

JUDGE MADDEN REFUSES TO TRY PETERSON CASE

Declares Recent Utterances of Mayor Make Administration of Justice Impossible; Case Goes Over Week.

Asserting that recent public utterances of Mayor Smith had made it impossible for him to administer justice to either the state or the defendant, Police Judge Madden Tuesday morning declined to try John Peterson, charged with bootlegging, and continued the case until July 1.

"I feel that the recent outburst of the mayor in regard to this case has made it impossible for me to have done justice," said the judge in open court.

"I therefore continue the case until Monday, July 1, when either Police Judge Fitzgerald or Municipal Judge Holmes can try the case."

The police judge sitting on the South Side and the police judge sitting down town exchange benches every three months. The next change takes place July 1.

Enforces Law. "Furthermore," continued Judge Madden, "I invite the mayor to have made a verbatim transcript of the testimony in every liquor case tried in this court. Then he can see whether or not justice is being administered in this court."

"Or, if the mayor doesn't want to do that, I will leave it to the testimony of any disinterested observer whether or not I am enforcing the liquor law."

The mayor has recently appeared again in the newspapers and has said that he will keep quiet for 30 days. I hope that by that time he will realize that he has been elected to act as mayor of this city, not to engage in verbal somersaults.

Mistaken Identity. The mayor was clearly laboring under a misunderstanding in the case of John Peterson. He evidently did not understand that both John and Ed Peterson had been arrested and that only Ed Peterson had been discharged and that John Peterson was still awaiting trial when the mayor supposed that he had already been sentenced.

The evidence against Ed Peterson was such that I felt justified in discharging him. The prosecutor recommended such action also."

Hopeful Candidates Hasten to Join Race For Lucrative Jobs

Who's who in politics is beginning to be revealed by the addition of names to the filing list in the election commissioner's office.

Ray J. Abbott, deputy county attorney, wants the democratic nomination of county attorney. H. L. Mossman and J. P. O'Hara are other democrats who have filed. C. W. Brist, A. V. Shottwell and Charles Battelle have enlisted as republicans. Arthur Hancock, who has been mentioned, states that he will not file.

In connection with the county attorneyship it is said the Howell-Bell-Smith-Dodge combination has been trying to induce C. A. Goss to stand for county attorney to help along the Dodge congressional boomlet.

This proposed combination was proposed at a meeting held last night when A. W. Jeffers filed for congress. Norman C. Gault, 560 South Twenty-sixth avenue, aspiring to be democratic candidate for police judge, was the first to file for this office.

The Douglas County American Republican club will meet on Thursday night in the assembly room, 16th floor of City National bank building. All republicans have been invited to attend.

Nearly Three Thousand Men Enter War Service in June

Nearly 3,000 men will enlist for war service in Omaha during June, according to estimates of recruiting officers. The army and the navy each expect their enlistments to reach 1,500. It is considered a dull day at either place if there are not two or three scores of young registrants waiting at the recruiting stations when the doors open in the morning.

Norman Gault Files for Position of Police Judge

Norman C. Gault, 560 South Twenty-sixth avenue, has filed with the election commissioner for the democratic nomination for police judge at the coming primaries.

Ray J. Abbott, assistant county attorney, has made filing for the democratic nomination for county attorney.

Mrs. Nash Entertains Paulist Choristers at Cricket Room

Mrs. E. W. Nash entertained the personnel of the Paulist Choristers at the Cricket room of the Burgess-Nash store Tuesday noon. This is the choir which is making a tour of the country for the benefit of the suffering of northern France and is giving a concert at the Auditorium this evening.

Jack Sharp Recovering from Attack of Appendicitis

Jack Sharp, manager of the Only Way Transfer company and one of the leading golf players of the Omaha Field club, passed a quiet night at the Methodist hospital Monday morning following an operation Monday morning for appendicitis. He is reported to be recovering rapidly.

Leaves to Visit Son

Mrs. John Eggleston, Nineteenth and Washington streets, and Mrs. George Eggleston, 404 Forty-sixth and O streets, left Sunday to visit the latter's son, George, jr., at Camp Cody, N. M. After a short visit there, Mrs. John Eggleston will go to join her husband, who is stationed at Camp Fremont, Cal.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Flora L. Spooner who left Omaha for Kansas several months ago, has returned to her home in Omaha.

Dr. H. H. is in the medical service with the Red Cross.

When in Omaha please contact the Co-operative Reference Co., which is now managed by his wife.

War Savings Leaders Make Final Plans for Special Drive, June 28

With the approach of the day set aside for a special drive for the organizing of war saving societies, county chairmen and county directors from every county in the state have their committees appointed and are marshaling all their working forces to be ready to go "over the top" with advent of the dawn of June 28. Much preparatory work is being done and each county is vying with the other to have the largest number of societies organized before the special day.

The state is being deluged with literature from the offices of the various local chairmen, as well as from the state headquarters. Cards have been sent out by the local chairmen to all the taxpayers and their families in each community, calling on them to meet at their nearest school house, under the supervision of their school moderator.

On the same day the towns and cities are to be canvassed by solicitors so that no one in the state will be missed. Every man, woman and child in Nebraska must affiliate themselves with a war savings society and Nebraska must have 10,000 societies on or before June 28, in order that it retain its place in the rank of the states. Nebraska has done its part in all the war activities which have been so far carried on and those in charge of this special drive feel that the patriotic men, women and children of Nebraska will rally to the state support in this instance as well.

Three Weeks' Old Boy Baby Found Deserted In an Empty Building

A three-weeks' old baby boy was found deserted in a new building at Twenty-fourth and Davenport streets at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning by Francis Longley, 2517 Marcy street. Longley was passing the building when cries of the abandoned infant demanded his attention. He investigated and located the babe in one of the rooms of the empty structure.

The baby was well dressed, but had apparently been subjected to the rain as his clothes were drenched.

Mrs. Dorothy Halderman, 221 North Twenty-fourth street, told police that she heard an automobile stop in front of the building about midnight Monday night and that she heard voices of at least two men.

Halderman is caring for the abandoned baby until a place can be found for it.

Mayor's Aid Persuades Son To Allot Pay to Mother

O. M. Olson, Mayor Smith's secretary, experienced difficulty convincing a man of this week's draft contingent that it was his duty to provide for an allotment in favor of his mother.

The son had been shiftless for several years, neglecting his invalid father and a mother who had to go to work. A few months ago the young man returned to Omaha and obtained work. When he was called in the draft he accused his mother of having been responsible for his selection. The falsity of his accusation was explained to him, but yet he would not change his belief. He refused to make an allotment for his parents until Olson took hold of the case and put the son to shame. By making this allotment of \$15 per month, the mother and father will receive \$10 each, additional on account of their dependency.

Celebrates Italian Drive By Night of Lonely Song

Wild whoops of joy and peans of song punctuated the midnight quiet near Fourteenth and Dodge streets Monday night. An Italian janitor at the Union Pacific building was so overjoyed by his countrymen's victory that he indulged in an all night celebration all by himself. The first wild whoop startled the inhabitants in that vicinity about midnight, when the Italian went to work. From that time on until 4 o'clock in the morning, he broke into song at intervals, or leaned out of the upper windows to breathe the surrounding atmosphere with his crying, waving his dust cloth and cheering wildly. The people in the nearby buildings were unable to get much sleep, but they shared his feeling of jubilation to such an extent that they are making no complaints.

Omaha Business Firms to Hold Outings at Krug Park

Picnic week is being enjoyed this week by many Omaha firms. Brandeis stores will hold their annual picnic at Krug park Wednesday. Ed Malone and Tom Quislan are in charge. Thursday employees of the Byrnes-Hammer company will take an outing at the same place.

Sues for \$4,000 Alleged To Be Due for Service

Herman R. Krittenbrink has brought suit in district court against George F. Krittenbrink for \$4,000, alleging that the defendant owes him that sum of money for personal service as cashier of Bank of Florence and for commission on the sale of the Franklin County bank at Hildreth-Neb. Herman alleges that he was to have been paid for these services by \$4,000 worth of stock in the Florence bank, but that George has sold all the stock and refuses to pay him the amount involved.

Three Locks Fail to Stop Vandals Bent on Taking Car

Three strong locks were not sufficient to protect a five-passenger Ford from vandals who thought they needed it worse than T. J. Moran, 918 North Nineteenth street. The police are making a hard fight against auto thieves but cars are taken every night.

Harry Lauder in the War Zone

A Minstrel in France Tells His Personal Experiences on the Western Fighting Front

CHAPTER XXV. It was a mournful journey. One of the officers at Albert was looking at me in a curiously intent fashion. I noticed that. And soon he came over to me. "Where do you go next, Harry?" he asked me. His voice was keenly sympathetic, and his eyes and his manner were very grave.

"To a place called Oviliers," I said. "So I thought," he said. He put out his hand, and I gripped it, hard. "I know, Harry. I know exactly where you are going, and I will send a man with you to act as your guide, who knows the spot you want to reach."

I couldn't answer him. I was too deeply moved. For Oviliers is the spot where my son, Captain John Lauder, lies in his soldier's grave. That grave has been, of course, from the very first, the final, the ultimate objective of my journey. And that morning, as we set out from Tramecourt, Captain Godfrey had told me, with grave sympathy, that at last we were coming to the spot that had been so constantly in my thoughts ever since we had sailed from Folkestone.

And so a private soldier joined our party as guide, and we took to the road again. The Bapaume road it was—a famous highway, bitterly contested, savagely fought for. It was one of the strategic roads of that whole region, and the Hun had made a desperate fight to keep control of it. But he had failed—as he has failed, and is failing still, in all his major efforts in France.

There was no talking in our car, which, this morning, was the second in the line. I certainly was not disposed to chat, an after-supper sympathy for my feelings, and my companions. And, at any rate, we had not traveled far when the car ahead of us stopped, and the soldier from Albert stepped into the road and waited for me. I got out when our car stopped, and joined him.

"I will show you the place now, Mr. Lauder," he said, quietly. So we left the car standing in the road, and set out across a field that, like all the fields in that vicinity, had been ripped and torn by shell-fire. All about us, as we crossed that tragic field, there were little brown mounds, each with a white wooden cross upon it. June was out that day in full bloom. All over the valley, thickly sown with those white crosses, wild flowers in rare profusion, and thickly matted, luxuriant grasses, and all the little shrubs that God Himself looks after were growing bravely in the sunlight, as though they were trying to hide the work of the Hun.

It was a mournful journey, but in some strange way, the peaceful beauty of the day brought comfort to me. And my grief was altered by the vision of the grief that had come to so many others. Those crosses, stretching away as far as my eye could reach, attested to the fact that it was not I alone who had suffered and lost and laid a sacrifice upon the altar of my country. And, in the presence of so many evidences of grief and desolation a private grief sank into its true proportions. It was less keen, the agony of the thought of my boy was as sharp as ever. But I knew that he was only one.

Gillin Examines Agents for Internal Revenue Service

John J. Gillin, internal revenue agent, has returned from Urbana, Ia., where he sat with internal Revenue Collector Murphy in the examination of a class of 36 applicants eligible for places in the internal revenue service as field agents.

Wednesday, with George L. Loomis, collector for this district, he will sit as examiner of a class of 25 applicants for places in the Omaha division. An oral test of the qualifications of the applicants will be made.

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Equalization Board Puts Over Liberty Bond Issue

The question whether or not Liberty bonds owned by banks and trust companies are taxable was taken up by the board of equalization at its daily session in the court house Tuesday morning, with many representatives of banks of the city and county in attendance. No final action was taken, however, as the board voted to withhold its decision until Friday, as it is impossible that the state board of equalization may make a ruling on this question before that time.

Held for Rinking Molars Into Other Woman's Cheek

Mary Micella, 1121 North Eighteenth street, was arrested on complaint of Mary Figgaro, who charged she had bitten a chunk out of her cheek. Testimony given in police court Tuesday morning was that Mary Micella had threatened to kill Mary Figgaro. The judge ordered the defendant to be released on a \$50 bond and set the case over for 30 days.

Concord Club Will Hold Annual Picnic Thursday

Concord club members will enjoy their annual outing at Valley Thursday.

Increased Freight Rates Go Into Effect On All the Railroads

There was a big rush of freight to the railroads Monday because it was the last day under the old freight rates. At midnight Monday the new rates went into effect. They are popularly known as the 25 per cent increase, although in fact the rates are increased in different percentages according to their classification, length of haul and other conditions.

For example state class rates in Nebraska increased from 14 cents to 25 cents for first class and from an old rate of 8 cents to the new rate of 15 cents for fourth class. These are increases of nearly 100 per cent. These rates do not apply to freight into or out of Omaha and other jobbing cities.

The increase on coal amounts to about 30 to 50 cents a ton on shipments to Omaha. It is estimated the increased rates will produce an additional revenue of \$700,000,000 a year.

Is Harness Copper Human Being? Dog Should Know

Mrs. M. L. Copeland, 210 South Thirty-seventh street, arrested on a charge of maintaining a dangerous nuisance in the form of a dog which had bitten Policeman Urbanic, declared in police court Tuesday morning: "My dog is so gentle that he will do no more than wag his tail at any human being."

The prosecuting attorney asked her whether or not she classified a policeman as a human being.



Competition Bewildered Prices All Shot to Pieces

Profits will not be considered this week.

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Genuine Bargains

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Two Executors Are Named For Nathan Merriam Estate

Mrs. Allie T. Merriam, widow of the late Nathan Merriam, wealthy Omaha grain man who died April 28, and Barton Millard were appointed administrators of the Merriam estate by Judge Crawford in county court Tuesday. Mr. Merriam's will was offered for probate, but as was expected, was not allowed, by reason of the fact that it did not bear the names of witnesses when it was drawn up.

The estate, which includes vast property holdings in Nebraska, will be divided among the heirs according to the laws of the state, one-third going to the widow and one-third each to the two children, Mrs. Mildred Merriam Diehl, Selmorie, Scotland, and Mrs. Barton Millard. This is the same distribution of the estate as was provided in the will, which was held illegal. The widow's request for the appointment of administrators was for the purpose of allowing legal settlement of the estate, of which no inventory has yet been filed.

"WAS WONDERFUL SURPRISE TO ME," SAYS OMAHA LADY

Mrs. Ferrand Hardy Realizes She Is Same Woman Since Taking Tanlac.

"Positively, the relief I have experienced since I began taking Tanlac is a wonderful surprise to me, for it is the only thing I have ever taken that reached my trouble," said Mrs. Bessie M. Ferrand, of 2407 N street, Omaha, the other day.

"About three years ago," she continued, "I had such an awful attack of rheumatism in my arms, feet and lower limbs that I had to take to my bed, where I lay for weeks almost helpless. After undergoing agonies, I pulled myself together so as to get out of bed, but even then I was so crippled up with pain that I could hardly walk. I lost my appetite and indigestion got its hold on me. After eating anything my food would lie in my stomach like a lump of lead and I would bloat up so with gas that I could hardly stand the misery I suffered. My head ached almost constantly and at times I'd get so dizzy if I stooped over to pick up a pin or fasten my shoe I would almost fall. I was badly constipated, too, and worried so much over my troubles that I lost 15 pounds and was almost ready to give up."

"After trying many other medicines without getting relief I at last got me a bottle of Tanlac, and when I soon began to feel it was doing me good I decided it was time to drop everything else and give Tanlac a chance. I am now on my third bottle and it has already given me such a fine appetite that I enjoy everything I eat and feel like I just can't get enough to satisfy my hunger. Those headache and dizzy spells are all gone and I am not troubled so much with constipation as I was before. The rheumatic pains are fast leaving me and I feel so much better in every way that I can hardly realize that I am the same person who was suffering so much just a few short weeks ago."

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