

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Official Advertising Doesn't Interest the Local Advertisers Greatly. CHARTER RATES TOO LOW FOR PROFIT Call for Bids Brings No Response and the City May Have to Resort to the Bulletin Board Method.

City Clerk Shrigley is now advertising for bids for official printing. These bids will be received at the office of the clerk up to noon on January 5.

In case suitable bids are not received it is understood that the city officials will use the bulletin board in the city offices for the posting of ordinances and notices.

Charter Revision Committee Meets. Nearly every member of the charter revision committee appointed by the mayor met last night.

Mayor Koutsky called special attention to the overlap which has been growing for years and now amounts to about \$70,000.

Judge Brown suggested that a committee of seven or nine be appointed to take the matter of revision in hand.

William Maxwell is still confined in the city jail on a charge of attempting to defraud.

Receipts of Cattle. The receipts of cattle at the stock yards are nearing the 1,000,000 mark and livestock dealers predict that before the year is ended the largest receipts in the history of the yards will be placed on record.

Jones Will Work. Sanitary Inspector Jones has been directed to work on the city's water supply.

ASTHMA. Climate wears out. Smokes and sprays do not cure. They relieve symptoms but do not remove causes.

A CHRISTMAS GIFT. Appreciated by every smoker is a box of OPTIMO CIGARS.

Woodwards VIRGINIA C CHOCOLATES. THE DARK, RICH, CREAMY CENTERS. Kuhn & Co., Druggists 15th and Douglas Sts.

reected by the mayor to proceed at once and inspect all of the butcher shops in the city.

Castalia Finds Harbor. W. S. King and J. B. Watkins returned yesterday from a trip down the river.

Ordinance Considered Worthless. Mayor Koutsky said last night to a Bee reporter that he considered the present stock inspector ordinance worthless.

Magie City Gossip. The Lotus club will dance at Masonic hall Tuesday night.

Teachers and pupils who wish reduced rates on the railroads during the holiday vacation are invited to come to a certificate from Superintendent McLean.

PLAN BIG WORK FOR NEW YEAR. North Omaha Improvement Club Members Hold a Live Meeting.

The fifth annual meeting of the North Omaha Improvement club was held Monday evening when a general discussion of issues pertaining to the development of that portion of the city was indulged in.

Parliament among these questions will be asked the support of the representatives in favor of school appropriations, the club standing for direct taxation instead of receiving the fines from the police court to defray such expenses.

The Rosewater ordinance was discussed pro and con, the consensus of opinion being directly in favor of it.

The officers elected were: President, Dr. Paul Ellis; vice president, R. B. Wallace; secretary, A. L. Meager; treasurer, A. J. Beal.

BEER COST HIM HIS JOB. Officer Egan Dismissed from Service for Taking Drink While on Duty.

C. C. Wright was absent from the meeting of the fire and police commissioners last night, and as a result no applications for liquor licenses were considered.

TAKE UP AUDITORIUM WORK. New Officers and Executive Committee Get Together for First Time.

The new officers and directors of the Auditorium company held their first formal meeting yesterday afternoon at the Omaha club.

NAMES PEACE COMMITTEE

American League Convention Appoints Delegates to Settle Ball War. DEPUTATION GIVEN FULL POWER TO ACT Meeting is Made Special and Annual Fixed for January in New York, When Pittsburg's Claims May Be Decided.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—The international meeting of the American league held here today was a special meeting and it was decided to hold the annual meeting in New York some time during January.

The principal business transacted was the appointment of a commission to meet the National league at Cincinnati on January 5 to confer on peace terms between the two base ball organizations.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Tom Jenkins, the catch-as-catch-can champion wrestler, failed to ward George Botha's light-weight champion, four times in an hour, and lost the match.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Georgetown University Athletic Association has decided to hold the annual indoor athletic meet on February 25.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 22.—A well dressed woman, 19 years old, giving her name as Mrs. W. C. Hazel of Covington, Ky., was taken to the city hospital from the Morton hotel in Monument place today in an unconscious condition.

NEW ORLEANS FAVORITES WIN. Crowd Picks Four Successful Horses Out of Six on Southern Track.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 22.—There were only two beaten favorites today. Results: First race, six furlongs: Paganant won, Embarrasment second, Spec third.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 22.—In the ten-round bout between Matty Matthews and Babe Deboe the decision was given to Matthews.

FALLS MAR INGLESIDE RACES

Horse Stumbles in One Event and Jockey is Thrown in Another. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—Interlocking sport was witnessed in Inglewood today.

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ATHLETES CONTEST INDOORS. WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Georgetown University Athletic Association has decided to hold the annual indoor athletic meet on February 25.

RUNS MORE THAN MILE IN MINUTE. TOLEDO, O., Dec. 22.—The Twentieth Century Limited on the Lake Shore made a fast run today between Toledo and Elkhart.

SHOOTING CONTEST THURSDAY. There will be a shooting contest on the grounds of the Omaha Gun club, across the river from the city, on Thursday.

SECOND ATTEMPT SUCCESSFUL. Woman Finally Ends Her Life by Cutting Her Wrists and Taking Morphine.

NEWSBOYS CAUGHT PILFERING. Joe and James Mausk, living at Fourteenth and G streets, and Joe Slatok of 147 South Fourteenth street and Alonzo Thompson of 321 South Twenty-first street were arrested last night for petty thieving.

MATTHEWS BEATS FERNS. In the ten-round bout between Matty Matthews and Babe Deboe the decision was given to Matthews.

CASCARETS CANDY CATHARTIC. THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP. ANNUAL SALE 10,000,000 BOXES Greatest in the World. A MILLION GOOD LIVERS, in a double sense, credit their good feeling to CASCARETS Candy Cathartic.

SPECIAL DISEASES OF MEN. I Do Not Treat All Diseases but Cure All I Treat. I Treat Men Only and Cure Them to Stay Cured. No Incurable Cases Accepted.

VARICOCELE. RHEUMATISM. ULCERS. NOCTURNAL LOSES. DISCHARGES. BLADDER. SPECIFIC BLOOD POISONING. RUPTURE. STRICTURE. WRITE.

State Electro-Medical Institute. 1308 Farnam Street, Between 13th and 14th Streets, Omaha, Neb. CONSULTATION FREE AND CONFIDENTIAL.

CALIFORNIA? No matter how you want to go, "Southern" or "Scenic" route, in a tourist sleeper or aboard the finest train in America, the Rock Island is the line to take. Golden State limited leaves Kansas City daily and offers unrivaled service to all points in Southern California.