate hearing is demanded on the appeal of the forcible entry and detainer case. Notice of a second application for the appointment of a receiver was also served upon the defendants. Judge Hager will be here next Friday to hear the case.

FREMONT—Some opposition is developing to the proposed Logan creek ditch and on account of this the matter was postponed to March 10. The "insurgents," as they are termed, are not opposed to drainage and in fact are to a man in favor of it, but they want the route changed in a number of places. Both factions are represented by attorneys and each side insists that its plan is the only one to follow.

TECUMSEH—Mr. Fred Fuller Sturdevant and Miss Mary Clawson Terrell, well known young people of this city, were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Rose F. Terrell, at high noon on Tuesday, February 16. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. M. Sturdevant, pastor of the local Baptist church and father of the groom, in the presence of a company of relatives and close friends of the principals.

CENTRAL CITY—R. H. McMillan, local secretary, and Charles H. Kephley, physical director of the Young Men's Christian association, accompanied by a delegation of the following members left here Wednesday for Hastings to attend the state Young Men's Christian association convention: Joe Miller, S. D. Barrett, F. L. Kestey, Len

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BEATRICE—Word was received here yesterday announcing the death of Mrs. Charles Deland, a former resident of Beatrice, which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Winter, at Blue Rapids, Kan. Deceased was 90 years of age and is survived by a family of seven children. The remains will be brought here for interment.

WYMORE—At a meeting of the city council at Wymore yesterday the committee appointed to investigate the proposition of a municipal lighting plant reported favorably upon the matter. It was instructed to draw up a resolution for the purpose of submitting the proposition to vote \$50,000 bonds for a plant at the coming spring election. An ordinance was introduced and read for the first time having for its object the re-districting of the city from two to three wards.

DAVID CITY—The local camp of the Modern Woodmen has initiated forty new members this month and last night in the hall of the city a public program was given in the Odd Fellows' temple followed by an oyster supper and dance. Two hundred invited guests were present. The program consisted of vocal selections by Mrs. Ed Hall and Mrs. L. C. Harris and Arthur Gross assisted by Biggs' orchestra and readings by Mrs. Fred McDonald.

MEADOWS—Some details of the approaching meeting of the Southwestern Nebraska Teachers' association are being given out. McCook is the place of the meeting which will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 1, 2 and 3. Among the special attractions will be a lecture by Dr. Fordyce on Thursday evening, Friday evening Dr. Loveland will deliver his lecture on "Tegmen." Teachers of Hastings are arranging to devote Friday and Saturday to the sessions.

BEATRICE—James D. Swaney, an old resident of this city, died last evening. Mr. Swaney was born August 21, 1835, in Pennsylvania, and located in Gage county with his family in 1864. For years he was engaged in farming near Cortland and later removed to this city. During the civil war Mr. Swaney served the union army as a teamster. He was a member of Beatrice lodge, No. 28, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons. He is survived by a widow and four children.

STANTON—Yesterday afternoon the marriage of L. Melcher and Miss Ida Rastie took place. The bride is the oldest daughter of August Rastie, a farmer living about three miles southwest of town. They were married at the Lutheran church and gave the ceremony a large reception was given at the bride's home, to which about 200 guests had been invited. The evening was spent in playing cards, dancing, etc. The young couple will make their home on a farm near Norfolk.

TECUMSEH—Charles G. Williams, a pioneer settler of Johnson county, died at the home of his son, Charles Williams, in this city Wednesday morning. He was aged about 90 years. Mr. Williams was a native of North Carolina and came west in an early day. He had lived in Nebraska for more than forty years. He was a union soldier during the civil war. Mr. Williams is survived by four sons, Charles, Robert, Leonard and Alfred Williams. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon.

TECUMSEH—Mrs. William Thornton died at the family home in Chicago last Saturday. She had been failing for about a year. Her age was 46 years. She is survived by the husband and five children, the youngest being 5 years of age. The body was brought to Tecumseh Tuesday and the funeral held at St. Andrew's church, conducted by Rev. Thomas Barden. Burial was in the cemetery north of the city. The deceased's maiden name was Mary Curtin and for several years she resided with her parents north of Sterling.

TRUMBULL—There occurred here on Wednesday the largest attended wedding in a long time, that of David Gueck to Mabel Haggard. The couple are two of the most popular young people in this community. The parents of both were homesteaders here in the early days. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ray Hunt at the First Christian church, followed by a reception and luncheon at the Modern Woodmen of America hall. Both church and hall were crowded with the invited guests. The presents were many and costly.

NEBRASKA CITY—William Boesie, aged 72 years of age, was stricken with paralysis at his home in this city yesterday and died last evening. He was one of the pioneer settlers of this part of the state. He was born in Nebraska county and served in the civil war and at the close returned home, married and settled down here, where he has remained since. He leaves a widow and a number of children all grown. The funeral will be held tomorrow under the direction of the Grand Army of the Republic post of this city, of which he was a member.

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