

SHOW FAITH IN THE FUTURE

Extensive Improvements in the Store of Browning, King & Co.

ARTISTIC PLATE GLASS SHOW CASES

Second Floor Contains a Beautiful Reception Room Furnished in the Most Elaborate Style.

It is a significant fact that while some business men have been complaining of a slack trade and business has scarcely begun to recover from the depression of the past three years, one of Omaha's retail firms has indicated its faith in the future by expanding a small fortune in converting its establishment into one of the most handsomely furnished stores to be found between Chicago and San Francisco.

The distinguishing feature of the first floor as it now appears is the magnificent showcases, which are the largest ever manufactured in this country. They are of solid plate glass from the floor up and nothing could display a profusion of tasteful fabrics to better advantage.

But the most beautiful features of the establishment are found on the second floor, which is occupied by the youth and children's department. This department is that most frequently visited by the women and here they are offered a most interesting display.

The windows are magnificently draped with lace curtains and plush draperies and the window seats, covered with inviting cushions of plush, offer a grateful inducement to sit down and indulge in the perfect view of the streets which is afforded.

The Best Way to Cure Disease is to establish a Pure, rich blood means good health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills; assist digestion, prevent constipation.

GO SOUTH Via the Wabash Railroad.

WINTER TOURISTS' TICKETS on sale November 17, December 1, and 15.

THE WABASH is the short line and quickest route to St. Louis, St. Paul, Chicago, and other points south.

Burlington Route-California Leave Omaha—via the Burlington route—any Thursday morning at 8:35—in a comfortable tourist sleeper—and you reach San Francisco Sunday evening.

Expenses of the Election. The total expense to the city for the election, so far as bills have been presented, reaches \$4,320.99.

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WORK RESUMED AT POSTOFFICE.

Workmen commenced digging the big Drainage Sewer on the construction of the big drainage sewer on the corner of the four sides of the block enclosing the new government building.

TURN IT OVER TO CALDWELL

Representatives of the Roads Express a Desire to Do Something, but Think the Rate Asked is Too Low.

A meeting of unusual importance to Omaha and of special interest to those who are engaged in making arrangements for the Second Annual Circuit Court.

THANKSGIVING DAY

Appel on Behalf of the Worthy Poor of Our City.

The Associated Charities are having very large and urgent demands upon them at this time and cannot meet them on account of an empty clothing room and exhausted treasury.

Six-Thirty P. M. Train. CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & PAULRY.

Former Union Pacific Feeder to Be Put Upon the Auction Block.

Notice of the sale of the St. Joseph & Grand Island, formerly a part of the Union Pacific system, has been received by interested parties in this city from Edward Simonson of St. Paul, special master for the sale.

ISH SOON TO BID OMAHA FAREWELL.

Bishop John P. Newman arrived in this city yesterday morning and is the guest of C. F. Weller. When he leaves the city next Saturday for the Pacific coast it will be the termination of his residence here.

Minor Court Matters.

William Mahle and George Hall, two residents of Plattsmouth, were put on trial in the criminal court on the charge of robbing Claus Boshelm.

On and after Tuesday, November 15, the Missouri Pacific fast train for St. Louis leaves Omaha at 3:30 p. m.

Contesting Right to Assets. The Young Men's Christian association has commenced suit against Douglas county and Treasurer Heimrod to restrain the county from collecting the general taxes assessed against the building owned by the association and situated at Sixteenth and Douglas streets.

A Perplexing Problem. Whether to take "Northwestern Line" No. 2 at 4:45 p. m. or No. 6 at 6:30 p. m.

Attempted Her Own Life. Mrs. Ella Scheller attempted suicide yesterday afternoon in her room at 603 North Sixteenth street.

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RAILROADS ASK FOR A SPECIAL RATE TO THE SOCIETY CIRCUS.

Request One Fare for the Round Trip.

THE VARIOUS APPLICANTS FOR THE CLERKSHIP OF THE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT TO SUCCEED ELMER D. FRANK WILL HAVE TO WAIT WHILE THEY TRY TO KNOW THEIR FATE.

A telegram from St. Louis states that Judge Thayer says no clerk has applied for the circuit clerkship in Nebraska to his knowledge, and he would be informed if such appointment had been made.

THE CITY COUNCIL READY FOR THE ANNUAL CITY WRESTLE WITH TAX BOOKS.

The city council met yesterday morning for its annual struggle equalizing the assessments on property in the city of Omaha.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Permits to wed have been issued to the following parties by the county judge:

John A. Anderson, Omaha, and Mrs. Katie Roseberry, Omaha.

TAKE UP THE WORLD LIBEL SUIT.

The libel suit of the World Publishing Company against The Bee Publishing Company for \$50,000 damages for alleged libel was taken up for trial in court room No. 4 yesterday.

CALIFORNIA MINERS' CONVENTION.

A demand for a cabinet office on mines and milling.

A very important convention for the mining industry of the state was that which has just closed its session at San Francisco.

CRADLE AND THE GRAVE.

The following births and deaths were reported at the health office during the twenty-four hours ending at noon yesterday:

Births—E. E. McKinnis, Thirteenth and Nicholas streets, boy; Harry Melrose, 814 North Nineteenth street, boy; A. L. Reed, Thirteenth and Farnam streets, girl; Frank Fiala, 1213 South Fourteenth street, boy; Joseph Novelli, 2423 Spaulding street, boy; Joseph Munn, 1708 Leavenworth street, girl; Edward Jones, 167 South Seventeenth street, girl; Henry Graack, Twenty-fifth and Martha streets, boy.

Deaths—Wm. H. Beckman, 35, 216 North Twenty-sixth street, congestion of the lungs, interment at Peterburg, Ill.; Ellen Gray, 35, 2925 North Twenty-third street, Forsyth, Iowa; Bertha Miller, 2 months, Thirteenth and Burdette streets, Forest Lawn.

BREWING IN THE COEUR D'ALENS.

Employment of Nonunion Men May Lead to Trouble.

A dispatch received from Wallace, Idaho, says the Helena and Frisco mine has been reported sold to the Standard Oil company.

It is one of the leading silver-lead mines of the Coeur d'Alenes and is located on Coeur d'Alene creek.

It was among the first mines opened up in the district and has been working steadily except that the mill was destroyed in the strike of 1892 and was not rebuilt until the following spring.

The mill built then has a capacity of 600 tons daily and has been increased by some additions since. During the past year it has employed 125 men steadily, milling 525 tons daily and shipping about 100 tons of concentrates.

It paid \$50,000 in dividends monthly for several years, with occasional intermissions, two being passed during the last year.

The company is a close corporation, with headquarters at Helena. The stock is now owned by Hastings, Helena, John Murphy, Seligman and Peter Larson. Nothing is known of the price paid, but the property is commonly considered worth \$2,000,000.

The sale is of particular interest, because the Standard Oil company employs nonunion labor in the Hunker Hill and Coeur d'Alene fields.

Should an attempt be made to employ nonunion men there it will almost surely result in trouble. The miners' union is just elected and is anxious to defeating the ticket endorsed by the Standard Oil company.

The feeling is intense because of this, and it is feared some hot-headed members of the union will take steps if nonunion men are introduced among them.

Either Murder or Suicide.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Nov. 18.—The dead bodies of James Ware, a single man, aged 30, and Mrs. Ella Bicketts, wife of Albert Bicketts, were found on the Locust street viaduct tonight, with a bayonet hole in the forehead of each. A revolver lay beside the bodies. The police have not determined whether it is a case of murder or suicide.

International Coopers' Union.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 18.—Charles Leisner, president of the Coopers' Protective association of Cincinnati, has just been appointed organizer of the International Coopers' union. He was prominent in the international convention at Evansville, and will have his headquarters here.

JUDGES HAVE AGREED, HOWEVER, ON THE COURSE TO BE PURSUED.

The various applicants for the clerkship of the United States circuit court to succeed Elmer D. Frank will have to wait while they try to know their fate. In addition to the numerous parties in Omaha and elsewhere in Nebraska who have lined out for the place, there is a candidate in St. Louis who is giving them all considerable uneasiness.

IS PUT FORTH AS A FEELER

Some Fear Expressed that Wheeler's Water Works Resolution is Loaded.

MIGHT WORK A FORFEITURE OF RIGHTS

Councilmen Hope for a Reduction in Water Rentals—Company Manager Says He Wants to Deal Liberally with the City.

The resolution adopted by the city council Tuesday night providing for the appointment of a special committee to confer with the Omaha Water Company relative to an arrangement by which additional water service may be secured without a material increase in the cost, is a subject of considerable speculation in official circles.

In view of the very complicated relations which now exist between the city and the water company, any legislation on the subject is regarded with a good deal of suspicion and a good many of the members of the council are disposed to regard this resolution as preliminary to some action by which the city will forfeit some of the rights which it now claims.

The contention of the city through its executive and legal department has been that the new company did not acquire the franchise which belonged to the American Water Works company when it purchased the property. Since then the claim of the new company to this franchise has never been officially recognized.

Even when permission was given to open streets for necessary repairs to the system, the permit was stamped with a reservation by which the city declared that in issuing the permit, no recognition was made of the position held by the water company.

Some of the councilmen now contend that if this special committee should confer with the water company and agree to some arrangement that the position held by the city would be rendered insecure. The minute this arrangement was ratified by the council the city would have officially recognized the claims of the water company and it would be the legal owner of the disputed franchise.

Councilman Wheeler, who introduced the resolution, says that it was intended simply as a feeler in the direction of a reduced rate for rentals. He says that for a long time past there has been sentiment in the city for having to pay too much for water, and now that litigation has been suspended and the plant has become an Omaha property, there is a possibility that something might be accomplished that would be to the advantage of the city.

Manuel Bierbauer of the water company says that he knows nothing of the resolution except what he read in the morning papers. In his opinion anything that would effect an understanding between his company and the city would be a good thing. The officers of the company recognize the fact that there is a sentiment among the taxpayers against the water company, and they are disposed to get rid of it by giving the best possible service and dealing liberally with the city.

They have extensive plans for improvements outside of the city limits, and they do not feel like investing additional capital while there is a question as to their title to the franchise. It is thought, however, that it would be a good thing, both for the city and the company, if an understanding could be reached. If the city is in a position to buy the plant all right, it that was not the case, the next best thing should be done and the company placed in a position where it would feel that it was getting its money's worth for the improvement of the system.

CREIGHTON WILL CASE AGAIN.

Motion for a Dismissal Has Been Filed.

A motion has been filed in the Creighton will case and it will be argued before Judge Pawcett Saturday. The motion asks that the appeal from the county court be dismissed on the ground that the will is void on its face.

In this motion is sustained, this case, which has already had two trials in the district court, each consuming between three and four weeks, will be dismissed. In the event that the motion is overruled, the case will be taken up for the third time next Tuesday.

The will in dispute is one made by the late Joseph Creighton, in which he bequeathed to the bishop of Omaha, the Roman Catholic church, certain property in trust. The will is contested by Mrs. Shelby, a daughter of the testator, on the ground that the maker of the will was not competent to execute such a document at the time the will purports to have been made.

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That doesn't sound remarkably cheap in the face of some of the "Sales" around town, and yet these suits are better suits, better patterns, better made up and better values than the suits advertised as "big bargains" at \$3 in any of the prevailing calamity sales.

It's no trick for any store to advertise things cheap. It's no trick to make things sound elegant in print. It's no trick to get up a sensational sale and beat the tom toms and use big type to help out small values, but it's something of a trick to buy goods cheap enough so they will sell without the aid of any such methods, and so the people will know that they are special bargains without having to swallow whole pages of printer's ink to find it out.

Nebraska Clothing Co. OMAHA



A. D. 1620. Here is one of our "delft reproductions of the present season. You have seen high-backed chairs before that were called "Colonial," but it is quite a different matter when you see a chair like this one of the old Mayflower chairs.

The lines of this chair are unmistakably a sign of its authenticity. They are like the points of a fine horse; they are not easily mistaken when once seen.

The high arms; the recessed, solid seat; the cross braces from the head rest to the base; the swiveling Dutch legs—all these are the proof marks of the period.

The finish is in ivory white, with old China, blue painted decorations under a stoneware varnish. One or two of these old Colonial chairs should be in every home.

CHAS. SHIVERICK & CO. The Lowest Prices on Furniture, 12TH AND DOUGLAS.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

A Great Modern Novel By ROBERT BARR ("Luke Sharp.")

"The Mutable Many" A DRAMATIC AND HUMOROUS SERIAL IN TWENTY INSTALMENTS, BEGINNING NOV. 22, IN THE SUNDAY BEE

ROBERT BARR needs no introduction to American editors, since long before he attained distinction as a novelist in England, he had achieved no small measure of fame in this country through his "Luke Sharp" letters, written for the Detroit Free Press.

His first novel, "In the Midst of Alarms," placed him at once among the leading present-day writers of fiction in England and America. For years Mr. Barr has been ambitious to set forth in the form of fiction the conditions of life as they exist today in a great industrial center, as did Dickens years ago the life of the social conditions that then existed.

With this purpose in view, Mr. Barr has made a close study of the manufacturing districts of London, and in this, his latest novel, "The Mutable Many," he pictures in his characteristic manner the struggle of Marsten, an intelligent young workman, secretary of a labor union, against Mr. Sartwell, the manager of the great iron works of Monkton & Hope.

It is a drama of stirring scenes from beginning to end. As a foil to the exciting situations in the contest, Mr. Barr introduces the happy-go-lucky character of young Barney Hope, who turns up unexpectedly in every emergency, and in his own way helps in the solution of many difficult problems.

In short, the story abounds in the humorous, droll and lively invention which makes Mr. Barr the most diverting of the newer writers, and might be characterized as refreshing, highly amusing and strikingly dramatic.

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