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Mike Finn Expires at Ball Park

Suffers Two Attacks of Heart Failure While Watching Game With Tulsa.

Had Been Ill for Month

"Mike" Finn, 61, secretary of the Omaha Western league baseball club, died yesterday afternoon at 4:30 at the ball park. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Finn collapsed during the third inning of the Omaha-Tulsa game following a home run by Davis and a double by Lamb. He regained consciousness once and then collapsed the second time, never to recover.

The Omaha secretary arrived in Omaha Friday night from his home in Little Rock, Ark., where he has been ill since April 1 with heart disease.

Upon his arrival in Omaha with his wife and daughter, Catherine, 18, Mr. Finn started looking after the interests of the local club.

Chatted With Friends.

He went out to the ball park yesterday afternoon, accompanied by his wife and daughter. Before game time, Finn remained at his desk in the office, chatting with old-time friends.

When the gong rang for the teams to take the diamond, "Mike" turned to his wife and said: "I must go out and see our boys play."

Accompanied by "Dick" Grotte, Finn went into the grandstand where the two found seats behind the home plate. "Mike" was enjoying the game until the third inning when Tulsa came to bat.

Bennet, the first Tulsa player, fanned. Thompson walked and then "Yank" Davis knocked a home run over the right field fence. Finn became nervous, and when Lyman Lamb doubled to center field, the Omaha secretary collapsed, falling headlong on his face. He was revived and then collapsed a second and final time.

Received Final Rites.

He was carried out of the grandstand and placed on a cot in the lobby of the stand.

Captain G. R. G. Fisher, director of bureau of first aid, Omaha chapter of the Red Cross, tried to revive Finn, but as his last minutes approached, Father P. C. Gannon administered the final rites.

Mrs. Finn and her daughter were at Finn's side during his last minutes. J. N. Finn, a brother, was also present. David Finn, only son of the dead man, is in Boston, Mass.

The body will be taken to Little Rock, Ark., for burial.

Finn was born two blocks from a ball park in Natick, Mass., 61 years ago. He had been engaged in baseball work since that time, and has often been heard to make the remark that it was his wish that when death came it would find him in a baseball park.

The Omaha secretary started his baseball career at Newport, R. I., in 1896, managing the Newport club. He has managed various clubs from the Atlantic to Pacific coasts and Texas to Maine. He was started on his baseball career by Tommy Connelly, scout for the Giants, who at that time was managing a New England club.

Managed Many Clubs.

Finn has managed the Waterbury, Little Rock, Toledo, Chattanooga, Memphis, Mobile, San Antonio and several other clubs besides being connected as secretary of the Omaha club and scout for the Detroit Tigers of the American league.

He was known in the baseball world as a very valuable man to have on a club. Because of his schedule-making ability Finn has acted as schedule maker for the two Texas leagues, besides assisting in drawing up the Western league schedule this season.

Finn joined the Omaha club as secretary in 1921 when Barney Burch purchased the team from "Pa" Rourke.

Court Upholds Zoning Contract in Lincoln

Lincoln, May 6.—The contract for zoning Lincoln entered into by its mayor and city commission with a New York advisory corporation was upheld today by the state supreme court, which decision in part, also recognizes the city's right to establish and conduct a municipal coal yard.

The resolution passed by the city council approving the contract is held not to have been a legislative act and therefore not subject to referendum. A zoning ordinance that is passed is subject to referendum, the opinion holds.

Former Hastings Editor Dies at Home of His Son

Andrew Clute, 60, former editor of the Adams County Democrat at Hastings, died Thursday at the home of a son in Cedar Rapids, Ia., according to word received in Omaha yesterday. He is survived by his widow and three sons, the youngest of whom is Paul Clute, 1322 South Twenty-fifth avenue. Funeral services and burial will be held at Cedar Rapids. Mr. Clute lived for several years in Omaha with his son, Paul.

6 Die in Mexican Ballot Riot

Mexico City, May 6.—(By A. P.)—Six persons were killed and 60 wounded, several of them seriously, in Urnapan, Michoacan, yesterday when a group of radicals, aided by the police, battled against the city councilmen and their sympathizers following a disagreement concerning a minor city election, says a dispatch to El Universal today.

Officer of Omaha Team Expires at Ball Park

Noted 'Man Killer' Killed in Battle by Texas Sheriff

Bud Ballew, Famous Gun-Fighter of Southwest, Dies When Officer Beats Him to the "Draw."

Wichita Falls, Tex., May 6.—(By A. P.)—Chief of Police J. W. McCormick was the cynosure of all eyes here today. For yesterday he matched the draw with the famous master of guncraft, D. M. (Bud) Ballew—and won.

As a result Ballew, survivor and hero of many perilous situations, is mourned by admiring friends who thought him virtually invincible, and McCormick is entitled to notch his gun.

This city witnessed much excitement during the crusade against lawlessness which accompanied its rapid growth as an oil town, but no event of that period eclipsed yesterday's episode in romantic interest. The incident recalled pioneer days of Texas, when the saloon and public gambling houses were regarded as necessary to every community and guns and knives were necessary to every man; when the man who was "slow with his gun" was quick to die, the other man being judge, jury and executioner combined; and when to "die with one's boots on" was to die in the most honorable shroud.

Goes to Investigate.

Yesterday's affair might well have occurred in those days. Chief McCormick had word that Ballew was behaving in a disorderly fashion in a soft drink parlor. He went around to investigate. He walked up to Ballew and charged him with drunkenness, demanding that he hand over his pistol. This was something new to Ballew. With the contemptuous retort, "You're out of luck," Ballew, according to witnesses, reached for his gun, but McCormick, sensing Ballew's apparent intention, flashed his own gun and fired from the hip. Five bullets entered Ballew's body. He died as he had predicted, with his boots on.

It was a new model .38 against an old fashioned .45 and the latter "never popped a cap." In fact, it never left its long holster under Ballew's arm.

Body Carried in Plane.

Unlike other days when Ballew's alleged action would have warranted his death and the affair ended with his life, McCormick has to answer to later day laws. He was arrested and held under $10,000 bonds.

Instead of resting in a rude grave among the hills nearby, Ballew's body was taken aboard an airplane to his old stamping grounds at Ardmore, Okl., the scene of many of his daring exploits, there to be mournfully met by former Sheriff

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Hospitalization Bill Is Passed by House

Washington, May 6.—The $17,000,000 soldier hospital bill, making immediately available $12,000,000 for beginning construction of institutions in 12 of the 14 veteran bureau districts, was passed last night by the house. It now goes to the senate.

Reported Thursday by Chairman Madden of the appropriations committee, the measure was put through by unanimous vote.

Seattle Purchases Crane

Seattle, Wash., May 6.—Sam Crane, shortstop on the Brooklyn National league club, has been purchased by the Seattle Pacific Coast league club, it was announced yesterday.

Bee "Want" Ads become profitable only as you use them

17th and Farnam
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Prohibition Still Issue in Politi

Drys Claim 18th A[illegible] at Being Enforced [illegible]h Greater Success Than Expected.

Fight for 'Wet' Congress

By GRAFTON S. WILCOX.
Omaha Bee Leased Wire.

Washington, May 6.—Prohibition, after 30 months of existence in the United States, is still a political issue.

It is not conceded to be a major issue, nor is it a party issue, but it is conceded even by the champions of prohibition enforcement to be an issue.

That they are apprehensive about it is demonstrated by the recent appeal sent out by the legislative committee of the Anti-Saloon league to all friends of prohibition enforcement to be on the alert in the coming political primaries and see to it that men are not nominated for congress who could by any possible influence be induced to vote for a modification of the Volstead enforcement act.

No serious-thinking "wets" have any hope of ever overturning the 18th amendment. They know it is not necessary because the 18th mendment does not prohibit. It amendment does not probibit. It congress must pass the law enforcing this condition.

Wets Want Modification.

But the "wet" leaders do have an abiding hope that the Volstead act may be modified by "boosting" the alcoholic content of permissible beverages.

The late Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania remarked at a social occasion shortly after the ratification of the 18th amendment:

"Congress hereafter will be wet or dry. For some years it will be dry. Then along will come a wet wave and up will go the permissible alcoholic content."

That it is just what the prohibition leaders are trying to prevent and this is the first year since the establishment of prohibition that the signs on the horizon point to real serious political assaults on the John Barleycorn lock box.

In many states and in more congressional districts the "wets" and "drys" are arrayed against each other this year about as they were before the amendment was ratified or before it had ever been submitted to the states. And in most of the campaigns where prohibition figures the success or the breakdown in enforcement is the proposition around which the debate centers.

On one side it is contended that conditions have improved enormously; that intoxication has diminished and that by slow but sure processes enforcement is being made effective. On the other side, it is charged that enforcement is impossible; that a great majority of the people scoff at the law and violate it without compunction, and that worse evils have grown up under prohibition than existed before.

Situation From Two Sides.

There are two viewpoints of enforcement, one from the government side and the other from the Association Against Prohibition, Prohibition Commissioner Haynes says about enforcement.

"With the utmost emphasis it can be stated, and convincing evidence is to be seen on every hand that the 18th amendment is being enforced with greater success than was ever conceived possible in less than 30 months by its closest friends.

"The truth is, it is being enforced to such an extent that its enemies are increasing their false, country-wide propaganda and this fact alone is sufficient evidence that the shoe is pinching.

"It is scarcely necessary to point out facts that are apparent to every one, that the 18th amendment is being enforced.

"The open saloon is a thing of the past, and even enemies of the prohibition law admit it is gone forever.

"Hotels which before prohibition feared ruin are now co-operating in enforcement and many prominent managers declare they do not want the barroom back.

"The head of the Salvation army, who is in a position to know whereof she speaks, in a recent statement said evidences of enforcement are unmistakable and a Godsend to unfortunate humanity.

"Purchasers of bootleg liquor themselves know beyond any question of doubt that the 18th amendment is being enforced for the simple reason that the source of supply is now so nearly closed that real

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Wife of Minister Killed in Elevator Accident

Tecumseh, Neb., May 5.—Tucumseh friends of Rev. C. C. Markham, former pastor of the Baptist church of this city, have received an account of the death of his wife, at Wichita, Kan. The minister and his wife were shopping and had taken an elevator to the seventh floor. When it stopped Rev. Mr. Markham stepped from the car. His wife was following behind him, and as she started to step from the elevator it shot up quickly. She fell from the elevator and despite the efforts of her husband to catch her, fell under the car down the elevator shaft to the basement, a distance of 90 feet. She lived for three hours. Mrs. Markham was 50.

Tornado Death Toll Is 13.

Austin, Tex., May 6.—The death toll in the tornado which swept parts of Austin and Travis counties Thursday stood at 13 last night. The approximately 50 injured are reported doing well. A revised estimate of the property damage last night placed the total at $725,000.

University Marshal Kills Professor, Self

[illegible]umbia, S. C., May 6.—After [illegible]ing to shoot Dr. W. S. Cur[illegible] President of the University of [illegible]a Carolina, Ben Hale, univer[illegible]y marshal, today shot and killed Prof. M. Goode Homes of the faculty of the school of engineering and then shot himself to death.

The shootings occurred in the university treasurer's office in the presence of President Currell, who, after the shooting, issued a statement saying that for a long time there had been bitter feeling between Prof. Homes and Marshal Hale growing out of their conflicting duties at the university.

President Currell said that Marshal Hale, enraged, asked a stenographer present to leave, began shooting indiscriminately about the treasurer's office and then shouting, "you are responsible for this," pointed his pistol at the head of the president. Hale, however, a minute later turned his gun on Prof. Homes and shot him and then shot himself.

Trio of Texas Negroes Burned at Stake by Mob

Three Men, Accused in Murder of Girl, 17, Taken From Sheriff—Bodies Cremated.

Teague, Tex., May 6.—Two white men were detained today for further investigation of their actions preceding the attack on and murder of Eula Awlsey, for which three negroes were burned at Kirvin this morning. No announcement of charges being filed against the men have been made, according to reports here.

Kirvin, Tex., May 6.—(By A. P.)—Three negroes were burned to death at the same stake here this morning by a mob of 500 men following their alleged implication in the criminal assault and murder of 17-year-old Eula Awsley, white girl, whose mutilated body was found near here Thursday night.

All three negroes were employed on the farm of J. T. King, prominent farmer of this community and grandfather of the dead girl, with whom she lived, both her parents being dead. Mr. King was present at the cremation and the mob leaders are said to have obtained his approval thereof before lighting the torches.

In Orderly Fashion.

The lynchings were carried out deliberately. There was no discharge of fire arms nor was any undue violence attempted, although it was reported, however, that the negroes were mutilated before being tied to the stake. With the exception of a few shouts and the screams of the condemned men there was little to disturb the early morning quiet of the backwoods community. The incinerations took place on a small open plot directly in front of two small churches. One of the negroes is said to have died singing a church anthem.

Kirvin is a town of about 500 inhabitants, situated in Freestone county, east central Texas, about 18 miles south of Dallas.

Mr. King resides at Kirvin.

Found Near Road.

Miss Awsley was riding her horse home from the school which she attended, several miles from Kirvin, late Thursday when she was attacked. Her body later was found near the road with 23 knife wounds inflicted in the head, neck and chest. News of the murder spread quickly and late Thursday a band of several hundred men from Freestone and Limestone counties and a large sheriff's posse were scouring the neighborhood. "Snap" Curry, the first negro to be led to the stake, was arrested when his wife told officers he had come home with his clothes covered with blood on the night of the murder. Curry was taken to Wortham and imprisoned in

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Girl Held Prisoner Two Years Rescued

Bucyrus, O., May 6.—Irene Menges, 20, was rescued from an iron-sheeted shed on the farm of her father, Jacob P. Menges, near Crestline, where she is said to have been imprisoned two years. Sheriff Edward J. Knappenberger of Crawford county, and Charles Crawford, marshal of Crestline, released the girl from captivity.

Menges was placed under arrest and is held for investigation.

The girl was brought to Bucyrus where she is being cared for by the sheriff's wife. She has not spoken since she was released, according to the sheriff. When rescued she wore little clothing and the shed where she was found was heated only by a lantern, the sheriff said.

Her father claims she is mentally unbalanced and that she had been held under restraint for the past two years.

Fillmore County Farmer Nearly Severs Heel on Plow

Geneva, Neb., May 6.—(Special.)—In attempting to kick weeds from between the discs of a plow which he was driving, Howard ePterson, 22, farmer, almost severed his right heel. He was taken to a Hastings hospital. The yung man resides on a farm between Shickley and Sutton.

Mellon Decides Taxes Due on Wilson Foundation

Washington, May 6.—Secretary Mellon was understood to have decided to uphold the ruling by Internal Revenue Commissioner Blair to the effect that the contributions to the Woodrow Wilson foundation are not exempt from the federal income tax law.

Lloyd George Hamlet: "The Time Is Out of Joint! O Cursed Spite, That Ever I Was Born to Set It Right"

Pilgrimages to Den Show Planned by Envoys of Ak

Last Year's Record of 23,000 Visitors to Be Broken This Year, Says Gardner.

Ambassador of his mejesty, King Ak-Sar-Ben, in Nebraska and Iowa towns, already are busy arranging pilgrimages to Omaha and the den show for the coming season, according to Charles Gardner, royal scribe, whose office has received more than 100 letters asking for reservations of dates.

"More than 23,000 men visited the den show during the 1921 season," Mr. Gardner said yesterday. "This number will be vastly increased this year. It is the acknowledged duty of King Ak's ambassadors to form pilgrimages of their townspeople to visit Omaha and the den at least one evening each year.

All Urged to Join.

"Ak-Sar-Ben is nothing without its membership. Ak-Sar-Ben's power, which has been so thoroughly demonstrated, lies solely in the knights, its members."

All eligible men of the city are urged to become members of Ak-Sar-Ben this week. Total membership now has reached 2,250, according to figures available at headquarters. Maj. J. E. Davidson's team leads with a total of 450 new members. Maj. Charles E. Black is second, with 361. The drive will be continued until at least 4,000 members have been signed up.

Opening Show May 29.

The den show will open on May 29. This will be Omaha night and, in addition, King Ak will be host to some 225 delegates to a convention of B'nai Brith.

Men joining Ak-Sar-Ben after the den show opens will be initiated with all the ceremonies known to the organization, according to Charlie Gardner, who states that he will be in the line to receive the candidates.

Price of Gasoline to Be Advanced Monday Morning

Gasoline will be advanced in price one cent a gallon Monday morning, bringing it up to 25 cents at service stations in Omaha, according to announcements Saturday night.

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Two More Blanket Indictments Are Brought by Jury

Charges of Using Mails to Defraud Made Against Promoters of Omaha Companies.

Two more blanket indictments were returned by the federal grand jury Saturday in connection with charges of using the mails to defraud. These two indictments are against five men connected with the promotion of the Industrial Chemical company and seven connected with the Omaha Oil and Drilling company.

The five named in the chemical company indictments are:

Elliott B. Smoak.
W. E. Shepard.
Ben Meyel
George B. Wray.
Benjamin H. Mickey.

Their bonds have been fixed at $5,000 each.

Mickey is a son of former Governor Mickey of Nebraska. It is alleged that the stock of this concern was of little or no value but that it was sold with large promises and that dividends were paid out of unearned money. Letters to L. A. Mewis, Stanton, Neb., boosting the stock and wishing him a "happy and prosperous New Year," and to Arthur J. Swedlund of Upland, Neb., enclosing "extra dividend" check, are included in the indictment.

Those named in the drilling company indictment are:

Frank H. Wray, president.
John P. Adams, general manager.
Dr. James C. Woodward, director.
Edward H. Schuneman, vice president.
George T. Porter, treasurer.
John A. Farnberg, secretary.
Lester E. Wray, director.

Their bonds also are $5,000.

The charge here is that officers of the company would pretend to sell to the corporation an oil lease for $225,000 and to cause a note of $75,000 to be issued to another of their number as trustee, and that dividends were then paid out to stockholders from capital in order to boost the stock sales.

A letter written to Mrs. Charlotte Smith, Schuyler, Neb., by Dr. J. C. Woodward, Securities building, is quoted. She is his grandmother.

Davis Is Pleased

Lincoln, May 6.—Satisfaction over the results of the federal grand jury hearing at Omaha, which returned a large number of indictments for alleged fraudulent use of the mails, was expressed today by Attorney General Davis, who said the indictments by a federal grand jury were taken as a supporting factor of the prosecutions brought under state indictments against a few of the same men, chiefly for alleged violations of the state banking laws.

Evidence of Incendiarism at Nebraska City Fire

Nebraska City, Neb., May 6.—(Special.)—An unoccupied brick house owned by Calvin Chapman was badly damaged by fire. Evidence of incendiarism, firemen said, was found in nearly every room. Kerosene had been used on the walls and ceiling in some rooms and there was other evidence that the house had been set afire. In the basement several containers had inflammable liquid in them. Mr. Chapman was out of the city at the time. The amount of insurance carried by the owner was not obtainable.

Woman Indicted for Using Mail in Marriage Fraud

Proprietor of Chadron Cafe Alleged to Have Sought Money and Clothes by Letter.

An indictment returned by the federal grand jury here against Mae Strahl, Chadron, Neb., was made public yesterday.

She is charged with using the mails to conduct an alleged scheme to get money and other valuables from bachelors on representations that she was an 18-year-old girl, poor but beautiful, and with a cruel stepfather.

Willing to Marry.

Several of the letters she is alleged to have written are quoted in the indictment. It is charged that she offered to marry or act as housekeeper to those men who wrote to her. She is alleged to have used various names in writing to the men. Her letters are very illiterate. Here is one quoted in the indictment and addressed to Andy Brown, North Little Rock, Ark.:

"dear Sweetheart:

"Your nice letter and Oh you don't no how glad I was to get it. Well dear do you love me well enough to send me some clothes. I wear bust size 44. Oh I am just almost barefooted. My souls all off my shoes. Well I wear size 4 1-2 shoes. Stocking size 9. Well I am past 18 years old—and good cook, good housekeeper. Can sew. This Xmas I have no fruit or nuts or candy. Yes, we lived in Sturgis, S. D., and that where liting struck are house, burnt all my clothes, lost everything but are dear lifes. Well dear, fare from here to Omaha is $18.50. If you send money send American Express order to me. Oh I sure would like to have a home my own. So I sure look for some clothes from my dear Andy. Dear I have no coat to wear or anything like that. Please do pity me sweet one.

"120 So. Main Street, Chadron, Neb.

Don't Want Wool.

"P. S.—I have no clothes to keep me warm. Don't send no wool clothes I can not wear wool. So lots love lots kisses to you Dear Hart."

Mae Strahl, says the indictment, is not a young girl but a woman of advanced years, operating a restaurant in Chadron and mother of a son who resides with her.

Farm Buildings Destroyed by Wind Storm at Beatrice

Beatrice, Neb., May 6.—(Special.)—A windstorm south of Beatrice destroyed a number of farm buildings. At the eGorge Cooper place a 110-foot shed was demolished and pieces of timber carried 8 rods. George Gallath, employed as a farmhand, was blown from his wagon and injured. Hail fell but little damage was done.

The Weather

Forecast.

Sunday fair and cooler.

Hourly Temperatures.

5 a. m.	62	1 p. m.	72
6 a. m.	61	2 p. m.	72
7 a. m.	61	3 p. m.	73
8 a. m.	64	4 p. m.	74
9 a. m.	66	5 p. m.	72
10 a. m.	67	6 p. m.	70
11 a. m.	68	7 p. m.	66
12 noon	71	8 p. m.	

Financier Dies During Operation

Henry P. Davison, Member of J. P. Morgan Firm, Succumbs to Attempt to Remove Tumor.

Hold Funeral Tuesday

By The Associated Press.

New York, May 6.—Henry P. Davison, member of the banking firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., and directing head of the American Red Cross during the world war, died at 1:3 0this afternoon on the operating table while surgeons were attempting to remove a tumor from his brain at his country estate in Locust Valley, L. I.

The internationally known financier faced death as imperturbed as he had met the problems of life. Known on the street as one who never showed undue alarm, he took no formal farewell of his family and joked with his loved ones while he was preparing for the operation.

His first request was that he should be laid to rest in the Locust Valley with its green and flowering apple blossoms that he had loved, in case he failed to survive the operation. The second request was that his funeral should be as simple and unostentatious as possible. Those close to him, who tonight faced the sad duty of planning the final ceremony, said both requests would be respected.

Tumor Near Brain.

It was only last night that announcement was made that Mr. Davison, who went under the knife last August, would have to undergo another operation today. The first operation, performed to relieve pressure on the auditory nerve, which produced headaches and insomnia, disclosed the tumor. Its removal was not attempted because it was felt the patient could not stand further loss of blood and anathestic.

He did not rally as well as had been expected, however, and the surgeons decided that another operation was imperative. This bulletin, issued about 2 o'clock, told of failure.

"Mr. Henry P. Davison died today at the conclusion of an operation on an infiltrating tumor in the brain, which could not be partially removed."

Operation at Home.

It was decided to operate in the financier's home at Peacock Point, instead of at the Roosevelt hospital in this city, where the first operation was performed. A chamber was fitted up for the occasion and this morning a special corps of surgeons and nurses began arriving in automobiles.

As the hour for the anaesthetic approached Mr. Davison seemed as unflurried as the time, when back in the '80's, a stranger had entered the bank where he was employed, pointed a revolver at his head and demanded $1,000. After detectives had pounced on the intrduer, Mr. Davison resumed work as though nothing had happened.

Two anxious vigils began when he entered the operating room. Family and many close friends, including J. P. Morgan, were grouped in another room at ePacock Point. In the Morgan offices were seated more business associates, clustered around a private telephone connected with the Locust Valley mansion.

Death Announced.

It was from the Morgan offices that word was first flashed to the public of the financier's death. The word came after closing of the market and followed rumors that he had passed successfully through the ordeal and would recover.

Newspaper men assembled at Locust Valley were standing a short distance from the house when Mr. Morgan and others were seen to come out and, with bowed heads, enter their machines and drive away. Then a close associate of Mr. Davison's made the announcement of death.

In a few minutes Mr. Morgan drove into the estate again, accompanied by Rev. Charles W. Hinton. After a conference with members of the family, it was announced that funeral services would be held at 11 Tuesday morning in the chapel of St. John's of Lattington, the Episcopal church in Locust Valley which was founded by the late J. P. Morgan, and in which Mr. Davison had been a vestryman for many years. Soon after it was learned that the operation had been fatal, Mrs. Davison, supported by her two sons, left the house and walked with them for over an hour among the blossoming orchards and flowering gardens of the estate.

"They followed, probably without intent, the course taken by Mr. Davison only last night when he made the rounds of the grounds to which he had become so endeared. In the afternoon he had gone driving with them, had chatted during the greater part of the ride and then in bouyant spirits, had announced that the surgeons were coming for another operation.

Told of "Little Party."

Last night he played with his grandson, F. Trubee Davison, jr., before starting on what was to be his last tour of the gardens. He walked up to one of his oldest employes and said: "Well, John, I'm going to have a little party tomorrow."

But there were tears in Mr. Davi-

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Lightning Tears Shoe From Woman in Broken Bow

Broken Bow, Neb., May 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. Ira Vian had the shoe torn from her right foot by lightning, the bolt entering the house by way of a chimney. She was painfully burned.