

ECHOES OF THE ANTE-ROOM

Western Organizations Are Meeting in the Eastern Cities.

W. O. W. AND M. W. A. HOLD MEETS

Modern Woodmen of America Will Hold Big Picnic—Clan Gordon to Have Outing in August—Acharates Install.

Lodges and fraternal orders originated and fostered in the west are invading the east for their national conventions. At Rochester the Woodmen of the World held their meeting and made a number of important changes in the organization of the order. Joseph C. Root, national head of the order and a prominent citizen of the west, and his assistant, one of the staff of the Woodmen of the World and Woodmen Circle, the auxiliary order, had their salaries boosted by substantial increases.

The Modern Woodmen of America also held a national convention, going to Buffalo. There the drill teams or "foresters," competed for the large prizes. The Omaha team made a good showing and one team under Captain Martins won third place with a high percentage.

Independent Order of Odd Fellows. Omaha lodge No. 2 will have work in the third degree next Friday night. Wasa lodge No. 183 will confer the third degree on a couple of candidates next Wednesday night.

South Omaha lodge No. 147 will put on the third degree work tomorrow night. Hesperian encampment No. 2 will have a regular meeting next Thursday night. The royal purple degree will be conferred on a class of fifteen candidates and the officers of this camp are planning on a record-breaking attendance. On account of the large number of candidates the degree work will commence as soon after 8 o'clock as possible. A number of members from other encampments have signified their intention of being present. This is the last meeting of the term and refreshments will be served.

Royal Acharates. Installation of officers in Union lodge will be held on Thursday evening, July 6 at Barlight hall, Nineteenth and Farnam. Refreshments will be served and all members who can do so are urged to be present and invite a friend for the occasion. A social season with dancing will follow installation.

Next Thursday evening Union lodge will conduct the fourth card party and dance in the summer series. Prizes for best or most fortunate players will be awarded, including hand painted china pieces. Refreshments will be served and dancing close the evening's entertainment.

Clansmen of America. Lodge No. 1 will hold its first annual picnic in Elmwood park July 2, to which all clansmen and friends are invited. A splendid program of games and races has been arranged for which prizes will be given. Members will bring lunches and stay all day, as a thoroughly enjoyable time is assured. Plenty of ice cream and lemonade will be on tap.

Lodge No. 1 Clansmen of America, will elect officers for the ensuing term at its next meeting on June 30. All members are urged to be present and assist in the election.

Knights of the Maccabees. Omaha Tent No. 8, Knights of the Maccabees met in regular review Friday evening, a large number of the members being present. The picnic committee reported progress. More definite information as to the time and place of holding the picnic will be given at the next review. On next Monday evening, June 26, the members of this tent will give a lawn social at the home of C. C. Cranice, 413 North Twenty-fifth avenue. All sir knights and lady Maccabees and friends are specially invited to attend.

Modern Woodmen of America. The two Modern Woodmen of America forester teams that took part in the drill contests held in connection with the triennial meeting of the head camp last week made very creditable showings. The team of Omaha camp No. 120 took third prize and that of B. & M. No. 96. Only a small fraction over two points divided the team from Denver that took first prize from the team of E. & M. No. 94, while the team of camp 120 was only a fraction over one point behind the first prize winner.

The head camp voted down a proposition to levy an assessment each month, but instead decided to have a special session of the head camp in Chicago in January, when the entire matter of assessments and rates will be gone over and such changes as the membership in general wants will be made.

B. & M. camp No. 96 meets Tuesday evening and has much important work on hand.

The Modern Woodmen of America will give the Fourth of July with a big picnic at Elmwood park. The whole day will be given over to fun and every camp in Omaha and surrounding cities is invited to take part. Beech camp will take charge. The afternoon will be given over to athletic contests and a series of ball games between camp teams. A program of speeches will be provided with A. V. Talbot of Lincoln, head of the order, as chief orator.

Order of Scottish Clans. Clan Gordon No. 83, Order of Scottish Clans, held their regular meeting Tuesday evening and decided to hold their twenty-third annual picnic at Courtland beach Saturday, August 19.

Fraternal Union of America. Banner lodge No. 11, Fraternal Union of America, will hold its regular meeting June 28. All members are requested to attend, important business.

Woman Ends Her Life After Long Sickness

Mrs. John Steinberg Commits Suicide by Hanging in Basement of Her Home.

Mrs. John Steinberg ended her life Saturday morning by hanging in her home at 25 South Twenty-fourth street. She was 55 years old, and had been mentally deranged at times covering a period of a year or more.

She was last seen alive at 9 o'clock, and when found at 11:15 she was hanging from a clothes line attached to a rafter in the basement of her home. She was found by her son, Julius Kivitsky. She is survived by her husband and four children. The body was taken in charge by Deputy Coroner Larkin.

Man Killed by Train Identified. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., June 23.—(Special)—The clothing worn by the young man who was killed by a Northwestern train near Boone Saturday and who was buried Tuesday were today positively identified as those of Fred Bailey, a restaurant waiter of this city. Up to today his identity had not been established. He was 27 years of age and he was killed while stealing a ride. His parents live here.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD HONOR THEIR SOVEREIGN COMMANDER.

Joseph Cullem Root, National Head of the Order, Visits Omaha.



JOSEPH CULLEM ROOT.

BOYS, MOGY IS WATCHING YOU

Youngsters Under Eighteen Caught Smoking Will Be Punished.

NEW LAW IS EFFECTIVE SOON

After July 7 It Will Also Be Unlawful for Any Lad Under Sixteen to Drive an Automobile Under Any Circumstances.

Bad boys under 18 years of age who smoke tobacco after July 7 will have other reasons than fear of the parental rod for going out behind the barn. A new act which goes into effect upon that date makes it a misdemeanor punishable with a fine of \$5, and Mogy Bernstein and the juvenile authorities, moreover, have given it out that they mean to enforce the law to the letter.

The law is directed as much against the dealer as the unlucky miscreant who is caught seeking solace in the weed. The fine is made remissible provided that the offender will give the court the name of the dealer who sold him the tobacco. A heavy fine attaches to the dealer who sells to minors.

Also lads that speed their fathers' automobiles and in hopes that because they are under 18 they will come before the juvenile authorities and be let off easy, will have good cause to look to their speedometers. After July 7 all above 16 and under 18 will be turned over to the regular authorities to be dealt with in the police court. No lad under 16 will be allowed to drive a machine under any circumstances.

Five boys came up before Judge Kennedy in juvenile court Saturday morning for speeding, but because of the present unsettled condition of the law on the point were dismissed with a strong reprimand, the county attorney giving it as his opinion that they would be dealt with in the future as outlined above.

WALLET CAUSES HOT FIGHT

Hundred Persons Watch Lucy Smith and Charles Anderson Battle for It.

A hundred people last night watched Lucy Smith and Charles Anderson fight all over Ninth street for the possession of a wallet containing \$31.

The woman is a husky colored dame, 25 years old. Anderson, who is a section boss on the Burlington, had all the energy of a man fresh from the handcar. Anderson was getting the better of the scuffle when the woman grabbed his wallet and threw it away. Then Anderson yelled murder, fire and police. Soon the hurry-up wagon from the police station was on the scene, but, although Anderson had a half-Nelson hold on Lucy, the pocketbook was nowhere to be found.

After sending the woman to the station, Policeman Dan Leahy almost burned up the pavement with his harness hunting for the wallet. He was assisted by a helper by Charley, and after a search of half an hour the money bag was located between the car tracks at Ninth and Farnam streets.

Anderson went to the station with Dan Leahy and the full pocketbook. He told the officers in charge that as he was strolling along the street the woman tried to give him the strong arm.

"Ay tank dat voman must be a prize fighter," remarked Anderson as he was told to appear against her in police court this morning.

DICKINSON WOULD BE A JUDGE

City Prosecutor Has Filed on the Republican Ticket—T. J. O'Connor Also Files.

C. T. Dickinson, at present city prosecutor, filed Saturday morning with the county clerk for republican nomination for district judge. Thomas J. O'Connor filed for county clerk on the democratic ticket and E. R. Kidder, also a democrat, filed for overseer of highways.

Keep Down Your Weight

Fatty Accumulations Are Unpleasant, Uncomfortable and Tend to Produce Disease.

The greatest danger that fat people encounter is with their heart. A fatty heart may cause death at any moment. Fatty liver is a very serious disorder and not any less dangerous are fatty kidneys. In fact, fat wherever it is found and ought not to be, is a menace to life and good health. The inconvenience and annoyance of deposits of fat and useless flesh are moreover an indication that the blood is unhealthy and that the stomach is not properly assimilating the food, so that people who are subject to corpulency and excessive fat should safeguard themselves against this advancing disease for which we have commonly the name, obesity.

Instead of tiresome exercise and dieting, a good way to reduce one's weight is to take the simple prescription which has been so successfully employed everywhere in making fat people comfortably slender. As long as you take the Marmola Prescription, which consists of three ingredients that can be had at any good drug store for a trifling sum, you will lose the superfluous and excessive fat and as soon as you find that you have gotten down to the weight and size that you wish—you stop—and your weight and size will neither increase nor decrease. Marmola prescription is as follows: 1/2 ounce Marmola, 1/2 ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatica, and 1/2 ounce Peppermint Water, and the dose is one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime. Can be had at any drugstore for a very trifling sum—but be sure to get Marmola in the original unbroken package.—Adv.

INSPECTOR SECURES EVIDENCE

Question as to Whether Thomas Testimony Was Given Freely.

THOMAS BIDS LINDLAND GOODBYE

Postmaster Decries Report That He Has Filed Charges Against William A. Kelly, Registry Superintendent.

In weighing the evidence in the Thomas case the postmaster general would like to know whether the evidence submitted in behalf of the Omaha postmaster at the investigation of the Tillotson charges was given freely or under pressure. This explains the object of the visit of J. C. Lindland, who worked among postoffice employees during the last two or three days.

What Inspector Lindland learned on this visit will not be made known to any other than the postmaster general.

Postmaster Thomas decries the report that he had been held before Inspector Lindland for an investigation and also that he had made any statement before him.

"I knew that Mr. Lindland was in town, but never appeared before him for an investigation," said Mr. Thomas. "I went up to see him Friday night just before he left, but it was just to bid him good-bye in regard to the report that I have filed charges against Superintendent of Registry Kelly. I will deny that also. I know that the inspector was not here in connection with my case, either directly or indirectly."

Mr. Kelly when seen said he had not been before the postoffice inspector while he was here and did not know whether any charges had been filed against him. "I am not afraid of any charges that are placed against me, and I know nothing regarding

SECTION HAND KILLED ON RAILROAD TRACKS

Omaha Police Are Asked to Locate Relatives of Frank Thompson, the Victim.

Omaha police are endeavoring to locate relatives of Frank Thompson, who was killed on the Northwestern tracks between Logan and Missouri Valley Friday evening. He was a section worker and was killed while in the performance of his duties. Word of his death was received Saturday by the Omaha police from Sheriff Rook of Logan, who says that Thompson's relatives live here. Thompson was 26 years old.

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RAILROADS WANT MORE TIME

Attorneys Ask for Changes in the Plans of Viaducts.

CONFER WITH CITY ATTORNEY

Want the City to Close Parts of the Streets, When They Say, They Will Then Go Ahead with the Work.

Attorneys for the railroads ordered to build the Nicholas and Locust street viaducts have asked for more time and demanded certain changes in the plans. Then they state that the roads will be ready to construct the viaducts.

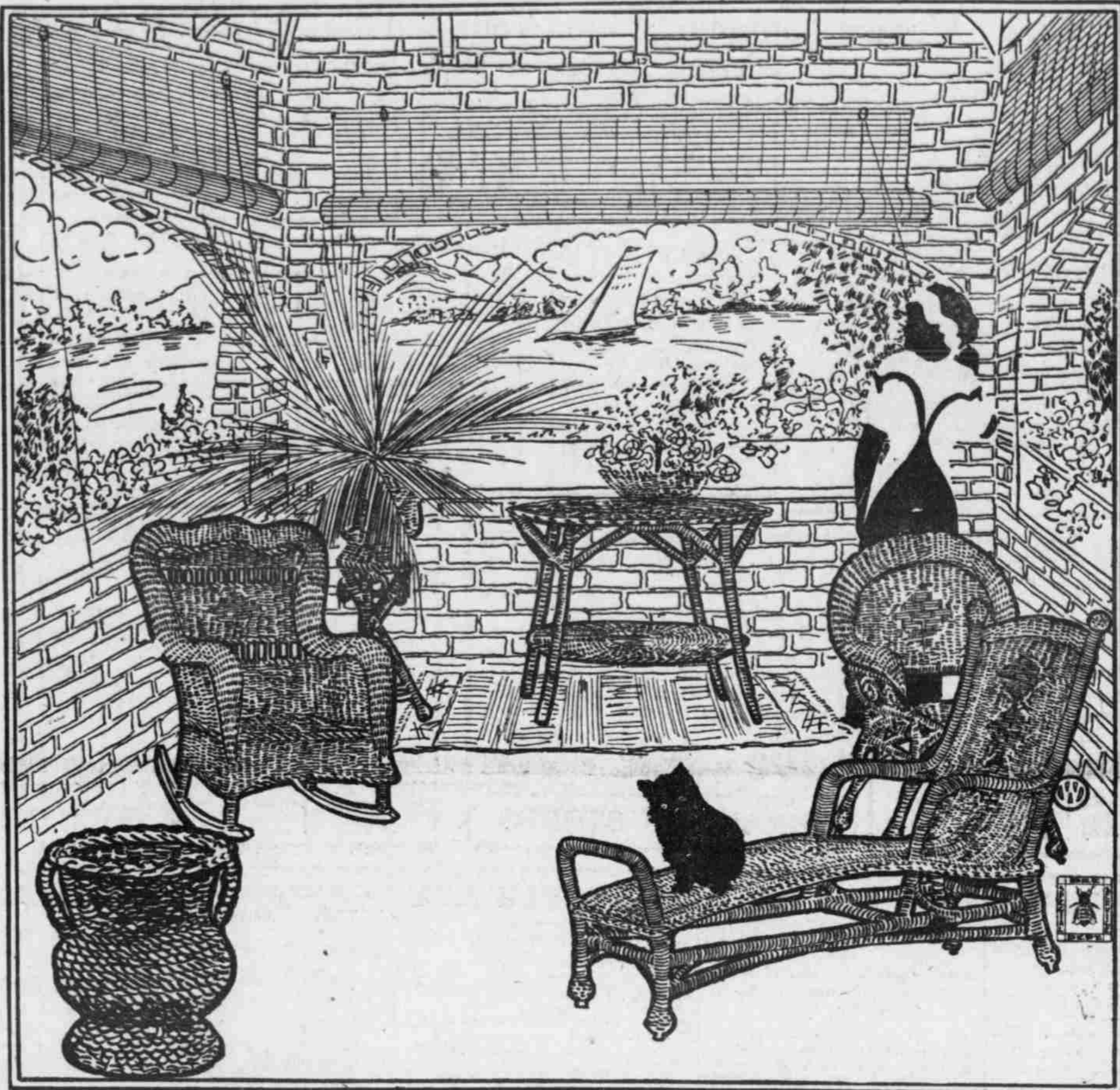
Ben White, representing the Northwestern; F. A. Brogan, the Missouri Pacific;

and James Sheehan, the Omaha, held a conference with city Attorney John A. Rine Friday and informed him that if the council would close portions of Nicholas street along the right-of-way of the railroads the construction work would be started at once. Rine told them to get up a petition the same as any other property owner and present it to the council. Changes in plans were requested for the Locust street viaduct.

"These promises of the lawyers don't mean anything," said a city hall official Saturday morning. "The railroads have been playing horse with the city for a year and will continue to do so unless they are yanked up instantly. They'll promise anything, but they don't intend to build these viaducts until the courts force them to do it. The sooner the city realises it the sooner the city will get its viaducts."

The Key to the Situation—See Want Ads.

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- Reed Settee—Substantial, comfort-giving, strong\$6.00
- Fiber Rush Rocker—Wide runners, very high back\$3.00
- Fiber Rush Chair—One that rests and cools the body\$6.50
- Fiber Rush Round Table—Durably constructed\$6.00
- Fiber Rush Square Table—Heavy legs, thick top, 24-inch\$6.50
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