

LINDSAY SEEKS PAROLE

JASPER COUNTY MAN SERVING SENTENCE FOR RAPE APPEALS TO STATE BOARD.

INFLUENTIAL FRIENDS MAKING STRONG EFFORT

Modern Brotherhood Case Again Bobs Up in Supreme Court—Square Issue as to Who is Lying—Court Spends Portion of Time Teaching Lawyers Rules of Procedure.

Special to Times-Republican.

Des Moines, May 6.—The case of Earl W. Lindsay, of Jasper county, will be passed upon by the parole board probably at the meeting in Fort Madison this week. Lindsay has a life sentence for statutory rape. He has served two or three years. He has some very influential friends interested in his behalf. It will be recalled that pending an appeal in the case he was engaged in manufacture of flying machines and he gained some reputation as an aviator. Since he has been at Fort Madison he has been found quite useful as a repair man and latterly in the work of manufacture of auto trucks for the warrent.

Another phase of the workmen's compensation law is giving the department some trouble. The case is like this: A workman at a coal mine was injured. He was employed by the operator for eight hours a day for driving, but was detailed for two of the eight hours to work as a "shot examiner" or to see that the dynamite blasts are properly placed. Then for another period of his day he was engaged as a "shot firer" to set off the explosives, and for this he was paid extra by the miners. He was injured while at work as a "shot firer." Who says his compensation and how much? This sort of complicated employment is new to the department.

The supreme court has been asked by the attorneys to order that a practically complete transcript be certified in the case of E. N. Bills vs. T. B. Hankey, from Linn county—the Modern Brotherhood case. It is in this case that attorneys for the defendants, who appeal, filed an abstract, and the other side filed a different abstract, denying the correctness of the first one. There is a square issue as to who is lying about what the record was in the lower court. So the court is asked to have the whole record brought to Des Moines. The case is set for argument on the 15th before the supreme court when it is expected that the troubles of the officers of the Modern Brotherhood and the insurgent faction will be threshed out before the high court.

Investigation has shown that there were no results from the campaign conducted by the railroads last winter to induce various legislatures to authorize increases in passenger rates to the railroads. The Iowa legislature paid no attention whatever to the appeal of the railroads. A bill was introduced to raise the rates but nobody asked that it even be reported for action. It is learned upon investigation that the movement fared no better in other states.

As stated prior to the convening of the legislature, however, the appeal to

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the legislature was formal only, and there was no expectation action would be taken. It was preliminary to the move to compel a raise in rates by first securing an increase in interstate rates and then compelling the states to come up to the higher rates.

It is expected that some time during the present year the interstate commerce commission will act on the application for a raise in passenger rates.

The pamphlet issued by the legislative reference department of the state library as an index of bills before the legislature and record of what was done, makes a book of 547 pages. Members of the legislature have received copies of the same.

The book is very complete. One may turn very quickly and find out what was done with each and every bill. The numbers are given of the bills passed, the bills indefinitely postponed, the bills withdrawn, those that failed to pass, the legislative cases. This is done with bills of both houses and with joint resolutions as well as bills. As to all that passed a line is added showing the date when effective. It fairly completes the record of legislative work, and will, to some extent, take the place of a publication of the session laws.

Supreme court is engaged part of the time in teaching lawyers some of the rules of the court. For instance, this week the court had before it two or three stipulations of attorneys to have certain cases passed to the June period and to preserve the right of oral argument. Now the June period is a full bench period, and causes before a division could not be properly heard then, so these stipulations were simply ignored and the attorneys so notified. Then, also, when a case goes over the right of oral argument disappears.

The court did direct that as to the Osborne case from Warren county it should go to the June period because of the fact that it involves a constitutional question, relating to the transient merchant law of the state.

The supreme court has on its calendar for oral argument on submission today the case involving the rights of parties at Grinnell in connection with construction of a big sewer, and U. H. Van Law is to be here to argue the case for a line of complaints.

In this case the city undertook to have constructed a sewer that would divert a large part of the drainage from the city to an outlet other than the natural watershed of the portion drained, and the people interested have come into court to establish that the city has not the right to do this.

FIRE ESCAPE LAW CHANGES.

Building Owners Being Notified to Comply With Revised Statute. Des Moines, May 6.—A. L. Erick, state labor commissioner, is preparing to advise architects of the provisions of the new fire escape law enacted by the Thirty-sixth general assembly.

The number of fire escapes required on buildings will vary according to the character of the structure under the new statute. Buildings with wooden or combustible walls must have sufficient avenues of escape to permit every person within the structure to get away within two minutes. However, with fireproof buildings with fireproof staircases, fireproof escapes to permit all persons to get out in fifteen minutes are required.

It is the purpose of the labor commissioner to require all new buildings to be equipped according to the new law.

One of the important changes in the new statute is the recognition of the enclosed type of fire escape, the use of the ladder escape on any buildings of more than three stories being forbidden.

The first use of the enclosed fire escape probably will be on a big residential structure building in Des Moines. Plans already have been submitted to the labor department and have been approved.

Three types of fire escapes are recognized under the new law. The first is the enclosed stairway, or chute. The second is the stairway. The third is the ladder.

The department will encourage the use of the enclosed escapes for the reason that the commissioner believes that on high buildings people will hesitate to use the ladder or stairway type.

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Iowa Falls, May 6.—Prof. Grant L. Sanders, formerly of this city, who has been teaching science in the public schools of Sheldon, has been elected superintendent of the schools at Paulina for the coming year. He succeeded Superintendent Bangs, who has resigned to accept the superintendency of the schools at Traer. Mr. Sanders is a son of F. E. Sanders, of this city, and is making good in educational work in which he has been engaged for several years.

Zearing News Briefs.

Special to Times-Republican. Zearing, May 6.—The baccalaureate sermon will be preached on Sunday evening, May 16, at the Christian church by Rev. J. W. McLaughlin, and the commencement exercises will be Friday evening, May 21, at the Evangelical church. The following are the graduates: Misses Vida Powell, Lillian Havelick, Ivy Moore, Emma Abbott and Mary Allen, and Messrs. Merle Ingledue, John Drew and Henry Bailey.

J. E. Smith attended the bankers' convention at Grinnell on Wednesday. Ben Cerka commenced work Saturday for Johnson & Son.

Montour News Notes.

Special to Times-Republican. Montour, May 6.—Mrs. E. E. Bunge has returned from a visit at Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stevens were visiting in Toledo yesterday.

Mrs. Jostle James, cousin of Mrs. J. B. Adkins, after visiting for several days here, went to Cedar Rapids yesterday and from there goes to Davenport.

Mrs. Tweed has begun work on her new house south of the Taplin place. There is to be a special business meeting of the Congregational church tonight, after prayer meeting.

Bohemian Editor Dead.

Special to Times-Republican. Iowa City, May 6.—Edmond B. Lowsky, aged 67, formerly editor of the Slovak American, a Bohemian publication of Iowa City, now published in Cedar Rapids, is dead at the latter city. He will be brought to Iowa City for burial. He was a brother of former Mayor J. M. B. Lowsky of Iowa City, a former member of the Iowa legislature.

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tis, who died here the first of the week, was buried in Union cemetery yesterday, the services being held at the Congregational church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. William East. Mrs. Curtis came to this county in 1879 and has resided in Iowa Falls since 1885. She was born in Germany in 1829 and was married to Mr. Curtis in 1855. Of the five children born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis, three are living, Mrs. E. E. Bunge and Mrs. K. C. Curtis, of this city, and Mrs. E. E. Schuck, of Waterloo.

Grinnell News Notes.

Special to Times-Republican. Grinnell, May 6.—The examining and tabulating of the scores of more than 120 children from 1 year to 3 years of age was completed just before 6 o'clock last evening and the winners of the prizes were announced. Susan Irene Stanley, having shown the high marking of 98.7 points, was declared first over all and received the blue ribbon marking first prize and also the beautiful silver cup given by H. L. Yeager. She is between 2 and 3 years old and her home is at Searsboro. The winner of the blue ribbon second prize in that class was Jean Struble, of Toledo. In the girls from 1 year to 2 class, Luville Lyman, of Grinnell, took first prize with 98.3 points and Edith Margaret Sylvester, of Grinnell, won second prize with 97.8 points. In the boys' class, 1 to 3 years, Robert Ridpath Rivers, of Grinnell, was first with 98 points, and Arthur Gunn was second with 97.3 points. In the boys' class, 2 to 3 years old, William Williams, of New Sharon, and Richard Sanders, of Grinnell, scored 98 points each and both were awarded a first prize. Marvin Good received second with a score of 97.5. Others who scored high were: Mary Alice Jaqua, 97.5; Margaret Sutherland, 97.3; Jessie Adeline Park, 96.9; Eleanor Huff, 96.8; Edith Brooks, 96.7; Josephine M. Bray, 96.4; Mary Frances Morrison, 95.1; Patricia Browne Spaulding, 95.3; Judith Ann Wood, 95.3; Boys—J. Maurice Sutherland, 97.4; Thomas Jefferson Smith, 97.2; Paul Wilton Black, 97.2; Van Pratt Elson, 97.2; Virgil Jones, 97.1; James Ross Gallagher, 97.1; John Howard Nagle, 96.6; Joseph Shultz, 96.3; Harold Stillwell, 96.3. The promoters and workers of the enterprise are well pleased with results and health culture for babies is likely to receive increased attention.

Owing to the injury received by Fred Little in baseball practice last week when, in making a slide to base, he sprained his ankle and injured the bone, the Spaulding contest in public speaking, in which he was one of the speakers, has been postponed for a week and is now scheduled for Friday, May 14, at 8:30 o'clock.

The college Y. W. C. A. will serve the annual May day breakfast on the college campus at 7:30 o'clock on Saturday of this week, providing the weather is favorable. Tables will be set under the trees west of Rand gymnasium.

Miss Jennie Hillman, of this city, who has been stenographer for the Grinnell Motor Company, has responded to an

offer from the Marshalltown Electric Light Company and will begin her work there on Saturday next. Grinnell will entertain the delegates to the meeting of the Ninth district Women's Christian Temperance Union on the 11th and 12th of this month. The district comprises the counties of Poweshiek, Mahaska, Iowa, and Keokuk, with fourteen local unions, that of Oskaloosa being the largest and having over 100 members. There will be a silver medal contest for the young people on Wednesday evening.

Mr. H. M. Ramey, a prominent citizen and business man of this city many years ago but now an occupant of the Odd Fellows home at Mason City, is here on a visit to his many old-time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eddy announce the birth of a daughter to them on Monday last.

The various scenes of festivity at the May festival of Iowa College, as well as some athletic events coming off about that time will be faithfully recorded in moving pictures this year, arrangements having already been made for a competent artist to come from Des Moines for that purpose.

Mrs. Mary Adkins thinks herself entitled to a place on the list of oldest residents of Jasper county, as she has lived in the same house there continuously since 1859 with the exception of a period of less than two years which she spent in Grinnell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Corrough and their two children are again back in their Broad street home after several months spent in southern California. Mrs. William Dodge, who went from here with them, still remains in her California home.

Mr. Arthur Willard Bartlett arrived here from his home in Grant's Pass, Oregon, to attend the funeral of his father, Mr. Emory S. Bartlett, which took place from the home yesterday afternoon.

Clarion News Notes.

Special to Times-Republican. Clarion, May 6.—Rev. A. O. Wright, who was recently called to the pastorate of the Christian church, has now become settled in the parsonage home. A public reception was tendered him Thursday evening. He is well received and the work opens auspiciously. He receives \$1,500 and a good home as his salary for the year.

Miss Gracie Poncin underwent an operation Wednesday for appendicitis. Court is now in session with Judge Fry of Boone, on the bench. This is the first visit of the judge. He has created a very favorable impression.

Mrs. J. D. Denison is in Des Moines this week, where she is having her eyes treated and at the same time enjoying a visit with her son, J. D. Denison.

Mrs. L. C. Hamilton has returned from the Methodist hospital at Des Moines. Her health is very much improved.

Miss Fay Swartzendrover will teach in the Fort Dodge schools next year. Harry Stephens, Sr., is laid up with a pair of broken ribs. The injury was

sustained by falling from a scaffold while working at the Harwood home. Mr. A. Mickelson and wife returned Saturday from their California trip. D. J. Sheffield and wife have left the old farm home and are now enjoying city life. They are nicely settled in their new home.

Fred Kerchival, of Grant township, is very sick with a gathering in the head. Governor Clarke will deliver the dedicatory address at the opening of the township high school, recently finished at Rowan this afternoon.

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