

REPUBLICANS WIN ELECTION

Carry Each Place for South Omaha Board of Education.

LEIGH RETURNED BY BIG VOTE

Horacek and Faulk Elected Far Ahead of the Democratic Candidates in Balloting at Magic City.

SOUTH OMAHA WINNERS.

E. R. Leigh, (rep.) 1,514
Godfrey Horacek, (rep.) 1,450
F. W. Faulk, (rep.) 1,250

Vote in Detail.

Leigh, (rep.) 1,514
Horacek, (rep.) 1,450
Faulk, (rep.) 1,250
Collins, (dem.) 654
Dunlap, (dem.) 656
Hunter, (dem.) 587
Schneider, (dem.) 582
O'Reilly, (dem.) 568
Wormbach, (rep.) 466
Madison, (rep.) 152
Total vote cast, approximately 2,700
Registered voters 2,500

Republicans carried the school elections yesterday in South Omaha by a heavy majority. E. R. Leigh, republican, president of the Board of Education, was returned by a majority of nearly 600 over Martin Collins, his nearest democratic competitor.

The democrats were badly split, while the republicans were practically united for the three men elected. The election was a tribute to the work that has been done by the present republican Board of Education.

Speaks for Unity. Among the republicans the victory was of peculiar interest as showing the continued unity of the South Omaha republicans. The South Omaha Republican club, of which the three new board members are members, was active in the campaign work.

President E. R. Leigh of the board was slated over the victory. "We felt that the people were with us in our fight for better schools. We are grateful for their continued confidence and their complimentary vote."

President Henry C. Murphy of the South Omaha Republican club said: "It's a promise of the outcome of the battle next fall."

Moorehead Answers Questions. Election Commissioner Harley Moorehead has a quiet sense of humor that at times stands him in good stead. Yesterday in South Omaha he had cause to draw upon this fund.

A candidate having a suspicion of the activities of a certain automobile followed it patiently most of the day, reporting at times to the commissioner. He feared the machine was carrying friends of his opponents to and from the polls.

Charles Alstad, who sleeps with a republican platform under his pillow, went to bed grieving last night because the republicans have only four of the five places on the Board of Education.

FOSHIER TO PROVIDE CARS FOR MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Charles W. Allen, chairman of the Memorial day committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, is busy this week arranging for the motor cars which will carry the veterans in the parade on Decoration day.

Not all of the machines necessary for the parade have been secured, and others who will volunteer the use of their motor cars for the Decoration day parade for the use of the veterans may address Charles W. Allen at the federal building.

UNION PACIFIC TRAINS NOT TO BE CONSOLIDATED

Passenger Traffic Manager Fort of the Union Pacific is back from the east, where he attended the meeting of the Transcontinental Passenger association, discussing matters in connection with next year's Panama-Pacific exposition business.

PROPRIETORS ARE FINED AND INMATES FORFEIT BONDS

George Mentz, proprietor of a cafe at 41 Jackson street, in which fifteen inmates, both men and women were taken, drinking after hours, was fined \$5 and

Operatic Manager Baker Declares Day of Stars is Waning

"The so-called 'star system' so long in vogue with grand opera producers of this country, is fast coming to an end," said Charles R. Baker of San Francisco, manager of the Lambarde Grand Opera company, which has just closed a most successful season in the east.

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This action of the teachers' committee was taken at a recent executive session, when the matter of other changes in the teaching staff was also considered. The salary of the supervisor of writing is \$1,550 a year. Mr. Savage will be employed at this salary, as the board has tacitly agreed that no salaries shall be increased this year.

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SAVAGE TO TEACH WRITING

Former Omaha Commercial College Teacher Succeeds Peed.

AWAITS ACTION OF THE BOARD

Selection is Already Made by the Teachers' Committee and Mr. Savage Has Been Notified of the Choice.

O. H. Peed, supervisor of writing in the Omaha public schools, will be replaced by J. A. Savage of the Grand Island Business and Normal college next year if the Board of Education approves the action of the committee on teachers and instruction.

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Taxpayers' League Reports 200 Men Are Now Members

At a meeting of the members of the League of Omaha Taxpayers at the Auditorium yesterday, the secretary reported that nearly 200 taxpayers had joined the organization, with many more in view.

A few weeks ago the executive committee formulated a statement of the objects of the league and directed the secretary to present it to the taxpayers generally, requesting them to join. The response has been generous, and the work of enrolling members is proceeding satisfactorily.

The executive committee is as follows: Arthur C. Smith, chairman; Robert C. Howe, Joseph Barker, W. S. Wright, E. P. Peck, Robert Cowell, Charles H. Pickens, Thomas C. Byrne and Harry Tukey. This committee recently elected officers of the league as follows: Arthur C. Smith, president; Robert C. Howe, vice president; Joseph Barker, treasurer; J. B. Haynes, secretary.

RAILROAD COMPANY SUED FOR DEATH OF LAUSTERER

Suit against the Illinois Central railroad company in behalf of the estate of John Lausterer, who was burned to death in the fire which destroyed the T. F. Stroud wagon factory, April 5, 1912, has gone to trial in Judge English's court.

The company is asked to pay \$10,000, sparks from one of its engines being alleged to have set fire to the factory, wherein Lausterer was employed.

Y. M. C. A. TO HOLD SPELLING BEE LATTER PART OF MONTH

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Contest which the ordinary business man, housewife, working boy and shop girl can enter without the handicap of competing with persons who have made a specialty of spelling or are literary "sharks."

President C. T. Walker of the Board of Education will preside as chairman of the contest. Miss Brown, principal of Cass school, will pronounce the words to be spelled. A small admission fee will be charged to defray the expense of the prizes. A grand prize will be given to the contestant who stands the longest, and the next best man and woman speller will each get a prize. A looby prize will be given to the person who goes down first.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday



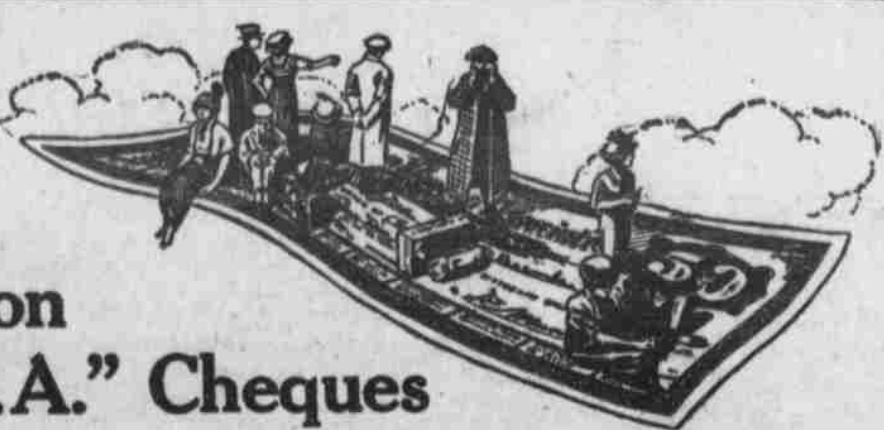
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Table with shoe sale prices: Men's and Boys' Shoes \$1.00, Men's Shoes and Oxfords \$1.39, Men's Shoes and Oxfords \$1.69, Men's Shoes and Oxfords \$1.98, Ladies' and Misses' Oxfords, Shoes and Pumps 69c, Ladies' and Misses' Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps 98c, Ladies' and Misses' Oxfords, Shoes and Pumps \$1.98, Ladies' and Misses' Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps \$1.39.

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