

ATTEND AT SOUTH OMAHA

School Board Candidates Keep Busy in Spite of Uncertainty.

MANY JOURNEY TO LINCOLN

Number of People Interested in Bill Lengthening Terms of Present City Officers—Shamrock's Manager.

Although confronted by the uncertainty whether there will be a school board election or not, there is no waning of the activity of the candidates who will fight out the issue at the polls. Indeed, yesterday there was a very perceptible growth of interest in the coming fight and the fervently expressed wish of friends of both democratic and republican nominees was that the governor would let the people have an opportunity of re-choosing their city officers.

It is admitted on all sides that, although there is only one member of the old board seeking re-election, the democratic candidates must bear the responsibility of the present financial state of the school district. This condition has arisen under a democratic administration, and, as a republican put it, "it is up to the people whether they want economy with efficiency or the affairs of the school district so managed that a board will go on blindly, as it were, issuing warrants without investigating as to the whereabout of the money."

There is no great enthusiasm over the democratic ticket, judging by the observations of one of the party yesterday. He conceded without question that at least two of the republican nominees had good prospects of success and then he began to reckon up the chances of his own party as to which of the three on the ticket would be elected.

Many Go to Lincoln.

The fact that the bill lengthening city officers' terms had passed and is awaiting the signature of the governor was the impulse to another expedition to Lincoln yesterday. It is stated that one of the party was a member of the board who did not come out in the primaries, his term under ordinary circumstances expiring this year. City officials also bent their way thither, all with the view to getting the ear of the governor.

Kennedy Shamrock's Manager.

The Shamrock Base Ball club organized last night for the work of the season by electing George "Katy" Kennedy manager. He is an enthusiastic member of the club and has shown his experience in the past in bringing his men to shape to pull off victories.

The attendance at the meeting at which the election took place showed that the interest of the members of the organization is thoroughly aroused. About fifty were present and the majority of the votes was cast for Kennedy. The other competitors for the position were Jimmy Cavanaugh and Clarence Benson.

Kennedy has a bunch of between twenty-five and thirty players to draw upon, and the Shamrockers are confident they will have the best combination in the city. They have a date, April 19, with P. Hourke's team.

St. Martin's Church Notes.

This evening there will be evening prayer and sermon by the rector on the subject, "Christ's Use of Boon."

The special prayer Sunday will be the Rev. F. D. Tyner, rector of St. Andrew's, Omaha.

Mrs. J. B. Watkins will tell the Bible story at the "Children's Hour" Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Her subject will be "The Engineer."

Rev. Alfred G. White, rector of St. Martin's, will be the special preacher at the inter-parochial service at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Omaha, Thursday evening, April 6. All the Episcopal churches in Omaha and South Omaha will combine in the services.

Maize City Gossip.

Judge Frank Agnew has moved out on his chicken ranch on the Bellevue boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald T. Hazell are leaving South Omaha this spring to locate in Idaho.

Mrs. Isaac Courtney is in Lincoln in attendance upon her mother, who is in feeble health.

The P. C. Caldwell base ball team was defeated Wednesday by the Hawthorne Indians by the score of 9 to 3.

Phone Bell South 888—Independent F-1888 for a case of Jetter Gold Top. Prompt delivery to any part of the city.

Ralph Douglas Campbell, who has been seriously ill at the home of his uncle, C. E. Campbell, 207 E. Street, is convalescing. Division No. 4 of the King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian church will give a luncheon at the new church at noon, April 8.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Graham have returned from Auburn whether they went to attend the golden wedding of Mrs. Graham's parents.

The Christian Women's Board of Missions will meet this afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. E. A. Vance, 222 North Twenty-second street.

Frank Henry, a student of the Ames Agricultural college, Ames, Ia., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Henry, for a few days.

The Epworth League will give an All Fools' day party Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. E. P. Baker, 1414 North Twenty-third street.

The next meeting of the King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian church will be held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Nichols, 101 North Seventeenth street, April 7.

A daughter was born yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. McCreary, 247 South Thirtieth street, Omaha. The baby is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McKinley.

J. E. Neiman died Wednesday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. J. Campbell, 80 North Fortieth street, aged 18. The body will be taken to Malvern, Ia., Saturday for interment.

The city clerk reminds property holders that the time for designating material in the paving district in which bids are to be received, expires April 1. If choice is not made then the council will decide.

The annual maple syrup and hot biscuit dinner will be served in the new Presbyterian church by the women of the congregation the evening of April 5. A program of music, speeches and toasts will be submitted.

Iowa Dipsomaniac Anxious for a Cure

Swears Out Warrant for Own Arrest and Delivers Himself Up to the Sheriff.

Henry Paulson, a blacksmith at Tremor, Ia., came to Council Bluffs yesterday and swore to an information charging himself with being a dipsomaniac. He then ordered the issuance of the warrant for his own arrest before Judge Snyder in the superior court, and when there threatened to be delay in executing the warrant, owing to the absence of an executive officer, Paulson took the warrant and went to the sheriff's office, where he notified the officers that he had arrested himself and delivered the prisoner.

Under the circumstances it was not thought necessary to lock up Paulson, but he insisted that there should be no break in the regular course of proceedings and was going to go to jail himself, when a compromise was effected by which he was taken to St. Bernard's hospital to be detained until he can be taken to Knoxville. He will be accompanied there by a deputy sheriff today.

College Students Raid Girls' Rooms; General Strike On

Twelve Hundred Students at Washington State School Decide to Remain Away from Classes.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 31.—Instruction was suspended at the Washington State college today as the result of a strike of students. At a meeting last night it was decided that all the 1,200 students should remain away from classes until the culprits who participated in a raid on the girls' dormitory early Tuesday morning were apprehended and expelled.

Pickets were stationed today at all entrances to the buildings to prevent anyone entering the class rooms.

During the raid on the dormitory the beds of more than a dozen young women were overturned and the girls were then hauled around the floors in their bed clothing. Entrances to the dormitory were gained through an upper window, the raiders using a rope ladder. As a result of the affair several of the young women have left college and returned home.

More than fifty students have been called before the faculty for investigation. Evidence is said to be strong against a half dozen who are prominent in athletics. Several girls are prostrated as a result of fright or through the treatment they received. A number suffered injuries.

Eastern Nebraska is Covered With Snow

Precipitation of from Three to Six Inches as Far West as Grand Island.

Eastern Nebraska was given a thorough soaking last night when snow fell in some places to a depth of from three to six inches. The Union Pacific reports snow from Omaha to Schuyler and six inches from Central City to Grand Island. On the Burlington from Edgemont to Ravenna, there is three inches of snow, with snow falling on the Sheridan division. No snow is reported on the Wynmore or McCook divisions of the Burlington.

March "went out like a lion." The pessimist who complained of those fine days in the early part of the month on the authority of the old proverb has been seen to almost smile last night.

Leads of damp, sticky snow fell last night for four hours. At 11:30 o'clock two and one-half inches had fallen. Street car schedules were affected and vehicles slipped and skidded along the streets.

Trees and shrubbery early this morning presented the ghostly appearance familiar to real winter.

In Nebraska and South Dakota. KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 31.—Snow was general in Nebraska, South Dakota and northwest Missouri last night and early today, according to reports received by the local weather bureau. The heaviest precipitation was at St. Louis, where five inches fell. Four inches fell at Omaha. In northern Montana one inch fell.

Dr. Gillespie Tells of Work in Wyoming

Has Helped to Build Seventeen Churches During His Twenty-Two Years' Service There.

Rev. J. H. Gillespie, who has been one of the sturdy Methodist missionary ministers in the northern part of Wyoming since 1889 was in Omaha Thursday working in connection with the Methodist church here. In the twenty-two years in which Dr. Gillespie has been in the northern part of the state, he has been present at the dedication or service of almost every church of religion in that state, practically every one of the new churches.

Among the towns which have erected church buildings in the last twenty-one years, are Cody, Worland, Thermopolis, Dietz, Sheridan, Big Horn, Douglas, Buffalo, Wheatland, Manville, Evanston, Rock Springs, Newcastle, Casper, Cambria and Rawlins.

The Methodist church outside of Wyoming has contributed more than \$250,000 to help the missionaries there, but the church people of the state have done the most of the helping themselves.

Among the interesting little things which Dr. Gillespie has as relics of the state of religion is a notice of church to be held in one town. The notice reads: Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

Dance at 9 p. m.

After Dinner Big Poker Game.

The minister always declared that he was only in charge of the first event.

METHODIST MINISTER SHOULD DRAW EIGHT HUNDRED YEAR

NEW YORK, March 31.—The minimum salary of Methodist ministers should be not less than \$200 a year, the belief of the New York Methodist conference, and a commission of fourteen members will devote the next twelve months to devising means to increase the compensation of poorly-paid pastors, according to a resolution adopted this afternoon. The Laymen's association and the conference each will name seven members of the commission.

South Dakota News Notes.

YANKTON—Charles C. Leys, of a local cleaning establishment, was seriously burned during a fire at his place caused by a gasoline explosion. The most serious burns are on the hands and legs in a hospital.

YANKTON—The bodies of E. T. Gillespie, a former Yankton resident, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Henderson, arrived Wednesday afternoon from Vona, Colo., and the double funeral took place Thursday. Mrs. Henderson died just before her son-in-law and both were buried here for burial by Mrs. Henderson's lost husband and mother within a week.

HURON—Judge Rottum of Faulkton, sitting for Judge Rottum in circuit court here, yesterday sentenced John Stinner of Weymouth to a term in the penitentiary not exceeding twenty years. The sentence is indeterminate and is to be fixed by the warden of the prison and the Board of Prisoners and Corrections. Stinner entered a plea of guilty of assault in the second degree.

HURON—During the last ten days efforts to raise \$50,000 toward the permanent fund of college have been in progress. At a meeting of citizens it was shown that the subscription already made aggregated about \$40,000 and enough is in sight to assure the success of the undertaking. To this will be added several thousand dollars by friends of the institutions outside the city, thus making the endowment \$50,000 and assuring the success of Huron college as an educational factor in South Dakota and the northwest.

YANKTON—A clever stunt was pulled off at Yankton college that has so far baffled the authorities. Every one of the 100 chairs in the college dining room at Dakin hall was removed during Tuesday night and Wednesday morning it was a case of stand up for all for breakfast.

Later on the missing chairs were found piled high on top of the observatory and college library building. The big job was carried out successfully without leaving a clue as to the young men engaged in the affair.

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"Asbury" hats \$2.50
"Rutland" hats \$3.00
"Stetson" hats \$3.50 up

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MENDELSSOHN CHOIR CONCERT

Many Hear Ak-Sar-Ben Benefit Given at Den.

PROGRAM COVERS WIDE RANGE

Organization Under Direction of Thomas J. Kelly—Max Landow Assists at the Piano.

The audience at the Den last evening listened to a musical treat in the nature of the Ak-Sar-Ben benefit concert, the very excellent program being rendered by the Mendelssohn choir of Omaha. Mr. Thomas J. Kelly, conductor, assisted by Mr. Max Landow, pianist, and the audience was both large and appreciative.

The acoustic properties of the large hall are excellent, adding much to the enjoyment of the program. Applause was liberal and a number of encores were responded to.

The chorus and oratorio work of the choir was nearly beyond description, so harmoniously did the voices of the splendid and well trained chorus respond to the conductor's baton. The vocal portion of the concert embraced a wide range, all showing the results of hard and careful training and study. The group of Russian and Serbian songs were exceptionally well sung and highly appreciated, especially the "Sun and Moon," a translation of a Russian poem by J. Polonsky, as well as the Serbian number, "Evening on the Sava," which was sung by the chorus last year and repeated last evening by request. It is along the lines of oratorio work and was sung by the chorus in its most impressive style.

Latin Hymn to Open.

The opening number, an ancient Latin hymn, "Alla Trinita Beata," was sung in that tongue. The selection from the oratorio of "Elijah" was rendered by the chorus to excellent advantage. The choir completed its part of the concert by singing five selections of a somewhat lighter vein than those sung earlier in the evening, and they took with the audience. "The Jubilee," a short selection on the humorous order, was repeated as an encore. Perhaps the most effective bit of work of the shorter selections of the choir was the closing number, "The Bells of St. Michael's Tower," which proved very entertaining.

The strokes of a bell in the distance added much to the effects of this selection.

Mr. Kelly has shown again that he is an accomplished director, and at all times the singers in the large chorus showed the thoroughness of his training. Miss Grace Hancock acted as accompanist for the choir.

Mr. Max Landow, pianist, appeared twice on the program and responded to two encores. He has the rare faculty of being able to interpret the famous composers of pianoforte music to an advantage seldom heard. At times he held the audience so quiet that it seemed as if the drop of a pin could have been heard, and at the end he would be greeted by salvos of applause.

The program for the evening follows: "Alla Trinita Beata".....

(a) "He Watching Over Israel".....
(b) "Be Not Afraid" (from Mendelssohn).....
The Mendelssohn Choir.....
"Venia".....
"Two Minuettes".....
"Barcarole".....
"Sun and Moon" (Russian), Gretchenneff.....
"The Two Roses" (Russian), Cesar Cui.....
"Evening on the Sava" (Serbian Folk Song).....
The Mendelssohn Choir.....
"By Babylon's Wave" (repeated), Gounod.....
"Hallelujah".....
"Polonaise".....
"O, Tender".....
"Charles is My Darling".....
"The Jubilee".....
"Early One Morning".....
"The Bells of St. Michael's Tower".....
(Miss Grace Hancock, Accompanist.)

Des Moines Man Sent to Indiana Prison

George Herbert Lee, Who Committed Series of Robberies, Sentenced Within Hour of Capture.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., March 31.—Herbert George Lee, aged 38 years, said to have been a prominent dentist of Des Moines, Ia., and of a well-to-do family, was captured here today after a series of bold daylight robberies and sentenced to the state prison from one to fourteen years, within an hour after his arrest. He came here a week ago, representing himself as a magazine agent and it is said, committed the robberies while soliciting.

MRS. AUGUSTA M. EHRHARDT DIES AT STANTON HOME

STANTON, Neb., March 31.—(Special Telegram.)—Augusta M. Ehrhardt, wife of John A. Ehrhardt of Stanton, died at the family residence in Stanton after a prolonged illness. Mrs. Ehrhardt was the first matron of the Order of the Eastern Star in this place. She was very prominent in club affairs and at the time of her death was vice president of the third district of the Federation of Woman's Clubs.

Dr. Pearsons Gives Doane College \$25,000

Philanthropist Will Celebrate Ninety-First Birthday by Distribution of Three Hundred Thousand.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Dr. D. K. Pearsons of Hinsdale, Ill., will celebrate his 91st birthday, April 14, by the distribution of \$200,000 to schools and religious organizations. This will make his total distributions of recent years nearly \$5,000,000, most of which has been given to small colleges. The gifts are termed by Dr. Pearsons as "debts," and in most cases are fulfillments of his pledge to distribute the bodies of certain sums, when they should have collected other stipulated amounts.

The money to be given April 14 will be distributed as follows:

American Board of Foreign Missions, \$100,000; Berea college, Kentucky, \$100,000; Doane college, \$25,000; Northland college, Wisconsin, \$25,000; Highland college, Kansas, \$10,000; McKendree college, Illinois, \$10,000. Other smaller gifts make a total of \$200,000.

FORMER NEBRASKA MAN ENDS LIFE AFTER BEING JILTED

Fred Winslow, Recently from Cody, Shoots Himself at Home in Missouri.

MARSHFIELD, Mo., March 31.—(Special Telegram.)—Feeling that since his sweetheart had decided to have no more to do with him life would no longer be worth the living, Fred Winslow, aged 30, who, with his wealthy parents, recently moved to Webster county by Cody, Neb., today committed suicide by shooting himself through the left temple with a rifle at their home a mile from here.

Winslow's mother rushed into his bedroom and found him lying on the floor with outstretched arms, a hole in his head and the weapon a few feet from his side. Winslow never spoke after shooting himself. The name of the young woman over whom Winslow killed himself has not been divulged.

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