

SHRINERS HOST TO THE STATE MASONS

Busy Day of Entertainment Ends with Delightful Concert in the Evening.

ROGERS IN CHARGE OF AFFAIR

Over 500 visiting Masons, Omaha Shriner, their friends and members of their family, were guests at a concert given at the Boyd theater Friday evening under the auspices of Tangier Temple, Ancient Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

The concert marked the close of a busy day's program.

At noon a buffet luncheon was served at the old Masonic temple.

Headed by the Shrine band, members of Tangier Temple paraded the downtown streets in the afternoon. About 200 motor cars were in the long procession.

After the parade the Shriner held a big ceremonial at the theater for a large class of candidates. The feature event of the day, however, was the musical program in the evening.

Banked with Lilies.

Banked in white Easter lilies, and with a large electric sign bearing the star and crescent hanging high overhead, the stage presented a beautiful sight.

Shriner who composed the class at the ceremonial were seated in a special section near the stage.

The musical program was in two parts. Cecil W. Berryman rendered the prelude from Carnival Overture, and for an encore played the Rakoczy march. "A Song of Thanksgiving" and "Gypsy John" were sung by Harry Disbrow, accompanied by Mrs. Disbrow. Miss Emily Cleve played three violin solos. She was accompanied by Miss Margaret Littenstrop. Miss Mildred Churchill, accompanied by Miss Olive Seymour, gave three vocal selections.

Song Cycle.

The second part of the program was in the arrangement of a song cycle—"The Little Sunbonnet. Miss Hazel Silver. Miss Ruth Ganson, Clinton B. Stult and George C. McIntyre sang solos and joined in the ensemble work. The accompanist was Mrs. McIntyre.

Fred C. Rogers, illustrious potentate, had charge of the program. He was assisted by the following: C. B. Stuth, J. DeLong, J. T. Dysart, Otto Nilsson, W. Shook, T. L. Combs, George Dyall, James Stine, W. S. Rowe, A. Block, W. T. Bourke, L. R. Van Tuijl, Claude Talbot, E. Sweet, Guy Furness, D. Westergaard and R. Towle.

BRIEF CITY NEWS

"Townsend's for Sporting Goods." Lighting fixtures—Burgess-Granden. Diamond Engagement Rings, Edholm. Have Boot Print It—Now Beacon Press. Garden Tools—Jas. Morton & Son Co. Property Cared For—To rent property, see J. H. Dumont & Co., Keeline Bldg.

Mirrors Made and Re-Silvered—Omaha Glass Co. Co., 1612 Cap. Ave. D. 1721.

Ujaji and Dance—The B'Nai Ami club will give its last dance of the season at Chambers' academy Sunday evening.

Mayor Still Better—continues to show improvement. He is sleeping more restfully and is brighter than on Friday.

"Today's Movie Program" classified section today. It appears in The Bee EXCLUSIVELY. Find out what the various moving picture theaters offer.

Keep Your Money and Valuables in the American Safe Deposit Vaults, 218 South 7th St., Bee Bldg. Boxes rent \$1.00 for 3 months. Open from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Brown Will Filed—The will of the late Edward J. Brown has been filed in city court. Disposition of an estate valued at \$15,000 is made among near relatives.

Says He Was Sold Up—George Armstrong, who says he lives at the St. Joe hotel, Council Bluffs, told the police that he was strangled at 4:30 in the morning at 75th and Capitol avenue and received \$10.

Blues the Burlington—Because of improper construction of the Plattsmouth bridge over the Platte river, ice gorges caused great damage to the land of Laurence Stull, is alleged in a petition asking \$1,200 damages from the Burlington railroad. The suit is filed in district court.

Goodrich Garden Hose—Morton & Son. Elliott Holbrook to Lecture—"What is Going on in the Making of a Poet" is the subject of a lecture by Elliott Holbrook at Theosophical hall Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. This is a free lecture and will review the world conditions as they are and show the relation of America to these conditions, both present and future, as viewed from the standpoint of the advent of an advanced race of men, and America's responsibility with regard to the races of Europe in the coming readjustment.

Stray Pup at Station—While patrolling his beat Friday afternoon, Sergeant Russell of the police force found himself followed by a brindle bull dog, who belonged to the officer that he followed him to the central station. Now the members of the station squad are trying to locate the owner, but as yet have not succeeded. The description of the dog is as follows: Male, brindle bull terrier, license tag of 1911 on his collar, and possibly 6 or 7 years of age. Anyone owning the animal may have the same by calling at the station for him.

Use "Tex-File" Shingles. Sunderlanda.

CANDIDATES CANNOT WITHDRAW NAMES

Candidates who filed for nomination at the primaries will have to make the race whether they want to or not.

Election Commissioner Moorhead declares he can find nothing in the statute about withdrawing after the filings are closed, and in making up the ballot, he is placing thereon the name of every man who paid him a filing fee.

Several candidates, after giving the complete program more than a superficial once-over, got cold feet and decided to quit and asked that their names be withdrawn. Commissioner Moorhead says "no," emphatically. No quit.

So it will not be surprising if after the primaries some one finds he has been nominated to a job he didn't want.

Peters at Providence.

Providence has signed Pitcher Alva E. Gipe of Redondo Beach, Cal., was received last week by the St. Paul American association club.

ANCIENT ARENA OF LUTECE IS UNEARTHED IN PARIS

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) PARIS, March 17.—In excavating for the opening up of the ancient arena of Lutece in the Rue Monge on the left bank of the Seine, a deep gallery running parallel to the Seine and paved with stone has been discovered and the engineers in charge are now occupied in exploring it.

The work on these excavations is going on actively at this part. When they are finished Paris will possess an open-air theater capable of accommodating more

than 10,000 spectators and provided with a stage 100 yards long, to which an open square will add a marvelous decoration. It will be the reproduction of the Gallian Roman circus at the very place where the inhabitants of ancient Lutece formerly witnessed the combats of gladiators and chariot races.

The Call of Spring.

The superintendent of schools of Albany, N. Y., is reported to have said in a recent speech that the majority of boys who play truant are feeble-minded. But perhaps he was misunderstood.

It will not do to encourage truancy, but truth compels the statement that every normal boy feels the inner urge of spring and, just as the tree puts out its leaves to the sun and the warm south winds, so

the normal boy feels the call to the open spaces. The boy who lives in the city bankers for the vacant lot and marbles and base ball. If he lives in the country he longs for the coverd down by the creek where the bluebirds are busy among the pussy willows and the first green of the violet leaves pushing up through the sodden turf.

Parents and schoolmasters must not be discouraged about a boy just because he plays truant once in a while in the springtime. Truancy is mostly just plain childishness and ought to be treated as such. "The windows of youth look out on a long, long road," and the air these days is full of the smell of wool smoke, of dead grass drying in the warm sun, the song of birds and a thousand things that tempt the boy to the open.

It is going to take patient effort to crowd those visions from his mind and

replace them with an interest in fractions, the list of the cities that protrude into the Pacific and the population of Afghanistan.—Kansas City Star.

Nature Worked Backward.

The following is an interesting instance of the reversal of the ordinary course of nature that cost an English market gardener dear.

Watercress is eagerly devoured by caddis-worms, and caddis-worms are a favorite food of trout. The trout, in turn, have a voracious enemy in herons, which ordinarily catch the fish after they have grown fat on caddis-worms. Now, in the case referred to, it happened that a large grower of watercress had three-quarters of his crop ruined by the ravages of caddis-worms. On investigation it was found that the trout, which ordinarily protected the plants from the worms, had been devoured, ahead of time, so to

speak, by a flock of hungry herons which, in thus reversing the course of events, had brought disaster to the owner of the watercress.

Suspected Her.

The Smith family, who resided in an interior city, had one of those maids of the invariably heavy hand. Not long ago the town experienced a slight shock of earthquake. Pictures were thrown down, the furniture and crockery were rattled about. During the tumult the mistress went to the head of the basement stairs and called out in a patient, forbearing tone: "Well, Lizzie, what are you doing now?"—Harper's Magazine.

Guy Zinn Sold.

Louisville has sold Outfielder Guy Zinn to the Scranton (Pa.) club of the New York State league.

TENNESSEE MAN STABBED AS RESULT OF ARGUMENT

R. Mitchell, who gives his home as Troy, Tenn., was stabbed by Joe Steffen at Thirteenth and Chicago streets following a wordy altercation between the two men. Mitchell was removed to St. Joseph hospital, where his condition is regarded as serious, while Steffen is being held by the police.

Pitcher Gipe Signs.

The signed contract of Pitcher Alva E. Gipe of Redondo Beach, Cal., was received last week by the St. Paul American association club.



Mahogany Beds
Sale Price \$32.50

Solid mahogany, four poster bed, carved pineapple top, double size, 4-9 wide.



Mahogany Beds
Sale Price \$43.00

Colonial poster style, old Virginia period. Carved pineapple top, solid mahogany. Single beds, 3-7 wide; double beds, 4-8 wide.



Mahogany Dresser
Sale Price \$72.00

Selected mahogany, top 53 inches long, 33 1/2 inches wide, French plate mirror, 30x35 inches. Mirrors 9x20, carved pineapple top.



Mahogany Chiffonier
Sale Price \$59.00

Made of selected mahogany, top 46 inches long, 23 1/2 inches wide. Separate Toilet Mirror \$13.75. Mirror 18x20, carved pineapple standard top.



Mahogany Dressing Table.
Sale Price, \$68.00

Selected mahogany, 47 1/2 inches long, 23 inches wide; with triple mirrors, center mirror 18x24, end mirrors 9x20. Carved pineapple top standards.



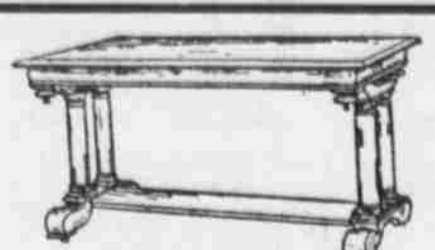
Mahogany Dresser
Sale Price \$67.00

Selected mahogany, 48 inches long, 23 inches wide, French plate mirror, 30x36. Standards with carved pineapple tops.



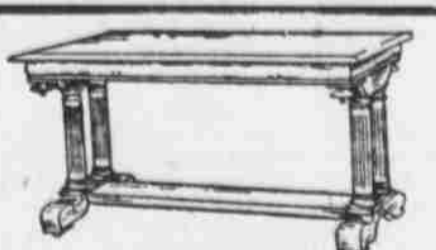
Mahogany Table Lamp, \$22.50

Solid mahogany, top 20 1/2 inches in diameter, total height 78 inches, fully equipped for connection.



Mahogany Library Table
Sale Price \$48.00

56 inches long, 34 inches wide, 30 inches high; large center drawer. Selected mahogany.



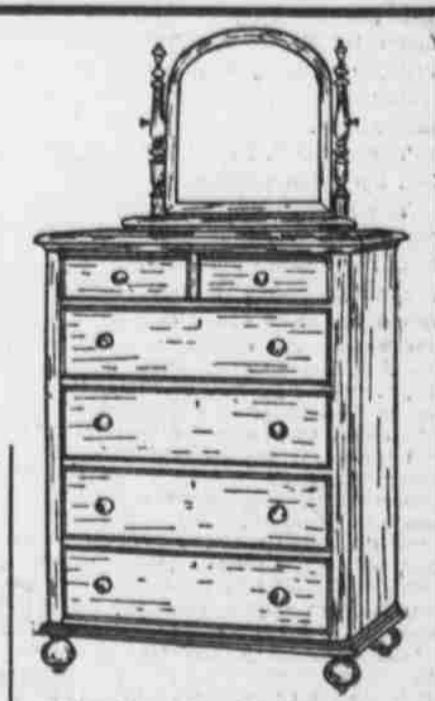
Mahogany Library Table
Sale Price \$48.00

Selected mahogany, 56 inches long, 34 inches wide, 30 inches high; large center drawer.



Mahogany Spinet Desk
Sale Price \$52.50

42 inches long, 25 inches wide, 35 inches extreme height; selected mahogany.



Mahogany Chiffonier
Sale Price \$57.00

Selected mahogany, top 36 inches long, 24 inches wide; one top drawer divided and sliding button box, top large drawer partitioned. Separate Toilet Mirror, \$15.00. Oval mirror, 18x20, turn standard.



Mahogany Dresser
Sale Price \$75.00

Selected mahogany, 50 inches long, 23 inches wide, oval top, French plate mirror, 30x32; turn standard.



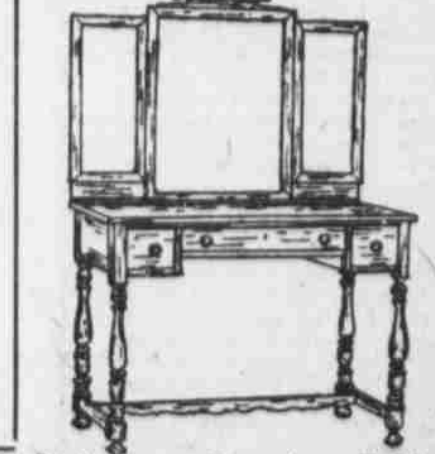
Mahogany Dressing Table
Sale Price \$56.00

Selected mahogany, top 42 inches long, 20 inches wide, triple mirrors; center mirror, 16x28, end mirrors, 8x22.



Mahogany Chiffonier
Sale Price \$49.00

Selected mahogany, top 42 inches long, 23 inches wide; one small drawer divided with sliding button box; top large drawer partitioned for shirts. Separate Toilet Mirror \$13.50. Mirror 14x16. Standards with carved pineapple top.



Mahogany Dressing Table
Sale Price \$55.00

Selected mahogany, 49 inches long, 21 inches wide, triple mirrors, center mirror 18x24, end mirrors 8x20.

Orchard & Wilhelm Co.

PLACE ON SALE BEGINNING MONDAY, THE 27TH

The Factory Stock of

W. K. Cowan & Co.

GREATLY UNDERPRICED

The result of a purchase from the creditors of the W. K. Cowan Co. of the stock on hand to make possible the settlement of the Company's affairs by April 1.

W. K. Cowan & Co. have been recognized for years as leaders among makers of fine furniture. The name Cowan on a piece of furniture is the hall mark of quality. To possess a piece or a suite of Cowan furniture has been the cherished ambition of every woman who appreciated beautiful things.

The Cowan furniture offered in this sale is in every way up to the high standard of Cowan quality. The misfortune that has befallen the Cowan factory is largely due to the determination to produce nothing but the best in spite of increasing difficulties in securing materials and skilled labor. The Orchard & Wilhelm Co. unhesitatingly gives a positive guarantee with each piece sold in this sale.

For years this store has been the exclusive Cowan agent in Omaha and when the Cowan creditors offered this stock for sale, Orchard & Wilhelm Co. secured all they could of it, realizing how fully Omaha people would appreciate the opportunity to secure Cowan furniture at the low prices made possible by this sale. Furthermore, this is the

Final Opportunity to Buy Cowan Furniture.

When the present stocks of Cowan furniture are sold there will be no more available. The Cowan line will not be continued. If you do not buy during this sale you probably will not be able to secure Cowan furniture at any future time.

In addition to the pieces illustrated in this advertisement are many complete bedroom and dining room suites as well as separate pieces of various kinds.

In Dining Room Suites

- 11-piece Dining Suite in oak, extension table, sideboard, service table, china cabinet, (6) side chairs and arm chair. . . . \$425.00
- 11-piece Dining Suite in oak, extension table, china cabinet, service table, sideboard, (6) side chairs and arm chair. . . . \$525.00
- 11-piece Adam Dining Suite in mahogany, extension table, sideboard, service table, china cabinet, (6) side chairs and arm chair. . . . \$357.50

Superior Scrim Curtains
Plain edge with drawn work and antique and fillet motifs. In ecru and ivory. \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.50 and \$7.00 a Pair.

6 Patterns, Fillet Net Curtains
In Egyptian and Ivory colors, small and unusual designs—an excellent wearing curtain for \$2.25 a Pair.

3 Patterns in Quaker Craft Curtains
Fine Duchess effects, in white and ecru. Exceptionally lacy designs for \$3.75 a Pair.

Net Curtains
2 1/2-yard by 40 inches. Hand made cluny edge front and bottom—white and ecru. \$2.25 a Pair.

Sunfast Fabrics
In combinations of colors similar to the beautiful effect obtained in Verdure tapestries. Rose, green, brown, mulberry and blue predominating. 50 inches wide, \$1.75 and \$2.75 a Yard.

Cretonnes
We have assembled an unusual assortment of cretonnes and call attention to some new and effective designs. Garden of the Gods, Pall Alto, Bluebird, Fine Feathers, Robin, etc.
Prices Range from 25c to \$1.00 Yard.

The heavier effects for living rooms and sun rooms in these attractive linen taffetas, velton and velour fabrics are exceptional. Prices from 50c to \$2.00 a Yard.

Food Preservation is Important to Your Family's Health
Why put up with an old unsanitary ice box when you can turn it in for \$3.00 on a new

Herrick Refrigerator
Over 2,500 satisfied users in Omaha.
Cheaper than any other well made refrigerator.
\$3.00 allowed for your old ice box in trade for a Herrick.

Body Brussels Rugs for Bedrooms and Dining Rooms

In the choice assortment we are now showing, you will find many of those desirable blue colorings that have been so hard to get since the war started. Particularly attractive are the soft Chintz patterns and the two-tone blue and brown rugs. Fine bedroom and dining room rugs they make, and very low priced.

9x12 size, \$28.50 to \$38.00

Congoleum Rugs
Attractive Sanitary Floor Coverings.
You have undoubtedly seen the magazine advertisements describing these rugs. Come in very attractive patterns and variety of colors—all sizes. Lie flat without tacking and can be washed and wiped up like linoleum.
Price, 36x54, 90c to 10-6x12, \$8.50.

Linoleum Properly Layed
lasts years longer. It costs no more to have our experienced men do the work and when you buy here you get the best and the largest assortment to choose from.

Printed linoleum, square yard. 50c to 80c
Inlaid linoleum, square yard. 95c to \$1.85
Plain linoleum and cork carpet, sq. carpet, 85c to \$1.75

New April Records Will Be Ready Tuesday the 28th

You will find our New Victrola Gallery a delightful place in which to try out the new April records.

The sound-proof rooms are as quiet as a room in your own home and provide an ideal place in which to enjoy the wonderful tonal qualities of the Victrola machines.
A full showing of Victors and Victrolas at all prices.
\$15.00 to \$300.00
Latest Records and Tungs-tone Stylus on sale.
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