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ARBOR DAY IS OBSERVED

Unique Ceremonies Held by Relief Corps Women.

TREES PLANTED FOR HEROINES

High School Seniors Inaugurate Practice of Planting One Tree Each Year on This Great Day.

An impressive ceremony incident to Arbor day and practiced for the first time in this part of the country was observed Thursday afternoon at Fontanelle park in the planting of three memorial trees in honor of women distinguished for their patriotism and loyalty to the great work of the Woman's Relief corps.

The three women thus honored were Anna Wittenmeyer, an army nurse during the civil war; Mother Bickendyk, the noted army nurse of the western armies during the civil war, and Past National President Elizabeth A. Turner of the Woman's Relief corps.

The proceedings were begun with a formal ceremony at Magnolia hall, Twenty-fourth street and Ames avenue, held under the auspices of Crook corps, with Grant and Custer corps participating, at 2:30. This included addresses appropriate to the occasion by Mrs. J. C. Miller, Mrs. T. L. Hull, Mrs. F. R. Baker, Mrs. G. H. Schleh, Mrs. Mary Girard Andrews and others, with a suitable musical program.

After the exercises at the hall the members of the different corps, with a number of Grand Army men, took the Ames avenue cars for Fontanelle park, where the ceremony of planting the trees were carried out. Each tree was labeled with an aluminum tag indicating in whose honor it was planted, and as each tree was placed in the ground a short sketch of the person in whose honor it was planted was given by those delegated to plant the separate trees.

Observance by Schools.

Last year the only trees planted in Omaha on public ground were by the school children of the Train and Beale schools in the suburbs. One tree each was planted by the schools. This year that number was cut in two and but one tree was planted by a school. This was by the senior class of the high school, with appropriate exercises. The graduating classes have never before planted a tree, but the class of 1909 secured permission to inaugurate the idea and in the future it is probable that every graduating class from the Omaha High school will on Arbor day plant one tree as a monument to the body of young men and women who went through the school.

Copies of a small volume on Arbor day, compiled by former Governor Robert W. Furnas, the first governor of Nebraska to issue an Arbor day proclamation, and containing many complimentary words from men of national reputation on the great work started by Mr. Morton, were sent to the principals of each school in Omaha Thursday by Mrs. Davidson and persons of the committee. The book was used in short exercises given in the schools.

In the volume is this stanza from the pen of Edmund Clarence Steadman and dedicated to J. Sterling Morton: "Tribute to fruits be his, and glossy wreaths From roadside trees, and his people's love. When east and west the wind of summer Through orchard, shaded path and sighing grove."

WOMEN SET OUT TWO TREES

Several organizations participate in Ceremony at Y. W. C. A. Corner. Two more beauty spots were planted at the still unlovely corner of Seventeenth street and St. Mary's avenue when two shapely young trees were set out on the grounds of the Young Women's Christian association, gifts in the association from the Omaha Woman's club and the Women's Christian Temperance union of this city.

The ceremony was attended by a generous representation from the three organizations and took place at high noon in celebration of Arbor day. The Woman's club tree was planted first. It is a white elm and stands in the small triangular grass plot at the northwest corner of the building.

Mrs. F. J. Burnett of the club's forestry committee spoke briefly of the origin and observation of Arbor day, concluding with the wish that this first tree to be planted by the club might live as long as the famous elm under which William Penn signed the treaty with the Indians.

Mrs. Edward Johnson, president of the club, made the presentation briefly. Mrs. W. P. Harford, president of the



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BELT LINE RATE CASE WAITS

Hearing on Switching Charges Deferred at Request of Railroads.

MISSOURI PACIFIC GETS CHANCE

If the Railroad Wins Its Case Shippers Will Pay Three to Four Times as Much for Moving Cars.

Railroads concerned in the Belt line switching case before the Nebraska railroad commission have asked for more time to prepare for the hearing. The case was set for the present week, but will not now come up this month, unless the commission acts in a hurry. The railroads have been promised one week's time.

After deciding once, just a year ago, that the Missouri Pacific could not clip off several miles from the Omaha switching district and put in the regular tariff rates, the commission has decided to hear the same company make another plea for the right to chop off five or six miles of trackage which is now in the switching district and put the tariff rates into effect. It means shippers will pay three to four times as much for moving cars as at present.

Since the stock feeders have taken an interest in the railroads are a little doubtful as to whether they better insist on eliminating the switching schedule, or not. Four stock feeders who ship a large number of cattle and sheep have given notice they will route their stock over any other roads but the Burlington or Missouri Pacific if the two companies discontinue switching charges.

Factories in Ralston, which ship large amounts of pig iron and other materials from the east, as well as shipping their finished products west, will join the shippers and will route no more freight over the roads which would make Omaha's shipping district smaller. Forty-two carloads of building material was recently diverted from the road which it would naturally move over because of the effort of the Missouri Pacific, backed by the Burlington, to shrink the switching district.

Baskerville Was Bellevue Student

Young Missionary Killed at Tabriz Attended School There One Year.

Hoard C. Baskerville, the young American missionary slain a few days ago in a battle at Tabriz, Persia, between the national and the army besieging the city in the uprising against the Christians, was formerly a student at Bellevue college and his untimely death is mourned by his friends in the college town.

Young Baskerville was a student at the college but one year, 1902-3, but in that short time made many friends and a record as a student and stood especially high in his Bible studies. The records in his secretary's office show that he never "flunked" and his rating on all studies was good.

Three brothers of the missionary attended Bellevue college after Hoard left to go to Princeton for additional training before leaving for Persia.

One brother is Charles E. Baskerville, until recently pastor of the Presbyterian church at Inman, Neb. Before taking this pastorate the young man took a short course in the McCormick Theological seminary in Chicago. He is now at Princeton, but will be graduated this year. Two other brothers, Ernest and Robert, are attending Allister college in St. Paul. Their address is 1713 Lincoln avenue, St. Paul.

The Baskerville family lived in Spearfish, S. D., before moving to Minnesota.

Births and Deaths.

Births—Robert Davis, 530 North Thirtieth street, boy; Matthew Kingston, 403 Miami street, boy; Frank Truesdale, 14 North Twenty-seventh avenue, boy; Earl J. Hoeschal, 323 Hamilton street, girl. Deaths—Francis Peter Curry, Tenth and Castellor streets, 15 years; John Morin, 301 Grand avenue, 65 years.

Keifer Says Law for Nonpartisan Judiciary is Bad

Chairman of Republican State Committee Says Some Action Will Be Taken Tuesday.

"In my opinion, the nonpartisan judiciary law is bad," said J. Warren Keifer, Jr., chairman of the republican state committee, while in Omaha Thursday afternoon.

"At the republican state committee meeting to be held next Tuesday the question of attacking the law will be discussed and no doubt some move will be taken. As chairman of the committee I would be willing to call a convention for the nomination of supreme judges and regents of the University of Nebraska. Then some member of the committee or someone else could file an injunction suit. Probably it would be the duty of the attorney general to file the suit. In this way the case could be brought to the attention of the court."

"I believe no law is constitutional which provides that a political party cannot endorse candidates for office or nominate them. Besides several sections of the law amended sections of the old law which has already been repealed.

"At the committee meeting we will also discuss the matter of finance and take steps to keep the organization intact and supply it with necessary funds."

DEMOCRATIC BOUQUET FOR JIM

What Constantine J. Smyth, Former Attorney General and Close Friend of Bryan, Says of the Cowboy Mayor.

"I have no personal quarrel with Mayor Dahlman, but when he assumes to represent the democratic party I, in common with other democrats, have a right to examine his official conduct and his political principles for the purpose of determining whether or not he is entitled to be classed as a representative of my party.

"Mr. Dahlman was originally selected as candidate for mayor by a coterie of gentlemen representing the franchised and other corporations of this city. This is susceptible of easy proof. He has been loyal to the interests of his creators ever since, yet he pretends to be a friend of the people.

"Instead of seeking to build up the democratic party he has built up a personal machine advocating a brand of democracy heretofore unknown to the people of this state, showing clearly that his purpose has been to benefit himself and not the party.

"He took a solemn oath to obey the laws, and then issued a command to the chief of police to disobey the laws and to ignore the actions of those who violated the laws. This led to the passage of the Sackett law, which enables any citizen to force the closing not only of the saloons on Sunday, but to endanger every innocent out-of-door sport that the common people delight in. He claims to be the friend of the common people, and yet he is unable to point to a single act in his entire administration in support of this claim.

"He claims to be the friend of Mr. Bryan, and yet his conduct has done Mr. Bryan more harm in the eyes of the clean, independent voter than that of any other democrat in the state.

"When the universal transfer ordinance came before him for his approval he turned it down, showing that he was still loyal to his projects, the corporations.

"He pretends to be the friend of the laboring man, yet filled nearly every position open to skilled labor with nonunion men. When the Central Labor union protested against this he ignored the protest.

"He has shown no interest whatever in the great commercial bodies of the city, and seems to be utterly out of sympathy with them. This is not the way to build up a city.

"He claims to love the dear people, and yet he has done everything in his power to take away from them the right to select their own fire and police board. Why? Simply that he might build up his personal interests.

"Finally, I challenge you to name a single act in the entire administration of Mr. Dahlman which entitles him to a single democratic vote."

Speech of C. J. Smyth delivered March 27, 1909, as reported in the World-Herald.



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