

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Townsend's for Sporting Goods... Sanitary Supplies, Jas. Morton & Son Co... Lightening Pictures—Burgess-Granden... Have Book Print 2—Now Reason Press... Dr. Stokes removed to 474 Brand St... Auto Fire Churn, Jas. Morton & Son Co... Property Cased For—To rent property... Today's Movie program classified section today... Fifteen Days in Jail—John Murthead... Auto is Swiped—Kenneth F. Reed... Steals Hay from Railroad—Frank Unruh... Two Men for Divorce—Mrs. Lulu Leighty... Reservoir Goes for Cruise—LeRoy Hoagland... To Show Navy Life—Pictures showing life in the navy... To Talk at Volunteer Hall—Rev. Robert Karr... Applies to Court for Aid—Evelyn Foster... Creighton Student Enlists—Ernest Lowry Piper... Two Draw Fines—D. Thomas and I. Hamilton... To Discuss a New Subject—Sunday afternoon Miss M. Alice Mackenzie will address the Omaha philosophical society...

Omahans Take Part in County Sunday School Convention

Many Omahans will take prominent part in the annual convention of the Douglas County Sunday School association... Special addresses, some of them illustrated with stereopticon views, and discussions of Sunday school problems will make up the program... Among Omahans on the program are the following: Dr. James M. Patton, Rev. J. A. Maxwell, Lee G. Kratz, G. W. Noble, R. S. Flower, Mrs. C. L. Shook, Mrs. Louis A. Borsheim, P. A. High, J. R. Cain, Jr., Elmer E. Thomas, I. R. Limes, George W. Cameron, Ithram A. Salisbury, Mrs. J. P. Butler and Mrs. George P. Carley... George T. Lindley and Willard Chambers of Omaha are president and secretary, respectively.

Manley and McCague Back from Hastings

Commissioner Robert Manley of the Commercial club and John L. McCague, former president, have returned from Hastings, where they attended the meeting of the Nebraska Association of Commercial Clubs Wednesday... The association in a resolution approved the activity of the Nebraska delegation in congress toward securing a Missouri river snagging appropriation... The proposed tri-county supplemental water supply project, which seeks to draw river water out on the farms during the winter and store it in the soil for crop use in the summer, was also approved.

Expect Hay Market for the Fall Trade

Omaha will probably have a hay market established in time to handle the hay crop of Nebraska this fall... That at least is the hope of the hay market committee of the Commercial club which is working hard on details to get underway as soon as possible... The figures recently published revealing the fact that Nebraska is by far the largest producer of hay in the United States has added an impetus to the work of the committee, for they feel now more keenly than ever before how absurd it has been for Omaha to be so long without a hay market where an adequate system of grading and selling hay could be maintained.

George Trumbell is Still Unconscious

George Trumbell, who was found in an unconscious condition at Tenth and Douglas streets Wednesday morning, is still in the same condition at St. Joseph's hospital... Dr. T. T. Harris asserts that Trumbell is apparently suffering from a stroke of some sort and advises that relatives of the man be located if possible.

WILL REVIVE LOST ART OF SPELLING

Principal Adams of Commerce School Will Try to Make It a Pleasure.

FOREFATHERS LIKED THE GAME

Principal Adams of the High School of Commerce intends to make spelling the king of indoor sports. He contends that this ancient and honorable diversion has suffered a decadence. Omaha is to have a revival of spelling and Mr. Adams will be the revivalist. "Our forebears took a delight in spelling, while we make it a drudgery. In the good old days spelling bees were part of the social life of the community. The best spellers of the town were pointed to with pride just as one would point to with new court house or city hall. Today we view our spelling with alarm. We need preparedness in spelling," said Principal Adams.

Present Day Pupils Lax

The serious phase of the matter is that the pupils of public schools are not coming up to the mark in their spelling. In order to awaken an interest in this branch of learning, Mr. Adams has devised a plan which he believes will meet with strong approval at the High School of Commerce. A board of eight teachers of the school will supervise the contests to be held, beginning next Monday morning. There are to be four tests each semester among the four classes of the school. The spelling board will prepare separate lists of 100 words each for the classes and in each room the words will be read by the teachers. In this manner each pupil will be given 800 words during the school year.

To Strike Averages

Averages will be recorded for the best spellers of each class, for the best rooms and for the classes. At the end of each semester the averages of the four tests will be brought together to determine the winners of the semester. In a case of tie there will be a public spelling down at an assembly in the school building. A cup will be offered and will be held by the winners as long as they are in the lead. The election of words will be made from the editorials, advertisements and legal notices in the Omaha daily newspapers, the use of the papers to be rotated. Announcement will be made one day in advance of the newspaper to be used by the spelling board, which will give the pupils an opportunity to prepare. In a general way, although they will not know what words they will be called upon to spell until the lists are read by the teachers. The plan has the approval of members of the Board of Education. Robert Cowell has offered the silver cup. The names of the spelling board are: J. A. Knotts, J. T. Morey, L. A. Detring, R. R. Barry, Katherine White, Alta P. Hotchkiss, Henry Clausen.

Joys of the Rent Family



Sixteen New Cases of Scarlet Fever and Sixteen Recoveries

Sixteen new cases and sixteen removals of quarantine is the scarlet fever record for the last twenty-four hours. There are 224 places under quarantine at this time. New cases are as follows: Sarah Roberts, 912 Douglas, South Sixteenth; George Schmehoff, 610 1/2 South Sixteenth; H. W. Case, 2305 Farnam; Lela Jones, room 411, Wellington Inn; Russel Weaver, 1215 Douglas; Rose Taylor, 4218 Seward; Ethel Nelson, 1612 Dorcas; Elmer Beddoe, 1526 South Twenty-fourth; David Kohn, 225 Seward; Wilma and Virgil Malone, 719 South Thirtieth; Mrs. Roberts and daughter, 1406 North Thirty-fifth; M. Paradiel, 406 North Thirty-first; Mrs. Latham, 225 Seward; R. Bolter, 126 South Fourth. Removed to city hospital.

Alleges Wife Wed Him for His Money

Charles C. Denman, who was married to Mrs. Calya Denman in Chicago November 18, 1914, alleges in a petition for divorce that immediately after the ceremony she manifested "intense dislike" for him and that afterward she told him she "married him for his money." Mr. Denman informs the court that at the time of his marriage he was possessed of a large quantity of cash, which he alleges, Mrs. Denman dissipated. Not long after the marriage, according to Mr. Denman's petition, Mrs. Denman went to San Francisco and has declined to come to Omaha to live with him.

SCHOOL BOARD PLEASSED WITH HEALTH SHOWING

Of sixteen scarlet fever cases reported to the health office during the last twenty-four hours only two were of public school attendants, one being of Park school and the other of Monmouth Park school. The school officials believe this showing speaks well for the medical inspection system which is in operation in all of the schools.

JUDGE RINER OF CHEYENNE VISITS OLD FRIENDS HERE

Federal Judge John A. Riner of Cheyenne, Wyo., was at the federal building en route from Washington to his home. He has been on the federal bench twenty-six years, having been appointed when he was only 46 years old.

"CASCARETS" WHEN BILIOUS; CONSTIPATED

Cascarets Gently Cleanse the Liver and Bowels, Stopping Headache, Nasty Breath, Sour Stomach or Bad Colds.

Better Than Salts, Oil, Calomel or Pills for Men, Women, Children—Never Gripe—20 Million Boxes Sold Last Year.

Take one or two Cascarets tonight and enjoy the nice, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand, your head will be clear, your tongue clean, breath sweet, stomach regulated and your liver and thirty feet of bowels active. Get a box at any drug store now and get straightened up by morning. Stop the headache, biliousness, bad colds and bad days. Feel fit and ready for work or play. Cascarets do not gripe, sicken or inconvenience you the next day like salts, pills or calomel. They're fine! Mothers should give a whole Cascaret any time to cross, sick, bilious or feverish children because it will act thoroughly and cannot injure.



Jerry Howard is Working Hard for Welfare Board

Jerry Howard again has shown that he is a patron of the proletariat. Superintendent Schrieber of the Welfare board has received sixty applications from men who want work. About twenty-five said they were sent by Jerry Howard. At first Mr. Schrieber did not show any curiosity, but when the twentieth man and the twenty-first said Jerry Howard had sent them the new superintendent of the Welfare board began to inquire about one Jerry Howard. Having been in Omaha only a week Mr. Schrieber did not know of the publicists of the city. Attorney McGuire enlightened the superintendent. Mr. Howard's services in behalf of the Welfare board are appreciated.

COLORADO COW PUNCHERS SUB MOTOR FOR PONIES

Clad in cowboy boots and hats and driving an auto through the snow from Berthoud, Colo., to Lafayette, Ind. George W. Rodeffer and a friend attracted much attention at Hotel Fontaine Wednesday, when they visited the Auto club headquarters. They told Secretary S. E. Smyth of the Auto club they were enjoying their winter auto tour and had found the gasoline buggy

"Gawge" Sure Does Find Plenty of Excitement in This Great Gate City

The police arrested B. W. Burtoch, an itinerant from Des Moines, on complaint of stealing \$2 from one "Gawge" Brown, a strapping and surprising doctlo county negro.

At the station "Gawge's" eyes bulged out like doorknobs as he experienced for the first time the nearness of "de law."

One of the station practical jokers heard the story and donning coat and hat, went out, to return immediately, apparently much exhausted.

"There's the fellow that robbed me," shouted the joker, pointing an accusing finger at "Gawge." "He walloped me on the head with a club and took \$2 and ran."

"Gawge" let out one gasp of astonishment that sounded like the overland limited blowing off steam. "Oh, bawaw-aw!" he wailed, clinging to Andy Pattullo's suspenders. "Doan let dat wite gemman thay ah tuk his

nelle Wednesday, when they visited the Auto club headquarters. They told Secretary S. E. Smyth of the Auto club they were enjoying their winter auto tour and had found the gasoline buggy a much better method of travel than the range pony, even in winter. Their home is at Berthoud, which is in the foothills of the mountains east of the new Rocky Mountain National park.

Store Hours, 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Saturday till 9 P. M.

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. "EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Unusual Sale of Silk Remnants Three Lots--39c, 49c and 79c

SILK will be the most popular of material for Spring wearables and there is no better time to anticipate your Spring needs than at this sale Friday. Including the most favored plain and fancy silks that formerly sold from 75c to \$1.50 the yard, specially priced for Friday at 39c, 49c and 79c the yard.

24-Inch Silk Poplin, 36-Inch Plain Meesallines, 36-Inch Silk Poplins, 36-Inch Plain Silk Poplins, 36-Inch Wash Silks, 36-Inch Chiffon Taffetas, 36-Inch Black Chiffon Taffetas, 36-Inch Crepe de Chine.

BURGESS-NASH BASEMENT STORE

Women's \$5.00 High Shoes Friday, \$2.45

SHOES that are all late models transferred from our main shoe section on the Second floor.

C and D Widths All leathers and styles \$2.45 Sizes 3 to 7, not a pair worth less than \$5.00.

Clearaway of Women's Shoes Were to \$3.50 at 50c

Small sizes left from the season's selling. All leathers and styles, in sizes 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2. Formerly to \$3.50, at, pair, 50c

Boys' \$2.50 Shoes \$1.98

Boys' box calf shoes, solid leather soles, splendid for school and play; were \$2.50, Friday, at, pair, \$1.98

Women's and Misses' Skirts, Were to \$6, \$2.98

A WIDE selection of women's and misses' skirts, all good styles in navy, black, brown, green, plaids and stripes. Made of such dependable materials as silk, waffle cloth, serges, whipcords and mixtures; were to \$6.00, choice Friday, \$2.98.

Women's Suits and Dresses, Friday at One-Half Price

All our women's suits and dresses in a special clearaway sale to make room for new merchandise. Friday to close out at 1/2 price.

Silk and Cotton Jacquards 25c and 39c Kind, Yd. 15c

SEVERAL shades of blue, pink, tan, gray and white silk and cotton Jacquards, perfect colorings and weaves; the kind usually sold for 25c and 39c, Friday, from the bolt, yard, 15c

25c Tissues, at 12 1/2c

Striped and checked Lorraine Egyptian tissues; the usual 25c kind, sold Friday from bolts and in dress lengths, at, yard, 12 1/2c.

FROM 8:30 A. M. UNTIL 12 M. Special Full 36-inch unbleached muslin in perfect 3 to 15-yard lengths; the kind that usually sells for double the price, Friday from 8:30 a. m. until 12 m., special at, yard, 3 1/2c

36-Inch Percales, 5c

Fancy checked, striped and figured percales, 27 and 36 inches wide, desirable for aprons, dresses and children's wear. An exceptional value, at, the yard, 5c

15c Mercerized Satens, 7 1/2c

Remnants of mercerized satens, black and colors; regularly worth from 15c to 25c, on sale Friday, at, yard, 7 1/2c.

FROM 1:30 P. M. UNTIL 6 P. M. Special Remnants of fancy woven red seal, York and Amoskeag dress gingham, 32 inches wide, in light, medium and dark colorings; 12 1/2c kind, 1:30 to 6 p. m., Friday special, at, yard, 6c

Women's Underwear \$1 Kind, Friday 39c

BROKEN sizes in Women's part wool vests and pants, regular \$1.00 values, special at 39c.

50c Union Suits, 35c

White cotton union suits, for women, high neck, long sleeves; the kind usually sold for 50c, Friday, 35c

Children's School Hose, 15c

Boys' and girls' ribbed cotton hose, good wearing quality for school, specially priced at 2 15c pairs for 25c, or pair, 15c

Children's Underwear, 19c

Children's cream colored fleece lined vests and pants, sizes 20 to 30; specially priced Friday, at, the garment, 19c

Corsets to \$5, Friday \$1.00

AN ASSORTMENT of broken lines of corsets, including such standard makes as "R. & G.," "W. B.," "Warner's" and other high priced corsets, values up to \$5.00, choice at \$1.00.

Women's Brassieres, 39c

A SPECIAL value in brassieres for Friday. Both front and back closing, trimmed with dainty embroidery, Friday at 39c.

Men's \$1.00 Shirts in One Lot--Choice 59c

HERE'S a shirt sale scheduled for Friday in the Basement that is well worth a special trip down town to attend. Values and price that warrant the laying in of a season's supply. Made of percales, negligee style and all well fitting, good assortment of patterns. Not a shirt worth less than \$1.00. Extra special Friday at, 59c

Men's Hose, 6 Pairs 60c

Guaranteed hose for men, the kind that will be replaced if holes are worn within six months. Friday, box of 6 pairs for, 60c

Men's Union Suits, 89c

The celebrated Chalmers brand union suits for men, well fitting, suitable for between sea-son wear; special Friday, at, 89c

Men's Handkerchiefs, 8 1/2c

Exceptional values in men's handkerchiefs, full size. Friday's sale price, 8 1/2c

New Satin Untrimmed Hats Formerly to \$3, Friday 79c

LARGE and small shapes in black, African brown, poppy red, peace gray, navy and rose. Very desirable for immediate or early Spring wear. Including values to \$3.00, special for Friday, at 79c.

Trimming Service Free

Burgess-Nash Co.—Basement. Burgess-Nash Co.—Basement.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Everybody's Store—16th and Harnay