

OMAHANS HELD IN KANSAS UPON LIQUOR CHARGE

Alleged Witnesses of Hiawatha (Kan.) Shooting Charged With Transporting Whisky Through the State.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 5.—(Special Telegram)—Homer Anderson and J. C. Banker, both giving Omaha as their home, are being held in Hiawatha, Kan., as witnesses to the killing of Columbus Beeler, 70 years old, and the wounding of his son, Fred Beeler, which occurred Thursday night at the home of John Heikes, near Hiawatha.

The father and son are alleged to have come to the Heikes home to spend the night after the breaking down of an automobile in which they were carrying liquor. Heikes has been arrested charged with the killing of Beeler.

Police Alleged Confession. Police in Hiawatha say he confessed to the murder, but insisted that the shooting was accidental.

Anderson and Banker assert that the shooting followed a violent quarrel between Heikes and Beeler. The two men are neighbors. They say the entire party had been drinking liquor.

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of Anderson and Banker charging them with violating the bone dry law. Kansas police allege the Omaha men had a cargo of "booze" which they were taking to Omaha from St. Joseph.

Omaha police declare they have no record of anyone giving the names of Homer Anderson or J. C. Banker. Neither are the names listed in the Omaha city directory.

Steamer Carrying Eckhardt Homeward Detained at Plymouth. Portsmouth, Eng., April 5.—The Dutch steamer Nieuw Amsterdam, which left New York March 26, is being detained here by the British authorities. No reason is given. It is reported that the former German minister to Mexico, H. von Eckhardt, is on board.

Here von Eckhardt and his family left New York March 26 bound for Holland. It was reported at the time that the allied governments had granted safe conduct to the minister.

At the time the vessel sailed it was said that on its arrival at Plymouth, it would be boarded by British and French secret agents who would watch the German voyagers until the liner left for Rotterdam.

Herr von Eckhardt was in charge of anti-American propaganda in Mexico. He was recalled by his government last December 21, and came to New York overland from Mexico City.

Prominent Citizens of Hungary Now Work in Minor Positions. Vienna, April 5.—(By Associated Press).—Baron Satvan, one of Hungary's richest and most enterprising citizens, is now employed as a clerk. Many of the prominent families have been interned at Budapest, one of them being that of Manfred von Weis, a gun manufacturer, who has been imprisoned in the attic of the family home. Four proletarian families occupy the rest of the mansion. Armed servants are guarding the house, with orders to kill the prisoners if they attempt to escape.

Simon Strauss, former director general of the great Magyar bank and one of the best known financiers of Hungary, has offered his services to the new government and has been accepted as a bookkeeper.

American University Union to Be Maintained in Paris. New York, April 5.—The American University union, established in Paris to meet wartime needs of American college men, will be continued as a permanent institution, according to word received at Columbia university. After peace has been signed and the American troops leave France, it is proposed to make the union a bond between the universities of France and America, and a clearing house of international educational information and headquarters for American students of science, literature and art.

The individual bureaus which have been maintained by various American clubs in Paris during the war will close in a few months.

Ex-Mayor Dahlman Leaves Washington for the West. Washington, April 5.—(Special Telegram).—Former Mayor James C. Dahlman of Omaha, who came to Washington for a conference with officials of the intelligence department of the federal railroad administration, left today for the west.

Frank Brown, a former newspaper man of Lincoln and Kearney, who has been business manager of the Idaho Falls (Idaho) Register for several years, has been appointed private secretary to Governor D. W. Davis of that state. When in Nebraska Brown was a democrat, but has seen a new light since locating west of the Rockies.

Exemptions Named from Ten Per Cent Club Tax. Washington, April 8.—Membership dues or initiation fees of the Y. M. C. A., Young Men's Hebrew association, fraternal societies, lodges, college fraternities and labor union "locals" are exempt from the 10 per cent tax on "social athletic or sporting clubs" under the revenue law, according to regulations issued today by the internal revenue bureau.

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High Court Upholds Decision of District Judge in Damage Case

Lincoln, April 5.—The Nebraska supreme court Saturday, in affirming a judgment obtained in the Douglas county district court, against the Otis Elevator company, says a verdict of \$25,000 for Daniel M. Thomas of Omaha, crippled for life by a fall of five stories to a cement basement, is not excessive.

Thomas is 26 years old and was an employe of the Omaha Iron works when he was struck by an elevator while working on a sewer hotel in Omaha. Thomas' legs were fractured, an arm broken, his jaw fractured and teeth knocked loose as a result of the fall. The accident left him with one knee stiff and one leg and inch and a half shorter than the other.

A ruling by the Douglas county district court denying a lump sum to Elsie Myers, whose husband, Joseph, was killed in a boiler explosion in the Armour packing plant September 4, 1918, is affirmed by the supreme court. The high court rules that commutation could not be made under the state workman's compensation act unless both employer and beneficiary agreed to it.

Mrs. Lindsey on Way East to Join Husband, Who Is Ill. Lincoln, Neb., April 5.—Mrs. Ben B. Lindsey, here for a brief time today, enroute to New York to see her husband, Judge Ben B. Lindsey of the Denver juvenile court, who is ill in that city, stated she had received no additional word as to her husband's condition since leaving Denver yesterday.

Mrs. Lindsey added that her husband probably was suffering from stomach trouble, together with a nervous breakdown, which might have been caused by his strenuous work on behalf of the government. He was at the Biltmore hotel, New York City, and probably would go from there to Battle Creek, Mich., she said.

Judge Lindsey returned several months ago from France, where he spent about six months as a representative of the committee on public information.

Mail Clerk Enters Plea of Guilty to Stealing \$5,000. Sioux Falls, S. D., April 5.—(Special).—When arraigned in the United States court in this city, Frank E. Wallace, of Pierre, a railway mail clerk, entered a plea of guilty to an indictment charging that he robbed the mails of a package of \$5,000 in cash. He will be sentenced later.

Thomas Ryan, of Aberdeen, entered a plea of not guilty charging him with having sold a bottled tea under a forged government bond.

SOVIET FORMED IN BAVARIA IS MUNICH REPORT

Republic of Communist Type Proclaimed After Visit of the Hungarian Radical Leader, Bela Kun.

Spa, Belgium, April 5.—A soviet republic has been proclaimed in Munich, Bavaria, according to a wireless message received here by Matthias Erzberger, head of the German armistice commission. Bavaria is the second largest state in Germany, having in 1910 a population of nearly 7,000,000, and an area of 29,292 square miles.

The former Bavarian royal house was the first outside of the Hohenzollern family to lose its throne. King Ludwig and the Wittelsbach dynasty being deposed by the Bavarian diet. Relations between Bavaria and the remainder of Germany have not been very cordial since the revolution last November.

Reports early this week from neutral sources were that Bela Kun, foreign minister in the new Hungarian communist government, had arrived in Munich, the Bavarian capital, to advise with the leaders of the Bavarian government. The Bavarian government has been under control of socialists of a radical type.

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CITY A. C. PLANS SHORT CAMPAIGN FOR MEMBERS

Drive for 250 Additional Names on Membership Roll Will Be Launched Next Thursday Night.

Having decided to add 250 to the membership roll of the Omaha Athletic club, the membership committee will meet Thursday night at a dinner, given by W. B. T. Bolt, chairman of the committee, to launch the campaign.

Congressman A. W. Jeffers will be the principal speaker. Other speakers will be J. C. Wharton and W. A. Schall. Edgar Moore will assist Chairman Bolt in the handling of the campaign.

Affairs of the club are in the best of condition, but the directors have found that more members can be accommodated without crowding so

B'Nai B'Rith Order To Initiate Body's Largest Class Today

Omaha lodge No. 354, Independent Order of B'Nai B'Rith, the largest and most influential Jewish organization west of Chicago, will initiate 150 candidates, the largest class ever admitted into any Jewish organization in Omaha, at Grouse hall, Sixteenth street and Capital avenue, at 2:30 Sunday afternoon.

Omaha lodge has been doing splendid social service work in this community. Together with the local Jewish Welfare board, it has maintained recreation, reading and writing rooms for all men stationed at Fort Omaha and Fort Crook. Monthly entertainments for members and men stationed at the forts have also been arranged. Many of the new candidates are returned soldiers and sailors who availed themselves of the splendid service the B'Nai B'Rith is doing at all the cantonments in this country and abroad. Sunday will be a gala day in local B'Nai B'Rithdom, as the degree team will put on the full initiation on this large class. There will be addresses

Oil Products Co. Files Articles of Incorporation

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the county clerk, for the American Oil Products company, 115-117 South Eleventh street. The capitalization is \$12,500 and the incorporators are: F. D. McMillan, O. S. Pettis, R. E. Johnson, J. D. West, John Kemp, C. F. Pollock and John A. Olson. The company will engage in a manufacturing and selling business of sweeping compounds, stains, disinfectants, oils and greases.

Metropolitan Life Men to Start Big Insurance Drive

Metropolitan Life Insurance company's agents of the Omaha district fraternized on Friday evening at the Hotel Fontenelle. The occasion was the launching of a drive for \$5,000,000 insurance before May 3. These insurance men state that they intend to put Omaha on the map and win first place in a contest. The way they have started out is said to indicate that the honors will go to Omaha. Dancing followed a banquet Friday night.

German Mine Turned Over to Union Members at Par

Berlin, April 5.—(By Associated Press).—The S. Bleichroder Bank owns nearly all the shares of the great Oppelin mine at Oppelin, Silesia, has arranged to turn over its stock to members of the miners' union at par.

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