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Question of Commission Men Sending Out Postal Card Quotations Up Before the Exchange for a Rating.

There was the regular monthly meeting of the South Omaha Live Stock exchange yesterday afternoon. Two applications for membership were favorably considered and Secretary Guild read invitations from South Dakota gentlemen and these were brought to the attention of the exchange. The first invitation was from the Western South Dakota Stock Growers' association to attend the annual convention at Rapid City, to be held on April 12. Without a dissenting voice the exchange accepted the invitation. The other invitation was from the Northwestern Stock Growers' association. This convention will be held at Belle Fourche, S. D., on April 14 to 16 inclusive. Secretary Guild was directed by the exchange to select delegates to both of these meetings. From the talk after the meeting it is inferred that a number of the members of the exchange as well as representatives of the stock yards company will attend both of the meetings.

A communication from the Kansas City election. Live Stock exchange in relation to improvements in the river was read. The Kansas City exchange wants the South Omaha exchange to send a petition to Washington to make such improvements in the channel of the river that floods will be prevented hereafter. In this the South Omaha exchange agrees heartily and the Secretary Guild will send the proper endorsement of the movement to Washington. The question of commission dealers sending out postal card report of markets was brought up. The matter was referred to the directors, to be considered at a later meeting.

Christian Association News. In talking of the work of the local Young Men's Christian association yesterday afternoon, Secretary Marsh gave out the following:

For two or three months the manner of conducting the Sunday afternoon meeting will be changed, instead of having a regular meeting with a set address, there will be discussion by invited speakers under competent leaders. Subjects pertaining to the life of men will be studied and an opportunity given any man to participate. Sunday, March 6, the subject will be, "Is Christianity the More Essential to Success in Life?" Mr. Jay Laverty will open the discussion with a fifteen-minute paper. Mr. J. O. Eastman will give the second "War Talk" of his series on "The Battle of Altona Pass" Sunday at 3 p. m. Eastman is a very interesting speaker to boys, and every boy over 14 years of age should hear him.

The committee of management will hold meeting Thursday, March 10, when the arrangements will be made for the reorganization of the association. It is shown in short appreciation of the association movement. Clinton, a city considerably smaller than South Omaha, is to have a \$50,000 building for young men. Muscatine has 15,000 people and a \$4,000 building. Atlantic has 3,000 population and a \$2,000 building. Other cities are doing the same thing in regard to building. Members wishing to join the tennis club should hand their names to the secretary at once. The association is planning to have two first-class courts near the building when the season opens.

Jetter Buys Property. Bathas Jetter, president of the Jetter Brewing company, closed a deal yesterday whereby he comes into possession of the brick block at Twenty-seventh and L streets. This property was bought from August Papez and the consideration was stated to be \$20,000.

Another transaction of importance was closed yesterday when Thomas J. O'Neil sold to August Papez the old Germania hall at Twenty-fourth and J streets. This property belonged to Mr. Jetter and sold for \$15,000.

Maize City Gossip. A general teachers' meeting will be held today at the high school building.

Roy Honey, Twenty-fourth and J streets, is suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

In February twenty-six deaths and thirty-eight births were reported at the city clerk's office.

Jack Howe is in jail, charged with stealing an overcoat from an office at the Exchange building.

Councilman Myles E. Weist is laid up with the grip. He figures on getting out in a day or two.

Miss Flo Cooper has returned to her home at 1212 S. 16th street a few days' visit with Miss Blanche Draper.

Teddy Shanahan, one of the tellers at the Farmers' National bank, has returned home after an extended southern trip.

An educational entertainment was given at the United Presbyterian church last evening. Mrs. Ella C. Hood was the reader.

Democratic politicians say that the central committee will not start an active campaign until the fall election.

Candidates on both the republican and democratic tickets are filing with the clerk an itemized account of expenses for nominations.

Rev. Langhorst of the German Friedens church will have services Sunday evening at the German Methodist church, Twenty-fifth and K streets.

Phil Kearney post No. 2 and the Woman's Relief corps will meet this evening in regular monthly session at the Masonic hall, Twenty-fifth and N streets.

The Ladies' Episcopal church will give a chicken pie dinner at Kelly's restaurant on March 15 and also on the 22nd.

At the Lincoln school last night the pupils gave an interesting musical and literary program. The proceeds will go toward purchasing books for the school library.

W. R. Drummond, a well known shipper from Chadron, Neb., was at the yards yesterday. During his stay here Mr. Drummond was entertained by his many friends.

The fire department was called out twice yesterday afternoon. The first alarm was sounded at Twenty-third and S streets and the other at Twenty-second street and the south end of Twenty-second street and south of N street. Loss nominal.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

"Harriet's Honeymoon" at the Boyd.

Miss Mary Manning and company in "Harriet's Honeymoon," a comedy in three acts, by Leo Dietrichstein. The cast: Elliot Carleton Baird, of New York; Prince Alfred Edwin, of Saskatchewan; Arthur Byron; Henry Kolker; Duncan Cutting, Baird's brother-in-law; Miss Della Day, reporter of the New York Tribune; Emma Janvier; Harriet's husband, by Elliott Baird; "Harriet's Honeymoon" deserves all the good things said of it in advance of its Omaha production, and maybe more. It is just a most agreeable thing, humor on an episode that has served many a time before, but which is still useful, and when treated as ingeniously as it is in this instance, sparkles almost as bright as a new. A husband and wife have a little rift at a German watering place on the wedding tour, the husband, however, pocketbook has been lost. To raise funds in order to settle the hotel bill and get to where they can get money, they decide to give a concert, the wife having a well trained voice, and so she is introduced as an opera singer. A neighboring Italian opera singer, whose surname turns out to be Schitz, but only the prince appears in the action of the play, he having found the lost purse and assumed the name of the young husband. Complications follow easily, owing to the stupidity of the local police official, and the jealousy of the landlord, and the humor grows out of these mistakes. A little moral to American husbands is pointed, together with a soothing homily on their manifold virtues, and a generous portion of quiet meritment is served to all.

Miss Manning has the part of an unattached American girl, who has found that some of her romantic ideas have been wrecked by contact with the realities of marriage, but she is wise enough to make the best of the situation. The role suits her as well as anything she has ever given here, even better than the Geraldine part she had in last year's production. Her acting upon for any mock heroes, nor other flights; just the natural conduct of a bride under circumstances that really try her sorely for a moment, and then pass away. She was warmly welcomed by the large audience last night and apparently enjoyed herself the impression she made by her acting.

Arthur Byron is still Miss Manning's leading man and finds himself fitted with a part that gives him ample opportunity for the exercise of his gifts as a comedian. He presents the young American whose interest in art and antiquities has been lost in his haste for a hold on a large pile of American dollars, and who is suddenly awakened to the fact that he got to be a jolly good fellow before he got into the Wall street brokerage business. His methods are quiet, even modest, but decidedly effective, and excellently placed in the work of Miss Manning, Henry Kolker, as the real prince, whose escapade causes all the trouble, does a very neat bit of acting. In fact, the entire company is good, and the performance one of the smoothest imaginable.

Greek Letter Medics Out. Another Initiation Affords Some Cause for Wonderment to the Public. The Iota chapter of Phi Rho Sigma, a Greek letter society connected with the medical department of the University of Nebraska, initiated eleven members into the order last night, the proceedings taking place in the Commercial club rooms. Revolver shots, punctuated with agonized screams, were heard by the policeman on the beat.

"It is bloody murder and sudden death they are after," he said, gazing upward at the rooms, "or are they only carving each other up?" The victims were placed in the middle of the room, while hooded figures performed the necessary services. Then the hoods were thrown off and victims and torturers came down to a banquet, with Edwin A. Merritt as toastmaster, this being the fourth annual banquet of the association. The following persons answered to the toasts: "Our Affiliation," Henry B. Ward, Ph. D., of Lincoln; "The All Round Doctor," William H. Christie, M. D.; "The Way Follow," William H. Anderson; "The Faculty and the Fraternity," August F. Jonas, M. D.; "Medical Standards," Wilson O. Bridges, M. D.; "Original Research by the General Practitioner," Alfred C. Croftan, M. D., of Chicago.

Those that are honorary members—H. M. McClanahan of Omaha, H. B. Ward, Ph. D., of Lincoln, and R. H. Wolcott, M. D., of Lincoln. Active members—J. F. Allen, E. W. Arnold, A. J. Coats, J. B. Potts, E. M. Ware, G. H. Walker, all of Lincoln, and C. W. Mason and M. F. Warner of Omaha.

During the afternoon there was the street initiation. This was a burlesque on the Baltimore incident last fall, when the victims were placed on ice and from which the members of the Nebraska boys. They were driven through the town dressed in ludicrous costumes and made to undergo all the tortures a medical student is capable of.

Notes from Army Headquarters. Major R. D. Slaughter, paymaster, is confined to his home by illness. Lieutenant W. J. Kearney, aide-de-camp to Major Slaughter, is on the east coast on a twenty days' leave of absence. Major J. Estcourt Sawyer, chief quartermaster, Department of the Missouri, has gone to Fort Leavenworth on a short visit. He will return Monday.

Brigadier General T. J. Wint, commanding the Department of the Missouri, departed Friday evening for a national meeting of the Loyal Legion. He will return Tuesday.

W. J. O'Brien of St. Paul, C. Mitchellmore of Edgar, Mrs. W. H. Walker of Denver, E. R. Stone, C. Lousermilk of Murray, and J. W. Williams of Des Moines, and J. B. Goff of Pierce are at the Merchants.

Charles S. Boyd of Appleton, E. O. Beard of Sioux City, Joseph Shames of David City and Guy Benedict of Spokane are at the Her Grand.

C. K. Powell of Colorado Springs, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rully of Mattoon, Alfred Williams of St. Louis, and J. A. Sparks of Valentine are at the Millard.

Miss Gross, N. H. Patterson, Alfred Williams, Mrs. Thorne, Miss Matthews, Miss Hill, Miss Stewart and Mrs. Wetzel, all of which were made, visitors yesterday, guests at the Merchants.

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\$125 Watertown Top Buggy, with rubber tires	\$145
\$150 Watertown Top Buggy, with rubber tires	\$115
\$110 Moon Top Buggy	\$84
\$90 B. Special Top Buggy, with rubber tires	\$68
\$75 Moon Top Buggy	\$56
\$50 Racine Top Buggy	\$65
\$75 B. Special Top Buggy, full leather top	\$42
\$60 B. Special Top Buggy	\$38
Runabouts	
\$125 Columbus, rubber tires, for	\$105
\$115 Watertown, rubber tires, for	\$92
\$100 Watertown rubber tires, for	\$95
\$100 Moon, rubber tires, for	\$84
\$90 Moon, rubber tires, for	\$70
\$75 Moon, steel tires, for	\$56
\$60 B. Special, steel tires, for	\$48
Phaetons	
\$100 Columbus Spider, rubber tires, for	\$190
\$125 Watertown, rubber tires, for	\$165
\$115 Moon, rubber tires, for	\$140
\$100 Moon, steel tires, for	\$92
\$75 Moon, steel tires, for	\$72

Above \$150 Stanhope, \$105

Specials

\$500 Columbus Depot Wagon, with rubber tires	\$390
\$450 Moon Rockaway, slightly used	\$235
\$225 Watertown Close Hitch, speed bike	\$168
\$150 Watertown Concord Top and rubber tires	\$117
\$150 Golf Wagon, for	\$105

Second Hand

2 Traps with rubber tires	
4 Carriages with tops	
2 Victoria Stanhopes	
2 Bike Wagons	
3 Open Surries	
4 Top Buggies	
3 Phaetons	
3 Concords	

Open Stanhopes

\$175 Columbus rubber tires, for	\$145
\$175 Watertown, rubber tires, for	\$145
\$150 Moon, rubber tires, for	\$105
\$90 B. Special, rubber tires, for	\$58
\$85 Moon, steel tires, for	\$67
\$65 B. Special, steel tires, for	\$47

Top Stanhopes

\$500 Columbus, rubber tires, for	\$163
\$300 Watertown, rubber tires, for	\$163
\$150 Watertown, rubber tires, for	\$145
\$125 Watertown, rubber tires, for	\$105

Surries

\$325 Columbus, extension top, for	\$265
\$225 Columbus, canopy top, for	\$190
\$225 Moon, cabriolet, for	\$183
\$180 Trap, extension top, for	\$138
\$145 Moon, extension top, for	\$114
\$100 B. Special, extension top, for	\$77
\$80 B. Special, canopy top, for	\$67
\$65 B. Special, canopy top, for	\$62

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"I congratulate you on having plenty of room. I should be sorry for any one who had to stand up during a lecture. I never saw any one stand up during one of my lectures; if I did, I should be sorry for him, just as sorry for him as for those sitting down. Personally, I like these little family parties—there is a more friendly feeling than in your large audiences."

Spoke Elbert Hubbard, Hovecroft, in Kountze Memorial church last night, preliminary to his lecture on Roycroft ideals. The church, it is true, was not filled with learners, but they heard the epigrammatic sentences of Fra Elbertus were filled with a large sorrow for the populace, which is not heard, and with a large congratulation of themselves.

The lecture plainly showed that Mr. Hubbard is a priest in the gospel of work. These are from his texts: "There is no place on earth for the man who has quit work; when a man retires from business at 50, nature takes him at his word and snuffs him out." "Blessed is the man who has found his work; if we can only lose ourselves in our work we are happy; there is no happiness in life outside of work; if you want things done, go to the busy man." "A college degree is worth less now than ever before; what can you do?" "The consciousness that you are doing something in the world and are useful, is what makes life satisfied in life." "All of the very poor think work is a bad thing, a punishment. I think they get it from the rich. The very rich and the very poor are one in regarding work as a thing to get out of."

Among the bright sentences from the evening were: "East Aurora. Some people say that East Aurora is not a place; that it is a condition of mind." "The colleges certainly turn out men who do not care for themselves (much the smaller number, of course) and men not college men go to the front. While this is true we cannot say that education is a science. If it were such we could take so much boy and so much curriculum, and turn out so much truth." "We learn more by anti-theism than by inflection." "There are enough good things in the world for everybody—wrong distribution." "A man succeeds in a large way only on the outside of him. Blessed is that man who has found someone to do his work—he who succeeds largely is having his work done for him by others." "She was a beautiful, delicate, sensitive, nervous organism; her nerves had kind of rot on the outside of her clothing." "There is no such thing as success in a bad business." "Faith in God comes as a natural thing to the man or woman who is living right." "We learn more by expression than by impression." That James T. EBH was the man in the United States who knew his business best, the speaker maintained, for he had built a railroad half across the continent without a bonded debt, was the owner of most of it and the road had paid for the start. John W. Warner he considered to have taught the modern business world the lesson that only honesty could succeed in any large enterprise. He closed the evening with a quotation from Robert Louis Stevenson: "I know what pleasure is, for I have done good work."

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