

CRUZEN NOT AFTER THE TOGA

Denies that He is Candidate for Senator or Any Other Office.

LETTER FROM SHAW COMMENDING HIM

Former Collector of Customs at Porto Rico Objects to Being Classed with Savage and Bartley.

A. R. Cruzen, formerly collector of customs of Porto Rico, at San Juan, is registered at the Millard hotel, it being his first visit to Omaha since he vacated his office.

"I left Porto Rico a month ago," he said, "speaking of his return, and stopped for some time in New York where I have a son who has a position in the National City bank."

While your administration has been quite severely criticized, I am disposed to believe much of it has been due to your zeal in prosecuting violations of customs laws and regulations.

SUES LAUGHLAND FOR PAY

Assistant to Poundmaster Loses Case in Justice Court and Will Appeal.

In the case of Martin Kerns against City Poundmaster John Laughland, brought into Judge Kerns's justice court on a change of venue from Judge Foster's court, judgment was rendered Monday afternoon for the defendant.

Kerns claims he performed five months' services for Laughland at the pound during last winter and prays for a reasonable compensation for such work.

The plaintiff and defendant were represented by Attorneys Thomas A. Donahue and Frank Munn, respectively.

QUITS BECAUSE OF HER PAY

Miss Schenck Resigns Position in City Clerk's Office as Secretary.

Miss Naomi F. Schenck has resigned as secretary to the city clerk, effective April 1. Miss Schenck has filled the place ten years consecutively and is considered the person at the city hall who knows most about a very chaotic collection of ordinances, records and documents of all kinds.

TO VISIT HOT SPRINGS, ARKANSAS, VIA THE IRON MOUNTAIN ROUTE.

The season at the Great National Health and Pleasure resort is now in full blast. Climate unsurpassed. Hot Springs Special leaves St. Louis daily at 8:30 p. m., making the run in less than twelve hours.

Alamito Dairy Inspected. On February 19 City Physician Ralph and Milk Inspector Hutton visited the Alamito dairy farm.

The funeral of our sister, Mrs. Harry Binkley, will occur at St. John's Episcopal church, Twenty-sixth and Franklin streets, at 2 o'clock p. m., March 2.

Firemen Lose Off Time. At a meeting of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners Monday evening several firemen were fined their "off" for a month for various irregularities.

Nothing Exalts this Simple Remedy To Cure Coughs, Sore Throat, Asthma, Bronchitis.

J. L. Brandeis & Sons Bankers. Great Sale of Ladies' Fine Petticoats. Worth \$1. \$1.50 and \$2.00, at 49c and 98c each. These petticoats are worth up to \$2.00 each on big bargain square today at 49c and 98c.

UNDER GOVERNMENT SUPERVISION. CHARTER NO. 680. J. L. Brandeis & Sons Bankers.

Statement at Close of Business Feb. 29, 1904. U. S. and other bonds \$50,000.00, Time Loans 212,119.22, City, County and School Warrants 21,919.70, Premium Account 960.39, Cash in Office and Banks 119,142.88.

J. L. Brandeis & Sons Bankers. 4 Per Cent Interest Paid on Deposits. Certificates of Deposit Issued for Three, Six or Twelve Months.

CLOSING OUT - ALL OUR Buggies, Carriages and Wagons FREDRICKSON Fifteenth and Capitol Ave.

HAYDEN'S THE RELIABLE STORE. Trading Stamps Free. To Start March Right, March to Our Furniture Sale.

One More Chance to Secure a Handsome Suit and Overcoat. \$15 to \$20 Values at \$10 to \$12.50. These values are exceptionally good.

The Bargains You Can Find in Our Big Linen and Domestic Room. WE DELIGHT THE HEART OF EVERY THRIFTY SHOPPER WHO VISITS THE DEPARTMENT WEDNESDAY.

You're Not Wasting Time By Visiting Our Enlarged Cloak Dept. AND EXAMINING THE BEAUTIFUL LINE OF SUITS, SKIRTS AND WAISTS DISPLAYED THERE.

Reliable Grocery Prices. Trading Stamps With Every Purchase. 2-lb. pure cane granulated sugar for \$1.00.

HAYDEN BROS. SOME WOMEN'S FEET are fitted with Fry Shoes, and if you'll notice you'll find they look neat, stylish and well-worn.

Piles Cured WITHOUT PAIN. By W. C. Maxwell, M. D. Graduate of Bellevue Hospital Medical College of New York City.

Smart Overcoats for Spring. Our spring display of overcoats is here and ready for your inspection. We're highly elated over the garments we're showing this season.

See our window display of PEARL WAIST SETS for Thursday's sale—positively 50 cent to \$1.00 values—Thursday in Jewelry Section—per set 15c.

BENNETT'S. These doubling and trebling occasions do not happen every day. Here's another extraordinary opportunity for Wednesday in the Hardware Section.

A Great Broom Sale Wednesday And Three Dollar's Worth of Green Trading Stamps With Each Broom. A fine straw, very elastic, four stitched, polished handle Parlor Broom—a high grade broom at a close price.

Green Trading Stamps Every Time. Several thousand packages of new and fresh UNEEDA BISCUIT just received from the factory.

A Few Desirable Rooms at Reasonable Prices. There are four, and only four, vacant rooms in the whole building. Among them are one or two exceptionally desirable medium sized rooms.