

CUDAHY IS BRANCHING OUT

Packing Maynate Secures Control of Nebraska-Iowa Creamery Company.

ONE OF LARGEST CONCERNS OF ITS KIND

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The report which has been current among business men during the past few days to the effect that the Cudahy Packing company has acquired ownership of the Nebraska-Iowa Creamery company, seems to be true.

The Nebraska-Iowa Creamery company was first organized by J. J. King at West Point, Neb. Several years ago the headquarters were removed to this city, where they have been since.

The new building which the company occupies, and which was erected especially for it about one year ago, is one of the finest of its kind in the country.

It is generally believed by those who are most familiar with the creamery and cold storage business that the acquisition of

THE NEBRASKA-LOWA COMPANY BY THE CUDAHY COMPANY MEANS THAT IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE NEW OWNERS TO ENGAGE EXTENSIVELY IN THIS LINE OF TRADE IN DIRECT COMPETITION WITH ARMOUR AND SWIFT, WHO HAVE LONG BEEN ESTABLISHED IN THE BUSINESS.

TELLS OF THE PEKING SIEGE

Dr. Frank Gamewell Delivers Interesting Lecture at Kountze Memorial.

Secretary Willis of the Young Men's Christian association presented John F. Goucher, president of the Women's College of Baltimore, who after a few remarks regarding the history of the mission, introduced Dr. Frank D. Gamewell at Kountze Memorial church Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Gamewell said "That the storm did not come without warning. There had been indications of approaching trouble all during the spring of 1900, and some missionaries came a distance of 400 miles to find shelter, during the outbreak, with their friends in Peking."

The speaker told of the letter which was received by Minister Conger from the Chinese foreign office which instructed all foreigners to leave the country within four hours, and how no attention was paid to the communication.

He told of the feelings of hope which filled the breasts of the besieged when reports of relief came, and of how through the tension of imagination these reports were frequent. In one instance the English ambassador came down from a roof to report that he had seen the headlight of the English ship Terrible, which had evidently been taken from the ship by a relief expedition to assist in finding the way at night, but it was several weeks after this report was circulated before the expedition did actually arrive.

DRIVEN MAD OVER ONE KISS

Book Agent Takes to Drink When Another Man Embraces His Sweetheart.

According to what the Sioux City papers have to offer on the subject James Groves, who travels for Collier's Weekly and makes his headquarters in Omaha, is languishing in the county jail in Sioux City as the result of a debauch, induced when he beheld the woman he loved kissed by another man.

Groves' condition is said to be pitiable. On being landed in jail he is said to have worried through the first night alternating between imaginary raptures and pleading to be given more whisky, taken to Cherokee for treatment for dipomania.

It is said that Groves was standing at the railroad station in Sioux Falls when he saw the woman he loved embraced and kissed by another man. He first upbraided her for faithlessness and, pleading in vain, resorted to whisky.

After he got to Sioux City the liquor is said to have brought the results and Groves was taken, limp and helpless, save for the ability to scream at a tolerably high pitch, to a comfortable cell in the county jail.

LEAVES MANILA FOR OMAHA

Thirtieth Infantry Embarks for Fort Crook, Succeeding Twenty-Second Regiment.

The Thirtieth United States Infantry, it was learned at army headquarters, started from Manila yesterday for the United States. It is expected that the regiment will arrive at Fort Crook on or about December 20, to take its permanent station.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Name and Residence. Age. John Doukull, Omaha, 21. Henry M. Neely, Fort Sheridan, Ill., 21. Blanche R. Craig, Omaha, 21. George Duncan, South Omaha, 22. Louis Horlick, South Omaha, 22. Sam P. Anderson, Washington, 17. Fredrickson, South Omaha, 24. Michael Opitz, Omaha, 24. Anna Klien, Omaha, 21. Christian Clausen, Omaha, 21. Christine Knudsen, Omaha, 21.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Charles E. Babcock, formerly of the Indianola job, is in Omaha visiting. C. F. Weller, manager of the Richardson Drug company, and Mrs. Weller left for Denver Sunday evening. George D. Pollmer, commissioner of public lands and buildings of Lincoln is in the city, registered at the Merchants. A. B. Grider of Rapid City, C. E. Wandland of Denver and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hon. W. H. Kellgar, district judge from the first Nebraska district, of Auburn, is in the city. He is registered at the Paxton. F. A. Lienhart of Kearney, Mrs. W. H. Kippartick, E. N. McPherson of Denver and W. L. Kirkhill of Moorcroft, Wyo., are registered at the Paxton. Thomas Slaughter of Dickinson, N. D., H. L. Gratnam of Custer, Mrs. Frank Bacon of Lincoln, Alva Smith of Tekamah, H. M. Eaton of Lincoln and W. H. Needham of Bloomfield are at the Merchants.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Police Start in on a General Roundup of all Vagrants in the City.

MUCH OF THIEVERY CHARGED UP TO THEM

Chief Announces That All of This Class Must Leave the City or Spend Their Time in the Jail.

Within the last day or two the city has been filling up with vagrants and suspicious characters. Fourteen arrests were made yesterday by the police, every one being charged as a suspicious character or a vagrant. The cause of this raid was the burglary at the grocery store of Philip Krause in Albright early Sunday morning. Until an invoice is taken Mr. Krause does not know just how much he lost, but there was but little cash in the till when he closed up. Most of the goods taken consisted of tobacco, cigars and canned goods.

The robbery is considered a daring one, as there is supposed to be a policeman in Albright day and night. Chief Briggs was considerably put out about the affair, and started in to round up every suspicious character he could find. He said that he would make every vagrant leave the city or else get a county jail sentence. For a time the city jail was empty, and the officers had nothing to do. Within the last few days the city seems to be full of petty thieves, whom the police say are wandering their way south and east. The small number of police officers on duty does not permit of a thorough patrolling of the city, as most of the night police congregate in the business district.

Chief Briggs is greatly in favor of a patrol box system, and if this is installed by the city council he says that he will see to it that the patrolmen are compelled to remain on their beats during working hours and report to police headquarters at stated intervals. By this system the chief says that a great deal of petty thieving in all parts of the city can be stopped.

No Additional Packing Houses.

A prominent South Omaha packer said to a Bee reporter last night that there was no probability of any additional packing houses being opened here for some time. As for the report that an independent company was going to start a new plant near Thirtieth and L streets, this packer said that there was absolutely no foundation for such a rumor. In the first place, there is no sanitary sewer at Thirtieth and L streets, and, furthermore, there is no way in which connection with the sewer is contemplated. The Hammond plant has been stripped of most of its machinery, and will need improvements costing thousands of dollars before it can be placed in service. With the falling off in stock receipts at this time of the year the packing houses are not making any special improvements and are not branching out any.

Council Meeting Tonight.

The city council will meet tonight but there is nothing of importance on the slip so far. The ordinance extending the franchise of the Omaha Water company cannot be reported on until it has been published two weeks. The ordinance has not been published the requisite length of time the judiciary committee will not make a report tonight. A few old bills may be allowed tonight on the overlap money. If these go through this evening the overlap will be paid and the bills will be placed on a cash basis for the fiscal year which ends August 1, 1904.

Looking for a Decision.

Those interested in the vacating ordinances are looking for a decision from Judge Dickinson today. A decision was expected on Saturday but the court failed to hand down one. Many of the business men in the city are in favor of vacating the streets asked for as they will never be opened to traffic and might as well be used for railroad tracks as to stand as they are, thirty feet above the traveled roadway. It has been stated that with a decision from the court the council will hold special sessions and pass the vacating ordinance as soon as the law will permit it to do so.

Dance Committees Named.

Programs for the third annual ball of the local lodge of Eagles are in circulation. F. J. Murphy is to be master of ceremonies. The entertainment committee is made up of Jay N. Williams, Emil Hansen, Arthur Miller, Frank Riley, Fred Parks. Reception committee: L. E. Williams, Oscar Sherrill, D. J. Hinchee, Richard Berlin, P. J. Barrett, Morris P. Hinchee, Edward Christ, William Killackey, A. J. Knight, Emil Hansen, Thomas Dillon and P. J. Martin. Floor committee: Jay Williams, John O'Keefe, Frank Riley, D. McLean, T. T. Powers, James Pivonka, Fred Parks and Arthur Miller will attend the door. The ball will be held at Workman temple Twenty-fifth and M streets on Friday evening of this week.

Still Excavating.

City Engineer Beal and John Latenser, architect for the new high school building, made an inspection of the work on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Beal stated that the excavating would be completed in about a week, unless the weather turned stormy. While bids for the construction of the building were advertised to be opened to-night by the Board of Education, it was decided by the building committee to put off the bidding for another week, consequently the bids will not be opened until November 23. The cost of the building is estimated at \$75,000.

Magie City Gossip.

E. B. Christie is home from Minneapolis, where he visited relatives for a few days. T. B. McPherson, cashier of the Union Stock yards National bank, is away on a hunting trip. Colonel James L. Paxton, general superintendent of the Union Stock yards company, has returned from a trip to Cuba.

Blocked with Samples.

Officers of the school board were filled Monday with samples of school desks and men who wished to sell them. The board



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Church Calls New Pastor North Side Christian invites Rev. H. J. Kirschstein of Hastings to Its Pulpit.

A call has been extended by the North Side Christian church to Rev. H. J. Kirschstein of Hastings. Rev. Mr. Kirschstein has indicated his willingness to accept if his present charge will release him. He has been with the Hastings church for nine years. It is expected that he will come to Omaha about the middle of December. In the meantime the church will invite in a series of meetings under Evangelist DeForest Austin, who arrived Monday and held the first meeting last night. These meetings are to inaugurate a movement looking to a change of location to some point east of Twenty-fourth street, and the erection of a new building, or the enlarge-

ment of the old one, which is inadequate to present needs. Sunday was rally day with the church with a sermon in the morning and an impromptu program in the evening participated in by a number of the members of the congregation.

FINDS NO SUCH AGREEMENT County Commissioners Deny Alleged Compact with the Sarpy County Officials.

The claim having been made by the commissioners of Sarpy county that the Douglas county commissioners had refused to live up to an agreement entered into in previous years, which provided that when repairs were to be made on the county road which is the line of demarcation between Sarpy and Douglas counties and that Douglas county was to lend its assistance in the east side of Sarpy county and that Sarpy county was to assist on the west side of Douglas, the county commissioners of Douglas county Monday morning made an investigation of the records and failed to find that any such agreement had ever been made. An effort is being made by Lyman Water-

man, a promoter, and others to have the bill on the county road east of Sarpy Mills cut down, and after the road had been cut down and a good road made between Sarpy Mills and South Omaha, along the line of the proposed electric railway, the promoters of the railway would see that the road was kept in first-class condition thereafter. The Sarpy county board has refused to act in the matter, alleging that Douglas county was unwilling to do its part. The Douglas county commissioners allege that these claims are unfounded.

LAST CAPTIVE TELLS OF DEED Third Suspect in Street Car Holdup Implicates Smith and Wells.

Complaint was filed in police court yesterday charging Dick Johnson and Frank Wells with highway robbery. These men are alleged to be the pals of Charles Smith, against whom complaint was filed last Saturday for the alleged holdup of Conductor F. M. Valentine and Motorman J. P. Flannagan at Hanson park car line terminus a week ago Sunday night. Johnson was captured by Detectives

Drummy and Madsen Sunday night. He was connected with the crime by description furnished the officers by the street car men. Johnson was put through the sweating process and told how the holdup happened, but implicated only Smith and Wells in the job. He professes to have been told of the deal, but would not take a hand. Johnson claims the two watches taken from Flannagan and Valentine were sent to Lincoln, and Detective Drummy will go to that city to see about the matter. The three men will be up for arraignment after the officer returns from Lincoln. The police aver that all three men are ex-convicts, each having done time in the Iowa state penitentiary. Knowing ones order Cook's Imperial Champagne—not solely on account of the name, but the product.

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