

## WELFARE BOARD NAMES NEW HEAD FOR NEXT YEAR

Omaha Man and President of  
Gideons Appointed Super-  
intendent in Charge of  
Welfare Work.

At a meeting of the Board of Public Welfare held Thursday evening, T. H. Weirick was appointed superintendent of the board, subject to the confirmation of the mayor and council. Mr. Weirick has been a resident of Omaha for 18 years and for 13 years president of the Gideons, a Christian society composed of traveling salesmen. He has done considerable work with the Union Gospel Mission. Of late he has been much interested in welfare work and has visited Chicago and Kansas City, looking closely into the methods pursued there.

"I like the system in force in Kansas City," said Mr. Weirick, "and if my appointment is confirmed I intend to follow this system very closely. I have high ideals for the work and hope to make it a real benefit to Omaha and make Omaha a city which is looked to as an example of efficiency by other cities."

## County Board Blamed for Omahans Advancing Police Expense Money

Because, some years ago, a sheriff of one of the southeastern counties of the state, presented an expense bill of several hundred dollars for a trip to California to bring back prisoners wanted in a murder case, and the bill appeared so extravagant, citizens of Douglas county and Omaha have been made to guarantee the expenses of officers sent outside the boundaries of the county to recover stolen property and to bring offenders captured in other cities here for trial.

These facts were unearthed in a conference between Police Commissioner Ringer and County Attorney Magney, in relation to the case of Joseph Saunders, proprietor of Ford Livery, who was asked to put up \$100 expense money by the police department to secure the return of a filched car and W. W. Short, alleged to be guilty of the offense of larceny as bailee and wife and child abandonment, from Denver.

Several years ago a sheriff in southeastern Nebraska created a controversy between the county and state officials as to the responsibility of the payment of a huge expense bill. J. H. Moorhead was governor at the time, and caused a bill to be introduced and passed in the legislature, which placed the responsibility of the payment of such bills on the county.

Since the passage of the bill the commissioners of Douglas county have made no arrangements for the appropriation of an emergency fund to bring back prisoners and stolen property from outside points and this condition has handicapped both the county attorney's office as well as the police department. It has been found necessary to cause the victims of law breakers to guarantee expense, and because of the inability of some to do this several offenders have gotten away with stolen property and have gone unwhipped of justice.

Both the county attorney and the police department feel that these conditions work a hardship on the community, and there should be some relief granted so as to make the work of the two departments, to maintain protection of property and punishment of criminals, more effective.

With this end in view County Attorney Magney and Police Commissioner Ringer will endeavor to work out some feasible plan for the creation of an emergency fund, properly administered, that can be legally established by the county commissioners.

## Famine of Lawyers Shortens Disputes and Court Sessions

The last jury but one was dismissed in district court Thursday afternoon, making the close of jury sessions until November 11. One jury is still on a case, but is expected to finish its work Friday.

This recess of jury trials for six weeks is unusual in the history of district court. It is caused by numerous circumstances, among them being the urgent need of lawyers for war time activities, such as Liberty loan, filling out questionnaires, etc., the coming election and the slackening in the number of cases to be heard by juries. War is accountable for the last named reason, as it has been noted that lawyers have not entered into as many or as lengthy litigations as in former years.

## Andrews Says His Wife's Nagging Has Undermined Health

Among the divorce petitions filed Thursday, John H. Andrews asks severance of marital tie between himself and Nettie, whom he alleges has continually talked with other men over the telephone and in addition has unremittently "nagged" him to such an extent that his health has been seriously affected.

Fannie William accuses her husband, William, of abandonment and asks divorce.

Elsie J. Hoffmann alleges that her husband, Nicholas A., made false accusations against her in his petition for divorce, which was not allowed.

## "Michael" and Green Cards Start Gossip About Reason

"What is in a name?" asked the Careful Observer who had been looking through his political periscope to see what he might see.

"The name does not make the man," replied the Oldest Inhabitant.

but sometimes you can fool some of the people some of the time by trimming up your name to suit the occasion.

They were discussing Treasurer Endres' latest campaign advertising, which appears in the form of green blotters upon which appears the name of "Michael L. Endres," democratic nominee for county treasurer.

The interest in the situation is that Mr. Endres has changed his first initial "M" to the name of "Michael," and added interest is aroused by reason of the fact that he is promoting the name of Michael on green blotters. He is registered with the election commissioner for voting purposes as "M. L. Endres," and was similarly identified when he was city councilman and on other occasions.

"None would be so cruel as to charge Mr. Endres with making a bid for the Irish vote by advertising his first name as Michael and distributing green blotters, would they?" queried the Careful Observer. "I dunno," replied the Oldest Inhabitant.

## Prussian War Minister

Reported to Have Resigned

London, Sept. 27.—Lt. Gen. von Stein, the Prussian war minister, is reported to have resigned, according to advices to the Exchange Telegraph company from Copenhagen.

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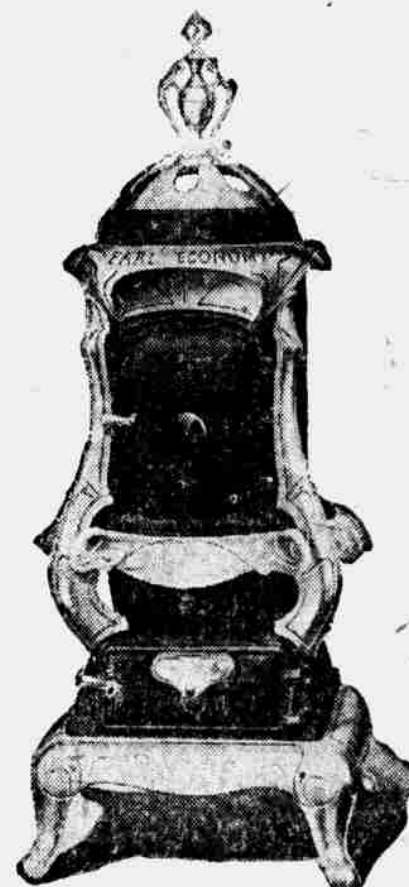


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