

### CHURCHES KEEP UP THEIR GROWTH

More Members and Greater Activity Since "Billy" Sunday Held Meetings Here.

#### MANY TAKEN INTO CHURCH

Influx of members and broadening and deepening of the activities of the churches were apparent in the services at the various city churches yesterday. It was five weeks since "Billy" Sunday's last sermon in Omaha and it is estimated 2,500 new members have been received into the churches with others still to come.

Various new organizations have been formed in conjunction with the churches and their work. Some of the ten gospel teams that have been organized since the Sunday meetings were holding services. One of these teams led by C. G. McDonald had charge of the evening service at the First Congregational church. Another led by Elmer Thomas had charge of the evening services at Walnut Hill Methodist church.

At the Third Presbyterian church thirty new members were received, fifteen of whom were baptized. The pastor, Rev. Robert Karr, was assisted in the baptisms by Alexander Grey and Revs. Mr. Morgan and R. O. Humphries assisted in the services.

At the McCabe Methodist seven were baptized and two others received by letter into the church by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Underwood. This makes a total of forty-five received into this church since the Sunday meetings and the pastor expects this number to be increased to sixty.

"Our membership is taxing our capacity," he said. "Fortunately we will be in the new church in a couple of weeks." This congregation is building a handsome new edifice at the corner of Forty-first and Fernam streets.

"Our prayer meetings are much better attended," said Mr. Underwood. "One interesting feature is that, whereas the women were always greatly in the majority at the midweek meetings, we now find more men present than women. Our men's forum which will meet Friday evenings is now about organized."

**Probationers' Class.**  
A probationers' class was organized yesterday at the Pearl Memorial Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Bowlin and several new members were received in charge of a gospel team.

Next Tuesday at 8 p. m. a special meeting for men only will be held. It will be called a get-acquainted night and will be for the new members to meet the old ones.

A gospel team assisting Rev. R. von der Lippe, pastor, had charge at the Clifton Hill Presbyterian church last evening.

New members were received in a number of other churches. It was the first Sunday in Advent and for that reason a fitting time for reception of members.

Gospel meetings are being held Sunday evenings in many of the churches and also on Wednesday evenings in some.

"Financially the churches report themselves improved." "The people seem to have learned to give better than they did before," said one pastor. "They realize their pecuniary duties to the church."

### Sunday Musicale is Given in the South Omaha Library

Several hundred people, many of them standing, packed the hall of the South Side public library Sunday, for the first of three public musicales, to be given by the music circle of St. Agnes parochial school.

The program, in charge of the Sisters of Mercy, was enthusiastically received. The following girls took part in solos, duets, trios, and quartets, both instrumental and vocal: Janie Curran, Lucile Hoffman, Catherine Cushing, Anna May Bonness, Mary McShane, Edna Burness, Ella McKenny, Margaret McCormack, Bessie McCormack, Catherine Lewis, Leona Leary, Elizabeth Redman, Mary Dolan, Isabelle Radman, Ruth Gross, Marguerite Boness, Anna Melcher, Florence Rossett, Henrietta West and Blanche Pritchard.

Beautiful floral decorations were provided by Mrs. F. W. Swanson.

### Gasoline Makes Another Jump of One Cent in Price

Old King Gasoline has thrown another scare into the hearts of motorists by crawling up another cent. It is now priced at 21 cents a gallon for dry test and 18 cents for high test. Oil dealers offer the delightful prospect of still another boost in prices soon. They say there is no telling how high the price will go within the next few months. By way of cheering up the motorists, they point to a recent forecast printed in an eastern oil journal to the effect that the price may reach 25 cents a gallon before spring.

### Factory Output of Lincoln Increases

Manufacture has greatly increased in Lincoln and Grand Island during the last 1.5 years, according to the summary prepared by the United States census bureau. A preliminary statement of the condition of manufacture in these two places has just been sent out from Washington.

The value of products manufactured in Lincoln in 1914, according to this report, was \$10,022,000, as against \$7,810,000 in 1909, or five years previous.

### Omaha Boys Back from Big Meeting Held in Lincoln

Fifteen Greater Omaha High school boys have returned from the annual gathering of state high school boy leaders, held Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Lincoln, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association. They are exultant that Arthur Rouner of Omaha was elected president of the state organization. He is a Central High school senior.

The local boys represented Omaha Central, South Side and Benson High schools. Secretaries R. S. Flower and M. T. Gates of the boys' department of the Omaha association accompanied them. The convention was attended by 200 boys, representing seventy high schools in all parts of Nebraska. Entertainment was furnished by the Lincoln Commercial and Rotary clubs.

Rev. Titus Lowe, pastor of First Methodist church of Omaha, was one of the chief speakers. A. J. Elliott of Chicago, a member of the international association's committee for work among high school boys, was another speaker. Four collegiate foot ball captains also talked to the boys. They were Rutherford of Nebraska, McCormick of Wesleyan, Pratt of Hastings and Brumbaugh of Cotner.

### Hungry Man More Immoral Than One Who is Well Fed

Laurie J. Quinby, in an address to the Omaha Philosophical society Sunday on "The Relation Between Economic and Moral Conditions," maintained that a hungry man is more apt to be immoral than a well fed one.

"As long as economic conditions are unfair and prevent man from exercising his natural rights and seeking his natural employment, moral conditions will be bad," said Mr. Quinby. "A hungry man does not view moral questions from the same viewpoint as he would if he were well fed."

### Bands Parade to Protest Recent Action of Council

Two large bands which played at the city parks during the last summer parade the streets downtown Saturday night followed by quite a crowd of musician and band sympathizers. The bands were the A. C. U. W. and the Bohemian band and the followers carried large banners which showed the nature of the parade which was a protest against the recent action of the city commissioners in deciding that only union bands would be hired to play at the parks next summer.

### Railroad Men Will Be Guests of "Y"

Leading railroad officials of Omaha representing all the roads centering here will be guests of the Young Men's Christian association at the University club Thursday noon, at a luncheon to be given in honor of Dr. John P. Munn of New York.

### Pretty Bride Kissed at the Court House

And Justice of the Peace Raymond Crossman kissed the bride. It happened in the office of the county judge. The justice had just performed a ceremony, which made Miss Gladys Bolton, aged 24, the wife of Charles H. Holleran.

### THOUGHT HE WAS SHOT: IT WAS ONLY A CINDER

K. Kodschka, 1838 South Eleventh street, was amputating ashes Sunday afternoon when he heard three shots and felt a burning sensation in his foot. Turning he saw his neighbor Tony Radnovitch, 1007 South Twelfth street, brandishing a revolver. Kodschka thought he was shot for a moment, but discovered that a warm cinder that had lodged in his shoe, was the cause of the burning sensation. Radnovitch arrested, and the latter was fined \$2.50 and costs. Radnovitch was in rare good humor he asserts, when the firing took place, and was merely celebrating.

### METROPOLITAN LIFE AGENTS TO MEET HERE

One hundred agents of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, representing the states of Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas and Missouri, will meet at Hotel Fontenelle today for the biennial meeting of agents in the company's southwest territory.

### SAYS HE WILL PAY BACK MONEY WHEN HE GETS PLANS

Omaha contractors are now about ready to begin figuring on bids for the contract to construct the new school buildings at Harlan, Ia., where they first refused to bid because the architect, J. D. Chubb of Chicago wanted \$10 from every man to whom he furnished a set of plans.

The Omaha Builders' exchange has a letter from Architect Chubb stating that he will pay the \$10 back if the contractor returns the plans to him within fourteen days.

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### VERDICTS SMALLER UNDER NEW ORDER

Since New Jury Commissioner Plan is in Vogue Amount Per Verdict is Less.

#### NOW 7 PER CENT OF SUM ASKED

An average plaintiff whose law suit is tried in district court to a jury selected by the election commissioner in accordance with the new law passed by the last legislature, recovers an average verdict of 7 per cent sued for, as compared with 25 per cent which the average plaintiff secured under the old jury system, according to records of court business for the first six weeks of the present terms of court.

Figures showing amounts sued for and recovered in law suits during the same period in 1914 and in 1915, when the jury commissioner law went into effect, were compiled by Cornelius Farrell, deputy clerk of the district court. The 1915 figures show totals of \$22,130 sued for and \$2,257 verdicts. In the 1914 period, plaintiffs got verdicts amounting to \$4,500 in suits in which they asked \$18,518.

Plaintiffs before the jury commissioner law took effect sued for \$16,519 in thirty-five cases and recovered 26 per cent. After the law took effect plaintiffs asked judgments for \$22,130 in forty-five cases and were awarded 7 per cent.

Following are comparative figures for 1915 and 1914:  
Settled, amount not given, 1915, 31; 1914, two.  
Verdicts for defense, 1915, fifteen; 1914, nine.

### Farmers Come to Attend Congress

Farmers are beginning to come to the city for the sixth annual convention of the Nebraska Farmers' congress, which opens at Hotel Rome today. A crowded program of three days of business and entertainment is prepared.

Delegates will begin to enroll at the hotel lobby at 8:30 in the morning. Mayor James C. Dahlman and C. C. Fougere, chairman of the bureau of publicity, will deliver addresses of welcome Tuesday forenoon. President George Coupland of the association is to respond.

### MILLER TALKS "PSYCHISM AND SPIRITUALITY"

Burd. F. Miller lectured at Theosophical hall, Suite 501, Bee building, Sunday evening on "Spirituality and Psychism" in which the wide difference between the spiritual life and that led by those who were seeking after the physical phenomena in the guise of spirituality was discussed at length. He said that the universality of the Theosophical teachings appealed to those who were after truth and that they recognized the good in all things. That the great danger lies in the fact that many, in their pursuit of the true goal, which is divine, are tempted away into the paths or by-paths of psychical rubbish. He emphasized the statement that there is a broad distinction between the spiritual and the astral planes, and that the so-called "phenomena" pertained to the astral plane, bearing little affinity to the spiritual. The astral plane being closer to the physical was easier contacted. Spiritual powers do not come to satisfy idle curiosity, but to those who do not crave them and who may lay them as a sacrifice at the feet of the Lord, to serve whom is the sole object and aspiration of life. He lives for his fellow men. To such a one fall is impossible.

### MONTENEGRINS TO FIGHT WITHOUT SPARING BLOOD

PARIS, Nov. 28.—The Montenegrin consul general at Paris has received the following despatch from Cetinje under date of Nov. 27:  
"King Nicholas has addressed an energetic proclamation to the people. He urges them to remain calm in the face of the danger which threatens Montenegro and recalls the heroic defense of Serbia, now invaded."

"The Serbian army has been obliged to retreat toward the mountains of Montenegro where the forces of two serb kingdoms, united against common foes, will resist valiantly. Faithful to its traditions, Montenegro will carry on the struggle until death, which it would prefer to slavery."  
"The allies have undertaken to re-evacuate the population of Montenegro and army; the latter will defend the glorious soil of its native land without sparing blood. It will fight from mountain to mountain around its king with the ardor that full confidence in a definite victory for Montenegro and her great allies gives."

### ANGELUS TEAM WINS CLASS C CHAMPIONSHIP

Sunday afternoon at Fontenelle park the Angelus foot ball team won the class C championship of Omaha by defeating the Tradesmen by the score of 18 to 13. Great rivalry existed between these two teams all season, neither team having lost a game.

The Angelus scored a touchdown in the first few minutes of play when Buskirk and Logston advanced the ball to the Tradesmen's three-yard line and Hislop carried it over. The Tradesmen scored in the same period, when Kneec caught a long pass and ran forty yards for a touchdown.

In the second quarter both teams scored again, leaving the count 12 to 13 in favor of the Tradesmen. Wirtz, who had starred for the Tradesmen at halfback, was hurt in this period and had to go out of the game. In the last half the Angelus scored another touchdown. Any team disputing the above claims can get a game by calling Webster 630, and squak for Tom.

### TO CONSIDER PLACEMENT BUREAU FOR THIS CITY

The vocational guidance section of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Young W men's Christian association. The section will be called for a council meeting to consider seriously the establishment of a placement bureau in Omaha for those leaving the Omaha schools. Mr. Carl Adams, principal of the Commercial High school, and employers of labor will speak.

### Farmers Want to Cut Money Rates And Help Us All

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—At the third National Conference on Money and Credit in Chicago, which opens here tomorrow, representatives of farmers' organizations will take a shot at the high cost of financing by drafting a bill for cheap rural credit which they will attempt to persuade congress to pass early in the season. Present banking laws, both state and national, it is explained, prevent the farmers from forming credit organizations which would enable them to get money cheap and thereby produce more, better and cheaper grain and other products.

The American farmer pays higher rates of interest than other borrowers, it is pointed out, considering the security he offers. A first mortgage on a good farm, the bankers admit to be the highest type of security for loan. Yet the farmer, say, the co-operative banks, has to pay more interest, higher commissions, go to more trouble and get less satisfactory accommodation than any other man who wants to do business on borrowed capital.

The city legal department is not ready to give an opinion on this mooted question. The situation hangs on a petition of a group of grocers and meat dealers who want the council to pass an ordinance to prohibit the sale of groceries and meats on Sundays, excepting works of necessity and charity.

### Y. M. C. A. COLLEGE AT CHICAGO DEDICATED

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Leaders in Young Men's Christian association work and representatives of various religious sects and some of the leading educational institutions of the middle west today attended here the opening of the four-day program marking the dedication of the new Young Men's Christian association college and the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the institution. The actual dedication of the new college building will take place Tuesday, and will be the culmination of a campaign of fund raising started four years ago. This campaign was so successful that \$50,000 of the total cost of \$200,000 for the building, equipment and endowment has been paid.

### VILLA SOLDIERS ATTACK AMERICAN-OWNED CAMP

DOUGLAS, ARIZ., Nov. 28.—Two hundred armed citizens garrisoned at Nazari an American-owned mining camp at the southern terminus of the Nazari railroad, twenty-five miles south of here, under the leadership of Captain Manuel Mesa repulsed an attack by Villa soldiers early today.

The firing continued until after noon, when the Villa troops withdrew a short distance into the hills. It was reported that the attack was renewed about 5 o'clock p. m. Messages received at Agua Prieta, across the international boundary from here, said the firing of the Villa men had grown weaker. The report, which added that a night attack on the mining town was feared, resulted in a flying squadron of 700 Chiriquana infantrymen, accompanied by several machine guns and two pieces of field artillery, being entrained for the scene.

### Jury Has Not Agreed

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—The jury in the case of Joseph Campbell, after being out thirty-three hours, had not reached a verdict tonight, Campbell, a negro convict, is charged with the murder of the wife of former Warden Allen.

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### SUNDAY CLOSING BEFORE COUNCIL

City Lawyers Do Not Know Whether Grocery and Meat Shops Can Be Closed on Sabbath.

#### SALES MAY BE PROHIBITED

Is the selling of groceries and meat on Sunday "common labor," within the meaning of a state law which prohibits common labor on Sunday, excepting works of necessity and charity?

The city legal department is not ready to give an opinion on this mooted question. The situation hangs on a petition of a group of grocers and meat dealers who want the council to pass an ordinance to prohibit the sale of groceries and meats on Sundays, and also to prohibit places where these commodities are sold to be open on Sunday.

### THIEVES MAKE GOOD HAUL THROUGH REAR WINDOW

B. E. Overhat, 208 South Twenty-third street, reports to the police that thieves gained entrance to his home through a rear window and stole \$65.

### THREE DUCKS AND TWO CHICKENS ARE STOLEN

A crowd of youngsters broke into a coop to the rear of Joe Raucok's home, 1411 South Eleventh street, and stole three ducks and two chickens.

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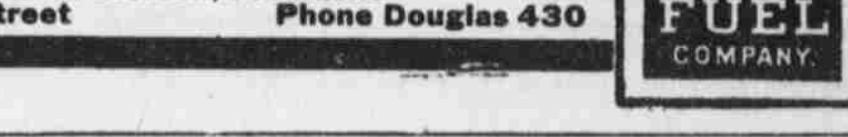
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