

Brief City News

Flourish Wedding Rings—Edholm. Have Root Print It—New Beacon Press. Lighten Pictures—Burgess-Grandes Co. Holmes for Municipal Judge.

Mrs. Foote Talks Monday—Mrs. D. A. Foote will talk to the Neighborhood Bible classes at the Young Men's Christian association Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Two Autos Stolen—R. F. Martz, 124 Evans street, and John D. C. Busch, Sixteenth and Leavenworth streets, each inform the police that their automobiles were stolen from downtown parking districts.

Burglars Get Pennies—The home of J. W. Shepherd, 2130 North Sixteenth street, was entered by thieves who got in by a basement window. Forty-five pennies and a number of foreign coins were carried off.

John C. Martin for Supreme Judge. Hallowe'en Social—Ladies' auxiliary, Carpenters' Union No. 5, will give a Hallowe'en masque social Monday evening at the hall, Nineteenth and Farnam streets, for the carpenters and their families. Admission free.

Repairs on Church Completed—Repairs have been completed on the Third Presbyterian church at Twentieth and Leavenworth streets and will be open for public services Sunday. Rev. A. B. Stahall, D. D., president of the seminary, will preach at both services.

Not the Same Jack—Jack Kerrigan stole jewelry from the Brandeis stores, was arrested by Special Officer L. T. Finn and sentenced to thirty days in jail. No, girls, it wasn't Jack Kerrigan, the famous film hero, but a man who has the audacity to possess the same handle as Jack.

Reserves Play Sunday—Red Suffer's Nonpareil reserve team is slated to play Gus Kimball-Ducky Holmes team at Ducky Holmes park at 3 o'clock. Much interest has been aroused in the game, as some of the Ducky Holmes members were formerly Nonpareil reserve members.

John C. Martin for Supreme Judge. The Nebraska State Board of Nurse Examiners will hold examinations at the Y. M. C. A., Omaha, Nov. 27 and 28 and at the capitol building, Lincoln, Nov. 28 and 29. Applications should be in not later than November 6. For applications and information address Grace V. Bradley, R. N., 511 Brandeis Theater, Omaha.

Divorce for Cruelty—Ida O. Rosencotter has been granted a divorce decree from August F. Rosencotter on charges of cruelty. They were married May 8 of this year. Petitions for divorce have been filed by May Zahn against Harry K. Zahn, and Annie Makubus against Joseph Makubus. Cruelty is charged in both cases.

Fine Fireplace Goods—Sunderland. For Rent or For Sale—Our three store brick factory buildings; main building has 40,000 feet floor space, besides blacksmith shop and other outbuildings. Steam heat, full sprinkler system. Everything in first class repair. Ample truckage and a block of unused ground. Write for picture and particulars. Keys Bros, Bugby Manufacturers, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Prohibition would deprive the city of Omaha of a yearly revenue of \$342,000 derived at present from liquor licenses. All of this large sum goes to the school fund. It is sufficient to build five new, modern, twelve-room school houses every year of the type of the Castellor and Vinton schools. Only by greatly increasing taxes on property can this loss, which prohibition would cause, be made up. Think it over. Douglas County Property Owners and Taxpayers' League, 335 Rose building, M. J. Greery, secretary.

Oregon Speaker Sees Nebraska in The Dry Column

Prediction that Nebraska will go dry by a majority of 36,000 at the election November 7, was made last night by Clarence True Wilson of Portland, Ore., in an address to a crowd which filled the Boyd theater. This figure, he said, represented the dry majority in Oregon two years ago, and he declared that observations he had made in Nebraska convinced him this state will go dry with at least that many votes to spare.

Mr. Wilson's address followed a brief prohibiting argument made by J. K. Coddling, warden of the state penitentiary of Kansas. He related advantages Oregon enjoys under prohibition and his remarks were frequently interrupted by applause.

Warden Coddling submitted statistics to prove that liquor is in a large way responsible for crime and he gave figures to show that America is the greatest "crime nation" in the world. This, he asserted, is due to the American saloon, which, he declared, is in a class by itself. He described prosperous conditions which have existed in Kansas City, Kan., since saloons were driven out in 1906, and of numerous defeats met since by open town candidates.

"It is true we had a carnival of crime in Kansas," he said, "but if Nebraska and Missouri were dry, this would not be so."

Posters, issued by the Prosperity league, which state that there are ninety-seven murderers confined in the Kansas penitentiary are false, he asserted.

"There are forty-two," he said. "I know, 'cause I got 'em."

Omaha Couple in Motor Smash Upon Way to the Parson

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Pledging Rev. Dean R. Leland, Presbyterian university pastor, to secrecy, after being the victims of an automobile accident, Louis A. James and Mrs. Alberta P. Hadley, both of Omaha, were united in marriage at the home of the preacher this evening. The pastor refused to give the names of the parties, but investigation disclosed the names.

They procured a license at the court house and were hurrying in a taxi to the home of the preacher when they ran into an automobile driven by Roy Morri at the intersection of Fourteenth and A streets. Both Morri and F. Gibson, driver of the cars were thrown from their machines, the latter quite badly bruised, but the prospective bride and groom were uninjured. They secured another taxi and continued their journey in search of a parson.

Mrs. James has been a demonstrator in the Brandeis stores. Mr. James lives at 312 North Twenty-sixth street.

COPELAND DENIES KILLING LECTURER

Texan, on Trial Charged With Murder of Anti-Catholic Speaker, Tells Story.

DOESN'T KNOW SLAYER

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 27.—John Copeland, banker, on trial charged with killing William Black, an anti-Catholic lecturer in Marshall, Tex., February 3, 1915, took the witness stand yesterday and denied he shot Black.

He declared the only shot he fired was directed at Clarence F. Hall, the lecturer's business agent, and said he did not know who killed Black.

After three other witnesses had been examined the defense rested. Copeland did not once contradict himself. He said the lecturer was the first to draw his gun.

Shows Wound.

The most dramatic moment of the trial came when he bared his body to show the jury the wound in his abdomen he received when fired on by Hall, so far the chief witness for the state. He testified that as a result of this and two other wounds, he was incapacitated for nearly four months.

In response to questioning, Copeland said he went to confer with Black and to protest against his delivering a second lecture in Marshall attacking the institutions of the Roman Catholic church. He declared he would not have made the trip if he had thought trouble would result.

He armed himself, however, he testified, because he had been warned that Black was "a bad man."

There is a possibility that the jury will receive the case tomorrow night.

Attended School at Convent.

Copeland said he had been cashier of the Marshall State bank for the last eleven years and that he had been married nineteen years, had a 12-year-old daughter and was a member of the Roman Catholic church and the Knights of Columbus. He said there was a Catholic convent in Marshall and that his daughter attended school there. His three sisters also attended school at the convent.

On the morning of February 3, he said, he went to the bank as usual and there heard about a lecture delivered by William Black the night before. John B. Teese, who worked in the bank, told him, he said, and showed him Black's circular.

Teese told me that Black in his speech denounced priests and nuns and declared the confessional infamous and iniquitous," said Copeland.

Always Went Prepared.

"Teese said that Black in the lecture stated that he had had several encounters with Catholics, carried seven bullets and one stab wound he had received from Catholics, was always on the outlook for trouble and went always prepared."

Copeland said he discussed the lecture with several persons that day. He considered it "a direct attack on my home."

Among those he talked with were George Ryan, an attorney and John Rogers, a contractor. That evening, he said, he went by appointment to meet Ryan and Rogers and the three went to the hotel to see Black.

"Were you armed?" "Yes," replied the witness. "I had the .41 caliber Colt which was offered in evidence. I did not deem it safe to go without it. I had been warned

With the Strength of Gibraltar



that these were bad men. And I remembered that in his lecture the night before, Black had said he was prepared.

"Was Rogers armed?" "No."

"Was Ryan armed?" "I couldn't say about that."

Didn't Kill Black. "Mr. Copeland," said Mr. Royston, suddenly, "who killed Black?"

"I don't know," said the witness. "Did you shoot Black?" "No, sir."

"Did you shoot at Black?" "No, sir."

Copeland said he did not ordinarily get armed.

He said Black laid down his books and took a seat on a stool. In this situation, he explained, Black faced John Rogers, while he, Copeland, stood at the lecturer's left.

"I said to Black," testified the witness, "Mr. Black, we've come up here to enter a protest against the lecture you're billed to deliver tonight. We don't like that character of lecture."

Black, in an insolent manner, replied, "It isn't what you like you're going to get."

Rogers pointed his finger at Black and said, "You're not going to deliver that lecture; you know it isn't right." Black said, "I'm going to deliver that lecture, all right."

Brings Out Gun. "With that," Copeland said, "Black brought out his automatic."

A shot was fired, the witness con-

tinued in answer to questions. He himself did not fire it. Rogers sort of pitched forward. He was dazed for an instant, he said, and then he put his hand on Rogers and let him down to the floor.

"Just as I was straightening up," Copeland declared, "I saw that Hall was shooting at me. I got out my gun and fired. After that my gun snapped, but did not discharge."

He lowered his gun and walked out of the room.

"What had all you men agreed on before you went to see Black?" the witness was asked on cross examination.

"To use any reasonable argument or, if necessary, tell him he should not slander and outrage us any more."

Rev. James M. Kirwin, vicar general of the diocese of Galveston, testified about the requirements for the priesthood. Sam J. Williams, a fourth degree Knight of Columbus, read the fourth degree oath of the Knights of Columbus. It was in part as follows: "I swear to support the constitution of the United States. I pledge myself as a Catholic citizen and Knight of Columbus, to enlighten myself fully upon my duties as a citizen and to conscientiously perform such duties entirely in the interest of my country and regardless of all personal consequences. I pledge myself to do all in my power to preserve the integrity and purity of the ballot and to promote reverence and respect for law and order. I promise to practice my religion openly and consistently."

GOVERNMENT TO HELP FIND WORK

Federal Co-Operation With Employment Agency Soon to Be Established Here.

STATE WILL LEND HAND

An employment bureau operated jointly by the federal, state and city governments will be established in Omaha within the next month. This was practically decided last evening when Anthony Caminetti, United States Commissioner General of Immigration, addressed the Welfare board on the subject. T. F. Sturges presided. State Labor Commissioner Coffey, Mayor Dahlman and several city commissioners met with the board.

The office of the new employment bureau will probably be in a large room in the basement of the court house. The government franking privilege for all correspondence will be part of the federal contribution to the bureau.

Similar co-operative bureaus have been established in various other cities. Mr. Caminetti stated that in the state of Washington the bureaus had furnished 4,900 men to pick the berry crop this year, a crop that has often been largely wasted because of lack of labor. Washington has legislated the private employment bureau out of existence.

To Stabilize Labor. "This co-operative bureau you will find, stabilizes labor," said Mr. Caminetti. "It takes men from places where they are not needed and puts them where they are needed. It deals with the great problem of 'seasonal employment.' Employers everywhere are co-operating enthusiastically."

He gave a detailed description of the working of the bureaus. An "opportunity list" is one of its features. This list is posted in every postoffice in the state and gives descriptions of various jobs that are waiting to be filled.

Commissioner Coffey had something to say about the evil of the private employment agencies.

"A Bohemian walked from Wilbur

to my office in Lincoln the other day," he said. "He had paid his last dollar to an employment agent who had sent him to Wilbur after a job that didn't exist."

"Eleven men were sent out to North Platte not long ago on a false chase after jobs alleged to pay \$3 a day. "A man with a large family came to my office. He had heard of a job at \$35 a month with house free and fuel and butter and eggs. But it took \$2 to learn where that job was and he didn't have \$2. The state had made insufficient provision to bring jobs and men together."

Jardine Gives Experience. City Commissioner Jardine thought the law should find some way to deal with "laborers" who don't want to work. He told of a personal experience when he went to St. Louis, picked out 135 men out of 5,000 had them washed and shaved and started for Omaha with them. On the way fifty of them disappeared. They didn't want to work.

The bureau to be established here will provide work not only for common laborers, but for professional people, such as teachers. There will also be a special department for woman and girls. Mr. Caminetti will return to Omaha in about twenty days, by which time it is expected the final arrangements will be made for the establishment of the Omaha bureau.

Obregon and Gonzales In Brotherly Embrace

Mexico City, Oct. 27.—At a meeting of the new constitutional liberal party General Obregon, the war minister, in a speech declared that there was no truth in the reports of the existence of bad feeling between him and General Gonzales, the minister of communications. Gonzales then embraced him amid the applause of those assembled.

Billy Owens Outplays Jess Reynolds, 100 to 68

Billy Owens defended his title last night at the Subway pocket billiard tournament in fine style, defeating Jess Reynolds, 100 to 68.

Andy Swanson will play Harry Mooney tonight at 8 o'clock.

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Washington, Oct. 27.—Cognizance of the allied blockade was taken by the Postoffice department today in recommending to postmasters over the country, at offices where international money orders are sold, to post notices advising patrons to purchase such orders intended for Christmas presents by December 1, or as soon after that time as convenient.



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