

Omaha Church in Bitter Attack on Zoning Ordinance

Move to Prevent Erection of Edifice "Constitutional Invasion," State's Supreme Court Brief.

A brief was filed with the Nebraska supreme court last Friday by Frank L. McCoy, attorney for Westminster Presbyterian church. This is in connection with an appeal taken by the city from the decision of the district court, which ruled that the Westminster congregation could erect its proposed edifice at Thirty-fifth street and Woolworth avenue.

Among the unique statements in the brief, the following is noted: "Beware! It is the wooden horses. It is an adopt plan of invasion and destruction of our constitutional safeguards and rights. Like other 'experts' from the east in 1914, they treat sacred constitutional rights as scraps of paper. But let us, the France of the Middle West, stand firm and vow, 'They shall not pass!'"

Refers to Constitution.

The objection of the city to the new church is based on the zoning ordinance, which limits the per cent of area that shall be used for certain classes of building. The proposed church and the manse will occupy 38 per cent of the ground area. The city would limit that per cent to 25.

Attorney McCoy refers to the constitution of the United States, constitution of Nebraska and magna charta in defending the rights of Westminster church.

"On Level With Theaters."

This paragraph appears: "Appellants even objected with icy coldness and unfeeling that besides religious services, this church will be used for play room, school room and community center. Of course, all up-to-date churches are now so used in order to fulfill their great purpose and do the most good."

Also: "This ordinance would place churches on commercial streets, in direct association and on a level with dance halls, theaters and moving picture houses and other kinds of business, and make them bid for their share of patronage. That thought and purpose are foreign to our institutions; they contemplate that the people of Nebraska shall take their laws and rights from New York and receive their entertainment and religious instruction from Hollywood."

Mrs. Nellie Johnson Sues to Obtain Miller Estate

Lincoln, March 18.—Mrs. Nellie Johnson of Omaha began a suit in supreme court to secure the remains of the once extensive estate of Dr. George L. Miller, former Omaha editor, federal office holder and political leader. Mrs. Johnson, who says she is a relative of Dr. Miller, who died two years ago in a Lincoln sanitarium, wants decided the question of whether the property shall go to relatives or to a society for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals.

Gates Man Seriously Hurt When Horses Run Away

Broken Bow, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—Elsworth Young, 60, who resides at Gates, was seriously injured when the horses he was driving ran away. Mr. Young was thrown to the ground and the wagon which was loaded with coal, passed over his body. An examination of the injured man revealed his right leg broken in two places, four breaks in the left arm, the right arm out of place and there were severe bruises on his body, neck and head.

Third Party Announces Canaday for Congress

Lincoln, March 18.—(Special Telegram.)—S. Canaday of Minden will be third party candidate for congress in the Fifth district, Chairman Edmund announced. Two years ago Canaday ran on the democratic ticket for state treasurer.

St. Patrick Day Is Observed at Kearney

Kearney, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—The Friends of Irish Freedom were responsible for celebration of St. Patrick day in Kearney as it was never celebrated before, when they arranged a banquet to observe the anniversary jointly with Ireland's entry into the list of free states.

The banquet, held at the State Teachers' college, was attended by over 400 men and women. It was served by J. D. Saunders, the college dormitory chef, assisted by girls of the Catholic club. Music was furnished by the Teachers' college orchestra.

Dr. John Doyle as toastmaster and the following responded to toasts: George E. Martin, president of the Teachers' college; W. D. Oldham of Kearney; Rev. J. L. O'Donnell of Grand Island, filling a vacancy caused by the absence of Bishop J. A. Duffy; Willis E. Reed, Rev. Oliver Keve, Rev. E. J. McCormick and A. C. Shallenberger. Dr. W. E. Rose, Mrs. H. A. Tolleson, Mrs. Arthur Barney and Mrs. L. L. Werner entertained with vocal numbers.

Taxpayers at Stanton Consider County Audit

Stanton, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—Efforts were made at a largely attended meeting of taxpayers to have an audit made of the county financial records. The attempt failed but the commissioners were severely criticized and a committee of five named which will pass on contracts for bridges.

Bridge and road work was especially condemned and the Standard Bridge company held to account for overselling the county. Robert Drake of the bridge company was present to defend the company.

W. A. Brown was chairman of the meeting and Ray Chilcoat, secretary.

Drive for Hospital Funds Conducted by Chicago Man

Scottsbluff, Neb., March 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Rev. N. C. Brooks of Chicago, said to be one of the ablest financial organizers of the Methodist church, will head the campaign for funds for the hospital to be built in this city, succeeding Rev. N. G. Palmer, former superintendent of the Long Pine district, who has been acting as temporary head of the drive. More than \$100,000 has been pledged of the \$150,000 necessary for the hospital.

Iowa Woman Suffocated

Tallahassee, Fla., March 18.—Miss Emma Eber, a native of Iowa and a teacher at the Florida State College for Women, died of suffocation yesterday when the side of an excavation into an Indian mound near here gave way and buried her.

Moore and Bride Lived in Norfolk

Divorce Granted in Omaha to One Victim of Bigamist Who Worked in Coal Office.

Norfolk, Neb., March 18.—Isaiah Moore, under arrest in Indianapolis and accused of having at least 11 wives, deserted one of his brides in Norfolk three years ago, after getting possession of her \$1,500, it has just been learned here. Moore came here from Chicago to work in a bakery under the name of Howard Wilson. He had just married Irene Hale, a West Virginia school teacher, in Chicago and the two lived together here only two days.

The second day Moore is said to have left for Sioux City with a draft his bride had given him and has not been heard from since until his arrest in Indianapolis. He celebrated their golden wedding in Boelus.

Anselmo Man Launches New Auto Bus Service

Broken Bow, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—Tom Kimes of Anselmo has installed a new auto bus line running from Anselmo to Merna, Broken Bow, Westerville, Sargent in the forenoon and returning by the same route in the afternoon. On account of present train conditions, this new bus line will be a great convenience to the public generally.

Attempt Is Made to Murder Blind Man

Milwaukee, March 18.—J. A. Bell, vice president of the Badger State Association for Advancement of the Blind, and himself a widely-known blind man, was the victim of attempted assassination in the corridor of a downtown office building this afternoon. The assailant attempted to stab Bell to death with a stiletto or paper knife and struck him on the head with a sandbag, knocking him unconscious.

Bell had received anonymous threats, it was said, in which he was warned to stop soliciting for funds in Milwaukee.

St. Paul Couple Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

St. Paul, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—Elias L. Hedglin was born in New Jersey in April, 1838. Miss Cecelia Cleveland was born in October, 1853, in New York. They met and were married in Iowa. They celebrated their golden wedding in Boelus.

This tells, in a brief way, of the principal events of the lives of two of Howard county's most respected and honored citizens. They moved to Nebraska in 1873, took up a homestead and resided near where Boelus now stands. About 20 years ago they moved to town and they resided there ever since. They have eight children living. Mr. Hedglin was a soldier in the civil war, being a member of Company C, 142d Illinois infantry.

First Resident of Blair Dies

Thomas M. Carter Who Homesteaded Present Townsite in 1855 Stricken at His Home.

Blair, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—Thomas M. Carter, 85, pioneer settler and former owner of the townsite of Blair, died at his home in this city. He had been a resident of Blair since 1855, when he came here from Sciota county, Ohio, and homesteaded a claim, building a log cabin in what is now the city of Blair. It was the first house in the county.

He was known to all residents of Blair and vicinity as "Uncle Marion." He had been a constant resident here except for the three years of the civil war when he served with the Second Nebraska cavalry. Mr. Carter organized the first Sunday school in the county in 1856 and has been a devoted church member since. His first wife died 15 years ago.

Kansas City Man Is Held on "Blue Sky" Charges

Broken Bow, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—K. W. Winter of Kansas City, charged with selling installment contracts without permit from the department of trade and commerce, who was to appear before

Judge Holcomb, waived preliminary hearing and was bound over to district court. Winter took the train for Kansas City, but was rearrested at Lincoln and the county attorney acting in conjunction with the attorney general's office had him held on three additional counts, the same pertaining to working without permits.

Body of Man Chained to Log Found Floating in River

Muskogee, Okla., March 18.—Chained to a log weighted with stones, the body of a man was found floating in the Arkansas river near Okay early today. Police and sheriff's forces have

failed to identify the body, described as that of a man between 25 and 30 years of age. His clothing was of excellent grade. A handkerchief bore the initials "B." Belief was expressed that the man might have been chained alive to the log and cast adrift, as no evidence of blows or other wounds was found.

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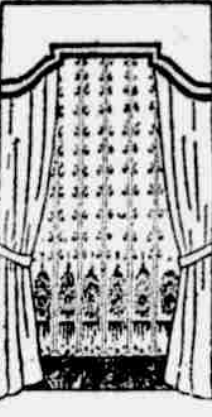
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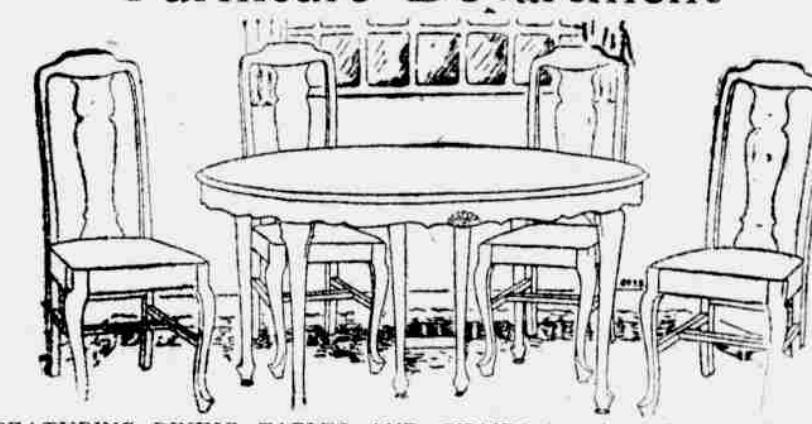
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In some respects I am glad of it. I KNOW I am a good Cleaner, and I have reasons to believe I would have made a very poor lawyer, so both the public and myself are to be congratulated on the choice made.

I thank you, Doctor, for your timely advice, also for the generous patronage yourself and family have given my firm during all these years.

Very truly yours,

Guy Liggett