

**AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA**

**John Smith Stabs Woman with Whom He Had Lived.**

**MAKES ESCAPE AFTER CHASE**

**Order Goes Out to Keep Closed After Hours and Stay So Pending Certain Developments in the District Court.**

John Smith, negro, alias "Iron Jaw," returned to visit Helen Smith, with whom he had been living, yesterday afternoon at 2033 L street. Not appreciating the cordiality of his visit, he jabbed a knife into her throat and escaped, leaving her in the hands of surgeons.

Smith and the woman lived together for seven years and separated some six months ago. Since that time the man has followed his former wife from Fort Dodge to Des Moines and finally to South Omaha.

Mrs. Smith or Mrs. Truisty, as she says her real name, has been making her home with Mrs. Williams, a sister, living at 2033 L street. Smith has repeatedly urged the woman's return to him.

Smith eluded the police and escaped. In making his getaway he was chased for some distance by a horseman from the horse barn.

**Officials Give Order.**  
The order has gone out that everything must close and stay closed for some time—presumably while the grand jury is in session.

The order, informal though they be, have been given because of the attitude of the newspapers and the words of Judge James P. English in his instructions to the grand jury.

**Magic City Gossip.**  
Miss Alice Murphy of Beatrice is the guest of friends and relatives in this city.

**The Women's Christian Temperance Union** will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Vore, 523 North Twenty-fifth street.

**The Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church** will give a "backwards" social in the basement of the new church at Twenty-fifth and E streets.

**MRS. BAGLEY HELD UP BY EXTRAORDINARY FOOTPAD**  
Mrs. Laura Bagley, Twenty-fourth and Chicago streets, met with an extraordinary footpad Tuesday night while on her way to Twenty-second and Chicago streets to pay a month's rent.

**Died of Pneumonia.**  
Is seldom written of those who cure coughs and colds with Dr. King's New Discovery. Get a bottle today. 50c and \$1.00. All druggists.—Advertisement.

**AUTO CLUB LETS DIET TAKE ANOTHER WORLD TRIP**  
The board of directors of the Omaha Automobile club met at the Commercial club at noon for the purpose of arranging sub-committees for the ensuing year.

**Backache and Rheumatism Vanish Away.**  
Men and women having backache, rheumatism, stiff and swollen joints are honestly glad to know that Foley Kidney Pills are successful everywhere in driving out these ills.

**The Persistent and Judicious Use of Newspaper Advertising is the Road to Business Success.**

**Low and Brandeis Address Committee on Trust Measures**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—"You have hit the bull's eye, but it's the wrong target," Seth Low, president of the National Civil Federation, told the house judiciary committee today, discussing pending trust bills.

The definitions of forbidden combinations, proposed, he said, would include labor unions, farmers' co-operative associations and preliminary rate conferences by railway traffic agents now approved by the Interstate Commerce commission.

Louis D. Brandeis told the house commerce committee that commercial crimes were an effect, not a cause, and that legislation should prevent offenses, as it would be difficult to fix the personal guilt.

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**Japanese Societies in New York Will Form Federation**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—The Japanese consul general in New York, Kametaro Ujima, explaining today a movement recently launched to gather all the Japanese societies of New York city into a general league, said the plan was not inspired by anything in the present relations of Japan and the United States.

**Arson Squads Set Fire to Mansions**  
GLASGOW, Scotland, Feb. 4.—Two destructive fires, the work of suffragette "arson squads," caused heavy damage today in the neighborhood of the Perthshire village of Comrie, famous for its Druidical and Roman ruins.

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**PLEADS GUILTY TO POISONING HORSES**  
ABERDEEN, S. D., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Michael Kemler, the dealer in hides and grease, who was arrested last Saturday night on a charge of poisoning horses, to which he confessed, pleaded guilty in municipal court to poisoning a number of horses and was held to the circuit court under \$3,000 bond, which he has not yet furnished.

**ALL STOCK WINTERS WELL**

**John Eyer Says Ranchmen Never in Better Shape.**

**STOCK FATTENS ON GRASS**

**Large Herds of Cattle Brought from the South Are Now Almost Ready for the Market—Sheepmen Happy.**

John Eyer, live stock agent of the Burlington, is back from an extended trip through the range country of western Nebraska, South Dakota and Wyoming. He is enthusiastic over the outlook, but according to his statement, his enthusiasm is light as compared with that of the cattle men and the flockmasters.

**Cattle in State for Winter.**  
"Last summer, owing to dry weather south, thousands of cattle were shipped into western Nebraska, Wyoming and South Dakota from Texas and Oklahoma, and probably due to the mild weather, they are coming through the winter equally as well and in as good condition as the natives. In fact, there are many 2 and 3-year-old steers that would make very fair beef right now, and mind you, they have had nothing but the range grass during the last winter."

**Burglars Work Six Days and Go to Church Sunday**  
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MEN'S cotton or flax hose, 12c  
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**Endeavorer Union Will Continue to Aid City Mission**

"The Omaha Christian Endeavorer union will remain loyal to the City mission," said Rev. F. W. Leavitt, its president, at the annual banquet and rally of the union at the First Presbyterian church last evening.

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