

CITY AND STATE

South Omaha will celebrate the Fourth of July in grand style.

H. J. Stirling has been appointed to succeed the late A. S. Van Kuran as auditor of the Union Pacific.

The county commissioners propose to take some steps toward improving the road between this city and Ft. Crook.

The Seventh Ward Military Band has been engaged to furnish the music for the Syndicate Park celebration July 4th.

There will be a mass meeting in the interests of the Trans-Mississippi Exposition held at South Omaha on the evening of July 6th.

The Elkhorn's new headquarters are now in the United States National Bank building. The company will occupy the two upper floors.

Federal court was closed temporarily Tuesday, it being the last day of the fiscal year, and the jury was discharged until again notified to attend.

Senator Henry M. Teller, of Colorado, passed through this city Tuesday afternoon enroute home. Mr. Teller only remained here twenty minutes.

The wife of Assistant City Attorney Lee S. Estelle died Thursday after an illness of several years. She will be buried in Prospect Hill cemetery Sunday.

Hereafter the federal authorities in Nebraska will be paid salaries instead of fees. The change occurred with the beginning of the present fiscal year, July 1st.

The contract for the completion of the Creighton Medical College has been let and the contractors expect to have the structure completed by November 15th.

The federal criminal court did a rushing business in the matter of convictions during the term just closed. Twenty-seven men will answer for their offenses.

A Wichita, Kansas, farmer has a surplus of prairie dogs at his disposal for \$10 per dozen, which he kindly offered the park commission. It was decided not to invest.

The city council called a special meeting of that body Thursday in order to pass the appropriation bills for the salary list, so that the employees might have money for the Fourth.

The Omaha real estate exchange has been re-organized and new by-laws have been adopted. The exchange expect to do a bustling business until after the Trans-Mississippi Exposition.

The police have succeeded in making several good hauls of crooks during the past week. Omaha has an excellent force and it is maintained at a much less cost than many of her sister cities.

The First Christian church at Twenty-third and K streets, South Omaha, was dedicated last Sunday afternoon, by appropriate services. The church organization starts out entirely free from debt.

The verdict of the coroner's jury in the inquest over the remains of Miss Ella Johnson, who was run over and killed by a Burlington train, was completely exonerated from all blame for the accident.

The list of conventions for Omaha in 1898 continues to grow. The last added is the American Institute for Homoeopathy. This will bring about 800 delegates from various parts of the United States.

The South Omaha Stock Yards company anticipate early shipments of stock to that market and are preparing to receive all that comes. South Omaha prices have a reputation of being as good as can be had.

A chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution was formed in Omaha last Monday evening, and the following officers were elected: Mrs. H. S. Jaynes, regent; Miss E. E. Dutcher, secretary; Mrs. L. E. Ware, treasurer; Mrs. L. S. Skinner, registrar.

Mr. F. J. Sackett, wife and son, while driving along Military avenue Wednesday night, had their carriage upset and they were precipitated into the street and more or less severely injured. The carriage was wrecked by Nelson Winter and Henry Bachman, who are in jail under the charge of fast driving.

Dr. S. R. Patten and family, and Attorney Jas W. Carr of this city returned Monday from Buffalo, where the Doctor and Mr. Carr attended the annual session of the Supreme Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen. They report an excellent time and that the order in the United States is in a very prosperous condition.

The standing committee of the Omaha Commercial club, at the suggestion of President Dumont will be reorganized. It is claimed that but few of the members of these committees have been of any value to the club, and the president proposes to select men who work for the interests of Omaha. The club has decided to make an effort to secure the meeting of the Christian Endeavor convention in this city in 1898.

The South Side Improvement Club

give a basket picnic at Riverview Park July 4th. An excellent program has been arranged. The Twenty-second Infantry and A. O. U. W. bands have been engaged for the occasion, and there will be a grand display of fireworks in the evening.

There is considerable complaint around the state deaf and dumb institute of the meddlesome character of some of its employees. It is alleged that a watchman around the grounds has employed boys armed with rifles to watch other boys from the orchard. Only a few weeks ago one of these lads shot a dog which was going along the road with some little children at the instigation of the boy's mother. If Prof. Gillipie sanctions this kind of police regulations around state institutions, then the sooner the board of public lands and buildings is made aware of it the better. The law is amply sufficient to protect the interests of state institutions without the placing of guns in the hands of children to do police duty, it is a thing that will be condemned by all citizens.

A New and Remarkable Jesuit Book.

We have been looking through the third volume of the "Outlines of Dogmatic Theology," by the Rev. Sylvester J. Hunter, S. J., just published. It contains things well worthy of note by Protestant controversialists, and proves that in doctrine the Jesuits are rapidly growing worse, instead of better. It is well known that Romish theologians divide religious worship into three kinds, viz., dulia, to be given to the saints; hyper-dulia, to be given to the Virgin Mary, and latria, due to God only. Jesuit Hunter writes that: "The crucifix, or image of Christ crucified, and even the simple figure of a cross, deserves the honor of relative latria, as it is declared in the Pontifical." ("Outlines," vol. III., p. 474.) There is, however, a difficulty in the way of accepting this teaching, namely, the Second Commandment of God; but this difficulty the Jesuit brushes on one side in the most daring fashion. In truth, he writes: "The Commandment forbade the Israelites to fashion images and offer latria to them, as was done by the nations around them; and this Commandment served its purpose, but does not bind Christians." (Ibid., page 476.) We need hardly add that Mr. Hunter produces no authority whatever for his most daring assertion. Is it, we may well ask, possible for a nominally Christian man to commit a graver sin than that of abrogating one of the Commandments of Almighty God, merely because it comes in the way of his [pet] theory about images? Mr. Hunter's assertion proves that he feels acutely how contrary image-worship is to the written Word of God. It is with the Jesuits now, as with the Scribes and Pharisees condemned by our Lord in the words: "Thus have ye made the Commandment of God of none effect by your tradition."

Romish controversialists are never tired of talking about the certainty which can, [as they suppose, be found alone within] the Church of Rome. There never was a greater mistake. There is no certainty in that communion, for almost everything in it is in a state of miserable uncertainty. This is very candidly made clear by Jesuit Hunter, who writes: "It is perfectly true, that, without special revelation, no one can have absolute certainty that he has received a sacrament, or that he is in the state of grace." (Ibid., page 209.) If this be true, it follows that there is not a man or woman in the Church of Rome, from the pope down, who knows whether he possesses a true sacrament or not, or whether he goes on the road to heaven or hell! What a miserably uncertain thing the popish religion is! According to Jesuit Hunter, even the pope cannot tell whether he received the sacrament of baptism, and no one can prove to him that he is anything else but a heathen! The result of this is that no one knows whether he is a true pope or not, since no heathen can be a pope. And, further, this uncertainty applies equally to each and all of the other six sacraments of Rome. There is, for instance, the so-called Sacrament of Order. No Roman priest can have "absolute certainty" that he has received that sacrament, and, therefore, for all he knows to the contrary, he may still be nothing more than a mere layman, and all his absolutions of his penitents, and all his consecrations at the mass, are every one of them invalid! All this uncertainty arises from the doctrine of intention taught by the so-called infallible Council of Trent, Session VII., Canon XI., in the following terms: "If anyone saith that in ministers, when they effect and confer the sacraments, there is not required the intention at least of doing what the church does; let him be anathematized."

There are many earnest-minded Romanists who do not believe it possible that the Consecrated Host can be eaten by an animal. The thought of a mouse, for instance, devouring what they believe to be the body, blood, soul, divinity, bones and nerves of Jesus Christ, is altogether too horrible for them to believe. Jesuit Hunter, however, can enlighten them on this subject. He writes: "It is remarked that the Sacred host, if eaten, nourishes the body; that the precious blood, if drunk,

produces the effects of wine; that both are subject to be consumed by animals or by fire, and to perish through decay, precisely as if they were bread and wine. This is perfectly true, and is in full accord with Catholic doctrine." ("Outlines," Vol. III., page 257.) How anyone in his senses can believe that the God who made him can be "consumed by animals"—say by dogs—is indeed a marvel. They who believe it must indeed have taken leave of their "senses" in more ways than one. It seems, too, that the "precious blood, if drunk, produces the effects of wine." Now, it is very well known that one of the "effects of wine," when taken in large quantities, is to make men drunk. Will the so-called "precious blood" of Jesus, if taken in large quantities, make the priests—the lally cannot get it—blind drunk? What horrible blasphemies are involved in the doctrine of Transubstantiation!

Jesuit Hunter has discovered that a double Transubstantiation sometimes takes place in the Consecrated Host. First of all, the Host is Transubstantiated into the body of Christ, and afterwards, when it becomes "corrupted," through being eaten by an animal, or by being burnt by fire, it is Transubstantiated back again into bread, and the body of Christ goes away from it! This marvellous discovery of his is thus taught by him: "The Divine presence ceases when these species are corrupted; that is to say, when the change wrought by fire, or the other agencies mentioned [this includes being "consumed by animals"], has gone so far that what is acted on would cease to be bread, supposing it to have been bread in the beginning. It may be hard to say at what instant this result is attained, but it is certain that sooner or later the fire would do its work, and we should have cinders and not bread. When the substance of the body of Christ ceases to be in the corrupting host, it is replaced by that of burning bread, and all goes on as if there had been no consecration." (Ibid., p. 257.) For all this absurdity Jesuit Hunter does not attempt to produce the slightest shadow of proof. It is all assertion, and nothing else. But is not what he writes quite enough to make papists become infidels?

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Omaha, Nebraska, July 1st, 1896. ATTEST: JOHN C. THOMPSON, President. M. L. ZOOK, Secretary. 7-2-4

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