

BRIEF CITY NEWS

What's the Fashion?—Ask Dresser the tailor, 1515 Farnam St. Leo Hoffman, undertaker, new location, 1501 and Jones, Tel. Doug. 290.

TALK OF THE POLITICIANS

Question on Judicial Situation Answered in Interesting Way. BILL URE IS WRITING LETTERS

Turns Out One for Bob Smith and New Letter's Chances of Success Are Still More Doubtful.

A question about the judicial situation, propounded to a man in touch with it, is answered this way: "The election of five of the old judges is practically assured. No concentrated fight is being made on Judge Day, Estelle, Kennedy, Redick or Troup. Their election is generally conceded. The opposition to the old bench seems to be chiefly directed toward Judge Sutton, and some expect Judge Sears to fall behind because of personal enemies in his home county. In addition, Judge Sutton is going it alone and trading all his associates to bring himself in as one of the winning seven. The judicial battle is centered on Judge Sutton, with the force against him favoring Judge Charles T. Dickinson and John O. Yeiser as the two strongest opposing candidates."

"You haven't got the straight of Tony Donohoe's position with the labor unions yet," explains the labor union man. "Donohoe is an officer of the Switchman's Union of North America. There are two organizations of switchmen, the most of them belonging to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. I was talking to a Switchman's union man the other day and he told me that they expected Donohoe's election as sheriff to put their union ace high and put the B. of R. T. on the bum. With a sheriff belonging to the S. U. of N. A. the other fellows would have to do business 'Tony's' way and his way would be to build up his own union all the time."

"D.H.'s" Use is a great letter writer. Four years ago he wrote a letter telling republicans to vote for the democratic nominee for supreme judge and the republican whom he knocked won out easily. Two years ago he wrote a letter advising everybody to vote for Benson for mayor and Benson was the worst beaten man who ever ran for that office. Now he has just written another letter telling people why they should nominate "Bob" Smith at the coming primary, so Smith had better watch out.

Justice of the Peace Cockrell is an old soldier and has always had the old soldier support in the past, which he expects also to help land him again for re-nomination.

The effort to manufacture political capital out of the reduction of the county lighting bills has brought out this statement of the real facts from President Nash of the Omaha Electric Light and Power company: "The electric light company, several years ago, at the request of the county commissioners, made arrangements to extend its lines a distance of something over one mile to serve the county hospital. There being no business justification for the large expenditure involved from the fact that there were no additional customers on the extension, the commissioners agreed for a period of three years to pay a rate of 20c, less a discount on all bills exceeding \$100, which was higher than the regular rate. At the expiration of this contract the company voluntarily reduced the rate to 15c, with the same discount. Still later, after a contract was made with the city at 10c, the company voluntarily made the county the same rate, applying it to all county buildings, including the hospital, and notwithstanding the fact that the company had received no money from the county for one year, the rate was applied to the preceding year. At the instigation of the auditor, an arbitrary illegal and utterly unjustifiable further deduction to the amount of \$500 was made by a majority of the county commissioners. After a full explanation, they all admitted that the adjustment of the account as they made it was clearly wrong and that it should be rectified, that our settlement was entirely fair and liberal. But they neglected to take any action and then came in and took advantage of the requirement of the law which precludes the contesting of any rejected claim after the lapse of thirty days. The electric light company did not think it necessary to go into court to enforce an absolute legal and just claim, depending upon their sense of what was right to make a fair adjustment. It was simply a case of rank hold-up of a corporation for the purpose of political capital."

Another of the humors of the campaign is the resurrection for present use by M. F. Singleton, who wants the legislative vacancy as a representative colored man, of the left-over cards passed out when he sought the regular nomination a year ago. He has crossed out the date, "Primaries September 18, 1906" and let them go as they stand for the 1907 primaries.

The Fontanelle machine candidate for sheriff is kicking because the real leaders of the Fontanelle organization are out predicting his defeat and are doing nothing to prevent it. On the other hand, certain Fontanelle brethren are up in arms because the sheriff inderose has not been able to deliver any goods to "Bob" Smith in exchange as per agreement. "Outstanding an endorsement under false pretenses" is the way certain Fontanelle fellows put it.

G. A. R. Nebraska official train for Saratoga Springs will leave Chicago over the Wabash railway Sunday afternoon September 2, via Detroit and Niagara Falls. Through cars from points in Nebraska and many other advantages offered. For berths, rates, folders and all information, call at Wabash city office, 1601 Farnam street, or address Thomas A. Craig, Department Commander, Omaha, Neb. HARRY B. MOORES, G. A. P. L., Wabash Railway.

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appointed to canvass the situation and enlist the interest of Buckeyes in the organization. Mr. Barrett was chosen temporary president and Mr. Shotwell secretary. Those who were born in Ohio, live here for any length of time or were educated there are eligible to membership. The society will meet again Thursday evening, September 3, at the Barrett-Johnson company's place of business, 1507 Farnam street, at which time a permanent organization will be effected and officers elected.

CITY BEAUTIFUL ALL OVER

Brandeis Store Attracts Greatest Admiration of Los Angeles Educator. "Omaha is a city of beautiful buildings," said R. A. Augustine, a language teacher of Los Angeles, who was in the city Friday. "In my opinion it is beautiful in every way. The hills afford some change and prevent the monotony that makes a place like Chicago so ugly and the business section being compact brings all the fine buildings together where they can be seen without difficulty. When I first saw the Brandeis building when I was in your city not long ago, I supposed it was some fine new hotel. I never imagined it was a department store. Such a store building would attract attention in any city. The position of your depots and their convenient distance from the main part of the city is another advantage you have over many towns and particularly over Kansas City. In so many places the depots are in a very rough part of the town and a long way from the retail section. As far as Kansas City is concerned though, I think you have a great many advantages over that town. The air of the people on the streets is more refined and more metropolitan, although Kansas City always gives the impression of being a larger place."

FEW WANT REGISTRARSHIPS

Excuses Offered by Men Who Don't Want to Serve at the Primaries. The list of registrars for the coming primary has been filed but the city authorities are having a hard time to keep it filled. The tables are reversed this year and instead of having to turn down applicants for places, the city clerk has to refuse numerous requests to be released from service on the hearing. Friday morning one of the men on the list appeared at the city clerk's office and asked to be let off. "I can't write my name," he said. "Let's see you write your name," said City Clerk Butler. "I can write my name because I have practiced it but I can't write other people's names," he insisted. "I can't write figures very well either."

BONDS TO BUY PLAYGROUNDS

Fifty Thousand-Dollar Issue Proposed to Secure a Good Site. The city park board at a meeting Friday morning placed itself on record as favoring a bond issue of \$50,000 for the purpose of providing playgrounds for Omaha children. The question of submitting the bond issue to the voters at the fall election will be passed on finally at a meeting to be held Wednesday morning, but the board indicated Friday its action would be in favor of submission. S. P. Morris, Dr. Gifford and George F. West appeared before the board in the afternoon and presented a plan that before real estate advances too high several small plots dedicated to the boys and girls of the city be secured in the congested districts and set apart as breathing places and playgrounds. The members of the board were unanimous in their approval of the plan and promised to take action Wednesday.

ENTERTAINMENT DRAWS WELL

Opening of New Commercial College Occasion for Reception to Friends. Thursday evening the Moshier-Lampman Business college was opened to the public. A large audience, taxing the capacity of the quarters, was present. A most enjoyable program was rendered. Numerous speeches were made by Omaha business and professional men. Miss Knie Swartzlander gave two recitations, and vocal solos by Misses Winspear and Rhyne were heartily enjoyed. Before and after the program fine music was given by Dimmick's orchestra, and refreshments were served. Conventional formalities were laid aside and everyone seemed in a mood for social enjoyment, words of congratulation being given without stint, and the crowd not dispersing until a late hour. Many were surprised at the new practical equipment provided for the school, and so expressed themselves.

LOCAL SINGERS ON THE STAGE

Will Manchester, Frank Woods and Wife Will Be Before the Footlights. Will Manchester has gone to New York to take a place in the chorus of the "Merry Widow," one of the Savoy productions. Mr. Manchester is one of Omaha's best known bass singers and has sung several years in All Saints' church and at the First Baptist church. The company will start out on September 29, taking in Philadelphia and Washington and returning to New York for the balance of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woods will go to Detroit Sunday to join the "Isle of Spices" company, with which they were on the road last season. Both have specialty work in the production.

To Cure DIARRHOEA. Dysentery, Cholera Morbus or Cholera Infantum take WAKEFIELD'S Blackberry Balsam. You better get a bottle today. You may need it tonight. It is a most reliable remedy for all loose conditions of the bowels. All druggists sell it. Full size bottle \$1.00.

Boys' School Clothes. Latest Fall Styles Embracing ALL THAT'S NEW. Mothers are anxious to have their boys enter school in good trim. They want them to appear well, at the same time they wish to buy garments that will stand the hard usage they are sure to get in leap-frog and the hundred other scrambles that boys get into. We offer you nothing but the leap-frog hard scramble kind of clothes, durability is a strong feature of our boys' suits. Our boys' clothes are not only strong and durable, they are handsomely made, every garment is cut in the newest style and is guaranteed to fit perfectly. They are made from a variety of substantial fabrics embracing many neat patterns and varied color effects. From the lowest to the highest grade our boys' suits are thoroughly dependable. Whatever the price we give you twenty per cent more value than any other store. Prices range from \$225 to \$1245. Omaha High-School Cadets who wish their uniforms on time will please leave their measurements at their earliest convenience. Boys' Waists, Boys' Neckwear, Boys' Hose, Boys' Shoes, Boys' Hats, Boys' Caps. Nebraska Clothing Co. FARNAM & FIFTEENTH STS.

FUGITIVE SEEKS NEW CELL. Man of Many Aliases Anxious to Enter Penitentiary. HIS WAY OF ESCAPING OFFICERS. Convict Richards Has Two Sentences Hanging Over Him in Indiana, So Would Hide with Warden Beemer. Falling in a frenzied attempt to break into the Nebraska penitentiary, John Stephens, alias E. E. Richards, alias John Richards, alias John Roberts, alias John Brown, will have to go back to Indiana to finish a fourteen-year term in the penitentiary at Michigan City. He still has eleven years to serve. His attempt to bury himself in the Nebraska penitentiary by a plea of guilty to forgery was frustrated by the arrival of Thomas M. Larmore, assistant state agent for the Indiana penitentiary. The arrival of Mr. Larmore explained Richards' haste to take up his residence in Warden Beemer's celebrated summer resort. Richards, or Wilkison, as he is known in Omaha, attempted to pass a forged check on a South Omaha saloon keeper a week or two ago. He was arrested and bound over to the district court. He made a fight before the lower court, but as soon as he landed in the county jail he wrote to the county attorney declaring he wanted to plead guilty right away and begin his sentence at once. He could well afford to do this, as he has two unfinished sentences hanging over him in Indiana. In 1903 he was sentenced to the Jeffersonville penitentiary for grand larceny for an indefinite term of one to fourteen years. He was paroled and in 1903 committed the same offense and was sent to the Michigan City prison for a similar term. Last winter he was paroled and ran away, going to his old home in Missouri and then coming to Omaha. His offense here was not a very serious one and he would probably have received a light sentence, enabling him to bury himself deeper into the sea of despair. As for the Indiana authorities, who have been looking for him. It is not believed he will fight extradition.

The Texas Wonder cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic troubles. Sold by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co. and Owl Drug Co. or two months' treatment by mail, for \$1. Dr. E. W. Hall, 202 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. To Prevent Shoes from Cracking use Quick Shine Shoe Polish. It oils, polishes and gives a patent leather finish and is water-proof. Ask your dealer for it.

DOCTORS FOR MEN. ACTUAL CURES. The State Medical Institute has long been established for the purpose of restoring to health young men, middle-aged men and old men who are suffering from the evil results of early mistakes, neglect and misfortune, and to experiment with incompetent treatment, unbusinesslike methods and deceptive propositions. The State Medical Institute has established a reputation for curing men who are suffering from all the ailments of the body, knowing that they will be fairly dealt with, skillfully treated and promptly cured in the shortest time possible, and at the lowest cost. nervous, drowsing, sinking men are struggling at a straw. How many weak, listless, and miserable men are today getting no rest or relief from their ailments (diseases), which are dragging them down to the bottom of the sea, day that boasting promises of quick cures, that will sink you deeper and deeper into the sea of despair. As for others, let them grasp at straws, but you, who are in need of substantial medical aid, come to the Honest, Skillful, True Specialists, who will not deceive you with any false promises, but will save you and restore you to health, strength and vigor and place you safely within the boundary line of prosperity and the enjoyment of life. We treat men only, and cure promptly, safely and thoroughly and at the lowest cost, BRONCHITIS, CATARRH, NERVOUS DEBILITY, BLOOD POISON, SKIN DISEASES, KIDNEY and BLADDER DISEASES and all SPECIAL diseases and weaknesses and their complications. Free Consultation, and Examination—Office Hours: 8 a. m. to 3 p. m. Sundays, 10 to 1 only. If you cannot call, write. STATE MEDICAL INSTITUTE 1308 Farnam St., Between 13th and 14th Sts., Omaha, Neb.

A DISFIGURING ITCHING ECZEMA. Spread from Body to Face—Sufferer Was Ashamed to Go Out—Scales Formed and Her Skin Became Parched and Highly Discolored. WAS CURED BY CUTICURA AFTER YEAR OF TORTURE. "I was suffering with eczema for a year and had tried all kinds of medical treatment but without any results. Small pimples broke out around my waist-line and where they could not get upward until my face was covered. At first I did not notice it much until I became warm from working. Then it seemed almost unbearable. The parts seemed inflamed and itched so that I could hardly keep from scratching it all the time. The places were rather scaly and became moist when rubbed. Afterward the skin seemed parched and highly discolored. I remained in bed for several weeks. I was out in company. I had suffered for about seven months before I tried Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills. After I had used them a week, I found great relief and I continued for five weeks, not missing a single day and now you could not tell I had ever had eczema. My complexion is as good, if not better than ever, and I cannot find words sufficient to praise the Cuticura Remedies. Justice, Annie Hutchins, La Crosse, Kan., Apr. 19 and 30, 1907."

CURED 28 YEARS AGO. Of Running Sores on the Head by Cuticura. "When I was about eight years old, I think, my entire head was a mass of running sores that discharged awfully. They had to cut all my hair off. I took doctors' medicines but they did me no good, so some one told my mother to try Cuticura, so she did, and it cured me. I am thirty-six now, but the sores have never returned." Mrs. Lillian E. Milliken, St. Vincente, Providence, R. I., May 9, 1907.

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