

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Stack-Falconer Co., Undertakers. Have Root Print Co.—New Beacon Press. Lighting Fixtures, Burgess-Grandon Co. Bailey the Dentist, City Nat'l D 2564. Chambers' School of Dancing—New classes now forming, Douglas 1872.

The Nebraska Savings and Loan Ass'n offers a safe and profitable plan to help you save, 106 Farnam street.

The State Bank of Omaha pays 4 per cent on time deposits, 3 per cent on saving accounts. The only bank in Omaha whose depositors are protected by the depositors' guarantee fund of the state of Nebraska. 17th and Harney streets.

Ryder Talks at Lincoln—The Nebraska Municipal league will meet in Lincoln next week and several Omahans will participate on the program of speakers. Police Commissioner J. J. Ryder will talk on "Public Safety" by invitation.

Two Are Bound Over—Benjamin Casapluski and Joseph Homan, who were arrested Monday on a charge of robbing the Plattner Lumber company, were bound over to the district court on bonds of \$750 each. They were charged with breaking and entering.

Will Be at Mid-Winter Meeting—Rev. T. P. Quikley, state superintendent of the Nebraska Children's Home society, has prepared several interesting papers which he will deliver at the mid-winter meeting of superintendents of various states, which will be held in Des Moines the last three days of this week.

Occupation Tax Cases Dismissed—Cases against twenty-two coal dealers for failure to pay their occupation taxes were dismissed by the city sealer of weights and measures on account of efforts being made by city commissioners and coal dealers to agree upon an ordinance that will impose no arduous duty on any dealer, but which will provide a tax that will support the inspection department of the city.

Omaha Invites Teachers—Omaha's invitation to the Nebraska State Teachers' association to hold next year's convention here, will be sent to Secretary W. B. Bishop of the association's executive committee between now and January 10, the date the vote of the teachers on a meeting place will be decided. Manager Parfish of the Commercial club publicity bureau will send the invitation.

Diggs Nolen Case is Now on Trial in the Federal Court

The case of DIGGS NOLEN went to trial in the federal court yesterday morning. The forenoon was occupied in empanelling the jury. Nolen was indicted under two counts—first, devising a scheme to defraud, taking from the United States mails a letter addressed to H. K. George containing a draft for \$1,990, securing the endorsement of Tom Denton to the draft and cashing the alleged fraudulent draft; second, using an assumed and fictitious name in the mails with the intention of carrying out his scheme to defraud.

Nolen was brought from the Douglas county jail to the court room handcuffed by the United States marshal and deputies. Arthur Mullen is defending Nolen. Mullen called the attention of the court to the fact that he was retained in a case to come up before the supreme court Friday of this week and sought to have either the Nolen case postponed or to get an understanding that if it were not finished by Thursday evening it could be then continued to Saturday. Judge Elliott said it would be possible to hold a night session of court Thursday evening if the case were near completion in order to finish it.

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OPPOSITION TO COMPROMISE SCHEMED TO BREAK JAIL

Real Estate Men Say Now is Not Time to Extend Franchise.

Will Make Nominations for the City Charter Committee to Be Named at Primaries on Tenth of March.

Opposition to the proposed compromise on dollar gas between the city and the gas company was voiced by many members of the Real Estate exchange. The consensus of opinion seemed to be that the city should wait a few years, probably through the five-year period of the franchise, before any action be taken toward lengthening the company's franchise.

John Robbins declared now to be a "poor time to make a settlement. We have a franchise to run five years yet," he said. "We are on the easy seat and somebody else is on the anxious seat."

The discussion in the exchange followed an explanation of the proposed compromise and necessary legislation leading up to it given by Judge Ben Baker, city corporation counsel.

Members of the exchange declared they were not opposed to dollar gas; moreover, they want it, but the extension of the company's franchise in order to secure it is the principal objection.

The exchange again passed a resolution favoring the physical valuation of public service corporations and the committee which was named to make an investigation when the proposition first was endorsed said it would make a report at a meeting in the near future.

City and County Treasurer W. G. Ure said he thought there is a law requiring valuation of public service corporations; that the telephone company is now being valued and others are to be valued later.

The exchange will make nominations for the city charter committee at the next meeting. John L. McCague is urging the organization to "wake up" on the charter proposition said the people of Omaha should not elect men to the commission who seek the office. The primary election, he announced, will be held February 10 and filings must be made ten days before that day. The election follows March 11.

"This charter committee," said he, "is of vital importance and the people must wake up to that fact. The other fellows are working day and night. The question is, Are we, the Real Estate exchange, going to have anything to do with it. Are we going to have men who seek the place. The man who seeks the office is not the man you want."

Warmer Weather Coming This Way; Mercury is Rising

Warmer weather is ahead and is coming as fast as a Chinook wind from the Pacific coast can bring it. While it was 49 degrees below zero at Parlington, Wis., Tuesday morning it was 20 above yesterday morning.

In the Black Hills district where it was 20 below it is now 15 above. At Alliance the thermometer yesterday morning registered zero and west of there about 100 miles along the Burlington it was up to 20 above.

In the southwestern part of Nebraska the temperature is from 2 to 15 below and in central Nebraska, 2 to 22 below. The extreme western part of the state had snow flurries yesterday but the general condition is clear.

General Superintendent D. Bernard of the Missouri Pacific is in Omaha inspecting the double track work being done on the Belt Line.

IMPLEMENT MEN AT WORK

Convention is Given a Good Start at the Omaha Auditorium.

ATTENDANCE IS VERY LARGE

Auditorium is Filled to Overflowing with Splendid Display of the Latest Products of the Manufacturers.

Larger attendance, more enthusiasm and more business marked the first session of the fourth annual Midwest Retail Implement Dealers' association at the Auditorium yesterday morning.

The president's annual address, given by Paul Herpolsheimer of Seward, comprised a history of the four years' existence of the association and the wonderful results of co-operation. Secretary M. L. Grooman and Treasurer C. A. Wagner made their reports, which also showed the work of the association during the last year to have been successful.

About 80 implement dealers, jobbers and traveling men attended the meeting, which was held on the stage of the Auditorium. Two addresses, one on cost finding and another on dairying, pertaining to the implement business, were given. C. M. John of Rush City, Minn., talked on "Cost of Doing Business" and illustrated his discussion with figures on a blackboard. The average expense of doing business for the retail implement dealer, he said, amounts to 12 per cent of the sales.

Prof. James Jarvis of the De Laval Separator company of Chicago, delivered an address on "A Method of Increasing the Implement Dealer's Profits." Most of it related to dairying and the dealer's co-operation with the farmer to promote sales.

The convention hall is filled with various implements, engines and vehicles. Some of the larger traction engines which could not be placed in the building are on exhibition in the street in front with the whistles buzzing and steam spouting. Salesmen and representatives of plants manufacturing these products are in Omaha taking advantage of the convention to increase their business. Members of the International Harvester company's executive forces in Chicago arrived for the implement show. They will participate in the program in relation to the departments that they represent in the company's exhibit. Among them are H. L. Rees, division manager; E. F. Bolte, manager cream separator department; C. O. Aspenwall, manager engine department; W. F. Pape, manager wagon department; F. B. Culbertson, manager stock department; C. E. Atkinson, manager drill department.

Already the political pot at the convention headquarters is boiling. Lobbyists for various by-laws and rules and boosters for candidates are going about mus-

tering their boxes. Much interest is being aroused in the next president of the association. The principal man talked of is Vice President Ed Lehtakall of Wahoo. Many dealers want to boost him to the presidency. The election will be held the last day of the convention. The meeting place for next year also will be decided then.

The afternoon was spent in inspecting exhibits and visiting local implement dealers and dealers' headquarters. A joint meeting of manufacturers, jobbers and dealers was held at the Auditorium last night.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Peter Anderson, 305 Stone avenue, frame dwelling, \$200. Fred Vogel Investment company, 120 South Sixteenth street, brick store, \$1,200.

Key to the Situation—Bee Advertising.

Teachers to Vote on Time and Place of Next Convention

Ballots will be sent to the members of the Nebraska State Teachers' association January 13 for the purpose of securing a vote on the next convention city, which will be either Omaha or Lincoln. The Omaha and Lincoln Commercial clubs are each given permission to enclose an invitation with the ballot, the same not to exceed a thousand words.

Only Omaha and Lincoln will be voted on. The ballots must be returned by February 2. They will be counted at Lincoln February 8. The teachers will also name the time when the convention will be held, choosing between election

week, first and second half of Thanks-giving week and Christmas week. Last year the ballots were almost unanimously for the November meeting.

PHILIP SCHWARTZ TO TAKE POSITION IN CHICAGO

After completing several business propositions Philip Schwartz, for many years associated with the management of the Nebraska Clothing company, up to its recent change of ownership, has arranged to locate in Chicago with an enterprise to be known as the Comfort Manufacturing company, putting out specialties in clothing and wearing apparel. Mr. Schwartz was one of the moving spirits in the organization of the Omaha Teachers' association and head of its membership committee. His family will remain here through the winter and join him in the spring.

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