

ENTIRE FAMILY IS STRICKEN

Little Girl Dies and Two Sisters Have Scarlet Fever.

THEIR HOME IS QUARANTINED

Father is the Only Member of the Family Able to Attend the Funeral of the Little Girl.

Florence S. Segard, 4-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Neils Segard, 32 South Twenty-fifth street, died Tuesday of scarlet fever and was buried yesterday at 10 o'clock from Corner Crosby's chapel to Forest Lawn cemetery.

The family has been visited within the last week by the plague, which, besides carrying away the little girl, has reached two other children, Margaret, aged 7 years, and Gladys, aged 4, both of whom are dangerously ill.

One other child, a 2-month-old infant, has escaped the disease so far. Margaret was the first to be taken ill, last Saturday and the other two children developed symptoms the following day. Neils Segard is employed as janitor at the Bemis Gas company and was the only member of the family that attended his daughter's funeral. The wife is quarantined in the house with her babies and could only be reassured over the telephone that the funeral services were as she wished.

Both parents are nearly distracted with grief and anxiety. Segard spends the day walking the floor at the plant, where his work has been lightened by reason of the trouble.

Three times a day he is allowed to telephone and ask how the children are getting along, the number of calls being limited so as not to disturb the little ones.

"It is a pitiful case," declared Dr. Connel, "but the quarantine laws must be lived up to. There is a great deal of scarlet fever throughout the city—more, I believe, than any other contagious disease." We are doing all in our power to stop its spreading.

Preacher Catches

Two Boys Breaking Windows of Church

Rev. C. W. McCaskell, pastor of the Hancock Park Methodist church, apprehended two boys, Kenneth Hughes, 132 South Twenty-seventh street, aged 14 years, and Ed Van Dorn, aged 13 years, living at 207 Douglas street, throwing stones through the church windows. Dr. McCaskell called the police patrol and had the young fellows brought to the station where they were turned over to the juvenile authorities.

Special 'Health Warning' for March

March is a trying month for the very young and for elderly people. Croup, bronchial colds, lagrippe and pneumonia are to be feared and avoided. Foley's Honey and Tar is a great family medicine that will quickly stop a cough, check the progress of a cold, and relieve inflamed and congested air passages. E. C. Rhodes, Middleton, Ga., says: "La grippe gave me a hacking cough for which I got no relief until I took Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and was soon well of both cough and cold." For sale by all dealers everywhere.—Advertisement.

ASKS POLICE TO FIND WIFE AND DAUGHTER

Jack Glover of Benson has asked the police to look for his wife and 12-year-old daughter who left his home Tuesday and failed to return.

Court Refuses to Say Where City is to Buy Fire Hose

Douglas county courts will not interfere with the city council in the purchase of fire hose so long as municipal officials keep within a reasonable discretion, according to a decision of District Judge Sutton refusing a writ of mandamus asked by Charles E. Fanning.

Fanning wanted the council compelled to accept his low bid on fire hose, but the judge ruled that expert knowledge was an important consideration in the buying of hose and refused to interfere with the decision of the council, which was based on the advice of Fire Chief Selter.

The courts here have held that articles which may be accurately defined by specifications should be purchased by the county and city of the low bidder.

To Give Visitors Party at Theater

The wholesalers have made a slight change in their program for the entertainment of their guests during Merchant's Marketing week, which is next week. Instead of giving over both Tuesday and Wednesday evening to entertainment in the Commercial club rooms, they have decided to conduct a theater party to the Orpheum Wednesday evening. The Tuesday evening program at the Commercial club rooms, which includes some demonstrations in dancing, will be as originally arranged. The expenses of the entertainment of the week are all to be met by subscriptions from the wholesalers.

Illinois Central Officials Coming

T. J. Foley, general manager; A. E. CHIT, general superintendent, and S. G. Hatch, general passenger agent, all of the Illinois Central from Chicago, will arrive in the city this afternoon, accompanied by H. S. Gray, division passenger agent, Dubuque, and T. H. Sullivan, division freight agent, Fort Dodge, Ia. The Illinois Central officials are out on a tour of inspection.

HIGH SCHOOL LADS TO PLAY ST. JOSEPH SATURDAY

The Omaha High school basketball team will finish the season Saturday night, when a game is scheduled with St. Joseph at the Young Men's Christian association. The Omaha boys are just recuperating from the strenuous engagement at Lincoln, where they lost the state championship because of injuries to "Butch" Platz. Coach Mills expects the lads to be in good trim for the Saturday battle. St. Joseph has a fast team this year and only lost to Kansas City Central.

CRAWFORD LEAVES TO JOIN DETROIT BASE BALL TEAM

Sam Crawford, the demon Detroit slugger, who has been visiting his wife's parents in Omaha since Saturday, has departed for Gulpport, where the Tigers are in training. Crawford will join the squad just before the trip northward, is inaugurated, so that his training midst the floods and winds will be of short duration. As Crawford has been in training all winter by his constant playing during the world's tour, he will not be handicapped by lack of spring training.

CASPER GREAT OIL CENTER

Town Shows Remarkable Growth and Output Also Increases.

START MOTOR SPIRITS PLANT

Two Refineries Are Running Night and Day and Market is Readily Found for Entire Output of the District.

General Freight and Passenger Lever of the Northwestern at Casper, Wyo., is in the city. He is enthusiastic over Wyoming and is predicting all kinds of prosperity during the next year.

According to Mr. Lever, the oil industry in the vicinity of Casper has developed until that city has been put on the map as one of the big producing centers of the country. Numerous new wells have been brought in during the last winter and a dozen or more rigs are drilling in and out of the proven fields.

The two pipe lines from the Sand Creek fields are constantly running to capacity and many new storage tanks for the crude oil are being built at Casper. The motor spirits plant, owned and operated by the Standard Oil company and the largest of its kind in the world, is just starting up and will be in full operation inside of ten days. The two refineries are running night and day and a market is readily found for the entire output, the Pacific coast country taking large quantities, while a trainload on an average is daily coming down into the Missouri valley country.

At Casper, according to Mr. Lever, the Burlington is putting in extensive storage yards, where material is being brought for the extension of the line to Orin Junction. On this line construction has been continued all winter and the grading is well along. Bridge work has progressed rapidly and Mr. Lever looks to see the line in operation not later than July 1.

PEDDLER FINED \$10 FOR KEEPING CHANGE

R. H. Lewis, peddler, was fined \$10 and costs in police court for accepting a one-dollar bill for a small purchase made by Mrs. D. Lewis, 204 Spruce street, and neglecting to return with the change. Lewis is said to have been in the habit of making considerable money in this way, and as a result was given a heavy fine. A dilapidated building in the east bottom known as "The Death House" is used by Lewis to make his horseradish. Action will be taken to have the health department see that the structure is torn down.

New Buttermilk Method Wins Peachy Complexion

Because buttermilk is proclaimed by all experts as the champion complexion beautifier, and because this is expensive and inconvenient to use, the inevitable has happened and buttermilk in condensed and permanent form, suitable for toilet purposes, may now be had. The trade name of the new product is "preserved buttermilk emulsion." It keeps indefinitely and leaves no greasy trace. Used as any face cream, it has a remarkable effect on muddy, blotchy, over-red, chapped or freckled skins, quickly making any complexion youthfully peachy and creamy.

As preserved buttermilk emulsion is becoming quite popular in the United States, most druggists now stock it. Those who have used it declare it is worth any amount of trouble to obtain. They have discovered it also solves the eternal soap question, cleansing skin and scours perfectly. It is regularly carried in stock in this city by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., 16th and Dodge Sts.; Owl Drug Co., 16th and Harney Sts.; Harvard Pharmacy, 24th and Farnam Sts.; Loyal Pharmacy, 207-N, 16th St.

So All the People May Know That the Novelty Company

will begin the sale from the bankrupt stock of men's and women's furnishings goods, muslin underwear, waists, dry goods, shoes for men, women and children, etc., on Friday morning at 8:30. Never in the history of Omaha have prices been quoted as low as in this sale. A page ad of hundreds upon hundreds of real, bona fide bargains will be advertised in Thursday evening's paper. It will pay you to read them over carefully and when you come to our store Friday or Saturday you will find them exactly as advertised, spread out on bargain tables in every nook and corner of our big store, both upstairs and downstairs. You will wonder the name as the people wandered last week at our Clothing and Cook and Suit sale, which is still going on. Hundreds of people made this remark: "I wonder how they can sell them at these prices, but you will be more surprised when you visit the sale Friday morning. There will be no limit to the bargains. We assure you that if you come to the first day of the sale you will come away satisfied. We are sure you will be able to supply yourself with just a little money. There will be plenty of salespeople to wait on you. There will be no waiting."

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Big Special Sale of Sample Tailored Suits for Saturday See Windows

A bevy of authoritative examples in garment styles await your inspection here Thursday.

The new ideas in dress have come thick and fast this season, but not too fast for our buyers, ever ready to cull the chaff from the wheat, securing and showing immediately the styles worth while.

Every express brings new garments, the very latest creations of the best American and foreign designers, which makes every day a new display in our Suit Department.

The Spring Styles in Tailored Suits are exceptionally beautiful, the designs are unusually varied in conception; many of them strikingly elaborate.

New Tailored Suits in a wonderful variety of beautiful and distinctive designs, including a delightful assortment of the popular 3-piece styles; all the most wanted fabrics, including beautiful silk suits—

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Beautiful New Dresses—Almost unlimited assortment of choice styles for spring—styles for all occasions, in charmeuse, taffeta, silk crepes, brocades, fancies, etc.; choicest values shown in Omaha at \$19.50, \$25.00, \$35.00, \$45.00 Up

New Spring Coats—\$7.95, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 up. Variety that insures you pleasing selection; values you will find it hard to duplicate at the prices.

New Silk Waists—Messalines, nets, etc., \$3.00 to \$4.00 values, all colors and sizes, special, choice, \$1.95 Ladies' Silk Petticoats—jersey top, all colors; special, at \$1.95

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White Plisse for underwear, 15c values... 7 1/2c
Serpentine Crepe, long remnants, 18c values... 9c
A. C. A. Ticking, 18c values... 14c
Blue and brown Apron Gingham, 7c values... 5c
Unbleached Muslin, 36-inch wide, 7 1/2c values... 5c
Lawns and Batiste, neat patterns, 12 1/2c values... 5c
Sheets, 72x90, good muslin, 50c values... 35c
Soft finished Long Cloth, 10c values... 7 1/2c
Norton Cotton Toweling, 5c values... 3 1/2c

- 25c Laces, 7 1-2c Fine Normandy Laces and Insertings, beautiful new patterns, big assortment for selection.
15c Laces, 5c Normandy and Point de Esprit Laces and Insertings and pretty French laces.
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10 bars Best 2-in All Diamond C or Laundry Queen White Laundry Soap... 25c
10 lbs. best White or Yellow Corn meal... 15c
5 lbs. Roiled Breakfast Oatmeal... 25c
5 lbs. bulk Laundry Starch... 25c
6 lbs. Hand Picked Navy Beans... 25c
6 lbs. choice Japan Rice... 25c
6 cans Oil of Mustard Sardines... 25c
Fancy Comb Honey, per rack... 12 1/2c
McLaren's Peanut Butter, lb... 12 1/2c
Advo Jell, table dessert, pkg... 7 1/2c
The best Domestic Macaroni, Ver-micelli or Spaghetti, pkg... 7 1/2c
4 cans fancy Sweet Sugar Corn... 25c
Gallon cans Golden Table Syrup... 40c
2-lb. pkg. Self-Rising Pancake or Buckwheat Flour... 8-10c
E. C. Corn Flakes, pkg... 5c
Grape Nuts, pkg... 10c
Golden Santos Coffee, lb... 25c
The best Japan Tea Siftings, lb... 15c
Hershey's Breakfast Cocoa... 20c
EGGS TAKE ANOTHER TUMBLE The Best Strictly Fresh, Guaranteed Eggs, WEDNESDAY, per dozen, 90c
The best Creamery Butter, Carton or Bulk, lb... 25c
Fancy Country Creamery Butter, per pound... 27c
Good Dairy Table Butter, lb... 25c
Omaha's Greatest Fresh Vegetable Market
15 lbs. Early Ohio Potatoes to the peck... 25c
Fresh Beets, Carrots, Turnips, Salsalots or Radishes, large bunches, 4c
Fancy New Cabbage, lb... 3 1/2c
Fancy Large Head Lettuce, per head... 7 1/2c
3 heads Fresh Leaf Lettuce... 10c
Old Beets, Carrots, Turnips or Parsnips, per pound... 2 1/2c
Kutabagas, per lb... 10c
2 large Soup Bunches... 10c
Fancy Texas Spinach, peck... 25c
1 1/2c pkg. of Fancy Halloween Red, Yellow or White Sets, quart \$1.00
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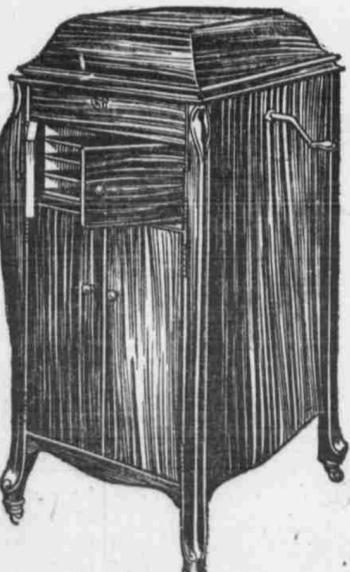
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