George Tells of His Connection With Land Deal

Former State Treasurer, Testifying in Matters' Defense, Says He Believed Basic Titles Good.

Walter George, former state treas-urerer of Nebraska, and one of the organizers of the Colonial Timber and Coal corporation, for aiding embezzlement in which Thomas Matters is now on trial, was called to the stand yesterday, in defense of

He testified he believed that basic titles to West Virginia lands in question were absolutely good, except

for squatters' claims.

He said L. B. Fuller, attorney for W. V. Mathews and the Guarantee Securities company, told him that paymen of one year's back taxes would settle the state's claims against

"From your knowledge of taxation methods in Nebraska and other states, didn't you think that strange or peculiar, in view of the fact that at least 40 or 50 years' back taxes were due?" inquired W. C. Dorsey, chief prosecutor from the attorney

got the impression that if a man

Witness replied he "didn't remem- Mason school district, ber it" when Dorsey read from a report furnished by Fuller that "the state has the first claim to the land by reason of titles forfeited to it. and therefore titles to the entire tract

and then the promoters to sell theirs, who thet yesterday.

Matters Coaches Attorney. "Yet you were willing to have Flanagan has refused to discuss his Matters sell his bonds, without restriction, and get out?" queried Dora firm that was not the lowest bid-

George testified Stickel told him

with Matters The defendant, Matters, sitting be-

Matters' two daughters sat outside the crowded courtroom while the case was in session, but came into the courtroom during the recess to talk with their father.

manager of the Aemrican Book company, a position which he occupied until his retirement, two years ago. He was an intimate friend of Prestalk with their father.

Board Discusses Plans for New Water Main

laying of a new service main from ised to attend. The grand march will Walnut Hill pumpting station to begin at 8:30. Benson and Krug Park district. Mr. Howell explained that this improvement will cost approximately \$94,000 and will be part of an ex-

tensive program contemplated for The new water main will be 24 nches in diameter from the Walnut Hill station to Fortieth and Nicholas streets, thence a 20-inch main to Europe with Mrs. A. L. Schoell-koft, sent a wireless message to his 16-inch main north to Military ave- parents here yesterday.

The water department now maintains at Benson an electric pump station for increasing the water pressure in times of need. The maintenance of this small pump station costs \$3,300 a year, which expense will be eliminated after the new maintenance of the small pump station costs \$4,300 a year, which expense will be eliminated after the new maintenance of the small pump station costs \$4,000 a year, which expense will be eliminated after the new maintenance of the small pump station costs \$4,000 a year, which expense will be eliminated after the new maintenance of the small pump station costs \$4,000 a year. will be eliminated after the new main

As soon as conditions will permit the water and gas departments will begin laying miles of supply and

Runaway Cedar Rapids Boy Is Caught in Omaha

Tony Naso, 15, who ran away from his home in Cedar Rapids, Ia., was taken in custody here Wednes-day by the police and will be re-turned to his parents.

Prince Visits Omaha

Prince Mohamed Ali Ibrahim, the 21-year-old nephew of King Fouad Egypt, who is making a tour of the states, stopped off a few minutes breath of the Manager on the way to He is accompanied by Blink McCloskey, Philadelphia pugitist, who is acting as guide and pro-tector to the prince. The prince is to sail from New York May 24.

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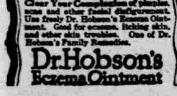
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School Authorities Stop Girl's Marriage



Josephine Farano,

School authorities stopped the wedding that was to have taken place yesterday between Josephine place yesterday between Farano. 15. and Joseph Moore, 25. The pair obtained the license Tues-day, giving the age of the girl as 18. Even the parents of the girl could hankruptcy, is presiding. Yester-not understand why the law should day's conflict almost came to blows

while the courtroom audience It costs much for shoes and clothes. laughed aloud. "At the time, I just We are glad if Josie can marry." But Martha Christiancy, principal hought something in West Virginia. of Mason school and juvenile authorthe didn't really know whether he owned it or not."

Of Mason school and juvenile authorities are determined to prevent the stormed Mullen as he stepped marriage and set an example in the toward Gaines, who jumped to his

Flanagan Contract

bonds allotted to the company first gan Home by a group of contractors suit. The hearing probably will last

The contractors charge that Father ed yesterday. "We did not object because he sold his only to members of the company," witness replied.

"We did not object because he sold his only to members of the start was not the lowest bidder. The contract was awarded the Vaughn Construction company at \$127,000 at a meeting of the building committee Tucsday.

the West Virginia project originated Former Head of Schools

in Omaha Dies in Boston hind his attorney. Halleck Rose, was busy sorting exhibits for Rose to superintendent of Omaha schools peared. busy sorting exhibits for Rose to present. He constantly coached his attorney with questions to ask George.

Matters' two daughters sat outside the manager of the Acurrican Book com-

> Columbia university. Annual Ball of Omaha

The board of directors of the Met- ha firemen will be held tonight in ropolitan Utilities district discussed the Auditorium, under the auspices yesterday the plans offered by Gen-of the Firemens' Relief association. eral Manager R. B. Howell for the

Brief City News

narcotic officers here, is in a critical condition in the county hospital. Powell Heard From-Ralph Pow-

eon of the Concord club at Hotel Fontenelle Thursday.

Flight Stopped-Three women pa-tients attempted to escape from the county hospital when a window was smashed at 1:39 yesterday morning. They were captured by police.

War on "Panhandlers"—Police Commissioner Dunn stated yester-day that he is about to direct the police to rid the city of "panhand-lers."

Rejoins Husband-Thelma Slimers left last night for Brookings, S. D., to rejoin her husband, whom she deserted in eloping with Carl Toli-

Discharges Jury—Judge Leslie discharged the jury until the afternoon yesterday in the Eric N. Balberson forgery case, because one of the jurors had an anti-Volstead

Both to Sue-Mrs. Earl Puryear eft Omaha last night for Peoria, Ill., where she will start divorce proceed-ings Puryear said yesterday he would start a divorce suit here.

an explanation February 11. Separate Second Time—Divorced 28 years ago in Germany and since remarried, Ernest and Johanna Beckman were before Judge Seurs yesterday afternoon seeking a sec-

Must Use Whistles—Traffic cops have been ordered to use whistles exclusively except in cases of serious congestion by Chief of Police Dempsey. The cops do not like whistles, they say.

Confer on Capitol Plans—Governor McKelvie stopped off in Omaha yes-terday to confer with members of the state capitol commission on building plans for the proposed capi-

Head Inspects School-M. E. Head of St. Louis, district chief of the War Veterans' bureau, was in Omaha yesterday inspecting the Bellevue voca-

Held on "Dope" Charge—Fred ly, Irene Andrews and Cato Jones, Third war habitues, were bound over to federal court yesterday by United States Commissioner E. C. United States Commissioner E. C. Boehler on "dope" charges. Their bonds were set at \$1,000 each.

Oust Dispensary—The free dental dispensary operated with the medical inspection work of the public schools is to be ousted from the city hal because of lack of room, according to an announcement yesterday. The space now occupied by the dispen-sary is to be fitted up as additional office space for the park depart-

Attorneys' Tilt in Court Nearly

Comes to Blows Belligerents Separated by Witness in Dold-Skinner Suit -Apology Given and Peace Restored.

ing a tilt yesterday between Arthur Mullen, counsel for the Skinner stockholders, and F. H. Gaines, at-torney for the Dold interests. The smoke of battle has lifted and

a flag of truce is flying o'er the Mulien and Gaines factions, for At-torney Gaines apologized to Mullen at the noon recess for his part in the Mullen smiled complacently. Other attorneys and spectators in the courtroom chuckled,

Near Fisticuffs.

The hearing had been punctuated with tilts between Attorneys Mullen and Gaines for the last eight days. B. H. Dunham, referce in hief prosecutor from the attorney eneral's office.

Answer Brings Laughter,

"He likes Josie and Josie likes doubt whether his adversary was him and he makes good money,"

"I think so now," George admitted, hile the courtroom audience likes much for shoes and clothes. and former governor of Nebraska.

> Neville Separates Belligerents. Neville darted from the witness stand and separated the two. Referee

Dunham rapped on for order, and are in question."

George testified there was "a gentleman's agreement" between Mathews, now in the state penitentiary, Ralph Sunderland, Stickel, Matters, Ralph Sunderland, Ralph Sunderland, Stickel, Matters, Ralph Sunderland, three weeks longer, an attorney stat-

Bride of Month Left Stranded in Omaha

After a 30-day honeymoon, Mrs. Adaline Merrill, 19, finds that she is stranded in Omaha penniless and without friends. Jack Merrill, 28, whom she met at Topeka and mar-Frank A. Fitzpatrick, who was ried two months later, has disap-

Mrs. Merrill filed charges of forgery against her husband in the office of the county attorney yester-day afternoon. She is going to try

to get a job in Omaha. The Merrills came to Omaha from St. Joseph, Mo. Her mother, who is Firemen to Be Tonight remarried, lives on a farm near Kan-

Civil Service Exams Now

Being Conducted in Omaha Civil service examinations for positions with the Interstate Commerce commission, the federal weather bureau and the internal revenue department are being held this week on the fourth floor of the federal Condition Critical — William Brown, 23, of St. Louis, arrested by narcotic officers here is in the fourth moor of the federal building. A. R. Eychaner, secretary of the civil service board in this district, is holding the examination

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Joseph Treglia and Walter Lickert for arresting him without allowing Get these tablets today and experience all neidity, dispel gassiness, induce digestion, relieve biliousness, clear the coating from

When In Omaha

Withdrawal of Dance Due to Girl's Scruples

It was not the demand of minis-It was not the demand of minis- brought about the visit of three min-ters, but the modesty of a school laters and the expurgating of the girl, Ruth Bailey, daughter of Mr. dances. and Mrs. Willard Bailey, 3723 Fow- Coal Froze in Wheelbarrow, fer avenue, that caused the barefoot arithetic dance to be withdrawn from the program of the annual road show of the Central High school. When Ruth heard that the dance,

on which she had been practicing All is peace and calm—at least mixed crowd, she became troubled. Railroad company.

Finally she braved the possible "My wheelbarrow was gone and the Skinner-Dold packing plant taunts of her schoolmates as well when I found it the coal was in it controversy in federal court follow—as the displeasure and indignation and the cold had frozen it so I of her teachers and told her mother couldn't shake it out, so I just hauled

told her mother, 'but I hate to aupear this way in the show." As a result she and her mother conferred with Rev. L. L. Geissinger of Hirst Memorial church. This

Theft Suspect Tells Judge John (Peg) Johnson blamed Providence for making him a thief when he was arraigned in central police court yesterday for stealing coal

how she felt.
"I don't mind doing the dance before the girls and in the gym," she Johnson to serve a day in jail.

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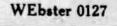


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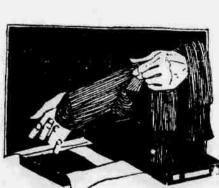
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