

EVIL OF DECEIVING PUBLIC

Many People Lose Big Money by Taking World-Herald Figures.

ELECTION RETURNS ROTTEN AS USUAL

Hitchcock Personally and His Organ Are Scored by Victims Who Bet on Berge Up to the Last.

"As per usual," many a man in Omaha, doubting elsewhere in Nebraska, is paying tribute to the unparalleled inaccuracy and absolute untrustworthiness of World-Herald election returns.

Long after returns unmistakably told that Governor Mickey was elected by a comfortable plurality, and were thus printed by the Bee, and that Berge, therefore, was hopelessly defeated, the World-Herald persisted in maintaining the opposite, and, consequently, misleading the public, which, forsooth, includes many people who bet.

Wednesday at 11 a. m. F. S. Allen, chairman of the democratic state committee, sent out a statement, which was printed in the Bee, conceding the election of Governor Mickey.

At 1:30 p. m. of the same day a reporter for The Bee called on the proprietor of the World-Herald, who happened to be a victim of the election of Mickey, twenty-four hours and more after nine-tenths of the people of the state who were keeping posted on returns knew of the result.

"No Wonder People Are Sore." "Is it any wonder you, who are democrats and naturally feel that we might trust the World-Herald, feel sore?" bearded a victim who dropped enough cast wheat on the Mickey-Berge race, per advice of the World-Herald, to make him have "that sick" feeling for some moons to come.

And many others did the same thing. Betting continued much later than usual, and despite the fact that many of the same losers had paid the penalty of trusting to the World-Herald election figures before, they could not restrain their zeal.

One Douglas street sporting man is \$6,000 richer today than before election and \$2,000 richer than before Wednesday at noon, the men he bet with being poorer correspondingly because they were misled by false election estimates.

A well known railroad man is \$3,000 ahead of the game and he won all \$300 after Wednesday morning and a large share of it late Wednesday, when the democratic organ was still disputing indisputable facts and clinging to the delusion that Berge was elected.

One man in South Omaha, son of a very well known and influential Omaha man, telephoned Wednesday afternoon to C. M. Rieg at the republican state headquarters for information on the Mickey-Berge race, saying he had a chance to take \$50 on Berge.

World-Herald Pointer. "Take it quick or let me have it if you don't want it," replied Rieg. "If I take it," rejoined the young man, "but my friend has just called up the World-Herald and they tell him Berge is elected, alright."

A long string of instances where people were misled into placing money on Berge could be mentioned in detail and names supplied. These thus deceived doubters

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Kid Glove Sale. SteinKall or Derby Street Glove, best fitting and wearing glove for \$1.80 to be found. Shades, a pretty medium tan, sizes 5 1/2 to 7. Saturday we will sell them for \$1.00 a pair.

have enough to bear, however, without having to face the publicity of their unsophisticated zeal. Among the men who bet before the result was known dropping the biggest sums is said to be James C. Dahman, national committeeman from Nebraska. Mr. Dahman's net loss is set down at \$2,700, including a car of stock worth \$800 which an enthusiastic Iowa stockman ventured on Mickey.

EAST OMAHA CLAIM IN COURT

Property Owners Sued by Reed Estate for Amount of Large Mortgage.

Several prominent lawyers, and three judges are trying to find out whether the estate of Anthony J. Drexel shall pay three claims arising from the purchase of East Omaha, last and amounting to \$300,000. Claims against the estate were filed by Abe Reed by the trustee for Mrs. Reed and by the Rochester Loan & Banking company as an assignee of Maria Johnson.

The Potter & George company had authority to sell this land, which includes the greater part of what was laid out for the East Omaha manufacturing suburb. The purchase was made for \$60,000 in addition to the mortgage of \$200,000. The questions now arise whether Potter & George sold the land for themselves or the Reeds, and whether or not the purchasers were to pay the mortgage.

GRAND SILK PURCHASE

From the Great New York Auction Sale of Ashley & Balley Co. ON SALE SATURDAY AT BRANDEIS. 5,722 pieces of black and fancy colored silk were sold last week at the great Ashley & Balley Co. We bought the largest lot and the best assortments and place them on sale Saturday at about one-half their regular price.

Special Home-seekers' Excursion to Points in the Southeast. The Chicago Great Western railway will on November 15 sell tickets to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia at greatly reduced rates for the round trip.

Special Round Trip Rates to Chicago. The Chicago Great Western railway will sell tickets to Chicago at only \$20.00 for the round trip. Tickets on sale to November 30th. Good returning to December 15th.

Our great holiday inducement expires November 15. Don't delay. One high grade enlargement with every new dozen photos. Remember, it is the new place-two-story building, west side of Fifteenth street. H. Heyn, 315-20-22 S. 15th St.

Ree Want Ads Produce Results. Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses were issued up to noon, November 10:

15-K. Wedding Rings. Edholm, Jeweler.

Handwritten notes and signatures, including 'MacCarthy Tailoring Company' and 'Kid Glove Sale'.

BENSON POSTOFFICE LOOTED

Seventy-Five Dollars Taken from Till in Postmaster's Absence.

YOUNG MAN SUSPECTED OF CRIME

Deed is Committed in Broad Day-Light and Good Description of Suspect is Given to Authorities.

The till of the postoffice at Benson was robbed Wednesday afternoon in broad daylight by a young man who took advantage of the temporary absence from the office of Postmaster John McGuire and his daughter. The amount of money secured was about \$75.

The details of the robbery as given by the postmaster in effect that about 2 o'clock in the afternoon a young man of about 23 years of age, weighing about 150 pounds, wearing a dark overcoat, dark soft hat and of a general pleasing appearance, came to the delivery window of the postoffice and asked for a \$10 bill, which was given him. About an hour later the same young man came into the office and bought a cigar at the cigar stand operated by Postmaster McGuire's daughter.

Discovers the Robbery. Postmaster McGuire was absent from the office not more than a couple of minutes. Upon his return he was called upon to pay a money order by a customer. He found the till nearly open and the money gone. Mr. McGuire at once informed Banker Howard of the Benson bank of the robbery and an investigation was set on foot.

The fact of the robbery was not made known until yesterday, when the federal authorities in Omaha were notified. Owing to the absence of Postoffice inspectors Slinger and Moore from the city, no investigation by the authorities has yet been made.

A pathetic incident of the robbery is the fact that Postmaster McGuire is an old soldier, a Grand Army veteran, and that his only income is what he derives from his small salary as postmaster. He is completely broken up over the robbery and said if he had the means he would make the amount good at once and make no report of the affair.

Mr. McGuire is highly esteemed by the entire community at Benson and no doubt whatever is attached to him. There is a disposition there to make up the amount for him, so he will not be compelled to suffer the entire loss.

The Benson postoffice is an independent office and is in no way connected with the Omaha postoffice department.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE TEMPLE Building May Be Erected Sooner Than First Planned, to Accommodate Growing Membership.

Members of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Omaha may be induced to build a temple sooner than they had planned by the action of Building Inspector Withnell and Fire Chief Salter in declaring the basement of Chamber's dancing academy building at Twenty-fifth and Farnam streets unsafe for the congregation of so many persons. The church rolls now include nearly 500 members.

CRUTCHES BET ON ELECTION Artificial Supports Are Wagered by Cripples on Governorship and Little Dispute Ensues.

Tuesday's election was the indirect cause of the arrest of Sam Anderson, who was arraigned in police court on the charge of betting on the streets. Owing to extraordinary circumstances, Anderson was discharged.

Mortality Statistics. The following births and deaths have been reported to the Board of Health during the forty-eight hours ending at noon:

Births—Frank Gardner, 129 South Thirtieth; girl, John Monks, 341 Dewey avenue; boy, Harry Duda, 258 W 7th; boy, Gustav Price, 1518 Twenty-ninth; girl, Fred Wallway, 324 North Nineteenth; girl, Eiland Nilson, 430 Marcy; girl, Charles F. Bell, 304 S. 16th; boy, John F. Peterson, 84 South Twenty-fourth; boy, Harry Page, 122 Chicago; boy, E. J. McConville, 52 North Twenty-fifth; boy, N. J. Nelson, 121 North Twenty-ninth; girl, James Sauer, East Omaha; girl, J. Nolan, 306 South Twenty-third; girl, Deane-Ernest C. Woodcock, 223 Emmet; George McIntyre, Brayton, Neb.; Miss Augusta Miesner, 206 Leavenworth; Miss Clara Harris, 222 Germania avenue, W.

Mrs. N. Sutphen, Portish and Poppletton

Woman Burned to Death and Suit Brought Against Merchants Who Sold Oil.

KRUG ORDERS SOME CHANGES

New Theater Will Make Improvements to Building Costing About Six Thousand Dollars.

The owners of the Krug theater are preparing to spend about \$6,000 in improvements and alterations to the building. The boilers will be taken out from under the stage, in accordance with demands of the city building department, and placed in a substation back of the theater across the alley. New boilers will be installed in the station, which is to be sunk flush with the surface.

VICTIMS OF A PROCURER Two Women from Paris Land in Omaha and Police Are Looking for Man.

Louise Verdie and Marie Royer of Paris, France, have been discharged in police court, where they were arraigned on the charge of being disorderly characters. The women were released at the instigation of J. H. L. Eager, United States immigration inspector, who says the women were misled by a man whom the authorities are now looking for. The man is said to be culpable under section 3 of an act passed March 2, 1903, providing for the importation of women for immoral purposes.

LOCAL BREVITIES. Two razors are reported to have been stolen by burglars from the shop of F. C. Moore, Twenty-ninth and Chestnut streets. Oscar C. Anderson of West Point has been admitted to practice before the United States courts for this district.

John Broekhoff is suing Henry Schroeder for \$500. He says the defendant made a note in his favor in June, 1900, for \$500, and there now remains the amount each still due him.

Mrs. J. M. Dixon of 1546 South Eleventh street has reported to police headquarters the loss of her grip, which she says was taken from a street car while she was on her way to the Union station.

The Board of Education will meet Monday night to canvass the school board members officially. The taskmaster E. J. Garret, acting chief clerk in the city tax department, who was stricken with paralysis, has been reported as recovering.

The funeral of Mrs. E. N. Sutphen, who died at her home, 618 Pierce street, was held at the undertaking parlors of Leslie & Mace. Rev. W. Conley, pastor of the First Baptist church, conducted the service.

Mary Wilbur wants a judge of the district court to allow her recovery of \$200 against Edwin and Frank Patrick. In November, 1899, the brothers signed a note for \$200 in favor of Mary Wilbur, the husband of Mary Wilbur. The man died and his widow now sues.

An overheat in the home of Joseph Rubenstein, 1516 South Tenth street, caused slight damage to the kitchen by fire getting with the wall adjoining the stove. The stove was almost flush with the wall and ordered removed to a more safe distance by the members of the fire department.

A TRIAL FREE Myers-Dillon Drug Co., Druggists, at 10th and Farnam streets, have a liberal free offer. Mr. Myers, having thoroughly satisfied himself as to the merits of Paracamp, First Aid to the Injured, states that all you need to do is to deposit 25c with Myers-Dillon Drug Co. and get a bottle of Paracamp. Use as directed. If you are not satisfied return the bottle and get your money back.

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NAPHTHA AND NOT KEROSENE

Woman Burned to Death and Suit Brought Against Merchants Who Sold Oil.

January 22, 1904, Mrs. Alice Adams was so terribly burned at Valley through the explosion of what was supposed to be oil that she died in seven days. She left five children. Jeremiah Adams, the father of these children and administrator of the estate of his wife, now brings suit in the district court for \$5,000 damages against the merchants who sold the oil. These were: Albert J. Eddy, George E. Eddy, Russell Eddy and Walter Eddy, doing business at Valley as Eddy Bros.

Adams claims the combustible substance purchased by Mrs. Adams for oil was not oil at all and had not been inspected according to the state laws. It was, he maintains, naphtha or gasoline. Mrs. Adams, innocent of its nature, used it as she would oil and was burned to death.

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A Friday Special. Boys' Suits that sold up to \$4, your choice for \$2.50.

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Children's Hose. Children's black worsted hose, fast color, seamless foot, very elastic tops, an excellent wearing stocking, special for one day at 15c. Positively a regular 25c quality—size, 6 to 10.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear. Special lot of ladies' high grade muslin underwear, priced to sell quickly—goods made to sell at 75c, \$1.00, and \$1.25, in this lot at 50c. Daintily trimmed skirts, gowns, drawers and covers.

Ladies' Gloves. Fine line, new styles of ladies' fall and winter gloves, in cashmere, silk and golf, with fleece and silk lined, 2 clasp or plain wrists, in black and fancy colors, regular 75c values, at 45c.

Ladies' Gloves. Ladies' best quality real kid, cape and mocha gloves, in black, white and colors—the new mannish effect, with one or two clasp, the correct fall glove, for street wear—95c.

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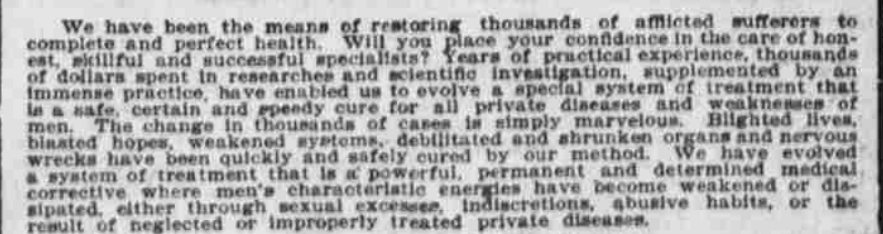
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