

KING AK'S BOARD VIEWS THE YARDS

Also Enjoy Annual Dinner as Guests of Their Former King, Everett Buckingham.

CHARLEY LANE WAS THERE, TOO

Proud as a boy with red-topped boots was Everett Buckingham Monday night. He was the host to the board of governors of Ak-Sar-Ben for the annual harvest home dinner, which he gave them in the Exchange building at the stock yards.

Doc Frye at the Helm.

Then they repaired to the Exchange building dining room, where the celebrated Doc Frye had prepared a dinner in numberless courses, with all the choicest varieties of "cats and drinks."

Governors present were Buckingham, Judson, Hoxford, Beaton, Black, Saunders, Brandeis and Richards and Secretary Z. D. Weaver. Guests were Charles Lane, Joe Barker, Jay Foster and Jack Walters.

There was no business. This annual harvest home dinner is no time for business. It is an occasion for a good time. The governors and guests talked informally, told stories and smoked until late in the night.

First Practicing Woman Physician in Nebraska Dies

Dr. Mary Strong, said to have been the first woman physician in Nebraska and professor of operative and clinical surgery at the Creighton College of Medicine, died yesterday morning at 7.

Dr. Strong was born in New Hampshire December 18, 1854. During her early life she was a school teacher in New England and she came west to follow this profession.

In 1888, however, she took up the study of medicine and obtained a doctor's degree. She was a practicing physician in Omaha ever since her graduation and for seventeen years was attending physician for the Salvation Army rescue home.

She was a member of the Nebraska Medical society and an honorary member of the Douglas County Medical association. She also belonged to Mecca court, Tribe of Ben Hur, and the Eastern Star. In 1892 she was worthy matron of Vesta chapter, Order of Eastern Star. She was deaconess in the Plymouth Congregational church.

She is survived by one brother, who lives in Manchester, N. H., and one sister, who lives in Milwaukee.

Dr. Strong resided at Twenty-fourth and Binney streets.

Comes to Omaha to Live After Eleven Years in Canal Zone

D. R. Wolverton has arrived in Omaha from the Panama Canal zone and will go into business with his brother, E. Wolverton, with offices at 269 Omaha National Bank building.

Mr. Wolverton has been statistician for the Isthmian Canal commission and for the Panama canal for eleven years.

He met and helped to show the sights of the canal to such men as Taft, Roosevelt, Bryan, Knox and Root, and there is no man better posted on the canal in all its departments than he is.

"The slides in the canal must be overcome by patiently dredging out the dirt whenever they occur," he said. "The present serious obstruction will be cleared away by next month. It is merely a question of finally getting the slides of the cuts down to an angle where the earth will not slide any more."

Work on New Bridge Across Missouri is to Start at Once

General Manager Ware officially announces that the Union Pacific, as soon as possible, will begin the reconstruction of the company railroad bridge over the Missouri river, with a view to having it completed during the early part of 1917, and, if possible, before the ice breaks and runs out that year.

According to Mr. Ware, the contract for reconstruction of the bridge has been awarded to the American Bridge company. It is to be a double-track structure and in the reconstruction 5,200 tons of steel will be used, whereas in the construction of the present bridge, there is but 280 tons. The reconstruction is to be carried on without interference of train service. It is stated that over the present bridge 329 trains pass every twenty-four hours.

Dog Tags Sell Fast on the Opening Day

One hundred and fifty dog owners have received 1916 licenses from the city clerk. The sale will continue for several weeks, to give everybody an opportunity before the dog catcher starts making his rounds.

The city council authorized the purchase of a new automobile for the man who pursues unlicensed canines.

STIMSON, PLAYGROUND EXPERT, IS IN OMAHA

C. F. Stimson, field secretary of the Playground and Recreation Association of America, addressed the playground institute at Central High school Monday evening. Mr. Stimson urged co-operation by citizens in the playground system being developed here. He told of some of the practical sides of helping the people to wisely use their leisure hours.

An Effective Cough Treatment. One teaspoonful of Dr. King's New Discovery taken as needed will soothe and check your cough and bronchial irritation. All druggists.—Advertisement.

Spring, Gentle Spring, Comes to Omaha One Day Ahead of Time

Spring slipped one over on us this year. Spring, the well-known, justly-celebrated and much-loved gentle spring, arrived a day before she is usually due. She came tripping gently into the city at 4:30 Monday morning. Anybody could tell that Monday was a spring day, sunny and nice and warm and gay.

The reason why spring got here a day early is that this is leap year and therefore we've had a day extra.

Spring is here, anyway. Look at the store windows. Look at the sky pieces of the "dear creatures," as J. C. W. calls 'em. Look at the girls skipping rope. Look at the boys playing marbles. Look at the folks raking their yards. Look at the bonfires of dry grass and rubbish. See the robins hopping about and hauling the early worms out of the ground. See the politicians shaking hands. Note the demand for sulphur and saffras at the drug stores and for molasses at the grocery stores. Observe the cars that are appearing from winter storage. Observe the park benches being painted and put in place.

Spring is here, though she entered quietly and unobtrusively.

Of course, Father Rigge and possibly Colonel Welsh knew the precise moment of her arrival.

But others overlooked her. Matt Greevy didn't even hoist his Taft flag to the top of the staff on his lawn. Judge Cooley's fancy did not lightly turn to thoughts of his Palm Beach suit.

And the city fathers overlooked a fine opportunity to blazon on the beautiful, graceful, ornamental, artistic and lovely "welcome arch" the incandescent legend: "Welcome."

Harries Predicted Electrification of Roads Years Ago

Recently when the Milwaukee road opened a section of its electrified north coast line, a circular and some data concerning the opening was sent to General Harries, president of the Omaha Electric Light and Power company. The general has written to General Agent Duval of the Milwaukee acknowledging the receipt of the data, adding that twenty years ago when he asserted that he would live to see the time when electric current would supersede steam as a motive power people laughed at him.

Light Engineers Ratified by City

The city council ratified the action of its committee of the whole by indefinitely postponing the electric street light situation insofar as the proposed new contract is concerned.

B. J. Arnold of Chicago, and E. N. Stralt of Beloit, Wis., were approved as special engineers in connection with an examination of the light plant being made by the electric light and power committee of the Commercial club. This action was taken on request of J. A. Sunderland, chairman of the committee.

Approval of these engineers by the council does not bind the city officials to the findings of the Commercial club's independent audit and examination of the affairs of the light company.

NEW EXPERIENCE HAS HER TALKING Like a Happy Dream Come True—Relief from Her Long Illness Charms.

WAS SAVED FROM "BUGBEAR"

To suffer almost from childhood with stomach trouble and nervousness and then to find relief almost over night, is like having a happy dream come true. But this is the delightful experience of Mrs. Ivah Spann, of 1913 P street, Lincoln.

"She has been saved from an attack of nervous prostration, that dread malady that is woman's bugbear, she tells. "Tanlac has relieved me of nervous dyspepsia," declared Mrs. Spann yesterday. This statement is the highest endorsement that can be given to a medicine. Dyspepsia usually is a baffling ailment. The dyspeptic is a sufferer indeed. Loss of strength, extreme nervousness and often fear of trivialities quickly seize the dyspeptic.

"I had nervous dyspepsia and was threatened with nervous prostration," said Mrs. Spann. "Ever since girlhood I have been so nervous that I could not sleep well. Indigestion, which finally became dyspepsia, caused gas almost constantly. For days at a time I would suffer from pains in my stomach, head and back.

"Of course I had sought relief continuously and I did not have great faith in Tanlac when I started to take it. But I have now. My relief began with the first bottle. Now, after taking the treatment, I want to recommend Tanlac for what it has done for me."

"Tanlac is a boon to weak, ill, nervous, depressed women," explains the Tanlac Man, who is introducing the Master Medicine at the Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., 16th and Dodge streets. There he explains to scores daily how Tanlac should be taken and the results that may be expected from its use.

Tanlac may be obtained in Benson at the Schiller-Bastie Drug Store; Springfield, H. Flegenbaum; Weeping Water, Meyer Drug Co.; Nebraska City, Henry Schwake & Co.; Auburn, E. H. Dort; Ashland, H. H. Cone; Malmo, P. R. Pritch; Fremont, Brown-Frederickson Drug Store; Oakland, W. O. Harding & Son; Clarkson, E. H. Kosa.

Cocoonut Oil Makes A Splendid Shampoo

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain, mulified cocoonut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulified cocoonut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.—Advertisement.

OPEN NEW LOT OF FIRE TRUCK BIDS

Ten Firms Enter Bids to Provide Omaha with Motor Apparatus as Against Eight Before.

SPECIAL SESSION OF COUNCIL

The city council opened a second lot of bids for motor fire apparatus. There were ten bidders, as against eight at the recent bidding.

The bids will be tabulated at once and then will begin the difficult work of analyzing the propositions. A cursory examination of the bids does not disclose a marked difference in the situation. The entrance

of another well known automobile concern into the competition is said by the commissioners to have lent a little zest to the bidding, this firm apparently having an attractive proposition.

The bids vary according to the type of tires, the attachment of junior pumps and other features. The commissioners would not offer any specific comment on the bids at this time. They will have a special session for careful consideration of the bids during this week.

The superintendent and chief of the fire department still hold the position that the motor equipment of the fire department should be standardized, rather than accepting several bids.

The city will purchase eleven motor fire trucks. There is available for this purpose approximately \$38,000.

It takes but a minute of time to save dollars when you read The Bee Want Ad columns.

Woman Fined for Hurling Bricks in Mix Over Tom Cat

Mrs. Viola Smith, 167 North Eighteenth street, moved some time ago from the residence of Mrs. Edith Chase, 802 North Eighteenth street, but was unable to take with her one perfectly good cat, which Mrs. Case was holding pending the consummation of a little financial misunderstanding. Monday Mrs. Smith took a taxi cab to her former residence and insisted that pussy be set free, or she would fire on the fortifications without further parley. Her demand was refused, and the bombardment commenced. After a futile assault, Mrs. Smith ceased firing, having run out of bricks. At this juncture reinforcements for the besieged garrison hove to from headquarters and the war was over. Mrs. Smith was forced to pay \$10 and costs indemnity.

HOW TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

This Hair Tonic Which You Can Make at Home Removes It in a Few Applications.

Dandruff and scalp eruptions can be removed in a few nights by the following simple recipe which you can mix at home or have put up by any druggist at very little cost. It does not color the hair and is perfectly harmless:

Water.....One-half Pint
Bay Rum.....One Ounce
Texola Compound.....One-quarter Ounce
Glycerine.....One-quarter Ounce

A half pint is all you will need. Rub it into the scalp well at night and after a few applications the dandruff and scalp eruptions will disappear and the hair will stop falling out and become soft and glossy.—Advertisement.

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