

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

City Attorney Lambert is Preparing Amendments to Charter.

WANTS TO CUT OUT LOT OF RED TAPE

Advocates Single Publication of City Ordinances Instead of Six Times, as is Now the Law.

City Attorney Lambert is working on a number of amendments to the city charter. "These amendments," said Mr. Lambert last evening, "pertain to a few of the cumbersome working features of the charter. One feature is the unusual amount of detail to be gone through in the calling of a special meeting of the city council. As it is now there is too much red tape about the calling of such meetings, and I think about half of the performance could be done away with and at the same time not injure the property owners in the least."

Another proposed change is in regard to special improvements. These petitions are so regulated now that it takes a long time and a lot of work to get a petition properly presented. Some of the ways will be cut off these petitions if the city attorney has his way. Another feature is the advertising of ordinances. Mr. Lambert contends that city ordinances are being published six times where one time is sufficient. He proposes in his amendment to the charter to cut the cost of advertising ordinances down one-half. Last year the publication of ordinances cost the city something like \$5,000. Lambert declares half of this sum will pay for the work providing the charter may be so amended as to print only the misdemeanor ordinances six times and improvement ordinances once. Other ordinances he declares, need not be printed.

Estelle Will Install.

This evening members of post No. 2, Grand Army of the Republic, will meet at Masonic hall for the installation of officers. Judge Lee Estelle of Omaha will conduct the installation ceremonies. Officers of the Women's Relief corps will also be installed. The installation will be public and friends of the veterans of the civil war are invited to attend.

Week of Prayer Closes.

The week of prayer closing tonight has been observed by the Protestant churches in South Omaha. At all the churches there has been a fairly good attendance every evening. The topic of the sermons were arranged by the evangelical alliance, and to these subjects the preachers mostly confined their remarks. Tonight's topic at the

churches will be "Our Country." There has been special music at these meetings during the week and it is stated that much good has been done by the holding of these services.

Becker still held.

George Becker is still being held in the detention ward at the city jail awaiting some action on the part of the county attorney. Late Friday afternoon Chief Briggs called up the county attorney and asked for information on the subject. He stated to Judge Schlaugh that the boy's parents were anxious to secure his release on bail. The county attorney told Chief Briggs that no complaint against the boy had been drawn, but that some steps would be taken in the matter today. He further directed that the boy be kept in the detention department until a complaint had been filed.

Eisfelder serving notices.

Detective Eisfelder is serving official notices on those who had filed damage claims against the city and the claims rejected. It is in accordance with law that notice must be served on each claimant in order that an appeal from the action of the city council to the courts may be taken if so desired. In every instance where suits are filed in the district court this city is prepared to carry the same to the supreme court in case of an adverse decision in the lower court.

Magie City Gosip.

W. S. Williams, Fifteenth and Z streets, reports the birth of a son.

Mrs. T. B. Scott has gone to Iowa for a few days to visit relatives.

A son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Smith, Twentieth and J streets.

Rev. L. H. Briggs of Omaha will occupy the pulpit at the First church on Sunday morning.

Friday's slump in the live stock receipts caused a decrease to be shown on cattle, hogs and sheep.

Andy Knight, buyer of the Omaha Cattle company, returned yesterday from a trip to California.

Robert Stoddard is on the sick list, being confined to his home with a severe cold and sore throat.

Miss Julia Johnson is at the home of her aunt, Mrs. M. A. Martin, while undergoing treatment for a broken arm.

The fire and police board sold three horses yesterday for \$250. One of the horses was taken away once, leaving two until the board could secure new horses.

Barney Cahier was bound over to the district court yesterday by Judge King for breaking into the saloon operated by Mike Sexton at Twenty-eighth and Q streets. In default of the \$200 bonds the prisoner was taken to the county jail.

THEIR OFFICERS INSTALLED

Two Regiments U. V. U. and One Circle

L. G. A. R. Meet in Joint Session

Red Men's hall in the Continental block was thronged last night with members of Shiloh and Vicksburg regiments, Union Veteran's union, and Circle No. 11, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, to witness the public joint installation of the officers of the three organizations.

Major General D. M. Haverly, commanding the Nebraska brigade, Union Veteran's union, was the installing officer for these organizations, and Mrs. Julia Price, past president of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic of the state of Nebraska, installed the officers of the latter order.

The ceremonies were full of impressive interest and following them an enjoyable program was given. The first number was a recitation by Miss Leah Jones. Then came a song, "Annie Laurie," by Miss Cecil Elliott. A dialect recitation followed by Mrs. Camilla Elliott, which was succeeded by a piano duet by the Misses Florence Price and Cornelia Butler. Comrade McIntosh followed with a couple of songs, with guitar accompaniment. All of the numbers were enjoyed and all were exceptionally well rendered.

After the program had concluded refreshments of sandwiches, beans, pickles, coffee and cake were served in abundance, and then came an hour of social enjoyment.

Announcements of the Theaters.

At the Boyd this afternoon Miss Roselle Knott will be seen twice in her very successful production of the pretty comedy, "Cousin Kate." On Sunday afternoon and evening two performances of George Ade's fine musical comedy, "Peggy from Paris," will be given. This is the note of protest sounded by Ade against certain conditions that prevail in small American communities, and like the general work of the gifted author, it goes straight to the mark. The engagement is for the one day only.

The matinee and night performances today will bring the vaudeville bill for this week at the Orpheum to a close and the curtain will rise at 8:15 sharp, ten minutes earlier than usual. Next week commencing Sunday matinee, Captain Webb's seals and sea lions will be one of the headline attractions. These remarkable amphibians do a variety of "stunts." Mr. and Mrs. Mark Murphy will present their new comedy sketch by Joe Flynn, entitled, "The Coal Strike." James H. Cullen will provide song and story. Irene Franklin, the dainty comedienne, will sing. Ford and Wilson, known as the "Two Jacks," are blackface singing and dancing comedians. A refined and versatile musical act will be contributed by the three Cellans, Milo and Madison perform feats of heavy weight lifting and balancing and the kine-drome will show "The Moonshiner," a sensational moving picture.

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On January 4 and 9 Illinois Central railroad will sell round trip tickets to New Orleans at rate of \$21.50, good for return until January 23. Stop-overs allowed in both directions.

Particulars at 162 Farnam street.

W. H. BRILL,
District Passenger Agent.

DIED.

PETERSON—Julius H., January 5, 1905, aged 25 years.

Funeral services will be held from residence of his father, Edward Peterson, 602 Pierce street, Sunday, January 8, at 1:30 p. m. Interment at the Lutheran cemetery. Friends invited.

Deceased survived by his wife, Mrs. Kath Peterson, and son, father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Peterson, one brother and one sister, all residing in Omaha.

Mrs. Annie Christensen, of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Sena Aldinger of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

COLE—Louisa B., wife of Martin G. Cole, mother of Mrs. Ella J. Squires, at 11:15 a. m., Friday, January 5, 1905, at the age of 74 years.

The death occurred at the family residence, 264 Harvey street. The date and place of the funeral service will be announced later.

FRANK—Mrs. Fannie, at the residence of her son, Samuel Frank, 61 South Twenty-ninth street, at 1:30 p. m., at St. Louis, Mo., January 6, 1905.

Funeral notice later. Cincinnati papers please copy.

SPROUL—Mrs. N. W., January 6, 1905, at St. Louis, Mo.

Funeral Sunday, January 8, at 1:30 p. m., from residence of her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Rogers, 119 Park avenue.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES

"Cousin Kate" at the Boyd.

Hubert Henry Davies' very pretty comedy is one that doesn't tire, even in repetition. It has a human touch, such as few seem to be able to achieve—that is, it shows a side of life that is not very often exposed to inspection. The deeper emotions are the continual subject for one class of writers and the lighter and more superficial for another, but Davies has tapped the intermediate vein that discloses the real man and the real woman. It is the pretty contrast between different natures that gives "Cousin Kate" its distinctive individuality and makes it one of the few really delicious modern comedies.

Miss Roselle Knott is presenting this for her second season's venture as a star, and is achieving much success in the title role. She has a decided capacity for the expression of the lighter moods of the part, and some of her more serious scenes are invested with a tenderness that is very effective. It is rather difficult for Miss Knott to be merely sober, and what part of her character demands this treatment suffers accordingly. Just at present she is apparently suffering from a cold that gives her voice an unpleasant twang.

William Corbett makes a good Heath Desmond, but rather reverses the order, for he shows to better advantage in his seriousness than in his efforts at being merely light. In the introductory scene with Kate Curtis he gives one the impression that he is doing what he does because it is prescribed by the directions for the part, rather than because it is the natural act of a merry-hearted, unconventional man. It may be said that, but Rev. James Bartlett in the hands of H. Howard Smith reminds one irresistibly of the Presbyterian minister who appeared at Muldoon's house on the morning of his picnic, and if he were to announce in his sepulchral tones, "I have come to attend the christening," one would not be surprised. If Mr. Smith would only give the matter a little thought he would realize that it is comedy and not farce he is playing, and that young ministers may be very earnest, and even occasionally bigoted, but still eat heartily, and that one may look clerical without looking funeral. Even a locum tenens is entitled to smile and talk rationally at times. Miss King's Amy Spencer shows an intelligent effort to make the part what it ought to be. The audience at the opening performance of the comedy at the Boyd last night was not large, but it was well entertained. "Cousin Kate" will be repeated at a matinee this afternoon and again this evening.

Bryant Stole Tools.

Charles Bryant, who has been rooming at the Nebraska house, was arrested last evening while trying to dispose of some carpenter's tools at the pawn shop of John Corby at 4th and South streets. He is charged with having stolen from a cool house in East Omaha, and that he belonged to Pete Klausen, but that he did not know where Klausen lived. The officers at the station could not find anybody by that name in the Omaha directory and so have come to the conclusion that Klausen lives in East Omaha. And they

PURE FOOD SHOW FOR OMAHA

Promoters Already at Work for an Exhibition to Be Given Next Summer.

One of the large events scheduled to be held in the Auditorium next summer is a pure food exhibit to be under the joint auspices of the Nebraska Retail Merchants' association and the Omaha Retail Grocers' association. The exhibit is to be given for ten days, from August 11 to 24, and bills are already being prepared for the purpose, to eclipse any previous event of a similar nature ever held in Omaha.

The question of pure food being one of the subjects at present uppermost in the American mind, these food shows are becoming much in vogue throughout the country. They not only serve to bring the manufacturer and consumer in close touch but they go a long way in the matter of educating the housewife in the preparation of certain foods, and also in the serving of the same articles.

These pure food shows are entertaining and instructive. In many large cities they are becoming annual events, as much so as the horse shows, musical festivals and other events.

One of the features of the show to be given here in August will appeal particularly to the women, this feature being the free daily demonstrations, with the distribution of samples to all. There will also be distributions of prepared foods and other articles used in the commissary department of every home. A woman will be able to attend the show and get the price of admission back in samples, to say nothing of the entertainment and instruction which will receive.

Local retail dealers and jobbers are looking forward with much interest to the show. Even at this early date interest is being worked up by the promoters, so that when the next dog days are here it will only be necessary for Manager Gillian to swing wide open his gates at the Auditorium. It is announced that many of the most prominent manufacturers of staple articles and pure and prepared foods will be represented at the show.

Marriage Licenses.

Following are the marriage licenses issued up to noon January 7:

Name	Age
Elias T. Smith, Kansas City, Mo.	23
Mable T. Newton, Kansas City, Mo.	27
Carl Linko, South Omaha	27
Caroline Katschiff, South Omaha	47
Arthur L. Benshoff, Elliott, Ia.	21
Katherine Mandel, Elliott, Ia.	29
Edmond H. Murray, Chicago	27
Lucille Whitney, Chicago	27
Frank O. Olsen, South Omaha	30
Edith J. Kelly, South Omaha	34
George W. Cox, Adair, Ia.	54
Gora A. Marr, Anita, Ia.	47
Mayme Burch, Omaha	28

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