LIFE'S CHARM SOON FADES

Sixteen-Year-Old Girl Commits Suicide in Rooming House.

WORRIES ABOUT STORIES TOLD OF HER

Ashamed to Face Woman by Whom She Was Employed on Account of Reports Carried to Her Mistress.

Ashamed to face her mistress after stories reflecting on her character had been told, Marie Shean, a pretty 16-year-old nurse-girl in the family of Charles F. Schwager, bought a revolver and shot herself.

It was about 1:30 Thursday afternoon that Marie appeared at a rooming house at 304 North Sixteenth street and asked the clerk, Gus Smith, for a room. She told him she was very tired and wanted a place to rest. She carried nothing but a small handbag. From this she took a coin and paid him and he showed her to a room. A few minutes later two shots were heard and Mrs. Smith, hurrying up stairs and rushing into the room, found the girl lying on the floor with a hole in her temple and one hand clutching a revolver. Mrs. Smith called the police and the coroner. The officers examined the body and decided that the girl had died almost instantly. She had shot herself through the heart and sent another bullet through her brain from the right temple to the left. The body was taken to the undertaking rooms of Brailey & Dorrance, and her father, William Shean, who lives at 1302 North Twenty-sixth street, was notified.

Marie had not been home since one day seven weeks ago, when she had a disagreement with her father, who said he intended to disown her because she was incorrigible. She had been working for Mr. and Mrs. Schwager for some time, taking care of their child, and she went to live with them at 1578 Poppleton avenue. Mrs. Schwager said she had no fault to find with Marie, except that she wanted to stay out nights. She had lately forbidden her to go out in the evening. Thursday afternoon Marie told her she was going down town to do some shopping. The next she heard of Marie was her death.

Tells Troubles to a Friend.

At the Auditorium, Marie's friend, Agnes Fleming, was skating. She had often made a confidante of Agnes, and she went this time to tell her of trouble that had overtaken her.

"I am not going home any more," she said to Agnes. Mrs. Schwager's house was home to her and she often said it was so much better than any home she had ever known. "I am not going home any more because I am ashamed to see Mrs. Schwager. She has been a mother to me and I have thought so much of her opinion that I have been afraid to face her whenever she has learned of my misdeeds. I have tried so hard to be good and I have succeeded pretty well lately.

"It is the lies they tell about me that makes her think ill of me. I know that I am wild and do some wrong things, but none very bad. There is just enough truth in the things they tell that I have to admit part of it, and Mrs. Schwager believes the rest. That is what hurts me so. If she would only believe in me I wouldn't care for the rest.

"O, Agnes, I am going to kill myself. A woman who hates me has told a lot of things about me today and I'll not go back home. Death will be a sweet rest from my trouble. Won't you lend me $2, Agnes?"

She had $3 and though she needed $2 more to buy a revolver, but she did not tell this to her friend. Agnes tried to soothe her by telling her things might not be so bad as she thought, but she refused to be comforted. Where she got a loan her friend does not know, but she evidently did get one, for she secured the weapon and had $1.90 left in her purse when the body was found.

"I did not think she would do it," said Agnes Fleming, "for I have heard so many girls say the same things about killing themselves."

When leaving the Auditorium, Marie said to a young man of her acquaintance:

"Goodbye, for I am never coming back, but don't say anything to Agnes."

A coroner's jury will hold an inquest over the body at 10 o'clock this morning.

Mr. H. Heyn, photographer, is not now in original location, but at 318-20-22 S. 15th St. Two-story building west side of street.

Harry B. Davis, undertaker. Tel. 1226.

Here is a boy in his element; and a "Kantwearout-Hercules" Shower Proof Suit.

A boy out in the rain in a "Hercules" Suit is happy in the knowledge that when he reaches home his mother will have no occasion to say "My son, you are soaked to the skin, take those clothes off instantly."

The shower proofing process does not rob "Hercules" cloths of their softness of finish, of their beauty in coloring, nor impair their wear a particle; it simply makes "Hercules" clothes shower and perspiration proof and thoroughly sanitary and hygienic.

Every thread of cloth in a "Hercules" once grew on a sheep's back; not a trace of ordinary or mercerized cotton will you find.

If you have a sturdy boy who goes through ordinary clothes so quick that you wonder how he does it—fit him out with a "Hercules"—you will see the difference in a few days.

Hercules two-piece knee-pant suits fit Boys from 6 to 16 at one price everywhere—Five Dollars.

We will send the name of a dealer and our "Hercules" Book if you ask.

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AT THE PLAY HOUSES.

"Mistress Nell" at the Boyd.

Henrietta Crosman and company in "Mistress Nell," a comedy in four acts, by George C. Hazleton, under direction of Maurice Campbell. The cast:

King Charles II ..... H. Reeves Smith
James, Duke of York..Augustin MacHugh
Duke of Buckingham ..... Addison Pitt
Earl of Rochester ..... Hollister Traynor
Jack (Charles) Hart, actor-manager of the King's theater ..... J. R. Furlong
Strings, an old fiddler, formerly of the King's theater orchestra .....
..... William Herbert
Dick, call boy at the King's theater.....
..... John Hunter
Swallow, His Majesty's constable.....
..... Edwin Fowler
Buzzard ..... Alfred Cahill
Landlord of the Blue Boar Inn .....
..... John Steppling
Officer ..... John J. Burke
Lord St. Albans ..... George Roberts
Lord Hyde ..... P. Wallace
Page ..... Lorraine May
Lady Hamilton ..... Victoria Addison
Louise, Duchess of Portsmouth..Emily Rigl
Moll, an orange girl....Fanchon Campbell
Maid to Nell Gwyn.....Bertha Carlisle
Spanish Dancing Girl.....Barbara Clemmet
Nell Gwynn, actress of the King's theater .....Miss Crosman

In "Mistress Nell" Mr. Hazleton has given us an attractive and in some regards charming picture of certain characters of a most romantic page in English history. If so be that now our cavalier blood surges a little less hotly through our systems, so are our Puritans a little less stiff in knees and neck, and the deeper perspective gives us all a better view of some of the things that happened in that far away day of the seventeenth century. At any rate, Mr. Hazleton has taken some of the men and women of that day and sets them before us, animating them with some very human impulses, and causing them to talk and act much as men and women might reasonably be expected to. He has mercifully refrained from indulgence in either epigram or sermon, but contents himself with giving to each character the native wit that is his or her due, and sets one over against another in a battle of wit and love. The play fairly sparkles from an end to end with the bright fencing of tongues attuned to clever phrases, and is brilliant at times with the delicious humor of its situations and episodes. It hasn't a dull line in it, but, on the contrary, fairly teems with bright and merry remarks that give to waiting laughter the fillip that makes the humor of the words all the more enjoyable. And the speeches are in the mouths of those who fairly realize their value, so that the pleasure is enhanced by its manner of presentation.

Miss Crosman's rise to stellar space has not abated her zeal to please. As Nell Gwynn she is a most roguish wench, with the wit and audacity of her Irish nature, sharpened to a keenness by her jealousy of the duchess of Portsmouth and her love for Charles of England. She well knows how to point the shaft of irony, to give to the word the turn that makes it cut like a lancet, while the merriment of her roguish humor more than conceals the thrust till it has struck home. She possesses the temperament, and is further assisted by her knowledge born of experience, to the end that she draws her picture with a care for the little things so that it is made at last a perfect whole, clear as a cameo and a delight in every regard. Her methods are those of the true artist, the painstaking care that nothing is overlooked that will add to the proper effect sought, and her results are sure because of this. She does more for Nell Gwynn than to make her a merry girl who captivates a king by her smile and her wit; she makes her a woman who is capable of holding that king by her deeper nature, and thus throws a light on the love affair of this pair that fairly illumines the page, and makes it clear why Charles clung to this Irish woman when all his other loves palled on him. Nell was a tenderhearted and sympathetic woman; history says she was pretty, coarse but witty, and was beloved by the common people for her charity and kindness. The question of morality aside—morals as we understand them counted for little at the court of the Stuarts—her love for the king was unaffectedly honest, and his for her apparently so. One of their sons was made a duke, and the other died, and among the last words of the Merry Monarch was a charge that they should "be good to poor Nelly." She died five years after her royal lover, and her funeral sermon was preached by an archbishop. She must have had both wit and beauty to have won such distinction in such a time, and the attention Miss Crosman has given the character seems to be justified.

Mr. Smith makes a reasonably attractive king. He has the presence and the general idea of the character, so that there is little reason to quarrel with his work. Indeed, this is true of all the company, so well has the play been cast. "Brother James" is made the butt for the monarch's shafts and receives them well, while Rochester, who was "kicked upstairs," is given an opportunity to most effectively pronounce the epigrammatic couplet that survives to this day, and does it well. Miss Rigl has a most trying role in the Duchess of Portsmouth, and scarcely seems to realize its fullest possibilities. She is too patently the agent of Louis and not sufficiently the woman who schemes for her own hand. It is reasonably true that she had a right to expect some sort of dominion over England's monarch, and that while serving France she also could serve herself. Little, if any, of this notion can be gotten from the play. Mr. Pitt's Buckingham is good, and Mr. Herbert, Mr. Furlong, Mr. Fowler, Mr. Cahill and Mr. Stepplling each contribute in a large measure to the success of the piece by the excellence with which they present small but important parts.

The attendance at the Boyd last night might have been greater without endangering the safety of the theater, and yet it was far from a meager assemblage, whose welcome to the star and her company was most enthusiastic. Some little merriment was occasioned by the mistake of the stage manager, which brought the curtain down in the face of Miss Crosman, cutting off her pretty little epilogue most abruptly. A generous call brought the star smiling to the footlights, though, and she was given to understand that she had once more established herself here. "Mistress Nell" will be repeated this evening and tomorrow afternoon, the engagement ending on Saturday evening, when a double bill will be offered, "Nance Oldfield" and "Madeleine."

"Escaped from Sing Sing" at the Krug.

A play full of sensational situations and strong in the "heart interest" way, "Escaped from Sing Sing," opened at the Krug last night to finish the week, with a matinee tomorrow. The company having the piece in hand is well qualified to give it intelligent expression and make its thrilling climaxes effective. The story is told in the way peculiar to this sort of play, and the audience present last night was much pleased by its presentation.

To Dyspeptics in search of a cure: You've tried the rest, now take the best. Diner's Digesters cure, sure. At Myers-Dillon Drug Co.

DIED.

BROWN—John F., April 26, aged 69. Funeral Friday morning from the family residence, 2718 South Sixteenth street, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Patrick's. Interment, Holy Sepulcher cemetery.

RICKARD—Mrs. R. H., aged 38 years, at 44th and C streets, of heart failure. Funeral services Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. at St. Martin's Episcopal church, 24th and J streets, South Omaha.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Surveyors Laying Out Trackage for New Stock Food Mill.

FACTORY TO BE WEST OF TWENTY-NINTH

Anticipated that Erection of Factory Will Be the Occasion of the Building of Number of Residences Adjoining.

Civil engineers in the employ of the Burlington road were in the city yesterday looking over grades for the purpose of figuring out the best route for tracks for the new stock food concern to be erected in the northern part of the city. It is understood that this company, in which M. C. Peters of Omaha is interested, has secured options on blocks 6, 16 and 18. This property is located west of Twenty-ninth street and extends from A to C streets. The grade of Twenty-ninth street is being taken down and surveys were being made Thursday afternoon. From what the engineers in charge of the survey work say it appears to be the intention to lay tracks from the Burlington along the east side of this new stock food company's plant. Two or three lines may be run over in order to determine the most practicable route. An effort will also be made to keep the proposed tracks as far away from the residence district in that portion of the city as possible in order that property owners may not have any cause to complain about the noise of switch engines. The engineers in charge of the surveys could not give any intimation as to the time the start would be made on the proposed buildings. By the building of a big stock food mill the industries of South Omaha will be added to and the chances are that a number of new houses will be built in the vicinity of the mill in order to accommodate workmen and others employed about the concern.

Sweeping Refuse Into Gutters.

Every once in awhile the city officials call attention to the fact that sweepings from stores and offices are thrown into the gutters on paved streets. There is an ordinance prohibiting this, but no attention is paid to it. Some business men on N street stated yesterday when their attention was called to this matter that the city ought to obey the ordinances as well as property owners. Every morning the sweepings from the city offices are dumped into the gutter in front of the city hall building, when there is a refuse pile in the rear of the building intended for office sweepings. Merchants say that as long as the city officials do not comply with the ordinance there is no reason for them to do so.

Licenses Due May 1.

All dray, plumbers, gas fitters and house movers' licenses expire with the end of the present month and new licenses must be secured. Tags and permits are now ready at the office of the city clerk and notices are being served on all persons interested to take out their licenses before May 1. The city derives quite a revenue from this source and no one will be permitted to enjoy the privileges unless licenses are secured.

Hunting for Mrs. Gillen.

Chief of Police Briggs is in receipt of a letter from General Superintendent O'Neil of the Chicago police force, asking that Mrs. H. C. Gillen be located. In his letter to Chief Briggs the Chicago official says that Mrs. Gillen is supposed to have left Chicago with a man going by the name of H. Sparenberg. The couple traveled west over the Rock Island road. The Gillen's lived at 2235 West Fiftieth Place in Chicago. Mrs. Gillen left home on February 7 of this year and sent a letter to her husband from South Omaha, saying that she was without money. Mr. Gillen declares that he sent his wife a ticket to Chicago, but as she never returned he infers that she did not get the letter. Chief Briggs is doing what he can to locate the woman.

Dr. Curtis Says Farewell.

Dr. W. L. Curtis, who gave up his practice here last week to take a government position in the Philippine islands, came down from the home of his wife's parents at Syracuse yesterday to finish up his business affairs and say goodby to friends. Dr. Curtis leaves today for San Francisco, where he will board a transport for Manila. Dr. Curtis goes as a surgeon on one of the coast survey vessels and expects to be in the islands about three years. The doctor left South Omaha with the best wishes of a large number of friends and acquaintances.

Redding Meetings Close.

Last evening Rev. J. C. Redding, an evangelist, closed his meetings here with a lecture. There was a large attendance and the lecture on "Sally and I" was greatly appreciated. For two weeks and a half Evangelist Redding has been preaching nightly at the First Presbyterian church. Upon departing for a new field of labor last night the session of the church delivered to Mr. Redding a set of resolutions complimenting him on his work here. The session also extended thanks to the newspapers for notices given and to Miss Laura Peterson and Mrs. H. C. Richmond for musical services rendered.

Duhig Violates Sanitary Ordinance.

Sanitary Inspector Jones filed a complaint in police court yesterday, charging John Duhig with violating the sanitary ordinances of the city by dumping garbage within the city limits. Inspector Jones found that Duhig had dumped two loads of refuse in the rear of residence property in the northeastern portion of the city. There is a passable road to the city dumping ground now and the city authorities assert that no dumping inside the city limits will be permitted.

Magic City Gossip.

J. H. Baker has returned from a trip to the Pacific coast.

A meeting o the Fire and Police commissioners is to be held tonight.

Today the street department will commence flushing sewers in the northern portion of the city.

J. Halligan of Albion, Neb., was in the city yesterday, the guest of Councilman William Queenan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Berry left Thursday afternoon for Boston. They expect to be gone about three months.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given at the First Methodist Episcopal church on Monday evening.

Today M. A. Dilion, one of South Omaha's well known business men, will open a drug store at 423 North Twenty-fourth street.

This evening the Wesleyan Male quartet of the Nebraska Wesleyan university will give a concert at the First Presbyterian church.

Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Everett entertained a number of friends at dinner at their home, Twenty-first and H streets, last evening. The occasion was the thirteenth wedding anniversary of this popular couple.

There seems to be considerable speculation regarding the action the Fire and Police commissioners will take regarding the request of the local ministerial association for the closing saloons on Sunday.

Mrs. R. H. Rickard died at her home, Forty-fourth and C streets, Thursday, after a severe illness. Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday at St. Martin's Episcopal church, Twenty-fourth and J streets.

Grocers' and Butchers' Picnic.

The Omaha Retail Grocers' association and the Omaha Retail Butchers' Protective association have decided that they will have another annual picnic this summer. The general public, that has been unable to rest properly because of the delaying of this announcement, may now go ahead in comfort for the big annual three-ringed affair of the grocers and the butchers is assured. A meeting has been held and the joint committee has firmly and finally put its sanction on the frolic. The time and the place for the picnic have not yet been named.

JUDGE LOOKS FOR PERJURY

Vinsonhaler Interrupts Suit to Hand Case Over for Investigation.

Judge Vinsonhaler, in the county court, interrupted a case before him yesterday to announce that it seemed to him as though perjury had been committed and that he would recommend to the county attorney and the Bar association that the matter be taken up and sifted and the facts ascertained. The alleged perjury was developed in the examination of Daniel Horrigan, a young lawyer, by Attorney James C. Kinsler. Horrigan was the plaintiff in a suit against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company to recover $80, which he claimed an original client, William McLeod, had assigned to him. The suit was brought in Justice Eastman's court for $160 to recover twice the value of a horse killed near Malvern, Ia., by the railroad, a section of the Iowa code being quoted to represent that the plaintiff was entitled to twice the value of the stock destroyed. Kinsler represented the Burlington and the justice returned a judgment of $100 for McLeod. The defendant intended to appeal, but arrangements were made to compromise the case on the basis of $80.

Horrigan asserts that this stipulation was to be good only if the money was paid within a certain time and that Kinsler failed to effect the transaction. The $80 and costs was paid into court, because a garnishee action had been brought by a judgment creditor of McLeod's, the partition of the cash being settled between them. Later Horrigan, as assignee, attempted to recover the remaining $80 through the county court, alleging that it was due because the settlement was not made in time. He prepared an affidavit in the case and swore to it, but did not sign it.

The point in perjury entered in a seeming conflict between certain sections of this affidavit and Horrigan's testimony on the witness stand. According to Kinsler, with Horrigan's knowledge and consent and in his presence, Justice Eastman was authorized to erase the figures "$160" in the judgment and substitute "$80" in lieu of a remittur and did do so. On the stand Horrigan denied that he was a party to the alteration, although the affidavit seemed to bear out Kinsler and to make the witness' statements contradictory. It was at this point that Judge Vinsonhaler stated he would refer the matter to the county attorney and the Bar association for investigation.

Horrigan protests that he was not guilty of perjury and seems confident that he can clear himself of the charge. Judge Vinsonhaler found for the defendant and dismissed the case.

Don't Use Poor Oil.

For use on sewing machines, bicycles and all purposes requiring a fine lubricant the best is cheapest in the end. Genuine Singer oil can only be obtained at Singer stores. Look for the red S. 1514 Douglas St., Omaha, Neb.; 438 North 24th St., South Omaha, Neb.

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Mortality Statistics.

The following births and deaths have been reported to the Board of Health, during the twenty-four hours ending at noon Thursday:

Births—Stephen Bilitz, 2827 Walnut, girl; Thomas Murry, 2416 Charles, girl; H. A. Wilkinson, 2115 California, girl.

Deaths—Wayne Lindsay, 1720 Cass, 7 weeks; Hiram Velden, county hospital, 77; Grace Nichols, 631 North Forty-sixth, 21; D. R. Rundel, Wise hospital, 50.

Charged with Larceny.

Blanche O'Neill will be tried in police court Friday for larceny from the person of Tinescenti Celestino. The Italian was passing along Ninth street Sunday night and the colored woman ran out of a house and embraced him fervently. When she left him he felt in his pocket and found that he had lost his pocketbook, which contained $90.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Charles T. Neal of Lincoln is a late arrival at the Paxton.

John R. Webster has returned from a week's trip down to Knoxville.

Mrs. Van Horn, a teacher in the Leavenworth school, is threatened with appendicitis and is off duty.

C. W. Simmons, a former Nebraskan, but now traveling for a St. Louis house, was an Omaha visitor yesterday.

J. S. Nichols of Columbus, H. L. Webster of Tekamah and O. D. Gooden of Hubbell are at the Millard.

Irving S. Cutter of Lincoln, representing the Ginn-Heath book publishing concern of Chicago, is a guest at the Her Grand.

Ralph Breckinridge left last evening for New Haven, Conn., where he has been invited to deliver an address at Yale university on insurance law.

George W. Ryan of the Mawhinney & Ryan Jewelry company, who is now in Amsterdam, writes home he will be in Omaha soon. He says he is in great form and having a splendid time.

B. Lise of Lodge Pole, A. T. Peters of Lincoln, G. A. Duffield of Beatrice, C. Engstrom, J. W. Anderson of Holdrege, E. T. Peak of Cedar Bluffs and W. T. Wilson of North Platte are at the Merchants.

Judge Day will go to Chicago Saturday to spend two or more days there, investigating the operations and conduct of the juvenile courts and the conduct of juries. He hopes to gather some information and advice that may be servicable in Omaha.

Edmund Maggi arrived yesterday to take an important place in the contractural department of the Nebraska Telephone company here. He will have charge of the making of contracts with independent and other telephone companies which wish to connect with the Bell company system. There are at present about ninety such companies that have contracts with the Nebraska Telephone company. Mr. Maggi represented the company at Lincoln during the session of the legislature.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS

Prelude to Lohengrin.....R. Wagner
Concerto in G minor (two movements) for violin and orchestra.....Max Bruch
(a) Adagio .....
(b) Finale—Allegro Energico.....
Miss Louise Shadduck
Allegro moderato, from "Suite for Two Solo Violins and Orchestra".....
.....M. Moszkowski
Miss Lucy Miller and Mrs. Lena Dale
Concerto in D minor (two movements) for violin orchestra.....H. Vieuxtemps
(a) Adagio Religioso.....
(b) Finale—Allegro Molto.....
Miss Emily Cleve
"Berceuse" from "Jocelyn" for solo cello and orchestra.....B. Goddard
Mr. E. Franz
(a) Liebesllied .....A. Henselt
(b) Intermezzo, "Love's Harmony" (waltz movement).....F. A. Cuscaden

The third and last concert of the Philharmonic club, under Mr. Robert Cuscaden, director, was given last night at the Creighton auditorium. The audience nearly filled the lower part of the house and was most attentive and appreciative.

The orchestra numbers about thirty-five pieces (no brasses) and is made up principally of students, with a few professionals to lend confidence and body to the organization. It is a pretty sight to see so many young girls; their white dresses add a gala touch to the picture.

Mr. Cuscaden can hardly be said to be a graceful leader, but that fault he may correct gradually. He seems to have good control of his people and that is the main thing.

Of the orchestral numbers. The prelude to "Lohengrin" was rather marred by the unseemly booming of the first cello. The violins were a bit weak at first, but gathered courage as they went along. The climax was effective.

Mr. Fred Cuscaden's intermezzo, "Love's Harmony," written in waltz movement, was a charming surprise. It was coquettish, whimsical and full of melody. His brother gave it an interpretation which put one in mind of Strauss. It should have been repeated.

Of the soloists Miss Emily Cleve carried off the honors. She has a full, rich tone which could be distinctly heard above the orchestra at all times. Her intonation is good and she has a dashing, confident way of playing which wins her audience.

Miss Louise Shadduck played the beautiful adagio from the G minor Bruch Concerto in a most satisfying manner. In the finale she also did good work and the orchestra accomplished the most spontaneous work of the evening. They were all well together and entered into the brilliant spirit of the composition.

Of the Moszkowski "Suite for two violins" the meaning remained rather obstruse, as the solo violins did not rise above the accompaniment.

Of the "Berceuse" from "Jocelyn," mention will have to be made at some future time, when Mr. Franz really appears to play it.

Mr. Cuscaden deserves much credit for his faithful work. He should continue his concerts next year. Omaha needs a fine orchestra and the only way to get one is to make a beginning and keep pegging away.

M. D. L.

FIRE RECORD.

Milwaukee Warehouses.

MILWAUKEE, April 27.—The Hansen Empire Fuel and Coal company and the piano warehouse rooms of William Rohling & Sons, adjoining, were damaged $300,000 by fire today.

Announcements of the Theaters.

Miss Crosman's engagement at the Boyd, which will last until after Saturday night, will be followed by another of extraordinary interest, Dustin Farnum in "The Virginian," a play founded on the Owen Wister novel of the same name. Those who are familiar with Mr. Wister's writings know that no other man has so truly caught the spirit of the west as he, and no one has even given such a picture of life as it was in the cattle country twenty-five years ago. He has transferred the cowboy from the range to the stage just as he is, and does not offer the customary caricature of the men who made the west, but presents them just as they are in real life. "The Virginian" has been dramatized with great care, Kirke LaShelle assisting the author in preparing the work for the stage, and the tremendous success it has met all over the country indicates how potent it is. The engagement in Omaha begins on Sunday afternoon and continues until after Wednesday evening.

Pretty Della Fox is proving if anything a bigger drawing card than ever down at the Orpheum, where she has been filling the theater at every performance. At the closing performance on Saturday night Miss Fox will be the first to appear on the program and the curtain will rise at 8:10 sharp, which is fifteen minutes earlier. This is done that Miss Fox may catch a train for Minneapolis, where she opens at the Orpheum Sunday.

The new towns along the Chicago Great Western railway offer wonderful openings for all lines of business and trade. "Town Talk" gives particulars. For sample copy address Edwin B. Magill, Mgr., Townsite Dept., Chicago Great Western railway, Omaha, Neb.

In a pinch, use Allen's Foot-Ease.

Held for Forgery.

C. W. Myers is in jail charged with forgery. Last Monday he presented at the store of the Omaha Clothing company a check on the First National bank for $48.65, signed with the name of H. Z. Haas of Council Bluffs. The manager of the store took the check to the bank to make inquiries and Myers left the store in a hurry. He was arrested as he stepped off the car in Council Bluffs. He was arraigned in police court Thursday.

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45c Corset Covers for 25c — 60 dozen clean, new, crisp covers, prettily trimmed with neat embroidery and laces with V shape or low square front—every cover positively worth forty-five cents—special price 25c.

75c Corset Covers for 50c — Select assortment of latest style of bright new covers—every new shape front, trimmed in heavy deep lace and pretty embroideries, style made to sell at 75c and $1.00—special price 50c.

One Dollar Gowns for 45c — 55 dozen ladies' cambric and long cloth gowns, all cut long and full skirt, with high neck, long sleeves or low neck, slips over style, handsome trimmings, laces and embroideries—special price 45c.

50c Knit Long Sleeve Corset Covers 25c — Special lot of ribbed corset covers in lisle finished Peruvian cotton bleached—high neck, long sleeves, for early spring wear—special price 25c.

$1 Combination Suit for 50c — New styles of combination suits in lisle thread and fine Sea Island cotton, with high neck, long sleeves, knee or ankle lengths, also low neck, sleeveless, with pretty lace trimmed umbrella shaped drawers—50c per suit.

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