

SHOWS GROWING PROSPERITY

Business of Every Department of Omaha Postoffice Increases.

COMPARATIVE FIGURES FOR TWO YEARS

First Quarter This Year Surpasses Corresponding Period of Last Year by More Than Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

The receipts of the Omaha postoffice for the first quarter of the year 1902 have been compiled and show an increase of \$15,892.20, exclusive of receipts from the money order department, over the corresponding quarter last year.

Table with 3 columns: Month, 1901, 1902. Rows for January, February, March, and Total.

In receipts from second-class matter there has been a gratifying increase over the corresponding quarter of last year, and although the sum is small, it is believed that there would have been a decrease, as during the year many small publications have been dropped under the recent ruling of the postmaster general, making an appreciable decrease in the number of publications entitled to second-class privileges.

Showing in Money Order Business.

The greatest increase in the volume of business, however, is shown in the money order department, and the showing is all the more satisfactory, as it shows that through the Postoffice department for the three months ending March 31, the city of Omaha has added to its cash on hand the sum of \$429,846.95, this being the difference between the amount of the orders issued at Omaha and the value of the orders paid during that term.

Special Interest to All Smokers.

In the last few years changes have been made in the methods employed by a large number of manufacturers to increase the sale of their different brands of cigars. Some have resorted to the scheme of giving away everything imaginable from a toothpick to a horse and buggy, sewing machine, etc.

Attention, A. O. U. W.

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KARR SENDS FOR HIS AXE

Promises Wild-Eyed Stranger that He Will Do Some Wood-Chopping.

A man with disheveled hair and a wild look in his eye called on Acting Mayor Karr yesterday morning and said: "I want you to go out to Meredith avenue and the Belt Line and cut about three acres of timber that grows there. There are men from town hide in that timber and every time I go by or from home they shoot at me."

Mr. Karr sized up his visitor and concluded after a moment's scrutiny that he (Karr) had better go into the wood-chopping business. "George!" he called to his major domo out in the next room. "Will you bring me an axe? I'm going out to Meredith avenue and Belt Line to chop down some trees."

George answered that he would go down into the cellar and get it at once, which he promptly did. The man, who regarded the matter as settled and went away. The man is known to several city hall attaches as being mildly insane.

FOR RENT.

Handsome Brick Residence

On the southwest corner of Seventeenth and Douglas streets. It was built by the late Henry Fundt as his home and is one of the best constructed as well as one of the finest houses in Omaha. It is built entirely of brick and stone, stone steps and slate roof.

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The Burton Holmes Lectures.

"St. Petersburg" is the subject of the first lecture to be given by Mr. Burton Holmes. This lecture was received with particular favor in the east during the last winter, as it gives a much more intimate insight into the daily life of Russians of all classes than any traveler heretofore has been able to obtain.

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TRAIN CHANGES.

The Northwestern Line—C, St. P. M. & O. Ry.

Commencing Sunday, April 6, the afternoon train for Sioux City, Wayne, Bloomfield, Hartington, New Castle and Intermediate points, on the C, St. P. M. & O. Ry. will leave Webster street depot at 2 o'clock instead of 2:45, as heretofore.

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