

# EXPERTS CALLED IN FOSTER CASE

Hypothetical Questions and Medical Testimony From Part of Record For Defense in Suit for Damages.

## TO FINISH TRIAL SOON

Plaintiff Rested Yesterday Afternoon and Defense Began With It. Witnesses at Once—Will Finish Tomorrow.

Medical testimony and hypothetical questions touching injuries and their extent, mark the close of the case of Foster vs. Dorsey. The plaintiff rested his case yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, and the defense is introducing its witnesses. It is probable that the case will go to the jury by tomorrow.

The defense is seeking to prove by means of expert testimony that Foster's condition was caused not from the alleged injuries he claims to have received, but from some internal conditions. One of the hypothetical questions which is being asked medical witnesses who said that they examined Foster when he was in Graham hospital is:

"If a man is riding in an automobile and had been thrown to the top of the machine and had lighted on a surgical case and there were no external evidences of injury at any place, could the condition you found Foster in have been caused from this blow?"

Dr. J. D. Rebo of Alexandria, one of the witnesses on the stand this morning, said there might not be external evidences, but that the injury might have occurred.

Foster's condition is described in another question and the doctors are asked if the condition could be a result of the alleged accident, or if it might not be resultant from some internal conditions. Dr. H. W. Harris thought the condition might be due to other than the alleged accident. He stated on the stand that cerebral hemorrhages did not occur from blows unless they had been hard enough to produce fracture.

Medical testimony given at the

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trial was to the effect that a bump on the lower end of the spine would not produce such a condition as Foster was said to have been in. The removal of the coccy, or lower end of the spine would not cause a person to lose control of himself, it was said.

It is probable that the case can be finished by tomorrow. There were a few witnesses for the defense, and then will come the arguments. The attorneys for plaintiff offer objections to the hypothetical questions, which the court overruled, stating the jury would be instructed as to the questions.

Witnesses examined yesterday and this morning were for the plaintiff, E. E. Hawkes, Mrs. Mattie Foster, C. M. Hart, C. R. Joy, Latham Ayer and Dr. Butler. For the defense, Drs. Hughes, Armentrout, Harris and Rebo.

### Sons of Veterans.

BOSTON, Nov. 19.—Today is the fifty-first anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg address and the occasion is being celebrated throughout the state of Massachusetts by the Sons of Veterans' organizations. The various camps are holding "Veterans' Night" with special exercises.

# Y.W.C.A. NOTES

## Japanese Exhibit.

The members of the girls' council are very busy with their plans for the Japanese exhibit on Saturday next. A large exhibit of beautiful Japanese articles, always interesting, have been secured for the event, which are especially attractive for Christmas gifts. The girls are planning to decorate the room in which the fete is held, in true Japanese style in which to serve tea and wafers, both afternoon and evening.

There will be music to add to the attractions and the girls will be dressed in Japanese costumes.

## Birthday Supper.

The social committee of the girls' council has made the final plans for the November birthday supper to be held in the cafe Saturday night at 6 o'clock.

This birthday supper is planned for all young women whose birthdays have occurred in the month of November. A large cake containing the usual symbolic tokens and adorned with candles will be a feature of the supper.

The committee has tried to secure the names of all those whose birthday anniversaries occur during the month and to personally invite them. If there are any whose names have not been secured the committee will appreciate your notifying them by telephone, or otherwise, at the office of the association about it. These birthday suppers will be held once a month and will no doubt become popular events.

## Gymnasium Classes.

The afternoon and evening gymnasium classes will meet today.

## Orchestra Meeting.

The orchestra will meet at 7:30 this evening with Mrs. J. C. Cole.

## First Aid.

The first aid to the injured class will meet at 7:30 this evening with Miss Mary Jackson.

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# OFFICIALS VISITING IN FT. MADISON

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Fort Madison Democrat: C. F. Wallace, vice president of the Stone & Webster Management association, Harry T. Edgar, district manager, C. W. Kellogg, manager of the Mississippi River Power company, with a party of four gentlemen from New York, were visitors at Fort Madison Tuesday. The party, accompanied by A. S. Nichols, manager of the Fort Madison Electric company, and Preston E. Roberts, visited Factoria, the Acme Metal Manufacturing company's new factory and various points of interest about the city.

The party was entertained at lunch by Mr. Nichols. The possibilities of the future development of Fort Madison were remarked upon and the visitors were very much impressed with the building and improvements going forward. They left on the afternoon train for Chicago.

# FAVOR SEIZURE OF COAL MINES

American Federation of Labor Against Arbitration of all Troubles to be Compulsory.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 19.—With the American Federation of Labor on record as favoring the seizure and operation of the Colorado coal mines until the operators agree to accept the president's proposal of settlement of the strike in that state, labor delegates today began consideration of two scores or more resolutions for welfare projects. But two more days remain for action on such questions. A trap that might be used against the best interests of organized labor, the convention refused to endorse a resolution urging the Newlands act for the arbitration of labor disputes be made compulsory. President Gompers anticipated his own re-election when he protested against the increase of the salary of the secretary and treasurer to \$5,000 and \$7,500 respectively. However, the increases were authorized over protest. The convention also went on record as favoring free text books for American school children, higher salaries for school teachers, prohibition by state laws of the employment of Caucasian women in establishments owned by Asiatics and insertion of a literacy test in the immigration laws to prevent the flooding of this country with cheap foreign labor after the war.

Five Blocks Burned. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] POTTSVILLE, Pa., Nov. 19.—Five blocks of buildings at Girardville, occupied as business places and by twenty-eight families, now homeless, were swept away by fire that burned for seven hours, entailing a loss estimated at \$1,000,000. Quinz to the

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scarcity of water, the fire fighters were unable to cope with the flames, and they ate through the buildings, most of them frame structures, without resistance. Fire companies from nearby cities responded, but their labors were ineffective because of scarcity of water.

## Twelve Who Never Flirted.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, Nov. 19.—The most virtuous jury ever collected in Cook county, said court attaches today, when the twelve men who are hearing the case against Louis J. Weigle, wealthy broker and club man, took the jury box. Weigle is charged with annoying Miss Mary McKinney, a pretty clerk, by trying to flirt with her and ever man accepted as a juror raised his hand and swore he was not a flirt. Vincent Jabowski was excused when he said he could not give Weigle a fair trial.

"Why not?" asked Weigle's attorney.

"Because I saw the girl's picture in a paper," said Jabowski.

## A Gentle Hint.

Judge: "I wish I hadn't eaten that cake," said Tommy.

"Don't you feel well?" asked his mother.

"It isn't that; but if I hadn't eaten it, I would still be able to eat it."

# WOMEN VOLUNTEERS.

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# Y. M. C. A. ITEMS

## Keokuk Camera Club.

At a meeting in the boys' rooms, last night the Camera club adopted a constitution and decided upon a name for the club. It was decided that the club shall be known as 3K club or Keokuk Kamera Klub. The object of the organization is to promote the interest of amateur photography in all its branches. Membership in the club is limited to young men and boys who are members of the Y. M. C. A., and is of two classes—active and associate membership. Any fellow who is interested in photography can join the club whether he has a camera or not, if he has a camera he may be an active member, if not, he may be an associate member. As an associate member, a fellow would get a great deal of information that would be valuable to him if he should some day get a camera.

It is intended to make the regular meetings of the club social as well as educational and there will be many stunts during the year that will be worth the time any fellow gives to the club. Committees such as membership, social and athletic committees will be appointed throughout the year as the occasion seems to demand. Regular meetings of the club will be held on the first and third Wednesdays in the month. The officers of the club are president, Don Strickler; vice president, Ross Blake; secretary and treasurer, Chas. Tichenor; club leader, F. P. Rehmeier.

At the meeting last night a very interesting discussion was held on the use and comparative value of the various kinds of paper used in printing. At the next regular meeting of the club the fellows are going to experiment with some flashlight pictures and Mr. Rehmeier will also discuss the matter of developing pictures. A series of contests will be held during the year in order to secure the best pictures, and an exhibit of work done by the boys will be held about the first of the year.

## Membership Campaign.

The boys are doing some good work in the big membership campaign and a large number of boys who are not members are taking advantage of the opportunity to try out the gym by using the guest tickets presented them by some of the fellows in the contest. Up to the present time the teams are tied in the number of new members secured. Hubert Marks, captain of the "Blues" seems to be quite confident that his troop is going to win the honors and, therefore, places at the big banquet. Bud Huiskamp, captain of the "Reds," disputes that and claims that his troop has more fellows lined up than the "Blues" ever dreamed of.

# OUNCE OF COTTON TO SAVE A LIFE

Popular Slogan in the United States for Those With Humane Hearts.

[By John Edwin Nevin, United Press Staff Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—"Mail an ounce of cotton to Vienna or any other point where wounded soldiers are being cared for and save a human life."

That slogan promises to become the most popular of any in recent years here in Washington. Responses today were coming to the suggestion made by William G. Shepherd, through the United Press, that Americans, as humane neutrals, send cotton to Austria, where there is none, and also to the Red Cross organizations of the other warring nations.

In the absence of Miss Mabel Boardman, head of the national Red Cross, Dr. T. M. Phillips, in charge of the furnishing of surgical supplies by the American Red Cross, warmly endorsed the plan. He stated that if America responded as generously as usual, the want in Austria will soon be relieved. In the meanwhile, he said the American Red Cross will send what it can at once.

The Shepherd story clearly revealed to Washingtonians for the first time that Austria is practically cut off from the balance of the outside world. She has been unable to buy cotton because the demand for the medicated kind is greater than the supply. But every steamer that carries United States mail to Mediterranean ports can carry small packages from a humane American public and it will be rushed through to Austria without any interference by the warships of the allies.

At the Red Cross headquarters, it was stated that Shepherd's account of the great need in Austria was the first word that the American society had received. Dr. Phillips stated that every effort was being made to send cotton and other supplies everywhere,

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but that the task was tremendous. The Red Cross of America has sent since the war broke out, 232,800 pounds of absorbent; 87,800 pounds of non-absorbent and 48,400 yards of absorbent gauze abroad. This is in addition to large quantities of surgical supplies of every sort, instruments, etc., and \$210,000 in cash.

"The plan proposed by the United Press is practicable," said Dr. Phillips. "But every one should realize that what is most desperately needed is sterilized cotton. Ordinary cotton, untreated is, on the other hand, good for padding purposes for splints and for the work of that sort, but for dressing wounds the prepared cotton is needed. And the sending by every one in this country who can do so of say only a single pound of cotton would relieve the scarcity that exists all over the battle area of Europe. "Send an ounce or pound of absorbent cotton to Vienna or to any other place where the wounded lie," would seem to me to be one of the most appropriate slogans that could be planned for the Christmas season.

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