Nebraska

DEFENSE UNCOVERS THEORY

Belief that Louise Flege Was Killed by a Tramp.

PHYSICIAN GOES ON STAND

Made Postmortem Examination of Body Nine Months After Death—Witnesses Swear as to Presence of Tramp.

PENDER, Neb., May 7.—(Special Telegram.)—The defense developed fully today in the trial of William Flege that its theory is that Louise Flege was killed by a tramp about 7 o'clock on June 29, 1911, and not by her brother.

Dr. Meiss of Sioux City testified that he made an examination of Louise Flege's stomach nine hours after she died and that the quantity of food in the stomach and the condition of it indicated that she was killed from two and one-half to three hours after dinner. Dr. Healey and Dr. McHugh, two other physicians who saw Dr. Meiss make his examination, corroborated what he said about it. Dr. Meiss also testified that the body showed no signs of having been assaulted.

C. F. Trotter, a detective from Minneapolis in the employ of the Burns agency, said he had been employed by the defense to ascertain what he could about a tramp being in the Flege neighborhood about the time of the murder. He said he had found out that a tramp had been at the Simon Lessman, Fred Roeber, William and Fred Flege homes on the morning of June 29. He lost track of him at 2:30 o'clock that day and did not locate him again until 5 o'clock the next day, when he appeared at the home of Mr. Swanson, three miles north of the Flege home. He was seen a half hour later at the home of Howard Porter, a half mile east of the Swanson place. Mr. Porter and Miss Swanson both testified that there was such a man at their homes at that time.

Mr. Trotter said from the description he got of him the tramp was of medium height, wore a dark suit with hat to match, had gold filling in his teeth, had a little book which purported to be a statement from a physician in North Dakota that he was afflicted and was worthy of help. He carried his arm in a sling, but at some places it was his left arm and in other places it was his right arm.

Miss Butler of Sioux City, a stenographer who was present and took notes for the defense at the preliminary hearing at Ponca, was put on the stand for the purpose of impeaching the testimony of Albert Echtencamp and Ida Heinrichs.

Alleged Bootleggers Arrested.

NEBRASKA CITY, May 7.—(Special.)—Mayor J. D. Houston headed the police Sunday evening in a raid on a "hole-in-the-wall" and arrested eight men who occupied a room well stocked with intoxicants and were having a good time. The goods were seized and three men, Ted Carman, Art Thacker and George Broughton were held as principals, and the other five men as witnesses. The three men will be prosecuted under the state law and then turned over to the federal authorities. Mayor Houston has given notice that no intoxicants will be permitted to be sold in this city on Sunday and that in the future that there will be one "dry" day in the week in this vicinity.

Milady's Toilet Table

By Mme. D'MILLE.

A simple home treatment that makes the hair long, wavy and lustrous is to dry shampoo frequently with a mixture of four ounces of orris root and an original package of therex. Sprinkle a tablespoonful on the head; then brush thoroughly through the hair. All dirt, dust and dandruff will be removed, the scalp refreshed and the hair made clean, light and glossy.

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Any woman can easily and quickly remove wild hairs from face or forearms. Just mix enough powdered delatone and water to cover the hairs; apply and after two or three minutes rub off, wash the skin and the hairs will be gone.—Adv.

GRENWOOD IN MIDST OF HOT SALOON FIGHT

ASHLAND, Neb., May 7.—(Special Telegram.)—According to advices received in Ashland tonight a warm fight is on at Greenwood to determine whether that village shall have a saloon the coming year.

At the election on April 4 the citizens declared for a wet town under a referendum ordinance and petition by a vote of 61 to 35 and re-elected John E. Schulling and A. D. Welton, the two pro-license adherents of the board of village trustees. The holdover trustees, Frank Nichols, Dr. N. D. Talcott and Watson Howard, refused to vote to grant the license and Chairman Howard declared he would refuse to sign any license granted.

Henry H. Weidemann of Greenwood, who is an applicant for the saloon license, on Friday began mandamus proceedings to compel the dry members of the Greenwood village board to appear before District Judge H. D. Travis and show cause why they should not grant the saloon license in accordance with the referendum vote. Summons were served on Trustees Talcott, Nichols and Howard to appear tomorrow before Judge Travis at Papillion.

SIX PRISONERS ESCAPE FROM FREMONT CITY JAIL

FREMONT, Neb., May 7.—All the prisoners in the city jail—six in number—escaped last night by sawing off the iron bars of one of the windows and are still at large. All were petty offenders.

Public Scales at Nebraska City.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., May 7.—(Special.)—The new city commissioners have installed a new city scale and everything sold in the open market is to be weighed over it in the future and all scales of the city are to be tested by an inspector.

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ALDRICH PLAN FOR CONVICTS

Governor Evolves Plan for Employment of Trusties Upon Roads.

YOUNG GIRL PROCURES PARDON

Woman from Oakland Induces Executive to Pardon John Shearer, Father of Child, Whom She Immediately Marries.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Neb., May 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Governor Aldrich has evolved a plan for the employment of convicts not needed by the Lee Broom and Duster company, which has a contract for 315 of them. He was working on the plan before the recent troubles at the prison and these events have hastened his efforts somewhat.

He plans to use as many of the men as can be trusted for that kind of employment, outside the prison walls. The state has a large amount of agricultural land at the hospital for the insane at Lincoln, the penitentiary, the Soldiers' home at Milford and Grand Island which the inmates of these institutions are not able to utilize to the best advantage. He proposes to put the convicts at work on these lands at truck gardening and other kinds of intensive agriculture. In addition there is a stretch of road near the prison and one near the Lincoln asylum on which the convicts will be put to work, giving to the state an example of good road building, which is expected to be useful beyond the mere improvement of these roads. He proposes to give the convicts thus employed a commutation of sentence of five days for every thirty thus employed, provided their records as workmen and otherwise is commendable.

This plan he believes will not only solve the problem of employment in the summer time, but afford a means of segregating the better class from the more vicious prisoners. In addition he proposes to recommend to the next legislature that the state manufacture at the penitentiary all the clothing used in the various institutions, which would provide winter employment for the convicts and be a saving to the state.

Girls to Have Field Meet.

The university girls will have a field meet Thursday afternoon at which there will be a base ball game on a regulation diamond, in addition to foot races and other field sports.

Fourteen coaches loaded with Russians left Lincoln today for the beet fields of Wyoming.

Child Strangles at Play.

The 4-year-old child of Oscar Wallen, was strangled to death this afternoon by the rope of a swing. The child was playing with other children of the family and was in the swing when the board slipped out. The little one became tangled in the rope and was dead before relief could reach it. The other children notified the child's father of the accident, but not in time to save the life of the little one.

Yule Laundry Damaged.

Fire which started in the boiler room of the Yule Bros.' laundry, Fifteenth and O streets this afternoon, did several thousands dollars' worth of damage before it could be extinguished.

Girl Secures Pardon.

A young girl, scarcely out of her teens, with her baby in her arms, procured a pardon for John H. Shearer, sent up from Burt county on a statutory charge. The girl pleaded that the father of her baby be liberated and Shearer said he was willing to marry her and provide for her and the baby, in fact had always been willing to do so if he had been permitted. The girl's plea brought the pardon and they were married this afternoon.

Both are residents of Oakland where he was formerly employed as a telegraph operator.

Wardlaw's Term Expires.

Richard Warlaw, sentenced from Douglas county to ten years' imprisonment for manslaughter, was discharged today, his term having expired. He expects to go at once to Iowa Falls, Ia.

Wardlaw at one time escaped from the prison and was at liberty six years before being captured in Missouri and returned to serve out the remainder of his sentence.

GOOD ROADS MEETING AT SYRACUSE TODAY

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., May 7.—(Special.)—Some forty automobiles loaded with prominent citizens leave here in the morning for Syracuse to attend a good roads meeting to be held at Syracuse. It is expected that several hundred auto owners will meet at that place tomorrow for the purpose of perfecting a county organization which will take up the matter of good roads all over the county. This organization was partially perfected last year, but now it is intended to extend the membership to every owner of an automobile in the county and if this is done there will be a membership of nearly 500 and all will be good live workers for good roads. They have been promised the hearty co-operation of the county officials in this move.

New Factory at Nebraska City.

NEBRASKA CITY, May 7.—(Special.)—R. A. Duff has begun the erection of a large factory for the manufacture of his new gasoline carburetor and J. A. Richardson is to join him in the erection of another building adjoining, to be used as an addition to the steam laundry.

Baby Drowns in Tank.

COZAD, Neb., May 7.—(Special Telegram.)—On the farm of Murray York, four miles north of town, his 18-months-old child fell into a tank and was drowned. There was but about six inches of water in the tank, but the baby was found lying face downward and had been dead for some time.

Commercial Clubs at Hastings Today

The Nebraska State Association of Commercial clubs will convene today in its eight annual meeting at Hastings. Headed by George E. Bovenschik, president of the Commercial club, Omaha will be represented by Commissioner J. E. Gaslll, E. V. Purdue, manager publicity bureau; E. R. Coleman and Fern P. Fulton. Commissioner Gaslll will be the principal speaker at a business session this evening. He will talk on "The Possible Work of Commercial Clubs." Sessions will last all day tomorrow and end with a complimentary dinner by the Hastings Chamber of Commerce.

Key to the Situation—See advertising.

General Orozco Orders Gomez to Leave Mexico

ESCALON, Mexico, May 7.—General Pasqual Orozco has refused to recognize the provisional government established by Emilio Vasquez Gomez at Juarez last Saturday.

Orozco today on the march southward telegraphed Gomez threatening him and his associates unless they left Mexico.

Orozco is 130 miles south of Chihuahua and but forty miles behind his advance guard which is expected within twenty-four hours to encounter the federal force under General Huerta.

The creation of any civil government prior to the successful termination of the war has persistently been opposed by Orozco. In his telegram to Gomez Orozco declares he would be glad to have Vasquez Gomez come into the rebel zone and work with him in the interests of the revolution, but the Gomez government in Juarez was a thing he could not countenance.

JUAREZ, Mexico, May 7.—Emilio Vasquez Gomez admitted he was exchanging telegrams with Orozco today, but declined to discuss the report of friction. The acceptance by Pasqual Orozco, sr., father of the rebel chief, of a position in the Gomez cabinet had given him authority to the Gomez government. Developments indicated that though General Orozco had invited Gomez across the line he had not expected an immediate assumption of civil authority by Gomez.

ENORMOUS CROP IS ESTIMATED

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good seed corn there ought to be a favorable start made toward a bumper crop."

Fine for Spring Work.

L. W. Wakeley, general passenger agent of the Burlington lines west of the Missouri river: "I can tell you very little that has not already been published about spring and soil conditions along our line. Having had from forty-eight to sixty inches of snow this winter, the country between the Missouri river and the mountains is in excellent shape for spring work. Winter wheat is in fine condition, with a full average acreage. The ground is right for spring plowing. Alfalfa has received bountiful moisture for an early start; in the irrigated regions the snowfall has been heavy; there the soil is thoroughly soaked. The reservoirs are receiving a full supply of flood water and the mountains contain a great stock of early snow that insures water for irrigation late in the season, such as July and August. After the dry period of the last two years the west is again coming into its own as the permanent home for the constantly increasing number of farmers; already there is new activity in the movement toward farm land."

Moisture is Plentiful.

Gerrit Fort, passenger traffic manager of the Union Pacific: "During January and February there was snow on the ground almost continuously throughout all our territory, which insures plentiful moisture in the ground, especially in the wheat belt. I believe that, provided we have no adverse conditions, Kansas will have the largest yield of wheat in years. The same condition applies in eastern Colorado and in that part of Wyoming where dry farming is being practiced. In all the states along our line the ground is in splendid condition for spring planting and every indication points to banner crops in these parts."

BROKER VIEWS THE SITUATION

Condition of Small Fruits Considered Good.

A local investment broker, who has been two weeks touring the state inspecting crop conditions, and himself an owner of a large fruit orchard near Calhoun is jubilant over the prospects for small grain and fruit.

"There is very good indications for fruit this year," he said. "It is true that the frost of early April has done damage to some extent but this has been principally confined to apricots and peaches. Apples and cherries have a full bloom and berries have a nexcellent outlook."

He estimates cherries to run 90 per cent, apples 90 per cent, apricots 50 to 60 per cent, peaches 40 to 50 per cent and small fruit 75 per cent.

His report on grain is also very encouraging followed by his predictions for a banner year.

"Alfalfa is up eight to twelve inches and pasture from three to nine inches this last week," said the broker. "It certainly clears the hay situation considerably. Cattle are picking up as a result of it and I believe stockmen will have sufficient to feed this summer."

The ground is right, he said, for corn. Winter wheat was already coming up in fine shape. The average of winter wheat thus far is about four inches, he said.

Summing up the crop situation in general throughout the state as he sees it, he said that Nebraska was getting off well and only sufficient rain throughout the summer will bring farmers up to where they can forget their failures of the last two years.

HYMENEAL

Harper-McCutcheon.

FAIRBURY, Neb., May 7.—(Special.)—Joan M. Harper, a locomotive engineer of this city, was married the latter part of the week to Miss Alice McCutcheon of Clinton, Ia., in Omaha. Mr. Harper greatly surprised his friends in Fairbury by returning home with a bride. For a number of years he has been employed as an engineer out of Fairbury on the Rock Island. Mr. and Mrs. Harper will go to housekeeping in this city at once.

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Moreau-Specht.

NEBRASKA CITY, May 7.—(Special.)—Last evening Robert L. Moreau of Kansas City came to this city and was quietly married to Miss Dora Specht, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Specht of Berlin. The parents witnessed the ceremony and the young people left on a wedding trip after which they will make their future home at Kansas City.

Russian Colony May Buy Big Tract of South Dakota Land

PIERRE, S. D., May 7.—(Special.)—The indications are that this state will secure a colony of Russians numbering more than 2,000, who will take 30,000 acres of state lands lying in the northwest part of the state. Immigration Commissioner Detts has just returned from New York, where he was in conference with the agents of the colony, and while other states had representatives on the ground, the proposition which could be made by this state evidently came nearer being what was wanted than that which could be presented by any other state. The lands which will be taken, if they prove satisfactory after personal investigation on the part of the agents of the colony, are state capitol and indemnity lands, which lie in a compact body in Harding county. The indications are the deal will be completed and that the state will secure this colony as one of the few efforts on the part of the immigration bureau.

DEATH RECORD

Mrs. Lillie Heinke.

NEBRASKA CITY, May 7.—(Special.)—Miss Lillie Heinke died at the home of her parents at Talmage Saturday evening, aged 22. She was a very attractive young woman and one of the leading members of a local theatrical company. Her health had been poor for some time and she was taken to California and other places, with the hope of benefiting the same. She is survived by her parents and four brothers. The funeral was held this afternoon from the family residence near Talmage.

Andrew B. Huckins.

NEBRASKA CITY, May 7.—(Special.)—Word was received in this city last evening of the death of Andrew B. Huckins at St. Louis, where he went a short time ago to visit with his sons. Mr. Huckins was a resident of this city for many years and was considered one of the finest vocalists of the west. He toured the country in the temperance cause for a number of years with the late John R. Finch and other noted speakers. He had always been a prominent churchman and for years was superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school of this city. His remains will be brought to this city for interment.

Big Hotel Damaged by Fire.

WAUKESHA, Wis., May 7.—A fire which broke out in the attic of the Rest Haven hotel, a $500,000 property, today was quenched by the local fire department aided by a large number of students at Carroll college after damage to the extent of $35,000 had been wrought. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

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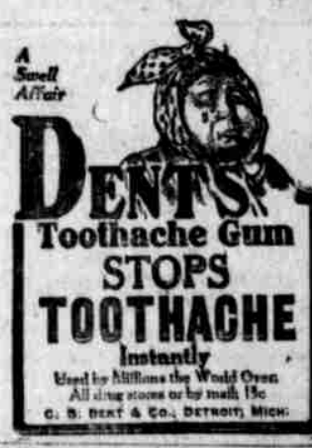

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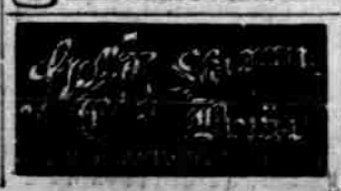

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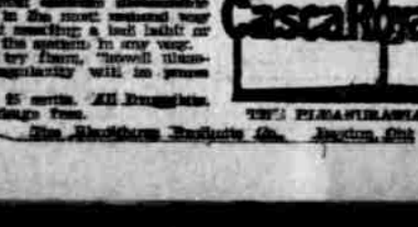

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