

Council Bluffs

J. PRUITT KILLED IN CAVE

Young Man Meets Fatal Injuries on C. D. Campbell Farm.

OWNER HURT AT SAME TIME

Newly Built Roof of Bricks Falls Upon Them When Supports Are Removed—Dead Man Leaves Family.

Joseph Pruitt, 29 years old, who was born in Council Bluffs and was well known about town, received injuries in an accident on the farm of C. D. Campbell, five miles north of the city on the lime kiln road, Wednesday afternoon which resulted in his death at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. His employer also received painful injuries and was also taken to the hospital.

Mr. Campbell was constructing a cave at the farm and had engaged Pruitt to assist in the work. The cave was built on nearly level ground and had been raised up with brick laid in cement with an arched roof of the same material. The arch had been completed and Pruitt and Campbell had gone inside to remove the moulds. Part of the supports that sustained them had been taken away, and both men were standing at about the center of the cave when Pruitt knocked out another of the supports. The entire roof and part of the walls fell upon them and both were buried in the debris.

Help was at hand and the men were quickly taken out. Pruitt was found to have sustained fearful injuries. His back was broken and his body literally crushed under the weight of 1,500 brick and cement. Campbell escaped with injuries that are painful but not serious. He was hurt about the head and chest and his right knee was wrenched, and painful bruises covered almost his entire body.

Dr. Mell Beilinger was called and both men were hurried to the hospital in an automobile. Pruitt's back was found to be broken near the center. Several ribs were torn from the spine and forced through the skin, and the bones of the chest were broken.

The accident is believed to have been due to the removal of the forms and supports before the cement had been given time enough to harden. When Dr. Beilinger examined the wreck he declared that it seemed incredible that either man could have escaped instant death.

Pruitt has been residing at 1322 Avenue C with his family of wife and four children. Mr. Campbell is well known in the city. He graduated from the high school in 1903 and has a fine reputation in football and school athletics. His physician states that these pneumonia sets in from the injuries to the chest he will soon be able to leave the hospital. Mr. Campbell is secretary of the Council Bluffs Remedy company, and spends the greater part of his time in the city.

The funeral of Joe Pruitt will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, Rev. J. M. Williams, pastor of the Broadway church, will conduct the services. The body will be buried in Fairview cemetery.

Colored Porter Captured. Arthur Hays, the flashy young negro porter who robbed the Grand hotel safe of nearly \$200, slipped out of the desk and broke open the cash boxes in both of the public telephone booths, all within the short period of three weeks, when he was employed at the hotel last August, has been arrested at Brownsville, Tenn., his former home.

SUIT TO DISSOLVE FIRM

Benjamin-Fehr Real Estate Company In Court Because of Disagreement of Members.

The district court was yesterday appealed to to dissolve the real estate and legal firm known as the Benjamin-Fehr Real Estate company and the Benjamin-Fehr Bonding company and to compel an accounting and division of the business. The company is composed of Fremont Benjamin, his two sons, Wallace and Elmer, and Elmer L. Fehr. Mr. Fehr filed three suits in a bunch, naming all his partners as defendants.

The firm was organized several years ago when Fehr came here from Oakland, Ia. They have been doing a very large business in city realty and farm property, buying large quantities of property and improving it for the market. The filing of the suits was the first intimation that any disagreements had arisen among the members of the firm.

Cole's Hot Blast stores and ranges, \$10 up. We have the exclusive sale. P. C. DeVol Hardware company, 601 Broadway.

Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were reported: The Bee Thursday, October 13, by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company of Council Bluffs:

- J. D. Edmundson to Johannes H. F. Krause, w. g. 1/4 of 37-42, w. d., \$4,600
Leonard Everett and Mary L. Everett, ex. r. to John S. Putnam, s. 1/4 nw 1/4, sec. 14, of 6-16-42, d. 2,000
Kate White and husband, to E. D. Davis, lot 8, subdiv. of outlet 14, Neola, Ia., w. d., 2,000
John S. Putnam and wife, to Leonard Everett, ex. r. lots 13 and 14, block 8, Omaha add to Council Bluffs, Ia., w. d., 1,200
B. M. Winters and wife to Alvinus Tuppen, lot 7, block 8, Burke's add to Council Bluffs, Ia., w. d., 600
Samuel Snyder and wife to Benjamin Marks, and 1/2 of s. 1/4, sec. 14, and s. 1/4, sec. 14, of 27-44, w. d., 200
J. C. Bradley, guardian, and s. 1/2 in lot 2, Add. subdiv. of outlet lot 1, Carson, Ia., g. n. d., 114
Harry H. Smith and wife to W. H. Coy, lot 1, block 18, Wright's add to Council Bluffs, Ia., w. d., 25
Jude E. Smith and wife to Daniel L. Wier, lot 1 and s. 1/2 of lot 1, block 11, Highland Place add to Council Bluffs, Ia., g. n. d., 1
James R. Rice and wife to B. M. Winters, lot 7, block 8, Burke's add to Council Bluffs, Ia., g. n. d., 1
Ten transfers, total, \$11,791

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to the following named persons:

- Name and Address. Age.
James McInale, Grand Island, Neb., 23
Emma Brown, Lincoln, Neb., 28
Richard Anderson, Omaha, 25
Pearl Watkins, Omaha, 18
Pearl Scott, Pacific Junction, Ia., 23
Ora Ross, Glenwood, Ia., 22

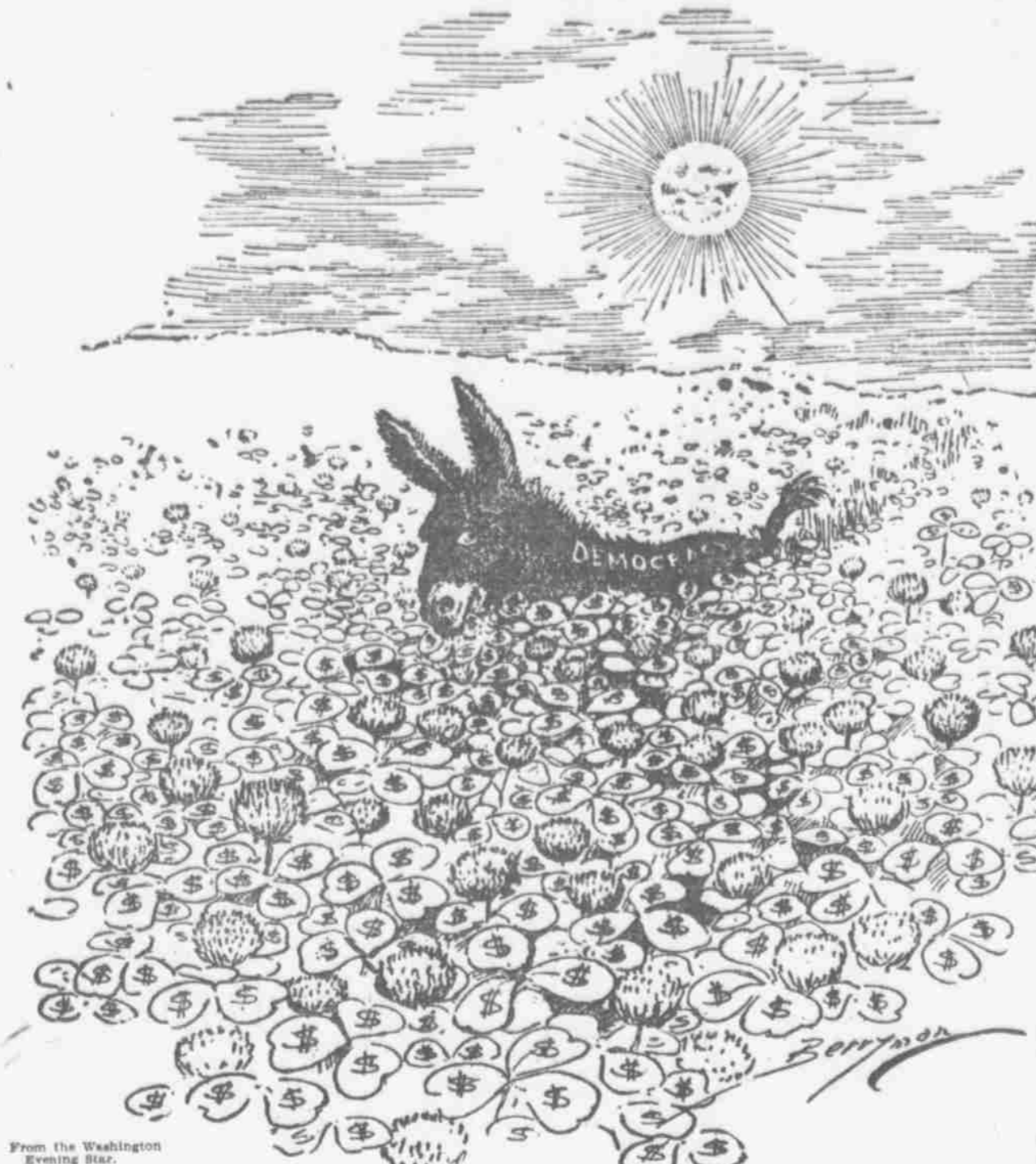
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C. R. ALEXANDER, 321 Broadway.

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In Clover



From the Washington Evening Star.

Minor Mention

The Council Bluffs office of the Omaha Bee is at 15 Scott Street, both phones 66.

Davis, drugs.

Wedding gifts at Leffer's.

The Clark barber shop for baths.

Francis's barber shop, 4 Scott St.

Corrigan, undertaker, phone 48.

PAUST BEER AT ROGERS' BUFFET.

Majestic ranges, P. C. De Vol Hdw. Co.

Picture framing, Jensen, Masonic temple.

Woodring Undertaking company, Tel. 328.

Lewis Cutler, funeral director, Phone 71.

Best work first for painting, 21 S. Main.

FOR EXCHANGE OF REAL ESTATE TRY SWAPS.

C. R. Nicholson went to Kansas City yesterday. On his return he will be accompanied by his father.

Have your glasses fitted or repaired by J. W. Terry, optician, 41 Broadway, office with George Garner.

Mrs. H. A. Quinn and daughter, Beale, have returned from Washington, the journey including a short stay in Chicago.

A musical program and refreshments will be features of the regular meeting of the Eagles tonight. A large attendance is expected.

Dr. Horace T. Haverstock has removed to Room 21, Merriam block, Phone 613, and 484 residence, phone, Bell 574, ind. 940.

Night Police Sergeant W. H. Richardson is receiving the congratulations of his friends upon the advent of a girl baby at his home.

Mrs. John Chapman, who has been visiting relatives and friends here for several weeks, will return tomorrow to her home at San Diego, Cal.

R. E. Wiall, who for many years was president and owner of the Western Iowa college in this city, is now in charge of the commercial department of the public schools at Los Angeles, Cal.

W. H. James, rural mail carrier on route No. 6, is suffering from typhoid fever at his home, 210 Avenue A. His condition is so serious that he will be taken to the Edmundson hospital this morning.

The members of St. Albans' lodge, Knights of Pythias, and all knights in the city, are requested to meet this afternoon at 1:30 at the residence of the family of the late Charles H. Gibler, 118 Fifth avenue, to attend his funeral.

Harry Leonard Graham, aged 4 years, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Graham, 213 Sixth avenue, yesterday morning. The funeral will be held from the residence, Friday afternoon. Burial will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

The Council Bluffs Women's club will hold its first annual reception this afternoon at the home of its president, Mrs. Walter I. Smith, 126 south seventh street.

The board of directors of the club will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. George and William Invernizer were brought over from Omaha last evening and lodged in the city jail charged with the murder of a woman.

John Lathie, a restaurant and boarding house keeper, of Omaha, is being held at the Council Bluffs police station for further investigation of a number of worthless checks given by him within the last few days.

The members of the National Bank, Omaha, and when sent to the city jail charged with the murder of a woman.

Information that Luther's account was closed and he had no funds on deposit.

Captain L. R. Cousins has returned after an extended visit throughout the east, during which he attended the regimental reunion of his old army comrades at Warrenton, O., and the national meeting of the veterans at Atlantic City. Captain Cousins will remain here until after the election and soon after will go to Washington to familiarize himself with his duties as one of the assistant doorkeepers of the senate.

The Royal Order of Moose held a social session last evening with about 200 members present. Luncheon was served and during its progress speeches were made by Fremont Benjamin, C. Konigsmacher, John Fremont and others.

The order now has about 200 members and has grown to such proportions that larger lodge rooms are required. After January 1 the meetings will be held in Odd Fellows temple.

The funeral of Charles H. Gibler will be held this afternoon from the residence, 118 Fifth avenue, Rev. S. Grant Lewis, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church, will conduct the services at the house, St. Albans' lodge, No. 12, Knights of Pythias, will conduct the burial at the cemetery according to the wishes of the order. The deceased was a member of the lodge and also a member of the Woodmen of the World, camp No. 14.

The Board of Insanity Commissioners yesterday made a remarkable automobile trip to Clarinda and return. The board went there to make the annual inspection of the condition of the county's insane patients and there was so expectation that they could make the trip in less than two days. The distance is seventy-eight miles. They reached Clarinda in less than five hours. The investigation showed a very satisfactory condition at the hospital, with all of the county charges well cared for.

Captain E. J. Abbott and family were aroused from their slumbers at 4 o'clock yesterday morning at their home, 500 D street, by a tremendous crash. They found that several yards of ceiling plaster

Police Capture Colored Porter Who Robbed Safe

Man Who Tapped Till of Grand Hotel Last August Finally Run Down in Brownsville, Tenn.

Hays' thefts were extremely bold, but adroit, and until he fled after committing the last, which was the safe robbery, he had not been suspected. He was on duty as night porter and the attacks on the cash drawer and safe were made each time during intervals of a few moments when the night clerk was out of the office, each time just before he went off duty. He robbed the safe when the night clerk went into the bar shortly before 6 o'clock to check up the cash register, and was gone when the clerk returned. The money was not missed for an hour, and when search was made for the porter his room was found to be deserted, with every evidence of a hurried flight of the occupant.

The police department was notified by Manager Parks and Hays was traced to Omaha where he went in a 6 o'clock car. The search for him was prosecuted vigorously. He was traced throughout the southwest and barely evaded arrest at New Orleans, Brownsville, Tenn., and Houston, Tex., and again at Nashville.

The negro has a bad record. Among the papers left by him in his room was a dishonorable discharge from the Tenth cavalry, a negro regiment at San Francisco. Manager Parks wrote to the commanding officer at Alcatraz island, San Francisco bay, and got the negro's record. It showed that he had just completed a term in prison for killing a man in a brawl.

Officer O'Neil will go to Tennessee with a requisition for Hays, who will probably be indicted on four counts, two charging robbery and two of robbery and breaking and entering.

Mrs. McLean is Dead.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram)—Mrs. Julia McLean, mother of President George E. McLean of the University of Iowa, is dead at her home in Iowa City, following a long illness.

Iowa News Notes.

NEVADA.—Miss Zenor, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Zenor, was dangerously ill and may prove fatally injured when the cliff on which she was swinging broke and she fell upon the sharp end of the broken stick that caused the line to give way. The sharp end of the stick punctured her throat, partly severing the windpipe.

GRINNELL.—The stinging of a bumblebee, just behind the ear of Andrew Lincoln, caused his death a short time after he was stung while on a 6 o'clock car. Companion were fishing. While the form was sitting on the bank of the stream a bumblebee stung him behind the left ear. He was

Thompson Raps College Product

Former Ambassador Declares Graduate Inefficient Compared with Self-Made Man.

The college man is inefficient compared to the man who has worked his way up in the world from the bottom rung is the declaration of D. E. Thompson, former ambassador to Mexico. He also disparaged modern sports, putting them down as the amusements of these same college men.

"I have found in dealing with men in business life that the college graduate is not worth anywhere near as much as the man who has learned to work from necessity and started at the bottom to come up. However, the boy who works himself through school is becoming a different proposition from the usual college product. He has learned to work. The usual class of men get into one class of frat in college and are shoved into another when they get into the business world. I'm not much of a sport myself. I only went to one foot ball game in my life and two base ball games."

Mr. Thompson declined to discuss any of the railroad topics of the day and stated that he was only mildly interested in the political situation. He is on his way to New York, and stopped off in Omaha for the day, leaving Thursday evening.

Change of Route "Via 24th Street Line"

Commencing Sunday, October 16th, the route of the line heretofore known as "South Omaha, via 24th—Omaha, via 24th," will be as follows:

L STREET, SOUTH OMAHA, FROM 35TH TO BOULEVARD; ALONG BOULEVARD THROUGH THE STOCK YARDS TO 26TH AND O STREETS; EAST ON O STREET TO 24TH STREET, THEN NORTH ON 24TH STREET TO CUMING STREET. RETURN TRIP WILL BE ALONG THE SAME ROUTE.

The line will hereafter be designated as "24th Street Crosstown."

Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway Company

About Pepper

HEAT develops the exquisite flavor of pepper. Always season food with Tone Bros' Pepper while cooking; the aroma and flavor of the dish are much improved. Tone's pepper and all



are three times the strength of common spices.

At Your Grocer's—10c. or send us a dime for retail package and "Tone's Spicy Talks."

TONE BROS., DES MOINES, IOWA. BRANCHES AT LANSING, THE GREAT SALT LAKE.

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The best there is in men's clothes—your opportunity is at this popular home store. For in the fine art of clothes making the House of Kuppenheimer, Stein-Bloch and Society brand, have no rivals. Examine our big display from these master makers. It's well worth your while, for it beats any other stock in town three times and every style and model a live one—really you can't afford to miss making the choice here if you want garments that fit, are becoming, have style and doable quality at a guaranteed saving of \$2 to \$5 on suits and overcoats; from—

\$10 to \$25



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