

THE PROOF OF OSTHOFF'S DUPLICITY.

Wanted to Become a "White Cap" But Failed to Connect.

THE TELL-TALE RED CARD.

Backed by Affidavits of Members of the A. P. A. Who Voted on Osthoff's Application.

The announcement that Henry Osthoff had only a few weeks ago been an applicant for membership in the American Protective Association created intense excitement in the camp of Osthoff's supporters.

Osthoff's German-English organ had for ten days kept up a rabid tirade against the American Protective Association and sought to solidify the Irish-American vote upon Osthoff on the ground that he was a deadly enemy of the American Protective Association and everybody who had any affiliation with that organization.

Imagine their surprise, disgust and indignation when they find that they have been imposed upon by a man who simply wants to use them as a stepping stone to get into the mayor's office on the hypocritical pretense that he is the uncompromising enemy of all secret political societies and particularly of the organization that has for its object the exclusion of Roman Catholics from positions of honor and trust.

Osthoff has the effrontery to deny that the application was made by his own knowledge or consent. On this point THE BEE also has indubitable proof from members of the American Protective Association who saw him in the ante-room while his application was pending in the lodge. It remains now for Mr. Osthoff to disprove this fact by an alibi, but he cannot do it without perjured testimony.

His denial published last evening is overborne by the testimony of witnesses whose veracity there is no reason to doubt.

THE TELL-TALE RED CARD. The following is a fac simile of Osthoff's application, which, according to the attached affidavits of two members of the A. P. A. present on that occasion, was voted on by the lodge on August 28, 1891.

Form with handwritten entries: Name Henry Osthoff, Residence 16th & California, Age 44, Occupation Wallpaperer, Proposed by [Signature]

ALLEGED FORM OF A. P. A. APPLICATION. THE AFFIDAVITS.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. DOUGLAS COUNTY, ss. I, \_\_\_\_\_, being first duly sworn, do solemnly affirm that I was present at a meeting of the American Protective Association at Goodrich hall on or about August 28, 1891; that the name of Henry Osthoff was presented in his hearing at that meeting as a candidate for membership in the said American Protective Association; that said application was presented upon the recommendation of C. Specht; that the said application of Henry Osthoff was duly balloted upon by the members of the American Protective Association present.

We have omitted the names of the men who have sworn to the above facts for obvious reasons. They are men who have borne good reputation in this city. Any parties who may desire in confidence to examine the original affidavits and the signatures will be permitted to do so by calling at the editorial rooms of THE BEE.

Major John B. Furay called and examined the documents. He said: "I came, like the Queen of Sheba, doubting, but I am now ready to admit that the Catholics have been imposed upon outrageously by a double dealing fraud. You can say for me that I despise all such rank hypocrisy, especially when it is resorted to for the purpose of getting political support from Catholics. There is nothing too mean that can be said of a man who resorts to such methods."

THEY CANNOT VOTE.

Opinion of the School Board's Attorney on Woman's Franchise. In the absence of President Goodman last night's meeting of the Board of Education was directed by Mr. Ross and the first item of business was the endorsement of the list of election judges as presented by the city and county clerks.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. John Cregor of Tokamak is at the Millard. L. E. Arnold of Norfolk is at the Millard. E. P. Reynolds of Wymore is at the Millard.

Forest and Prairie Fires. St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 2.—One of the most disastrous forest fires ever known in St. Louis county has been raging for the past three days in the northern part of the county. Thousands of dollars worth of valuable property has been destroyed and unless there is rain within a few days the losses will reach \$1,000,000.

W. H. Babcock. Mr. W. H. Babcock, the well known manager of the Union stockyards of South Omaha needs no introduction to the people of Omaha. He has been a citizen of this city since 1851. He was nominated without his consent as a member of the Board of Education. He is a cultured, intelligent and popular gentleman, and it will be a credit to Omaha if he is elected. The office is purely honorary and it is not always possible to secure the consent of capable men for such positions. Mr. Babcock should be given a rousing vote by all good citizens, regardless of politics.

Out of a Business Deal. Thomas F. Danvers was arrested at the Webster street depot last evening by Officer

Shoop on a warrant sworn out by R. S. Brown of the Omaha Loan and Trust Company charging with carrying on a business transaction in which it is claimed the prisoner was party to beat Brown. Both the interested parties refused to talk about the matter.

HOWELL'S AFFAIRS IN COURT.

First National Bank of Chicago Declared a Mare Tractus.

REQUIRED TO FILE AN INVENTORY.

Judge Brown's Decision Reversed and the Voluntary Assignment Theory Exploded—Brimstone Idea in Religion Discarded.

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE BEE, CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 2.

In the appellate court today Judge Gary reversed the decision of Judge Brown, sitting in the county court, finding that Spooner R. Howell, the big lumber man, has made a voluntary assignment to the First National Bank of Chicago. Judge Brown decided that Howell had made a voluntary assignment and that the case was similar to that of Coben against Farwell and the county court had a right to consider the acts of an insolvent and construe an assignment.

At a meeting of the presbytery of Chicago today the committee on revision submitted a report in which it said among other things: "We believe that a radical re-orientation of our present confession as an amendment to a whole would be hailed with profound satisfaction. The old creed of 250 years ago, was discarded by nearly all the Christian scholars of history and was not approved by John Calvin himself."

IMPROVING THE MAIL SERVICE. Today the long-tailed-of-suburban rapid mail service was inaugurated, and as it will make haste in extending it upon all lines entering Chicago.

MADE OUT OF STYLE. Brimstone is losing its place as an element in modern theology, according to Dr. Thomas. In the course of his remarks he said: "That a beautiful faith is that every child is born a sinner, and is the evidence of a perverse heart to deny that God must be pacified by blood? That divine anger must be the punishment of the sinner? That God will sit on His throne surrounded by a few white robed figures and surround the world with a multitude of millions who have been cast into fire and brimstone below? It will not do. There is a growing love that not so many people are doomed to eternal punishment. I know not how long will believe a thousand years hence, but I do know that justice and truth and love are the chief attributes of God and that they will never die. It will be the faith of the universe."

FIGHT FOR WOMEN'S RIGHTS. Attorney Hilschell, who attempted to get a mandamus from the supreme court compelling the election commissioners to permit women to register and vote, returned from Springfield this morning. He says the women have only just begun to fight and that no effort will be spared to secure from the next legislature a law which will not be declared unconstitutional.

HAD A PENCIL FOR MARKING.

A Man With Two Wives Prevented From Wedding a Third. New York, Nov. 2.—Four bachelors held the bridal canopy over the heads of Herman Hyman, a tailor, and two brides, and yet Pinkusky at the rooms of the latter in Division street on Saturday, while Isabell Moses Cohen stood before them to make them man and wife. The rooms were packed with friends of the couple. The bride was in white and held a bouquet of flowers in her hand. The bridegroom was dressed in his best. The rabbi offered a prayer and then asked if there was any one present to prevent the marriage from taking place. There was no response.

MADE A BICYCLE RECORD. From Milwaukee to Chicago in seven hours and five minutes on a safety bicycle and over very rough roads, one hour and fifty-two minutes inside the previous best record, was that accomplished yesterday by Birdie Munger of this city. He rode the first seventeen and one-half miles after leaving Forest Home cemetery in one hour.

At the Grand Pacific—E. L. Camp, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; C. G. Bosch, A. Kimball, Davenport, Ia.; A. Gaynor, B. J. Bryan, Omaha. At the Palmer—Mrs. F. A. Davis, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; J. E. Riley, Omaha.

At the Auditorium—P. W. Corbett, Omaha. At the Little Early Risers, best little pills for dyspepsia, sour stomach, bad breath, angry words, and all the troubles that attend the appearance of a policeman, it is probable there would have been a fight.

Working for Bemis. "There goes a young Catholic democrat who is working hard for the election of George P. Bemis," said a prominent business man yesterday as John W. Pann passed by. "He has been busy among the best citizens for the past week, urging upon them the necessity of registering, and then voting for Judge Post and George P. Bemis, and it only goes to show that the thoughtful Catholics are not indifferent to the O. P. A. movement, and are unanimously in favor of a good, clean administration."

The new Hotel Brunswick, 16th and Jackson, with all modern improvements. Now open for guests. Moderate prices.

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The balance of the Fechheimer, Goodkind & Co. stock, which our buyer recently purchased in New York, has arrived, been assorted, marked and placed on sale in our Men's Clothing Department, where the whole immense stock is now ready for your inspection in all its entirety. This is without doubt the finest assortment of Strictly Fine Suits every shown by any one firm in the west, comprising as it does all the popular fabrics in almost every conceivable shade, color and pattern. Particular attention is directed to the cut, style, shape and fit of these garments, which no Tailor in the land can excel, and which gained for the manufacturers a reputation for making fine clothing which extended from one end of the United States to the other. We have selected from this grand assortment an immense quantity of the very Finest Suits which we have assorted into two separate and distinct lots, which represent more style, tone, service and actual value than any clothing concern in this country ever gave before.

AT \$14. AT \$18.

We give you your choice of several hundred very fine Suits in both Sacks and Cutaways, in all the popular fabrics, in all sorts of shades and colors, in about thirty choice styles. These suits are worth fully twenty dollars of any man's money, and are sold for that price all over the country (occasionally you'll see a \$22 card on them).

In order that our Furnishing Goods men may not get "lost in the shuffle," we will offer until they're gone 100 dozen ELEGANT SILK SUSPENDERS, actual value \$1.00, at 45c.

THE WINDOWS ON BOTH STREETS TELL INTERESTING STORIES.

Nebraska Clothing Co. Car. DOUGLAS & 14th Sts.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion: If you have a cold or cough, acute or tending to consumption, SCOTT'S EMULSION OF PURE COD LIVER OIL AND HYPOPHOSPHITES OF LIME AND SODA.

Advertisement for Dr. Acker's English Pills: DOCTOR ACKER'S ENGLISH REMEDY will stop a Cough in one night, check a Cold in a day, and CURE Consumption if taken in time.

Advertisement for Anchor Line of Mail Steamships: The Largest, Fastest and Finest in the World. NEW YORK, LONDON AND GLASGOW.

Advertisement for The Quick and the Dead: THE QUICK AND THE DEAD. WOODS' PENETRATING PLASTER.

Advertisement for Warner's Burglar Proof Lock: WARNER'S BURGLAR PROOF LOCK.

Advertisement for Boyd's New Theatre: BOYD'S New Theatre. This (Tuesday) Evening, November 3. Last Performance of Mr. NAT C. GOODWIN and His Excellent Comedy Company.

Advertisement for The Senator: THE SENATOR. SAME EXCELLENT COMPANY. As presented in consecutive nights at the Star Theatre, New York.

Advertisement for Seal Skin Garments: Seal Skin Garments. FUR CAPES. MEN'S FUR OVERCOATS. and All Fashionable FURS.

Advertisement for John T. Shayne & Co.: JOHN T. SHAYNE & CO. Reliable Manufacturers. Palmer House Block, 191 & 193 State St., Chicago.

Advertisement for Pond's Extract: POND'S EXTRACT WILL CURE PILES. I have long known its value in bleeding piles. It is the principle remedy in all forms of hemorrhoids.

Advertisement for Geo. C. Staley: GEO. C. STALEY. In his Successful Comedy Drama. A Royal Pass. SEE THE LOCOMOTIVE RACE.

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