

FORCES AT FALLS CITY CUT

Town Goes Dry and Railroad Employees Lose Their Jobs.

BECAUSE SALOON MEN SUE

Missouri Pacific Lets Out Men Who Are Sued for Liquor Bills by Saloonists About As Go Out of Business.

The Missouri Pacific has discharged something like twenty-five of its employees at Falls City, this state, and thereby hangs a tale that has to do with the wet and dry question.

Falls City is a division point on the Missouri Pacific and there are located small repair shops. It is also the point on the Nebraska lines where train crews change hands. As a result of all this a large number of the people of the town are Missouri Pacific employees.

For more than fifty years saloons had existed in Falls City. At the recent election the people voted the saloons out and the town went dry. The saloon men blamed the result of the election upon the railroad men of the town, while the same railroad men asserted that they voted wet.

Soon after the recent election in Falls City and before the saloons had bowed to the will of the people and the doors were closed, the proprietors, who had been carrying men from month to month on bills for wet goods, pressed payment. Some twenty-five of the railroad men maintained that they did not owe the saloons anything.

It was at this point that the saloon men got even. When a man denied his bill suit was brought in justice court and his wages garnished. This proceeding brought the matter to the attention of the officers of the road, with the result that the Missouri Pacific forces at Falls City have been materially cut, for each and every man sued for a liquor bill has been discharged from the company service.

Mrs. Crofoot Gets Back Valuable Pin Lost at Reception

When Mrs. L. F. Crofoot, wife of a well known Omaha attorney and socially prominent, returned to her home at 123 South Thirty-ninth street the evening of April 18, after having attended the reception given by the University club to the Michigan University Glee club, she discovered that a diamond pin valued at about \$1,000 was missing.

Two days later she recovered it, but a certain element of mystery surrounds the affair. With the exception of the fact that it was returned by those in charge of the University club and that they said the pin had been brought to the University club rooms, little is known of the case. It has been learned, however, that detectives were employed in the case.

Because many of the most prominent society folk of the city were present at the glee club reception, and since the diamond pin incident has been the subject of much interesting gossip, but at the same time great pains have been taken to keep it a secret.

More Rain Comes to Gladden Hearts of Nebraska Farmers

There was more rain in Nebraska Friday night, and while it was not general, according to the reports to the railroads, there were heavy showers in scores of localities. Practically the whole of the southwest corner of the state, as well as a large portion of western Kansas and eastern Colorado, got another soaking.

Veterans Request Memorial Space on Court House Lawn

Jonathan Edwards, N. J. Freeman and Dr. E. K. Spalding, representing the local Grand Army of the Republic, and Gus Tyler, representing the Veterans of the Spanish War, have requested the Board of County Commissioners to set aside a plot in the lawn of the court house for a monument to war veterans which, it is expected, will be built by the city. The board will discuss the proposal with John Litchner, architect.

Dr. McGiffin is Called to Fremont

Rev. Nathaniel McGiffin, D. D., of Omaha has been called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church of Fremont, but has as yet made no decision as to his action.

Dr. McGiffin but recently resigned as pastor of Lowe Avenue church, Omaha, where he served for six years, to take up the work of synodical superintendent of home missions in Nebraska, to which office he was elected some weeks ago.

APRIL BUILDING RECORDS SHOW HEALTHY INCREASE

Building records in Omaha for April of this year showed a total expenditure of \$323,000, as against \$273,985 for the same month last year. For the first four months of 1914 the building records show an expenditure of \$1,215,815, and for the same period of 1913, \$1,123,727.

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

Omaha Boy to Sing With Metropolitan Opera

Word has been received of another Omaha boy who promises to be very successful in the east. Mr. Sylvio Burkenroad, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Burkenroad, 2000 North Nineteenth street, signed to sing with the Metropolitan Opera company in New York City. Of the many who tried for positions, he was among the three who were chosen.

Mr. Burkenroad is 26 years old and has studied in New York City for the last four years at the Walter Damrosch Institute of Musical Art. For the last two seasons he has been taking special instruction under Campanini. Mr. Burkenroad's voice is a bass baritone, and has been highly praised by the great singer, Amato, who is very much interested in Mr. Burkenroad's career, and by David Flepman, who was the first one to predict a successful future for the Omaha lad.

Ten roles have been assigned to Mr. Burkenroad. It is interesting in this connection to note that he has considerable dramatic ability and has taken a great deal of dramatic training.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkenroad are expecting their son for a visit home this summer. He attended the Omaha high school before going to New York to study for a musical career.



Sylvio Burkenroad

Te Pool Looks Down Muzzle of Big Gun

Assistant City Attorney L. J. Te Pool was going home Friday afternoon at about the time Alfred Murphy, the touchman, was holding up the store at Twenty-fifth and Davenport streets. When the robber sought to make his get-away the first man he ran into was Te Pool, who is acting police prosecutor.

Te Pool said: "First thing I knew I was looking into the muzzle of a cannon. If it wasn't a cannon it was the biggest revolver I ever saw. I heard the fellow grumble something and my senses being very acute at the time I realized that he wanted the right-of-way. I did not hesitate. I gave him the sidewalk. I took the middle of the street."

Te Pool did not lose sight of the man after meeting him on the sidewalk until the officers had captured him.

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Fidelity Storage & Van Co., Doug. 1514. Have Boots Print It—Now Beacon Press. Lighting Fixtures—Burgess-Granden Co. Monthly Income for Life—Gould, See Building.

Get Gas Prices on lawn mowers. Jas. Morton & Son Co. Special Table for Hotel Diner 50c, 12 to 5 p. m. Hamilton Cafe, 31th and Farnam. New Esthrop Theater, 24th and Lehigh, opens tonight. Pictures, orchestra.

Goodrich Gasolene Garden Hose, half-inch Whirlpool, five ply, 1 1/4 foot at Jas. Morton & Son Co. Buy now.

When you know gas lighting you prefer it. Omaha Gas company, 1500 Howard street, Douglas 35.

Will Take Whistle Along—The siren whistle, that did good service in former trade excursions out of Omaha, is to travel on the special train of the Shriners to Atlanta, Ga., next week.

Marys Bond Over—Charles Miyers, charged with stealing \$2,000 from his mother-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Kugel, was bound over to the district court Saturday morning, with bonds fixed at \$1,000.

Corner Lot With Two Houses—Will sell reasonably, on account of leaving the city, the N. E. corner of St. Mary's Ave. and 34th Ave. Apply to A. Heller, 2412 St. Mary's avenue.

Gentleman Sells Block—William Gentelman has sold his brick business block, the second door north of Lake street, on the west side of Twenty-fourth street, to Oscar Manger for \$14,000. Gentleman kept a grocery store here some years ago. The first floor is fitted for a grocery store and the second floor is a hall.

Keenan Undergoes Operation—Joseph Keenan manager of the Henshaw hotel, has undergone an operation on his throat for the relief of continued irritation from which he has suffered. His condition is satisfactory and it is expected that he will soon be around again. While temporarily incapacitated, he is living at the hotel.

Bennie Thomas Says Not Guilty—Bennie Thomas, one of the first wards of the juvenile court when it was established in Omaha, pleaded not guilty to two charges of breaking and entering when arraigned before District Judge English Bennie for several years has been outside the jurisdiction of the juvenile court and has been frequently arrested by the police.

Persistent Advertising to the Sure Road to Business Success. BIRTHS AND DEATHS FOR LAST MONTH ARE GREATER

Births in the city during the month of April numbered 218 and the deaths totaled 138, according to the statistics in the health commissioner's office. For the same month of 1913 births were 213 and the deaths 149.

The Winner

In order to do things—to succeed—you must have health, and this means taking care of the digestion, the liver and the bowels. For this particular work

HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters

is well adapted. It soothes and tones the tired stomach and promotes bowel regularity. Try it.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Burd F. Miller, state architect, will lecture at All Souls' church, Lincoln, Sunday evening.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

MANY CARNATIONS ARE SOLD

Flowers for Swedish Hospital Benefit Sell in Spite of Rain.

MONEY IS FOR CHARITY WORK

Profits of the Sale Will Go Toward Defraying the Expenses of Taking Care of Patients Without Funds.

Are showers predestined to fall on Carnation days? The question is being seriously asked by over 100 workers who sold flowers on the streets and in buildings for the benefit of the Swedish Mission hospital, Twenty-fourth and Pratt streets.

However, the blossoms sold readily in spite of the rain and the committee expects to clear several hundred dollars. The money will be used to defray the expense of charity cases cared for at the hospital. Mayor Dahlman endorsed the proposition and issued a proclamation that the flowers might be sold throughout the city. Many people ordered bunches delivered to their homes.

The main committee directing the young women selling the flowers is as follows: Miss Hilma Carlson, Mrs. Paul Wimmer, Mrs. Anna Larson, Mrs. Carl Johnson, Rev. J. M. Westlund and Carl Johnson. They had their headquarters in the State Bank building, where W. H. Thomas donated the use of a storeroom.

LOBECK FILES PAPERS AS CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE

C. O. Lobeck, representative to congress, has paid his filing fee in the office of the county clerk primary to his campaign for re-election, and has sent the receipt to be filed at Lincoln.

Peace to Prevail

With Construction Workmen in Omaha

There is said to be peace between the workmen and the contractors in the various lines of building in Omaha as wage differences to date are satisfactorily adjusted. The structural steel workers have just been granted an increase from 38c cents an hour to 40 cents after an extended conference with the contractors on the subject. Mr. Barry, western delegate of the structural steel workers, was in the city for a few days and effected the adjustment while he was here. The bricklayers are at peace with their contractors also, and the carpenters have been satisfied since the settlement reached last summer.

JAMES MITCHELL, PIONEER OF NEBRASKA, IS DEAD

James Mitchell, aged 82 years, Valley, Neb., died Friday at the home of his son, James, Jr., Perry, Ia. Burial services will be held at Valley Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. Mitchell was a Nebraska pioneer and came to this state fifty years ago. Surviving the deceased besides the wife are three sons—William, Los Angeles, Cal.; James, Jr., and John, both of Perry, Ia., and one daughter, Mrs. J. J. Miller, Valley, Neb.

JUDGE M'PHERSON TO HELP OUT JUDGE T. C. MUNGER

Judge M'Pherson of Iowa will sit on the bench of the United States district court, starting Monday, to assist Judge T. C. Munger in the hearing of the unusually large number of cases on the federal docket.

Waterloo Woman Stricken While Here and Dies

Mrs. Stuart Earley of Waterloo, 70 years old, well known in eastern Nebraska and Omaha, died yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of District Judge A. L. Sutton. With Mrs. Isaac Noyes, her sister and the mother of Mrs. Sutton, Mrs. Earley came to Omaha for a visit only a few days ago and at 7 o'clock Friday morning sustained a stroke of paralysis, from the effects of which she was unconscious until the end. Mrs. Earley came to Nebraska from New York twelve years ago. She was a member of a wealthy and prominent family. The funeral will be held Monday, with burial at the farm near Waterloo.

HOLOVITCHNER DECLARES FOR INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Social gatherings were held Friday night in Monmouth Park and Central Park schools. Dr. E. Holovitchner, member of the Board of Education, made speeches at each school, in which he advocated an industrial high school. Large numbers of parents, friends of the schools and children attended the gatherings.

CITY GETS WRIT TO STOP PLOWING ON BOULEVARD

An injunction suit in which the city of Omaha is plaintiff has been brought in district court against George Scheschy to restrain him from plowing up a part of Carter lake boulevard which, he asserts, the city unjustly condemned.

Quickest Relief Known

For all Sore Feet

The following is absolutely the surest and quickest cure known to science for all foot ailments. Dissolve two table-spoonfuls of Calocide compound in a basin of warm water. Soak the feet in this for full fifteen minutes, gently rubbing the sore parts. The effect is really wonderful. All soreness goes instantly and the feet feel so good you could sing for joy. Corns and callouses can be peeled right off. It gives immediate relief for sore bunions, aching feet. A twenty-cent box of Calocide is said to be sufficient to cure the worst feet. It works through the pores and removes the cause of the trouble. Don't waste time on uncertain remedies. Any druggist has Calocide compound in stock or he can get it in a few hours from his wholesale house. It is not a patent medicine. Calocide prepared only by Medical Formula Co. of Dayton, Ohio.

FREE CATALOG OF FINE Violins

Complete with case bow and extra strings at \$5.00, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$35.00, \$50.00, \$75.00, \$100.00, \$150.00, \$200.00, \$250.00, \$300.00, \$350.00, \$400.00, \$450.00, \$500.00, \$600.00, \$700.00, \$800.00, \$900.00, \$1,000.00 and up. Sold on Easy Payments. Write for Free Catalog of Musical Instruments. A. HOSPE CO. Our 40th 1515 Douglas St., Omaha, Neb.

THE OMAHA BEE—THE HOME PAPER.

CHILDREN AND GOOD FURNITURE

ARE THE BIG FACTORS that go to make a happy home. Each is incomplete without the other. You really owe it to your children—to your entire family—that their surroundings be of the proper kind—in fact, the best, and you can give them the very best. Don't ask yourself the question, "Can I afford it?"

NEW MODEL AUTOMATIC DAVO-BED Regular \$28.00 Value \$16.75 on Sale at \$16.75 THIS ASTONISHING BED DAVENPORT BARGAIN, made exclusively for Hartman's in a plain heavy colonial design; frame is of solid oak and upholstered of guaranteed Imperial leather. It is beautifully diamond tufted on heavy steel frame construction; easily converted into a full-size bed and a suitable piece of furniture for library, parlor or bedroom. Positively a splendid value at this price.

HARTMAN'S OFFER YOU from the largest, highest-grade stock in the city to choose from at prices that are positively the lowest in Omaha. And no matter what you earn or who you are you can come to any of our stores and buy as much as you wish and take a year—or more if necessary—to pay. If a real home interests you, visit one of our stores. Our extremely generous open-account system which permits you to pay your bill in small monthly sums, enables you to afford whatever you wish.

A HIGH-GRADE, COMFORTABLE PORCH OR SUNROOM ROCKER. Frame constructed stoutly of fine, solid oak, finished golden; has roomy double cane seat, re-enforced. A serviceable article for outdoor or indoor use. Specially priced at only \$1.89

PROSPECTIVE SPRING BRIDES—ATTENTION We specialize in complete outfits, which are ready for housekeeping. An unlimited variety to choose from. Sold on extremely generous terms.

ELEGANT PARLOR ROCKER BARGAIN—Made of specially selected hard wood. American quartered imitation oak finish; very unique design; has curved, bent arms and strongly braced upholstery in guaranteed Imperial leather over steel spring construction; a roomy and comfortable parlor rocker at this very low price \$5.95

A STRONGLY CONSTRUCTED COLLAPSIBLE GO-CART, which folds completely with one motion, hood and all; has all-steel frame, large wheel and heavy rubber tires; the back and dash are adjustable; a genuine bargain and specially priced for this week's selling at \$4.25

SOLID OAK MISSION LIBRARY SET Imperial Spanish Leather Upholstering. THIS MISSION STYLE, 3-PIECE LIBRARY SUIT, made of well seasoned solid oak, finished in fumed; chairs are large and roomy, upholstered in Imperial Spanish leather over steel springs; table is of large size, with convenient drawers; these three pieces at a great saving, for this week only \$12.75

TWO-INCH STEEL POST BED COMBINATION—This combination consists of all-steel post bed, ten heavy fillers, enclosed in Veris Martin; springs are of all-steel, supported in the center so that they will not sag. The mattress is a good, clean felt top, strongly made; this complete combination for this week at only \$10.75

WHITE ENAMELED REFRIGERATOR, made of the best seasoned wood, finished golden, with double wall construction; thoroughly filled with mineral wool; provision compartment is beautifully finished in white enamel, with removable shelf; has roomy ice chamber; the most economical refrigerator manufactured, and priced extremely low for this week at \$5.95

Sliding Side Metal Crib Complete with a high-grade set of springs; beautifully finished in Veris Martin enamel, 2 ft. 4 in. wide; crib that every thoughtful mother should consider; extremely low for this week at \$5.95

FREE catalog to out of town buyers. FOR THIS WEEK WE ARE OFFERING A 5x11-FOOT VELVET RUG, in a new spring design, made of the very best woolen yarns; harmonious color combinations, guaranteed permanent; a large assortment of designs to choose from; a rug of exceptional merit; dining room or bedroom; a bargain at \$11.98

Combination Kitchen Table THIS SANITARY KITCHEN CABINET BASE, two bins, two utensil drawers and one long kneading board; a well-constructed article of exceptional merit; special this week at \$3.95

HARTMAN'S 1414-1416-1418 DOUGLAS ST.

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