AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Mayor Hoctor at Head of Committee for Fourth of July.

BUSINESS MEN ARE INTERESTED

Trial of Men Indicted by Last Grand Jury is Likely to Bring Startling Disclosures—Eagles Plan Street Fair.

South Omaha will have another monster Fourth of July celebration, with Mayor Hoctor at its head. This was determined yesterday when Mayor Tom announced that he would issue a call for a mass meeting next Wednesday. His honor stated that he was taking up the matter at the instance of the business men of the city, who have been urging him to such action for some time. The meeting will not be under the auspices of any club, society or committee now organized.

The call of the mayor for a meeting next Wednesday night will probably put a quietus on any further efforts to make the celebration of the Fourth a private venture in the hands of a coterie of interested parties. The Booster club had called a meeting for next Thursday night, with a view to the election of officers and the organization of a celebration for the Fourth of July.

Business men throughout the city are anxious for the organization of a strong working committee to plan and execute a big program for the nation's birthday and it is hoped to make the celebration of this year superior to that of last year.

Trial May Bring Disclosures.

The announcement of the approaching trial of the South Omaha men recently indicted by the Douglas county grand jury has attracted little or no public comment. Notwithstanding the apparent lack of interest considerable politics is being played by those interested in the matter.

It is known that one man who fell under the brand of the investigating body because of his fidelity to others involved has become very dissatisfied with the treatment administered lately. It is whispered about among attorneys interested in the case that the trial of the indicted men is apt to bring out considerable more information along specific lines than was accorded the prying search of the grand jury.

Eagles Plan Fair.

Active preparations for a street fair to be held some time in June are being made by the local aerie of Eagles. The exact time has not been definitely settled upon, but it is thought that the celebration will occur some time in the first week of June.

The fraternity is seeking the permission of the city to locate its tents and booths in the alleys lying between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-second streets. It is also intended to temporarily vacate the use of Twenty-third and N streets in the section immediately surrounding the Eagle home.

Memorial Services Today.

Today memorial services will be held in most of the churches of the city. At the First Presbyterian church, of which Rev. Dr. R. L. Wheeler is pastor, the Phil Kearney post, Grand Army of the Republic, will be the guest of honor. A. W. Jefferis of Omaha, through the services of Judge A. L. Sutton, has consented to address the congregation on a Memorial day subject.

Special music has been prepared and it is expected that a large crowd will be present.

O'Hern Leaves Today.

John E. O'Hern, created general superintendent of the Armour plants throughout the country, will leave today for Chicago, where he will assume charge of his new office. It had been intended that Mr. O'Hern should defer his departure until June 1, but urgent business caused a change of plans.

Roberts Goes to Chicago.

George W. Roberts, former city engineer, leaves today for Chicago, where it is understood he will accept a position in the engineering department of Armour & Co. Mr. Roberts has been city engineer for two terms and is well informed upon the fine points of street paving material. It is said that Mr. Roberts will make his home in South Omaha, but will travel considerably on the business of his new employers.

Rose Gets the Unexpected.

Harry Rose, a car repairer at Swift's, complained to the police last night that he would have to go hungry for a week as the result of a childlike confidence placed in an uproariously dressed stranger who operated for an hour at Twenty-fourth and N streets selling bum jewelry.

The methods of the stranger were such as would have delighted the hearts of Jeff Peters or Soapy Smith of tan bark fame. He passed out cards of jewelry and razors among the crowd with the assurance that if they gave him $5 they might get something unexpected in return. They got it, Harry Rose included. For the stranger after asking if they were satisfied with their bargains put on the top speed and left nothing but a pained surprise and the memory of glimmering tail lights in the minds of the gulls who "bit."

Patrick Egan Dead.

Patrick Egan, 11 years old, son of the late Cornelius Egan, died last evening at the home of his uncle, John Larkin, 166 South Thirty-sixth street. He had been sick but a week and his death was unexpected. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Suburban Homes.

On car line and boulevard. Fine twenty and one and a quarter acre tracts. Improved. Get our list. A. W. Jones Co., 312 North Twenty-fourth.

Magic City Gossip.

Mrs. Naagel returned to her home in Indianapolis Friday.

Mrs. J. K. Northrup entertained the Nenod Whist club at her home Friday afternoon. Prizes at whist were won by Mesdames J. Northrup, R. Dennis, W. H. Hancock and C. Franklin. The club will meet with Mrs. W. B. Routt next Friday afternoon.

Chicken dinner Sunday. Atlas cafe, 408 North Twenty-fourth street.

Messrs John Smith and Tillson are fishing at Woodlake, Neb., this week.

Take dinner Sunday at the Atlas cafe, 408 North Twenty-fourth street.

Miss Florence Salleny of Plattsmouth is the guest of Mrs. P. Sheehey.

Atlas chicken dinner Sunday, 11:30. 408 North Twenty-fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Smith left Tuesday evening for a visit with friends at Chicago.

Family Sunday dinners a specialty. Atlas cafe, 408 North Twenty-fourth street.

Mrs. George Schilie of Omaha will be hostess for the Junior Bridge club Thursday evening at a dinner.

Mrs. John Smith entertained informally for her guest, Mrs. Naagel of Indianapolis, Tuesday evening.

Cool dining room, fine service. Atlas cafe, 408 North Twenty-fourth street.

A white French poodle was taken off the chain at 2217 C street, South Omaha, Saturday afternoon; $25 reward.

Miss Cordelia McCulloch gave a 1 o'clock luncheon Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Marie Whitney of Atlantic, Ia., guest of Miss Louise Schindel.

Merit buttons as testimonials to their proficiency in the practice of the Palmer writing methods were awarded Friday to twenty-six pupils in the Highland school.

The Boys' and Girls' Glee clubs and the members of the high school orchestra enjoyed a picnic at the Country club Thursday afternoon and evening. A 6 o'clock dinner was served. Covers were laid for seventy-five.

Major Morgan Heafy holds a purse and money which he says he found in front of his home at Twenty-fifth and F streets. The major will not tell the exact amount found, although Judge James Callanan claims that the money is his.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Owen entertained the office force of Byers Bros. & Co. and their wives at their home Friday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Kiddoo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. P. Lavelle, Mrs. W. Bolen, Omaha; Mr. Dow, Springfield, Neb., and Messrs. Joe Sevick and Roy Greer.

Miss Louise Schindel entertained at bridge Friday evening. Four tables were arranged for the players, who were: Misses Allie Powell, Cordelia McCullouch, Georgia Davis, Beulah Davis, Stella Conley, Marie Whitney and Louise Schindel; Messrs. Harry Cheek, Hugh McCullouch, Lloyd Bennett, Leo Wilson, Hurd Stryker, Seldon Conley and Cromby Schindel.

We desire to express our heartfelt appreciation of the many kindnesses shown us by our friends during the long illness of our beloved husband and father and especially for the many tokens of esteem sent to us in connection with the funeral. To Swift & Co., to the Woodmen of the World and to the Ancient Order of United Workmen we are particularly grateful. Mrs. Joseph Volz, Matthias Volz.

Miss Vera De Bois was hostess at three tables of bridge Thursday in honor of Mrs. Naagel, guest of Mrs. John Smith. Miss Louise Schindel won first prize. Tables were arranged for: Mesdames R. E. Schindel, John Smith, Naagel, Miller, Omaha; T. J. Parker; Misses Laura Rudesdorf, Lillian Rudesdorf, Margaret Delpsh, Peggy Jones, Louise Schindel, Hortense Eads and Vera De Bois.

A pleasant automobile party was given by Miss Leta Kellogg Saturday evening to the following guests: Leslie Hickey, Clara Slade, Marty Sheehy, Mary Miller, Bertha Johnson, Gertrude Sullivan, Gertrude Holmes, Florence Brooker and Margaret O'Toole. Dainty refreshments were served at Miss Kellogg's home after a ride to Millard.

The Alohah club held its last meeting of the season Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Helen White. The members are: Misses Pearl Laverty, Abbie Lake, Frances Tanner, Hazel Cook, Adel Davis, Maurine Murdock, Helen McKee, Madge Sturrock, Mary Lewis, Clara Barnum, Margaret Welsh, Kathleen Welsh and Ola Alsworth.

Mrs. C. C. Cline was delightfully surprised Saturday evening by a number of friends, at the home of Mrs. A. W. Tagg. The occassion was a farewell in honor of Mrs. Cline who leaves Monday evening for Canada where she will spend the summer. Those present were: Mesdames W. B. Routt, W. H. Hancock, A. W. Tagg, J. Wyness, Guy Heffner, William McNichols, C. C. Cline, Dr. Beck, D. G. Robb, J. K. Northrup and Roy Dennis.

The Scoffers' club entertained their girl friends at a lawn party Friday evening at the home of John Nixon. In the party were: Misses Esther Todd, Bertha Peterson, Louise Dunning, Adel Davis, Olive Hamilton, Naomi Byrnes, Helen White, Mary McCullouch, Helen Tyner and Helen Rohn, and Messrs. Edgar Kiddoo, Russ Philp, Leo Lowery, Shirley Menefee, Frank Foley, Earl Keefer, John Orchard, Ralph Lyman, Millis Miller, John Nixon, Steward Berger and Donald Kloke.

Several girls from the high school and Lincoln school enjoyed a picnic at Riverview park Saturday. Mrs. Scott was chaperon for them. The party included, Misses Marjorie Abbott, Margaret King, Marian Compton, Margaret Bliss, Clara Skarda, Maud Wells, Alice Thompson, Hazel Warren, Ethel Bevington, Olive Scott, Ruth Derbyshire, Grace Sturrock, Ruth Goddard, Anna Crowe, Anna Maurer, Lucile Faulkner, Katherine Crawford, Bessie Bothwell and Alta Davis.

Misses Anna and Katherine Rowley were hostesses for a large whist party Saturday afternoon. The players were: Mesdames T. Moore, R. Parks, P. Rush, J. Goss, J. Jameson, E. P. Leiady, Omaha; J. D. Weir, Omaha; J. Hincey, Misses Nell Kief, Charlotte Lovely, May Moore, O'Brien, Omaha; Mary Bell, Rose Kelley, Eva O'Sullivan, Omaha; Patricia, and Ima Clifton, Mary Kennedy, Frances Willard, Allie Powell, Agnes Fitzgerald, Anna Maurer, Gladys Van Sant, Beulah Davis, Georgia Davis, Mary Sheehey, Grace Petersen, Agnes Riley, Omaha; Bess Nields, Omaha; Laura Petersen, Ella Petersen, Anna Welsh, Mary Welsh, Mary Fitzgerald, Margaret Parks, Kathleen Parks, Margaret O'Toole, Lela Kellogg, Gertrude Sullivan, Anna McMahan, Rose McMahan, Mercedes Breen, Lillian Shrugru and Madeline Lang.

A novel affair of the week was the banquet given the boy members of the Epworth league by the Stitchery club Tuesday evening. The dinner was served in courses at the different homes of members of the club. In the party were: Misses Stella Holmes, Stella Gray, Edna Philp, Mae Andreasen, Carrie Andreasen, Florence Miller, Nina McWilliams, Mary Sargent, Lulu Hickey, Marie Dennis, Cecil Nixion, Frances Case, Irene Thomas, Myrtle Taylor, Fiora Robinson, Monetha Lee, Faye Curtiss, Edith Curtis, Jean Bothwell, Bessie Bothwell, Messrs. Roy Greer, Harry McWilliams, Paul Jordan, Austine Finley, R. T. Brass, Elroy Tibbits, Earl Hodgens, Harry Nixion, James Jacobson, John Nystrum, Thomas Fish, Leo Duvall and Mr. and Mrs. Lair and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cummings.

A most delightful surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Talbot, 72 North Twenty-second street, Monday evening. Members of the special staff from Adah chapter No. 22, O. E. S., presented Mrs. Talbot (marshal of the staff) with beautiful silver souvenirs, as remembrances of their pleasant trip to Fremont, where they carried off high honors for the putting on "The Star-Crowned Cross Addeuds," before the grand chapter. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames W. G. Nixmaun, L. L. Van Sant, N. H. Carham, P. J. Farrell, George French, Arthur Howe, Isaac Brayton, F. E. Ames, J. V. Miller, C. A. Cline, J. W. Parsley, A. D. Majors, H. C. Vermillion, G. Brewer, Perry Wheeler, C. L. Talbot, Mrs. G. McConnaughey, Misses Freda Baumgarten and Effie McConnaughey.

½ Glass before Breakfast tones up the stomach, clears the head and does you good.

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NATURAL LAXATIVE
Quickly Relieves CONSTIPATION

Salts of Old Age Delightfully Pure

SEE AMERICA IDEA IS GROWING, SAYS HUTCHISON

Sam Hutchison, manager of the tourist business for the Union Pacific and the Northwestern, is in town and gives out the announcement that beginning July 1 and continuing until September 1 the two roads will run through passenger trains from Chicago to the Yellowstone park, leaving the first named place every Sunday morning.

The "See America" idea, says Hutchison, has grown to such a degree that the service provided for has become necessary. He predicts that the business into the park this season will be 25 per cent greater than last, which was the banner year.

GIVES BLOODY NOSE FOR LIE

Lawyer Passes Short, Ugly Word and Gets Smite on the Bulb.

MATTERS AND MAXWELL MIX

Court Calls Both of Them Down, After Which They Exchange Apologies and Start Again More Peaceably.

Attorney Thomas H. Matters struck Attorney Henry E. Maxwell on the nose, making the member bleed, during the trial of a law suit before Judge Charles Leslie in the equity division of the district court yesterday afternoon. Judge Leslie severely reprimanded both attorneys, but fined neither for contempt of court, though afterwards he said both might have been fined. Matters attacked Maxwell when the latter called him a liar.

Maxwell, as attorney for John A. Coon, started a law suit against the Tri-State Investment company for $6,500 and had garnished Matters, claiming that he owed this sum or more to the company. Matters was placed on the witness stand by Maxwell and asked if he did not owe the company the money. Matters denied the charge.

Leaps from Witness Stand.

As Maxwell proceeded with the cross-examination he repeatedly declared his belief that Matters' statements were false. Finally he declared what Matters said were lies and Matters knew it. Thereupon Matters leaped from the witness stand and struck Maxwell on the nose. Blood spurted from the injured nose.

Ben S. Baker and Mr. Matters, who also were interested in the case, prevented further hostilities.

Judge Leslie ordered the attorneys to take their seats and postponed the hearing until Monday. He told Maxwell he had no right to use such language. There was no excuse for it, he said.

Judge Hands Down Opinion.

"The attorney might have the opinion that his opponent was not telling the truth, but he should not have expressed it in such violent language." The judge then told Mr. Matters that he should be ashamed of himself for striking Maxwell; that no matter how great the provocation he should not have resorted to personal violence. He told him he had disgraced himself.

The attorneys apologized to the court and to each other and admitted that in the heat of the discussion they had done what they would not have done in ordinary circumstances.

Kern's Death Caused By Faulty Guy Rope

Imporperly adjusted guy ropes, attached to a new derrick, which collapsed Wednesday afternoon and instantly killed Martin Kerns, aged 19, were found to be the cause of young Kerns death. Kerns was an apprentice at the Keeley Boiler company factory in East Omaha, and was employed that day at painting new tanks, which weighed 5,825 pounds each. Having nothing to do, he is thought to have joined the gang that was loading tanks upon flat cars. In some unknown manner two of the three guy ropes that were strung from trees to the derrick, broke and caused the heavy weight and the shaft to collapse, and fall upon Kerns. He was terribly crushed. It is possible that a law suit will result from his death, as Judge Ben S. Baker had every witness' testimony taken down by a stenographer.

Art Guild Gets Out Attractive Folder

The Omaha Art Guild's artistic little folder is just off the press. It is printed in brown and red inks on coffee-colored paper and is embellished with a design by Miss Ruth Felt of Council Bluffs. The Guild has been formed to encourage the appreciation, production and patronage of the graphic arts. On the back is the constitution and bylaws and on the inside notice and rules of the first annual exhibition. The guild has already a flourishing membership, both active and associate. The officers and executive committee are as follows: Doane Powell, president; Ruth Tompsett, secretary-treasurer; Robert F. Gilder, Cordelia Johnson, H. A. Raapke, Esther Hanson and John Bloodhart.

White Slave Witness Will Marry Soldier

Ida Miller, 17, held as witness by federal authorities against two Chicago members of a white slave gang, is to be married Tuesday morning in the Douglas county jail. William Darvin, a private at Fort Omaha, will be the bridegroom. Darvin, the soldier, has been in the army for over a year, but says he intends to buy his way out within the next six months and take his bride back to Chicago to live.

MAYOR DAHLMAN HOPES JAILS WILL BE BETTERED

"Believe me, either the county or city jail is a terrible place to be in these hot summer days," exclaimed Mayor Dahlman last night after he had finished a casual tour of inspection of each lockup. "I wish we could arrange to have a better jail."

The mayor has been holding conferences with Police Commissioner Ryder and the lesser department heads with the view of bettering the conditions in the city jail. About the county jail he is powerless.

"When four persons, and sometimes six, have to crowd into one five by five foot cell in the summer with the thermometer at 90, then I think in the name of all that's human, something ought to be done."

NORTHWESTERN WILL RUN DAY TRAIN ACROSS IOWA

Two months ago when the Northwestern consolidated two of its trains in the Omaha-Chicago service it did away with the train leaving here in the early evening and the one that arrived here late at night and which afforded passengers coming west a daylight ride across Iowa. The officials of the road have found that business has increased to such an extent that the return of the service is absolutely necessary.

Beginning Sunday morning the Northwestern's old service will be re-established. Eastbound the train will leave Omaha at 5:10 in the evening and westbound will leave Chicago at 10:40 o'clock at night. The service will be daily.

Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

Bellevue College Graduation Week to Begin May 31

Program for the thirty-second annual commencement week at Bellevue college, May 31 to June 5, has been issued and is as follows:

Friday, 9:30 a. m., senior class chapel exercises. 8:00 p. m., normal school and academy commencement exercises, First Presbyterian church. Address by the Rev. Robert L. Wheeler.

Saturday, 8:00 p. m., recital, First Presbyterian church.

Sunday, 11:00 a. m., baccalaureate sermon by President Stephen Wharton Stookey, First Presbyterian church. 8:00 p. m., address before the Christian association by the Rev. Alexander Corkey, Wayne, Neb.

Monday, 5:30 p. m., senior class play, "She Stoops to Conquer," in the grove.

Tuesday, 10 a. m., base ball game, alumni against varsity, base ball grounds. 11 a. m., annual meeting of the board of trustees, Clarke hall. 5:30 p. m., junior class play, "Twelfth Night," in the grove. 8:00 p. m., recital, First Presbyterian church.

Wednesday, 9:00 a. m., class reunions. 10:30 a. m., Bellevue college commencement exercises, thirty-second year, First Presbyterian church. Address by Hon. Richard L. Metcalf, Lincoln, Neb.; 3:00 p. m., alumni reunion and business meeting, Clarke hall. Address by Rev. Edward P. Hammond, '92, Norfolk, Neb.; 6:30 p. m., alumni banquet, Fontenelle hall; 8:30 p. m., president's reception Rankin hall.

POSTOFFICE IS REORGANIZED

Wharton Names Mettlen as Superintendent of Mails.

WOODARD'S DUTIES BROADENED

Henry S. Grogan and Lawrence Proulx Made Assistant Superintendents of Mails—Other Changes Announced.

Inaugurating for Omaha the plan of postoffice reorganization that is being installed throughout the country, changes in the personnel of the different departments have been announced by Postmaster Wharton to become effective on June 1.

W. J. Mettlen, chief clerk to J. M. Masten, superintendent of the railway mail service, becomes superintendent of mails.

James I. Woodard, assistant postmaster, retains his present position, but in connection with these duties is made superintendent of the finance department.

Henry S. Grogan becomes assistant superintendent of mails.

Lawrence Proulx becomes assistant superintendent of mails.

After the postoffice has been working under the new system, a third assistant superintendent of mails will be appointed.

George L. Kieffner, at present a mail carrier from station B, is assigned to a clerk's position in the department of mails with a chance later to be promoted to assistant superintendent.

Two important changes have been brought about by Mr. Mettlen's transfer. John O. Berger, present superintendent of mails, will be returned to the railway mail service under Colonel Masten, from where he was transferred to his present position three years ago.

Joseph H. Skidmore, chief clerk of records and supplies of the railway mail service, is promoted to be chief clerk to Superintendent Masten.

Under the plans of the re-organization there are no assistant superintendencies in the finance division, but the present heads of the different departments—postal savings bank, money order, stamps, and cashier—remain as chief clerks.

Rumor of an outsider being appointed superintendent of mails caused quite a ferment among the postal employes the last few days, bringing a climax Friday. The clerks and carriers were called together by interested parties and an invitation sent to Mr. Wharton to attend the meeting. President Maher of the Letter Carriers' association, acting as spokesman, asked the postmaster if he had as yet any communication to make to them regarding the appointments, intimating that unless one of the present superintendents were promoted it would cause friction. The postmaster assured them that every detail of service, record and qualification had been taken into consideration in the recommendations made to the department and that the appointments would come from his superiors.

Mr. Wharton said yesterday that it was his desire that good will and harmony exist in the postal service here and that that fact was also considered in making the appointments. He hoped, he said, that the selections would cause a better spirit to prevail than in the past.

Supt. Ellis U. Graff Entertained at Rome By Training Alumni

Alumni of the teachers training classes to the number of 125 gave a luncheon at the Rome yesterday afternoon in honor of Superintendent E. U. Graff and Assistant Superintendent Belle M. Ryan.

Miss Marguerite Scott of the class of 1912 gave a toast to the "Class of 1912."

Superintendent Graff addressed the teachers. He discussed the value of the teacher holding the viewpoint of the child. Teaching, he declared, was not a materialistic, but an idealistic profession.

Miss Marian Funkhouser was toastmistress. Miss Clara F. Cooper, principal of the class of 1912, responded to a toast, "Just Us."

A toast to Omaha was given by the entire class. Bells, ringing for Omaha and for Superintendent Graff, were furnished the teachers by the Commercial club.

Big Donation is Made For Old People's Home

Ten thousand dollars has been added to the endowment of the Old People's home through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Dietz. They give $5,000 each. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dietz are deeply interested in the welfare of the home, and have expressed to Mrs. Tilden their faith in the success of the movement to raise funds.

With the $10,000 gift of the Kilpatricks and $2,000 given by Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Tilden believed that a very profitable week has been passed, and that little trouble will be experienced in raising the $40,000 needed to build the new home.

Many sufferers from rheumatism have been surprised and delighted with the prompt relief afforded by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Not one case of rheumatism in ten requires any internal treatment whatever. This liniment is for sale by all dealers.

PIGEON STEALS HIS WIFE

Little Polish Girl Tells Court She is Not Responsible.

NEIGHBOR WANTS PIGEON'S WIFE

Court Ponders Serious Problem of Who is to Blame for Alienated Affections, and in Despair Gives It Up.

Little 16-year-old Mabel Shedleyski says the ways of the probation officer are past understanding. Mabel speaks Polish better than she speaks English, but she is very proficient in either. She spoke for her mother in juvenile court. The mother was charged with harboring a pigeon that had maliciously alienated the affections of another pigeon's spouse.

Mabel explained. She said earlier in the season a whole flock of pigeons had belonged to them, but one by one they had gone away. "I don't know where they went," she declared, with a shrug of her shoulders, "but they left. They never came back. After a while there was only one pigeon left. He was a he-pigeon. Then he went away. When he came back he brought a wife. Now who is responsible for that? How can we tell where the pigeon came from?"

And Mabel glared across the table at one of her neighbors who had firmly asserted that the pigeon's wife was her pigeon. The court was in a quandary. How could it be proved where the pigeon got his wife? Judge Kennedy gave it up. The neighbor left the court room in anger. Mabel smiled graciously and would have favored the probation officer with a kiss, but he was bashful. "And, anyway," he said, "I don't trust you yet, Mabel, for you took three dozen valentines from a drug store and gave them away and you ought not to have done it."

Redman's Damage Suit Puzzles Jury, Which Disagrees

The trial of Benjamin A. Redman's $5,000 damage suit against Henry R. Gering for alleged alienation of the affections of Mrs. Laura Redman, Redman's former wife, resulted in disagreement of the jury at 10 o'clock last night. The suit must be tried again.

After having had the case under consideration for twenty-four hours the jury was called in by Judge Lee S. Estelle last night. When asked if a verdict had been reached the jurors replied in the negative, and the foreman said that since the first ballot the members of the jury had been evenly divided.

Judge Estelle said he had hoped a verdict would be reached, as the trial of the lawsuit had been unpleasant and trying to him, since he is a personal friend of the father and the uncle of the plaintiff and of the defendant and his brother.

"Still, I think it useless to keep you any longer," said the court, "and you are excused."

As the jurors filed out of the courtroom they appeared haggard from the long strain. Said one of them:

"We were evenly divided from the start. The question of the amount of the damages never was considered. We never got beyond the question whether we would find for the plaintiff or the defendant."

Water Case Counsel Fails in Agreement

Attorneys for the water company and the water board conferred yesterday with a view to compromising the disputes still pending and procuring an early transfer of the plant. The conference resulted in no agreement.

The water company's deed of the Omaha water works and all water company property to the city was filed in United States circuit court by the company yesterday. The consideration named in the deed is $6,263,236.49, the purchase price held valid by the circuit court of appeals, with $129,434.68 added for cost of improvements and other expenses since the time of the purchase.

The deed is merely for the plant and property and does not refer in any way to matters still in dispute, such as hydrant rentals. The filing of the deed is merely one of the technical steps in connection with the actual transfer of the plant to the city and is without significance.

PROGRAM IS ARRANGED BY LININGER TRAVEL JUNIORS

A program of music and recitations will be given by the girls who are junior members of the Lininger Travel club of the Omaha high school on Thursday afternoon of this week at Jacob's Memorial hall. Several appropriate and patriotic features will be included on the program which will be in charge of Miss Carrie O. Browne of the faculty.

Following, the committee in charge: Miss Olga Anderson, Miss Edith McNett, Miss Gladys Line and Miss Mary Day.

FORMER DETENTION HOME HEAD VISITING IN CITY

Mrs. Harriet H. Heller, former head of the detention home, is visiting in the city. Mrs. Heller is now doing sociological work for the United Charities of Chicago. After leaving Omaha she became head of the women's building at the state university at Lincoln.

In Chicago she worked for a time with Jane Addams at Hull House. She went to Lincoln late yesterday and will return for a week's stay.

YOUNG WOMAN HELD UP AND ROBBED OF POCKETBOOK

Miss Edith Kellogg, a telephone operator, 2902 Howard street, was returning home alone from dress rehearsal of the Mikado when a man walked out of the shadows at Twenty-second and Howard streets, took away her pocketbook containing $2. Miss Kellogg notified the police. The holdup occurred at midnight.

WORKS MESSENGER BOY WITH WORTHLESS CHECK

A man called up Beaton's drug store from apartment No. 2 of the Sterling last night and ordered $1.25 worth of medicine. "Be sure and send $8.75 in change," he advised. The advice was accepted and in return for the change and the medicine the messenger took a worthless check. The police could not locate the man.

Desperate Shooting

pains in the chest require quick treatment. Take Dr. King's New Discovery for safe and sure relief. 50c and $1.00. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

ALWAYS TIRED, WITH LITTLE VITALITY

Modern Tonic, Tona Vita, Will Surely Build You Up Again.

Are you one of the run down, half sick nervous people with which the country is filled? Do you feel tired all the time with very little vitality? Do you sleep badly and feel as worn out in the morning as when you went to bed? Is your circulation poor and do you catch cold easily? Have you stomach trouble and an irregular appetite? Are you nervous, moody and depressed?

These are sure symptoms of nervous debility. If you are struggling along in this miserable condition the best thing you can possibly do for yourself is to take "Tona Vita" the wonderful new tonic that has the unqualified endorsement of more physicians than any other medicine ever before offered to the public.

Here is what the Rev. Gustave Frederick, pastor of the Evangelistic church, Center Street, Milwaukee, Wis., has to say of it:

"Judging from my own experience I do not hesitate to say that 'Tona Vita' is an extremely valuable preparation. I have not only used it myself, but other members of my family have been taking it with highly satisfactory results.

"So far as my own case is concerned I have been in a run down condition for a year or so, tiring easily and being troubled with sleeplessness. I lacked vitality and caught cold readily, and my digestion and appetite were poor. I was depressed in mind and body and very nervous.

"I now feel stronger than for a long time. I have more energy and my work is done with much less effort. I sleep and eat better and feel as though rejuvenated."

Tona Vita acts quickly. You will be surprised how rapidly it will build you up.

Sherman & McConnel Drug Co., 16th and Dodge; Owl Drug Co., 16th and Harney; Harvard Pharmacy, 24th and Farnam, and Loyal Pharmacy, 207-9 North 16th St., have the agency for Tona Vita in Omaha and will return the purchase price if not entirely satisfactory. The Approved Formula Co., Dayton, O.

He Is a Jolly Good Fellow

He is one of those good souls who is everybody's friend. He only gives the worst of it to himself and the girl at home. He doesn't realize this, but everybody else does. Many a wife, with tear-stained cheeks and aching heart, sits alone during the dark hours of the night while the "Good Fellow" is buying drinks for those who he thinks are his friends. He honestly intended to go home to the one who loves him, but he is unable to withstand the desire for drink. The man is, at heart, made of the right kind of stuff, but whiskey destroys his good resolutions. He wants to quit, but can't, because his will power is gone.

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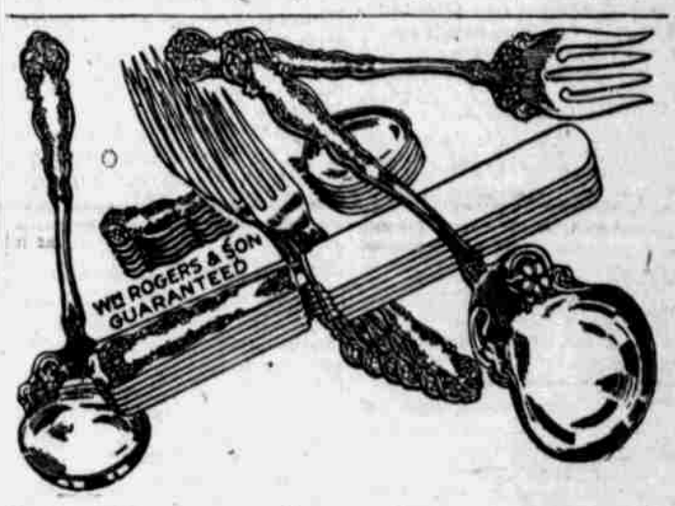

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