

**TO DROP SEVERAL TEACHERS**

Dr. J. J. Foster Heads Move to Hire Fewer at Central High.

**BOARD TO PRACTICE ECONOMY**

Richardson Also Favors Fewer Instructors and Larger Classes for the Sake of Reducing Expense of the School.

Pursuant to its policy of "economy" the Board of Education, through its teachers committee, headed by Dr. J. J. Foster, will recommend that five teachers be dropped from Central high school by next year.

"We have taken the matter up with Superintendent Craft," said Member James Richardson of the teachers committee, "and he will submit to the committee the recommendation that will go to the board."

Seventy-five instructors are now employed at the Central high school. The plan, according to Richardson, is to chop off the latest acquisitions to the staff. This, then, will probably affect only the lower-salaried teachers.

"Classes at the Central high school are too small," Richardson said. "We might just as well have larger classes and fewer teachers."

Richardson said he would oppose any move to oust Prof. Nathan Bernstein of the high school against whom a sentiment in the Board of Education has prevailed for many months. The names of the teachers scheduled to lose their places are either not known or it is known only to those who have been kept carefully secret.

Chairman Foster of the committee refused to be quoted. "For heaven's sake don't use that unless we give it to you," he said. "Anyway, there is nothing to say about it."

Another plan to "reduce expenses" so that a fine showing could be made at the end of the year is to cut out the vacation school established last year. This school was attended by 800 students during the summer. It cost more than \$3,000.

**Walker Would Cut School Board to but Five Members**

The Board of Education will ask the next state legislature to pass a law providing that only five men be elected to the board instead of twelve and that these five be chosen at large instead of elected from wards.

"Five men can do the work as readily as twelve," said President C. T. Walker of the school board. "They could all work then as one committee. The present committees of the board are interfering, anyway."

Chairman James Richardson of the finance committee suggested that the election by wards be done away with.

"We're going to maintain a strong lobby at Lincoln when the next legislature meets," said Richardson, "for there are a lot of things we want done."

President Walker has come out for a nonpartisan, nonexclusive school board, but admitting that such a radical departure from existing methods would probably require years of hard work to force its adoption and put it into effect. He takes up as one step nearer the "better working board" the membership reduction plan.

**More About Crooked Lawyers; Just a Few of Their Lies Nailed**

OMAHA, March 19.—To the Editor of the Lincoln Journal describing "the nervous tension in Omaha" over the indictment of so-called prominent attorneys by the grand jury, the Journal repeats, and spreads a false report that "the rumpus seems to have sprung directly out of a libel suit between Cadet Taylor and the R. seewaters."

Please let me set you right before you put your stamp upon this information, for "the rumpus" in its inception had nothing whatever to do with any libel suit. On the contrary, it was started by publication, in The Bee of October 3, 1913 (while the Taylor libel suit was still sleeping on the docket, with no one expecting it ever to come up for trial) of the following editorial:

**WHAT OMAHA NEEDS.**

One thing that Omaha needs, and needs badly, is a house-cleaning in its legal fraternity.

Perhaps Omaha is no worse than other cities in this respect, and perhaps there are other places in Omaha that need house-cleaning just as much, but the legal shysters and crooked lawyers infesting the bar here, eager to lend themselves to any scheme that looks like money regardless of the character of the client, ready to use perjured witnesses, and sometimes to resort to jury-fixing, and pursuing their pernicious practice without interruption or protest, reflect sadly upon the clean and reputable lawyers who disdain such dirty work, and who, we are happy to say, constitute the vast majority of our lawyers.

But a drop of vinegar will sour a whole pail of milk, and the free and unimpeded operations of the legal grafters and parasites throws a cloud upon the whole profession and leads the ignorant to believe that any lawyer will do anything for anyone who hires him by promising him half the ill-gotten proceeds.

Unfortunately, this is not a new condition, nor are all the unscrupulous and crooked lawyers counted among the lowly, as some distinguished gentlemen have been known to get theirs by shady routes.

There ought to be manhood and courage enough among the decent members of the bar, and backbone enough in the judges on the bench, to do a first-class clean-up job, and do it before the job gets any bigger.

This demand found its inspiration in not one case, but in several. I had them in my possession all the details of the Brandeis blackmailing job, and the names of the lawyers sharing the loot. Only a few days before a frame-up \$50,000 attorney-of-fact had been exposed by the main witness admitting on the stand that her previous sworn deposition was perjured and paid for, and the presiding judge had sent the papers in the case to the county attorney for action. It had also just about that time come to my notice that a bar committee report on two flagrant cases of legal malpractice, one of embezzlement, the other an attempt to swindle, had been pigeonholed, and a citation for contempt had issued in a third case of embezzlement.

Please keep it in mind, therefore, that "the rumpus" had reached its feverish head in early October, while the libel suit troubles you refer to did not break loose until two months later. Only a few days before a frame-up \$50,000 attorney-of-fact had been exposed by the main witness admitting on the stand that her previous sworn deposition was perjured and paid for, and the presiding judge had sent the papers in the case to the county attorney for action. It had also just about that time come to my notice that a bar committee report on two flagrant cases of legal malpractice, one of embezzlement, the other an attempt to swindle, had been pigeonholed, and a citation for contempt had issued in a third case of embezzlement.

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**SNOW HELPS THE FARMERS**

Is of Immense Value to the Crops of the State.

**FOOT DEEP IN MANY PLACES**

Sunshine Prevails Today. So that the Snow Will Soon Be Melted and Will All Go Into the Soil.

The snow storm that was general all Wednesday and a portion of the night over that portion of the country lying east of the mountains and nearly to the Mississippi river has ceased. The wind has died down, temperatures have risen and sunshine is the rule everywhere. The snow has covered the winter wheat belt of Nebraska, Kansas and western Iowa, and by railroad and grainmen is estimated to have been of great value, as it will supply the necessary moisture to carry the cereal along several weeks and at the same time put the ground in prime condition for the spring work on the farms.

In some localities, particularly in the extreme northwestern part of Nebraska, there were blizzard conditions for several hours yesterday and last night, but generally the snow was accompanied by but little wind and lay where it fell. Today it is melting rapidly and the moisture is all going into the ground.

Wednesday's snowstorm, according to the railroad reports, was probably the heaviest and most general of the winter. The snow ranged from a few inches to a foot in depth and was very moist. The railroad men coming in from the east state that the snow fall was general for about 150 miles over into Iowa, but that east of there it was only a succession of light flurries.

Railroad readings made by station agents are as follows, so far as snow is concerned: Nebraska City, Nemaha and Auburn, one foot; Rulo, Falls City and Shubert, 5 inches; Syracuse, Salem, Columbus and Seward, 7 inches; Hickman, Fremont, Lincoln, Yutan, Wymore, Beatrice and Crete, 6 inches; Table Rock, Ashland, Randolph, Plattsmouth, Grand Island, St. Paul, Harvard, Aurora and Stromsburg, 5 inches; Wilbur, Endicott, West Point, Stanton, Norfolk, Lyons, Oakland, Blair, Madison Loup City, Ericson, Emerson, Pender, O'Neil, Hastings, Holdrege, Red Cloud, Alma and North Bend, four inches.

Between Long Pine and Cody this morning the snow was from 4 to 10 inches deep and from Cody west to the state line, 2 to 3 inches, with a foot up in the Black Hills country. From Omaha right through to Grand Island, there was from 4 to 5 inches of snow and from 2 to 4 inches all the way through to Cheyenne.

**VAG DECLARES HE IS PRESIDENT OF A BANK**

"I'm a bank president" by profession, but I can't find any work in my line," pertly answered a seedy individual who gave his name as James Reed, early this morning when Desk Sergeant Marshall at police headquarters asked him his occupation.

Stowed, but reluctant hands held Marshall back as he hunted towards the reviewer of the ancient wheeze.

"That's the fourth 'vag' today to pull that same crack on me! Lemme at him!" pleaded Marshall, his angers rising madly up and down the station floor.

**OMAHA BANKERS GO TO CINCINNATI MEETING**

DeForest Richards of the Omaha National bank, Thomas Davis of the First National bank of Omaha and J. B. Owens of the Stock Yards National bank of South Omaha have gone to Cincinnati to attend the annual meeting of city banks that are carrying government reserves.

**Nerve Grafting is Live Topic on the Early Morning Car**

"Much Ado About Nothing" can be true elsewhere than in a session of the Economic League, asserted a Dundee line strap-hanger who commuted to town with the most reckless of head-line skimmers. He listened to this:

"Him-m! Nerve Grafting Latest Medical Triumph. Now, can you beat that. Those doctors garner my hircus, they do. Why don't they find out how to cure the social cancer or something instead of fooling around grafting nerves? By genny, it makes me sore! There's too many guys right here in this town that have great plenty of nerve and gall, and they'll be the first to go and graft some more from some crippled guy or someone who don't need it."

"Why, that fathead down in the office, Frinstance, who swipes my mackintosh every time it rains. He'll be a candidate as soon as the crabs bite this burg."

"Sawful, I tell you! Say, by the way, you don't need your transfer, do you? You can get off at Sixteenth and walk four blocks, and you won't need it. Give it to me and I can use it when I go to lunch. You can save time anyway by walking."

The strap-hanger had given the morning paper more than the "once over." When he got off at Sixteenth street he began on another commuter. "They any want ad bring results, but that guy could advertise 'rooms to rent' for a million years and he'd still be vacant, 'cause there's nobody home—nobody home."

He tapped his head significantly.

**ANOTHER BRITISH ARMY AVIATOR IS KILLED**

SALISBURY, England, March 19.—Another officer of the royal flying corps of the British army was killed here today. Lieutenant H. F. Theoby of the Duke of Wellington's West Riding regiment.

**BIG RETAILERS' STYLE SHOW**

More Than Ten Thousand Dollars to Be Spent in Window Display.

**GALA AFFAIR IS NEXT WEEK**

Goods Valued at Quarter Million Dollars Will Be Used in Decoration of the Windows.

Over \$100,000 is to be spent by the retail stores of Omaha in the decoration of their windows for the spring style opening, which is to be held all of next week. The merchandise that will be placed in the windows alone for the decorations will be worth between \$250,000 and \$300,000, according to Secretary Metcalf of the Associated Retailers.

The merchants are going to greater expense for the decoration of their stores this year than they ever did for any opening held in Omaha. They are sparing nothing to make the retail district an attractive place for the visitors and buyers who will be in the city during the week. Women all over the city are planning on coming down town every day to view the different displays in the many windows that will be decorated.

They regard this as an opportunity for seeing all the goods displayed at the best advantage without having to jostle one another in the stores and wrestle with the clerks to get to see the newer things. They can pick out what they want in the window displays and then step in and ask for it, instead of having to wait at a crowded counter for hours.

**SAYS OTHER FELLOW STOLE VALUABLE COAT**

Lee Hudepath of St. Joseph, Mo., was arrested by Detective Frank Murphy for the theft of an overcoat taken from an American Express wagon. The coat, which was valued at \$25, and comprised a package to be delivered, according to Hudepath, was purchased by him from another fellow for \$2. He is being held for investigation.

**Eat Cabbage, Fish, Sausage, New Bread**

No Indigestion, Gas, Sourness or Upset Stomach if you'll Take "Pape's Diapasin"—Try This!

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stomach lumps and cause a sick, sour, starchy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, get this down: Pape's Diapasin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. Pape's Diapasin is quick, positive and puts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as Pape's Diapasin comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eruptions of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapasin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how easy it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.—Advertisement.

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**That Bit of Idle Money—**

If you have a little "brave money" money you'll risk if the risk is a reasonable and promising one—keep in constant touch with the Real Estate opportunities advertised every day in The Daily Bee. Real estate men who have REAL opportunities ALWAYS advertise them in The Bee. You can make one of these advertisements worth a great deal to you.

Read the Real Estate "opportunity news" in The Daily Bee.

**Tomorrow Will Be "Orange Day"**

This year California has grown the finest quality and largest crop in the history of the orange industry. To fitly celebrate the event growers have selected tomorrow (March 21st) as California Orange Day. Never have these incomparable oranges been so plentiful and so low in price.

**Special Trainload, Fresh from the Orchards Here Tomorrow!**

To popularize this day the 6,500 growers, comprising the California Fruit Growers Exchange, have picked the very finest fruit, and these superior oranges are now on sale at all retail stores.

Special trainloads of these golden-ripe oranges have been shipped in refrigerator cars direct from the groves to your city, that you may enjoy the orchard bouquet and flavor unimpaired.

Don't miss your orange day treat. Every Dealer Will Have Them

**Oranges for Health**

Doctor Harvey W. Wiley, the greatest authority on pure foods and dietetics in the world says: "Eat oranges; eat them in winter, eat them in summer; they are better for you than physic."

In an interview, Dr. Wiley says: "Oranges are excellent for people. It is good to eat oranges for breakfast, and also for dinner—not from a medical, but an anti-medical standpoint."

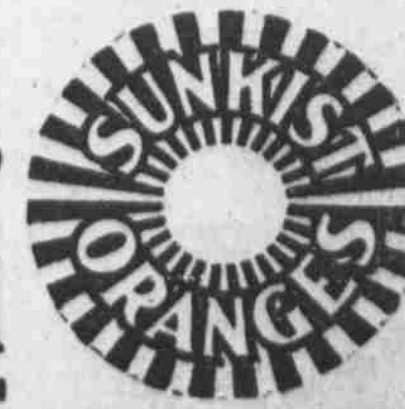
"Both oranges and lemons ought to be used freely."

"Note that I do not say 'Eat an orange for breakfast', but rather, 'EAT ORANGES'."

**Rogers Silver Premiums for "Sunkist" Wrappers**

"Sunkist" Orange and "Sunkist" Lemon Wrappers bring you rich, splendid silverware. Write for our free booklet giving three hundred valuable recipes—also our premium list and how to obtain each article.

Send us twelve "Sunkist" Orange or Lemon Wrappers, with twelve cents in postage stamps, and we will immediately send you, all charges paid, a handsome Rogers "Sunkist" Orange Spoon or Teaspoon. "Red Ball" Orange and Lemon Wrappers accepted same as "Sunkist."



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