

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It. Electric Fans—Burgess-Granden Co. Stack-Falconer Co., 24th and Harney, undertakers, embalmers. Douglas 887. Big Picnic Sunday—The second annual picnic, given by the congregation of Israel for the benefit of the synagogue, Eighteenth and Chicago streets, will be held at Hibbler's park Sunday.

Sprains His Arm—Fred Hogen, an employe of the Evans' laundry, Eleventh and Douglas streets, had his left arm badly sprained and bruised when it was caught in a wash machine near which he was working yesterday morning.

New Cuisine Manager at Kappy Hollow—Happy Hollow club, which bars all soft drinks, has planned to make a feature of the "eatings" at the club and has engaged W. H. Blood, formerly caterer of the Kansas City Driving club, to have charge of the cuisine.

Wharton at Chicago—Postmaster John C. Wharton writes home from Chicago that he is enjoying himself, "the best ever." Mr. and Mrs. Wharton are attending the convention which, the postmaster says, is "something which he wouldn't have missed for a great deal."

Milder is Fined—Morris Milder was fined \$5 and costs in police court for attempting to assault Jake Castlemann, proprietor of the Ivy Hotel, Tuesday night. The evidence of the plaintiffs witnesses showed that Milder did not strike Castlemann, although he made an attempt.

Burgess-Granden Picnic—Annual picnic of the Burgess-Granden company, its employes and their families will be held Saturday afternoon at Miller park. The store will be closed for the afternoon. More than 100 persons are expected to attend. The picnic will be the first of the Burgess-Granden picnics this year. Base ball and other sports will be enjoyed.

Beauty Men to Louisville—C. F. Harrison, member of the national executive committee of the Real Estate exchange; Fred Creigh, secretary of the Omaha exchange, and C. C. Cariberg have gone to the national real estate exchange convention at Louisville. Mr. Creigh carries an invitation from Ak-Sar-Ben to visiting real estate men in the city any Monday night to come to the den.

Clancey Comes Back—Robert J. Clancey of San Francisco, formerly an Omaha newspaper man, but now assistant to the general manager of the Southern Pacific railroad, is in town for a couple of days in connection with company business, calling at Union Pacific headquarters. Mr. Clancey reports the Pacific coast country in a prosperous condition, with good crop outlook and a rush of people into the country.

French Up for Bootlegging—Louis French, a Winnebago Indian, is for the fourth time in as many years lodged in the county jail for introducing liquor on an Indian reservation. French was brought to Omaha by United States Deputy Marshal John F. Sides from Winnebago, where he was picked up drunk with liquor on his person. He speaks excellent English and is reputed as being well educated, but finds himself unable to leave the "fiery beverages" alone.

Three Men Accuse Farm Hand of Part in Eight Murders

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 21.—John H. Bohlan of Hamburg, Ia., was arrested as he alighted from a train at the union station tonight at the instance of L. T. Ried, Harlan Burge and Charles Ledgerwood, who had followed him from Hamburg, and who suspected him of the murder of eight persons at Villisca, Ia.

Burge received a letter said to have been signed by Bohlan, in which the latter said he had had a vision, in which some one was told to kill all persons who did not "have the mark of the Lord" on them.

Chemists Examine Stomach of Girl Who Died in Iowa

IOWA CITY, Ia., June 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Chemists and bacteriologists of the state university are testing the stomach of Elizabeth MacLennan, the Washington, Ia., girl who died suddenly at her home Tuesday.

Fortune for Heirs of Thomas Beatty

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Five hundred thousand dollars is the fortune that will be divided between four members of a California family as the result of the settlement of an old lawsuit in St. Louis. The money will be paid by the holders of real estate in the commercial center of that city, who were defendants in the suit that was decided in favor of the California plaintiffs.

Old Settler Breaks Neck While Picking Cherries

TABOR, Ia., June 21.—(Special Telegram.)—P. B. Yates, an old settler, aged about 85 years, broke his neck by falling from a ladder while picking cherries at the Faith home today. Seven children, all grown, survive. They are as follows: Will and Silas of Tabor, Lester of Bel- field, S. D.; James of Blue Rapids, Kan.; Richard and Mrs. Maude Thornton of Phoenix, Ariz., and Anna Yates of Los Angeles, Cal.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Fourth of July Committee Prepares Comforts for Celebration Day.

NEGRO FALLS UPON HIS HEAD

Drops Twenty-Five Feet, but is Apparently Unharmed After Experience—Trainer Surprised at Nolle in Case.

In accord with the petition of the press committee of the Fourth of July celebration, the city council has ordered the erection of seats and accommodations for the women and children who are expected to visit the town on the Fourth of July. City Clerk Perry Wheeler has ordered the lumber for the construction of the work. Large tent tops will also be provided as a protection for the women and children against the sun.

On the Koutsky property across from the city hall there will be erected a wall for the military drill contests. The Omaha Guard will send Company G, the Cadets gun squad, to take part in the parade in demonstration. The wall on the Koutsky property will be used as a scaling wall by the young soldiers.

Chief of Police John Briggs has already given instructions that the use of firearms and explosives before the Fourth will not be tolerated by the police. The chief has also declared that no one will be allowed to carry revolvers even on the Fourth.

Long Fall for Negro. Losing his balance as he sat in his window last night, John Gilliam, a negro, residing at Twenty-eighth and B streets, fell a distance of twenty-five feet to the earth, striking on his head. Stunned by the fall, Gilliam appeared to be dead for a few moments, but the arrival of Drs. E. L. De Lanney and A. A. Frick quickly brought him to his senses. He assured the doctors that he was all right and was allowed to re-enter the house unaided. Gilliam was under the influence of liquor when he fell. He was sober when the doctors arrived.

Miskal Assaults Family. Inflamed by drink to a maniacal rage against his own family, Frank Miskal, a steam fitter, returned to his home at Thirty-sixth and Q streets yesterday afternoon and violently assaulted his wife and two grown daughters. Miskal broke a chair over the arm of one daughter and tore the clothes of another. He drove his wife into the street and attempted to burn the clothes of the women during their absence.

Captain John Dworak responded to the appeal of the three women and locked Miskal up. Miskal maintains his right to do as he pleases within his own house regardless of the law.

Trainer Courted Trial. Although he will not have to face a trial for bribery along with his former associates, Commissioners Ryan and Pivonka, ex-Mayor P. J. Trainor stated yesterday that he would rather have had a trial than the prosecutor's nolle prosequere.

"I was surprised to learn of the action taken by Mr. Goss," said Trainor yesterday, "and I regret the same very much. I wanted to be excused in open court and for that reason have approached Judge Sutton several times. I have always occupied a certain place in the esteem of my fellow townsmen and I am jealous of anything that would disturb the same. I knew myself to be innocent of any guilt in the bribery case and wanted to be cleared before the whole court. No one regrets Goss' action more than I do."

Scotch Verdict Given. What appeared to be a Scotch verdict was rendered yesterday in police court when Judge Callanan found Joe Jerman, a saloonkeeper, not guilty of having sold intoxicating liquor to Raymond Wyrick, a 17-year-old boy. Wyrick and his mother testified that the lad had procured liquor at Jerman's place. Jerman had two men to testify otherwise. The men were negroes. Judge Callanan indicated that the case was dismissed because the charge had not been proven.

Say Collins Will Continue. Stories of the strivings of petty politicians to win the good graces of the Omaha Water board and incidentally the dispensing of whatever local patronage that body may exercise are going the rounds of South Omaha. One intimately acquainted with members of the Omaha board yesterday declared that Charles Collins, for twenty-five years local superintendent of the local water station, would be continued in his place, notwithstanding the change of title in the water company.

He said that as far as local conditions are concerned the board recently stated that the affairs of the station should be conducted as if no change of ownership had ever been made in the property. He added that the recent activities of petty politicians of the local ring had done nothing but create amusement among the members of the board. He stated that ward heeling embassies from the local bosses had been sent to the Water board seeking to inject politics and ward methods into the conduct of the local water station.

Take French Leave. Rebert George and H. M. Woods, two suspicious characters confined at the local police station, took French leave this morning and ambled away towards parts unknown. Both men have been serving fifteen days for vagrancy and suspicion. At the time of their escape this morning one of the officers released them from the cell room for the purpose of sweeping and cleaning out the station. With a unanimity worthy of a better cause the two men worked towards the door and then quietly laid down their

Two Exceptional Men's Suit Values Saturday



They're here today--- but may not be here tomorrow. Suits which are bargains at \$18 and \$20 are offered now at

\$13.50

Our regular \$18 line was sold up---so we have taken 250 suits from our \$27.50, \$25 and \$22.50 lines and have marked them

\$18

Buy two suits for a little more than the cost of one

Here's a chance to get in on some big values



MEN'S STRAW HATS COME TO OUR STRAW STORE Hand Made Men's Straw Hats \$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.00 to \$3.50 Every Hat Sun Bleached.

Men's Silk Hose on Sale Saturday

We purchased a big quantity of fine high grade thread Silk Sox at below the market value. 50c and 75c grades, Saturday .....29c 35c grade, Saturday.....19c Buy a whole summer's supply.

Men's Lisle Thread Union Suits

\$1.50 and \$1.75 Grades. 95c We made a special "pick up" of a small quantity of fine lisle Union Suits of standard make. All sizes—possibly enough to last through the day—\$1.50 and \$1.75 goods .....95c



Nebraska Clothing Co. Again Saturday! \$1.50 to \$2.50 Men's Summer Shirts ..... 88c They're from our great Special Purchase.

GREIGHTON MEN GRADUATE

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Hughes Refuses to Drag Supreme Court Into Political Fight

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., June 21.—Basing what he has to say upon a personal interview had with United States Supreme Court Justice Hughes, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise of New York, a close friend of the justice, whose summer camp here is near the Hughes camp, today issued to a representative of the Associated Press a statement setting forth the real reasons, he says, why Justice Hughes cannot allow his name to be considered by the republican convention at Chicago.

Omaha Boys Get Harvard Degrees

BOSTON, Mass., June 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Omaha was represented today at the brilliant commencement exercises at Harvard university. Allan McDonald and George Howard Runton were given the degree of bachelor of arts and Henry William Duker of Beemer, Neb., was given the same honor, President Lowell conferring the degree. A notable gathering of men from all sections of the country, representing every walk of life, gathered in Sanders theater today to take part in the exercises. Several men who occupy high places in the world's work today were given honorary degrees.

NOTICE! To the Public:— You are cordially invited to visit the Hipp Theater (Harney Street between 15th and 16th) Monday, June 24th, and view a graphic reproduction of the triumphant demonstrations of the Hipp Automatic Mail Exchange System made recently at Washington, D. C., before Government and railroad officials. The pictures will be run Monday—11:00 A. M.—11:00 P. M. Tickets of admission will be distributed at the offices of the company to adults. Yours very truly, IRVIN HUPP. Suite 1319-22, City National Bank Bldg.

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