

HAPPENINGS IN THE MAGIC CITY

Youth Found Dead Morning After Taking Part in Wrestling Match.

INQUEST TO BE HELD SOON

The coroner's post mortem last evening into the mysterious death of Joe Pyzdek, 26-year-old foreigner, who died in the saloon of Charles Kloch, 4201 South Fortieth street, at 11 o'clock Friday morning, revealed a heavy blood clot on the brain, caused by a skull fracture.

The body of the young man was discovered yesterday morning at the bottom of a pit in the rear of the Kloch saloon by Mrs. Kloch, wife of the saloon man. The two carried the body into the inner room, thinking Pyzdek intoxicated and that they later would awaken him. Investigation disclosed death.

The last seen of the young man was at an informal party in a vacant house in the vicinity of the saloon. The story of associates is that he engaged in a friendly wrestling match during the evening and sustained slight bruises during the scuffle. Later he left this place and was not seen until morning, when his body was discovered. An inquest will be held.

Social Center Meeting.

There was a big turnout last evening at the "social center" meeting in the West Side schoolhouse. The program was in charge of J. S. Collins, president of the club, and Paul McAuley, who is handling the work from the office of Recreation Superintendent English.

A varied program was given. Prof. Johnson of the South High School orchestra, and Miss Henni, a violinist of the same organization, gave a piano-violin duet. Miss O'Connor and Miss Williams sang the popular melody of the evening in a pretty duet. Miss Nightingale and Miss Winkler performed on the piano, while Charles Whitehead captivated the crowd with a piano solo.

Speak for Light Contract.

The West Side Improvers met last evening at the Fenton hall. The light question was discussed. The club gave evidence of being more than ever in favor of the contract.

"We haven't taken any vote in the club," Judge Collins, secretary of the club, said last evening, "but I'm pretty safe in saying that the vote cast out here next Tuesday will show a big majority for the contract. Every meeting we have held so far has been strongly in favor of the contract."

The club went on record as in favor of a "rest park" for laboring men. The city council will be asked to grant this improvement and make appropriation for it. The street car company committee reported a favorable opinion from company officials in regard to an extension street car line along Thirty-sixth street from Q street south to the county line.

Motorcyclist Injured.

Everett Bobb, 6104 South Twentieth avenue, sustained a double fracture of the left leg between the knee and ankle yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock when the motorcycle on which he was riding upset at Nineteenth and Q streets. Bobb was riding to the home of Warren Rhodes, 5115 South Nineteenth street, and at the street corner slid one foot to the earth to steady his machine. In some manner his foot caught and the motorcycle capsized. He was taken by the police to the South Side hospital.

Loses Money From Pocket.

Charles Root complained to the police that \$25 in cash was stolen from his trousers pocket while he was asleep in the saloon at 3123 R street. He accused one Mike Kostosi, 3123 R street. The latter was arrested but was acquitted in court. Both are being held for investigation.

Jungman School Party.

A Thanksgiving party was given Wednesday afternoon by students of the eighth grade of the Jungman school. Faculty members of the school were invited and four attended, these being Principal Margaret O'Toole, Misses Cogan, Butler and Hickey. Games of all kinds were played.

Church Notes.

Hilldale Baptist, Forty-third and I—Sunday school, 10. Bible Young People's Union, 7. Evening services, 7:45. St. Luke's Lutheran, Twenty-fifth and K, Rev. S. H. Verlan, Pastor—Sunday school, 9:45. Church service, 11. Mission band annual thanks offering and public program, 2. Confirmation class, 4. Luther League, 7:30. Mrs. S. H. Verlan, leader. Trinity Baptist, Twenty-fifth and H, Rev. Charles P. Miller, Pastor—Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship and Lord's Supper, 11. Junior union, 7:30. Bible Young People's Union, 8:30. Rev. C. Malie, Boston author, scholar, minister and teacher, will speak of experiences when touring Europe during the war, at 7:30. Grace Methodist, Twenty-fifth and E, Rev. C. C. Wilson, Pastor—Sunday school, 9:45. Business men's Bible class is one of the popular organizations started by the pastor. T. C. Ingram is president and Frank Broadwell, secretary. Questions affecting men in all walks of life are discussed. The membership is large. Pastor will preach both morning and evening at 11 and 7:30. South Omaha United Presbyterian, Twenty-third and H, Rev. Albert S. Porter, Pastor—Sunday school, 9:45. Morning preaching, 11. Juniors, 2. Intermediates, 8:30. Young people's meeting at same hour. Miss Helen Ferrer, of Egypt, will speak at 7:30, with Mrs. H. B. Spear singing "The Good Shepherd." Home coming of old members of the congregation will be celebrated and letters from former pastors and members will be read.

Magie City Gossip.

Wanted—Ed hand brick, 8. 802. For Rent—Stores, houses, cottages and flats. SOUTH OMAHA INVESTMENT CO. Miss Abbie Carlson, bookkeeper at The Hot office, is ill at home at Twentieth and Q streets with appendicitis. Mrs. C. F. Kahley, of Schuyler, sister of Mrs. C. C. Wilson, wife of the Grace Methodist minister, 2414 South Twentieth street, visited several days in Omaha this week. The Optima club will give a dance Tuesday evening at the Centurian hall at 8:30 sharp. A ton of coal will be given as a door prize. There will also be a prize for every game. Sovereign lodge, No. 311, Woodmen of the World, will meet Tuesday evening, December 5, at the Moon hall, at Twenty-fifth and M streets, to nominate and elect officers for the coming year. Bonds furnished for contractors, executors, administrators, affidavits, mortgages and other civil or criminal proceedings, through one of the leading surety companies of the United States by their local agents, the SOUTH OMAHA INVESTMENT CO. If you desire to sell, rent or trade your property, please call at our office and let us show you our progressive methods and unsurpassed service. We have faith in "printers' ink" and if your proposition is listed with us it will be made known to a hundred thousand people where ALL Omaha newspapers are read. SOUTH OMAHA INVESTMENT CO. 625 South 24th St. Phone South 1147.

Fifteen Years Old, he Joins the U. S. Army

Sioux City, Ia., Dec. 2.—Vernie L. Hockensmith, an orphan, 15 years old, enlisted in the army at the Sioux City recruiting office this afternoon. He is said to be the youngest soldier in the army.

NO PHONE CALLS FOR M'DANIEL

Operators and Officials of Exchange Heard of None on Fatal Night.

STATE WITNESSES TALK

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 2.—Presentation of testimony in the trial of Prosecutor Oscar D. McDaniel, who is charged with having murdered his wife, neared its end in the criminal court yesterday when the state, in its rebuttal, placed twenty-one witnesses upon the stand. Attorneys for both sides said tonight that one more day would complete the introduction of evidence.

The state devoted most of its efforts today to an attempt to show that McDaniel did not receive a telephone call about 11:15 o'clock the night of the murder, as he related on the witness stand, which drew him from his home. B. L. Brown, division traffic superintendent; Miss Grace Boyer, chief operator; Miss Emma Maier, night chief operator; Miss Grace Miller, night information operator, and four night operators of the local telephone company were placed on the stand and testified that so far as they remembered no such call was made.

No Written Record.

Brown and Miss Boyer both said their testimony was the result of investigations, while the others declare they were at work the night of the murder and one of them should have received such a call.

It was explained by each of the witnesses that many calls after 11 o'clock at night are diverted to the information operators so that wrong calls will not awaken patrons. The defense, in an apparent effort to break down the declarations of the witnesses, brought out that no written records of the calls were made and that the statements "were based on memory."

Miss Miller said that all calls diverted to the regular routine had gone to her that night and she was asked by Attorney General John T. Barker, "did you handle any calls to McDaniel home between 11 and 12 o'clock the night of July 14, when Mrs. McDaniel was murdered?"

Didn't Handle Any.

"I did not," she answered. The testimony of Mr. McDaniel was that he returned home about 11 p. m., after having gone to a lodge meeting and investigated two alleged road houses. He awakened his wife, he said, but about 11:15 o'clock received a telephone call asking him to go to a certain saloon to get his brother. He left immediately, discovered that the call was a fake, according to the testimony, and returned near midnight to engage in a revolver duel and to find that his wife had been attacked and beaten. Miss Boyer testified, under cross examination, that a call had come to the telephone office about 10:30 o'clock that night, asking the names and numbers of saloons in a certain district. The saloon from which McDaniel said the fake call purported to have come was in that district, attorneys pointed out. Miss Boyer said she did not know where the call had originated.

Didn't Hear Scream.

During the day the state sought to break down the testimony of the defense that Mrs. Della Leslie, a neighbor of McDaniel, had screamed while in a swing before 11 o'clock on the night of the murder. Five neighbors of Mrs. Leslie said they remembered no screams at the time described. The cross examination brought out that none of the five had heard any scream or cat cries that night, although two said they were close neighbors of McDaniel.

Acting on its own behalf, the American government has informed Germany anew of its deep concern over the deportation of Belgians from their own country by the German military authorities. This action has been taken as a result of information about the deportations gathered from different sources, and after fruitless informal efforts on behalf of the Belgians made by American Charge Grew at Berlin.

SCHOOL BOYS DECIDE TO BE REAL HUNTERS

Make Up Three Squads and Move Out of Town, Looking for Game.

ONE SKUNK LAID LOW

The school kiddies, comprising Scouts, cadets and others, had the time of their lives yesterday while hunting in the woods. They forgot all about school and books and for a day enjoyed themselves.

The hunters, three bands of them, took off their stiff collars and wore their hunting outfits, consisting of old clothes, Boy Scout uniforms, Indian clothes, and in some cases, high school uniforms.

At 8 o'clock in the morning the young soldiers, warriors and tramps set out for the big hunt, carrying with them a full supply of bread and fruit, but not any meat. The latter was to be hunted for.

The band that hunted along the Papio used bows and arrows. As near as could be learned the weapons were to be used in hunting rabbits. The band that camped along the Missouri river, north of Florence, carried regular B-B and pop guns. They were after high soaring fowls. The third band, comprised mostly of little hunters, carried only sticks. Their aim was to capture anything that came their way.

Run Down Three Rabbits.

The Papio band was the most successful. As a result of their long tramp, and because of the expert hunter, James Atkinson, the members succeeded in running down and capturing three rabbits. They built huge fires and got the earth real hot. Then they buried the rabbits, skin and all, in the hot earth. When a due amount of time had passed they uncovered their prizes and dinner. Then they feasted, after which several hunting stories were told.

The members of the Missouri band was not successful in getting what they went after, but had luck otherwise. As they lay watching for birds a couple of stray chickens wandered their way. They hated to do it, but real hunger induced them to kill the chickens.

The real disappointed ones were the hunters of the third band. Being young, they could not discriminate game by their sense of smell. As they marched along they came upon a hairy looking animal—something like a squirrel. They became happy and rejoiced when they thought of the time of their announcing their success. They all touched it and petted it, but it didn't move, so they hit it and called it dead.

Odor Precedes Them.

They ran home to tell one of the mammas of their capture. But mamma knew they were home when a block away. Their hunting suits had to be buried and the boys given baths. Now they assert that next time they go a-hunting they will at least know a skunk if they see or smell one.

Central Labor Union Hunting for Printer

Among other things that the Central Labor union discussed last night was the phenomenon of a labelless placard announcing that the Central Labor union had declared the Krug theatre fair.

The Central body doesn't deny that it has so declared, but is anxious to find out where the non-union placard comes in. "Maybe the management is neutral," put in a facetious attendant.

The high cost of living was the principal subject under discussion and the Central union is going to wage real warfare against the exorbitant price of necessities. With this idea in view they endorsed the establishment of a municipal market and will so inform the city commission. A representative of the United buyers explained the purpose of his organization to the body.

C. L. Shamp invited the representative of the buyers to get in touch with the Douglas County Consumers' league and see if between the two organizations they couldn't effect a plan of operation improving upon the one under which each is operating.

You May Call a Dog a "Dawg" if You Like

New York, Dec. 2.—Because American speech has no uniformity does not prove that it is inferior to that of the English people, in the opinion of Prof. Frederick N. Scott of the University of Michigan, who spoke at the annual convention here of the National Council of Teachers of English today. He insisted that "dawg" is just as good a pronunciation as "dog." Uniformity is not important, he declared, but speech should be sincere and show culture.

Death of Jesus From Broken Heart, Not His Wounds

"Jesus died not from the wounds of the Cross, but of a broken heart," said Dr. Henry C. Mabie of Boston, speaking before a large gathering of ministers and friends at the First Congregational church last evening. He took as his subject the "Cross of Christ." "He gave up His own life," he continued, "it was not taken from Him."

Comparing the resurrection of Lazarus and Christ, he said: "Christ's death was unique. His resurrection was more than the resurrection of Lazarus. For Lazarus died again, while Christ's was the resurrection of One who lived thence forward forever."

"The resurrection of Christ," he said, "is a conspicuous part of the atonement for if Jesus had not risen He would never have a follower." The speaker bitterly attacked what he termed world philosophy. "People should forget the world philosophy," he said, or, "they will forget all about God." He urged parents to teach their children of the life of Christ and for what He stands. His entire talk was forcefully brought out by frequent analogies to the Bible.

Federal Inquiry Into H. C. L. Will Be Made From Boston

Boston, Dec. 2.—Investigation of the high cost of living which are now being made by federal officials or agents throughout the country will be directed by George W. Anderson, the United States district attorney for this district, it was announced here today. Attorney General Gregory, according to a statement issued by the United States attorney's office, has asked Mr. Anderson to take charge of the investigations, "so that the work may be co-ordinated and made as effective and rapid as possible."

The condition of John D. Archbold, president of the Standard Oil Co., of New Jersey, who has been dangerously ill for several days, after an operation for appendicitis, is much improved, but he is still very ill.

BRIDGES BEHIND HIM ARE ALL BURNED NOW

Mayor Jim Not Only Declares for Woman's Suffrage, But Talks in Favor of It.

WELCOMED INTO THE FOLD

Lassoed, thrown and publicly branded as a suffragist. Such is the fate of Mayor Dahlman, heralded as the "cowboy mayor." Following The Bee's exclusive announcement that Mayor Jim had changed his mind on the votes-for-women proposition, members of the Equal Franchise society decided that he and no other should introduce Mrs. Nellie McClung, noted Canadian suffragist, at her talk in the courthouse Friday afternoon.

"I was just a little suspicious when Mrs. E. S. Rood telephoned to ask me to speak at this meeting," the mayor confessed, "but I explained I was just a recruit and couldn't be expected to make much of a suffrage talk."

Mayor Dahlman told the women he had been opposed to woman suffrage until a few weeks ago. "When I saw what an intelligent vote women cast on election day in the time of a great crisis I decided if there was anything I could do to help their cause in the future they might always count on me," said he, in explanation of his change of heart.

Urged to Attend Meetings.

Mrs. J. C. Sumney impressed on the mayor the necessity for him to attend all suffrage meetings. "Filling up chairs to make a crowd is the first requirement for a good suffragist," she laughingly remarked.

Mayor Dahlman is the first public official to announce a change of stand since the last suffrage campaign. "Mrs. McClung welcomed the mayor into suffrage ranks. 'But we don't wish to make converts only by an appeal to sentiment. We want to show men we can make good,'" she said. "It's such a splendid thing for Mayor Dahlman to change his mind."

More nonsense has been uttered on women voting than on any other subject, according to Mrs. McClung. "In reality, voting is a commonplace, every day, dignified thing to do. Women will not become masculine in their ways and just as many bridal veils and christening robes will be worn when all women vote as now," she said.

Mrs. McClung and her daughter, Florence, left this morning for Minneapolis.

An attempt on the part of congress to pass a compulsory arbitration law will be fought by the railroad men, according to a statement made by Warren S. Stone, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Bulk of London's Estate to Wife; \$5 To His First Mate

Santa Rosa, Cal., Dec. 1.—The will of Jack London, the author, who died at Glen Ellen, near here, on November 22, leaves the bulk of his estate, on which he placed no value, to his widow, Charmion K. London. The will was filed today in the superior court and bore the date May 24, 1911.

London asked specifically that the document be not probated and requested that letters testamentary be issued to his sister, Mrs. Eliza Shepard, and Willard L. Growall.

By its terms his divorced wife, Mrs. Bessie M. London, is given \$5 and the house in which she resides in Oakland, Cal., until "she marries again," when it reverts to the estate. London's two children by his first marriage, Joan and Bess London, are bequeathed \$25 a month each and his life insurance policy, the amount of which is not made public.

Another provision of the will was the request that "my two daughters, Joan and Bess be personally housed and cared for by my beloved wife, Charmion, of whose fitness and goodness I am confident."

Small bequests were left to his mother and only sister.

Judge Ready to Pay Woman for Slapping Man Defaming Her

Thompson Falls, Mont., Dec. 1.—Testimony that Miss Edith Colby, a newspaper reporter on trial here charged with the murder of A. C. Thomas, a Montana politician, last September, attempted to have Thomas arrested for insulting her and further testimony tending to establish that Miss Colby was of unsound mind, was introduced by the defense today.

The testimony that Miss Colby had

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sought Thomas' arrest was given by William Stren, a clerk of the court here.

Police Judge W. E. Nippert of Thompson Falls testified that Miss Colby had asked him what he would do to her "if she slapped the face of a man who called her a 'woman of the underworld.'"

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