

# MOVING!

On account of moving to our large, new building, Howard and 16th streets, we suspend business for two days, Friday and Saturday, September 15th and 16th. Open for business in our new location Monday, Sept. 18th.

## Orchard & Wilhelm Carpet Co.

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### GREGG FAILS OF HEARING

Agent of Cleveland Gas Syndicate Disappointed in City Council.

### MAY STAY AND LOOK FOR OTHER CHANCE

Councilmen Have Other Things Which Occupy Their Attention and Do Not Take Up Gas Matter.

The hearing that was to have been given by the city council to Frank M. Gregg, who is asking for a gas franchise for a Cleveland syndicate of capitalists, did not take place Thursday morning as scheduled. At 10 o'clock the hour set, Councilmen Huntington, Zimman, Dyball and Schroeder were present. The others were late and when they arrived, with the exception of Councilman Evans, who went to Lincoln as a delegate to the state republican convention, Huntington and Schroeder had disappeared.

### Long Trip for No Hearing.

"We have come a long way," said Mr. Gregg. "It is customary to give almost any one who has business to transact with a public body a hearing. We may remain here until next week and we may not. It is like as though the council doesn't care very much whether the usual facilities are accorded or not."

From the Gregg ordinance it developed that a forty-three-year franchise is desired. The other terms are these: \$1 per 1,000 cubic feet for both illuminating and fuel gas; royalty to the city on gross receipts less city business, to begin six years after granting franchise and to be 1 per cent the sixth year, 2 per cent the seventh, 3 per cent the eighth, 4 per cent the ninth, 5 per cent the tenth year and thereafter; gas for public buildings and use of the municipality exclusive of street lighting, 30 cents per 1,000 cubic feet; street lighting gas at \$12 per lamp per year on the basis of 400 burning hours at three feet of gas an hour, which is the standard in other cities of this country for developing sixty-candle power light; mains to be extended for five consumers every 300 feet or for four street lamps every 300 feet; right of the city to take over plant at expiration of franchise; candle power of light guaranteed twenty-two.

### Talks Too Loud.

Howard Spencer was arrested at a late hour Wednesday night by Patrolmen Bloom and Sullivan while making a speech in an imaginary audience at Eleventh and Farnam streets. Upon convincing the police judge he was in no danger, Spencer was released with the advice to hereafter

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### FOLMER'S POSITION UPHELD

Interior Department Passes on Appeal in Boyd County Land Case.

### SETTLERS HAVE NO TITLE TO THE FARMS

Final Checking of State Fair Receipts and Expenditures Makes Better Showing Than Board Had Expected.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Sept. 14.—(Special.)—Again has the state taken by former Commissioner Folmer in the matter of the Boyd county settlers been vindicated by the Department of the Interior. Land Commissioner Eaton yesterday afternoon received from the department a decision holding that the land in controversy belonged to the permanent office of the state and not to the settlers who claim it. The appeal from the decision of Mr. Folmer was taken by G. W. McCright. The controversy started when the legislature authorized the land commissioner and the governor to lease the land to the settlers. Mr. Folmer refused to sign the deed because he held that the land belonged to the state and that the settlers had no right to locate upon it. Because Folmer and former Attorney General Prout could not agree upon the line of defense to be adopted by the state in the suit, Mr. Folmer employed Captain Murfin and Judge Ryan to look after the interest of the state. Governor Mickey vetoed the bill which was passed by the legislature to pay these attorneys for their services.

### Balance in Fair Fund.

The state fair board has the right to check up the receipts and expenditures of the state fair and at the close of the meeting the gratifying announcement was made that the board had on hand \$14,758.67 and all but a few minor bills had been paid. The board had on hand at the first of the year \$15,644.41, but it was the opinion of nearly all the members that the expenditures for the late state fair would be far in excess of the receipts. The details of the receipts and expenditures are shown in the following statement issued by Secretary Bassett:

### SEVERE STORM OVER THE STATE

Much Property in Destroyed by Lightning.

ALBION, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—One of the most brilliant electrical storms of the season passed over here last night. For a considerable portion of the night the vivid flashes of lightning, which were almost continuous, changed the darkness into the brightest light. The electrical display was especially bright for this season. A heavy rain fell during the night, making the second for the week, and the ground is now soaked to full capacity.

### GOOD ATTENDANCE AT WESLEYAN

Over a Thousand Registered in the Various Departments.

UNIVERSITY, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—The Wesleyan university opened this week with a larger attendance than ever before. The number who have registered in all departments reaches the thousand mark. The conservatory of music especially seems overcrowded.

### Leigh Votes Water Bonds.

LEIGH, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—A special election for voting on bonds for a water works system was held here yesterday. The bonds carried by a large majority, as did the air pressure system over the standpipe proposition. A small vote was polled, which resulted as follows: For water and air, 78; for water bonds and tax, 10; for air pressure system, yes, 18; for standpipe system, yes, 18; for elevated tank, 1. The bonds were for \$5,000, which, together with the cash already on hand, will make about \$11,000, which will be available for the installing of the system. Everything will be in readiness to begin work in the early spring.

### Two Candidates for Ministry.

SHELTON, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—The second day of the Presbyterian conference was consumed principally by business sessions and the examining of two candidates for the ministry. Reports by the various delegates show an encouraging condition of the Presbyterian church throughout the district. The meetings were all well attended and the church was filled last evening to hear the sermon by Dr. T. H. Greenleaf and the singing of Evangelist Pariah. The pastor in charge of Shelton church, Rev. W. A. Mitchell, has been lunger in his efforts to make this a successful meeting and the members of his congregation have assisted him in every way possible.

### Peace is Postponed.

KENNAUD, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—The Modern Woodmen of America picnic, which was to have been held at Kennaud Thursday, September 14, has been postponed to Tuesday, September 19. This will be the big affair, the home camp in the county will participate. No less than 2,000 people will be present.

### Gone Crazy.

Many people have gone crazy from dyspepsia, constipation, etc. Dr. King's New Life Pills cure; see guaranteed. For sale by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.

### Dutch Artist Injured.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—Prof. E. Korman, a well known artist from Holland and a recent arrival in this city, was run down and probably fatally injured today by a street car. He is injured internally and may have a fracture of the skull. He left his broken Korman, he is said to have been an artist in Holland. His works were well known and admired throughout Germany and France. He is about 35 years of age.

### INDIAN TRUST FUND TAXABLE

Money Derived from Sale of These Lands Subject to Assessment.

### SUCH IS DECISION OF JUDGE MUNGER

Solution of the Question Put Up to Federal Court by the Thurston County Litigation.

"Indian trust and heirship funds held on deposit to their credit are subject to taxation, as any other funds."

Such is the gist of an important decision handed down by Judge Munger in the United States circuit court, Thursday morning in the case of the United States, against the county of Thurston, state of Nebraska. An effort had been made by the county treasurer and tax officials of Thurston county to assess, for taxation, some \$70,000 Indian heirship funds belonging to the Winnebago and Omaha tribes of Indians that had been realized from the sale of Indian lands formerly belonging to these Indians and located in Thurston county. This fund was on deposit to the credit of the Indians in the Security National bank of Sioux City, subject to check by the Indians under certain restrictions and rules made by the secretary of the interior in order to protect the Indians against their general improvidence and shiftlessness, and was made payable to them in sums of \$10 per month each, or in a greater sum if the prudential considerations would warrant.

### Glut of Opinion.

In handing down his memorandum opinion in the case, Judge Munger, in the lengthy course of it says: Upon the granting by congress to the Indian of the fee title to land without any conditions, such land unquestionably would be subject to taxation the same as land the title to which belonged to any other citizen; or, in other words, the property of an Indian who becomes a citizen of the United States under the act of congress which provides that the lands of the Indian of the state the same as like property held in like manner by any citizen of the United States.

### Attention Musicians.

Members of the Omaha Musicians association are hereby notified to report at Fifteenth and Harney, at 1:30 p. m., Friday, September 15, to attend the funeral of Brother J. L. Lane.

### FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Fair Today and Tomorrow in Nebraska, Except Showers in Southeast Portion Today.

### OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU

OMAHA, Sept. 14.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

|                     |     |     |     |     |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Normal temperature  | 106 | 104 | 108 | 102 |
| Maximum temperature | 86  | 42  | 44  | 51  |
| Minimum temperature | 78  | 53  | 46  | 64  |
| Precipitation       | 1.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

### Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

|                                |       |       |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Station and State              | Temp. | Rain. |
| Bismarck, clear                | 70    | 0.0   |
| Chicago, partly cloudy         | 70    | 0.0   |
| Davenport, cloudy              | 70    | 0.0   |
| Denver, clear                  | 70    | 0.0   |
| Harvey, clear                  | 70    | 0.0   |
| Lincoln, clear                 | 70    | 0.0   |
| Huron, clear                   | 70    | 0.0   |
| Kansas City, raining           | 70    | 0.0   |
| North Platte, clear            | 70    | 0.0   |
| Omaha, cloudy                  | 70    | 0.0   |
| Rapid City, clear              | 70    | 0.0   |
| Sioux Falls, clear             | 70    | 0.0   |
| St. Paul, clear                | 70    | 0.0   |
| Valentine, cloudy              | 70    | 0.0   |
| W. T. Indicated precipitation. | 0.4   | T     |

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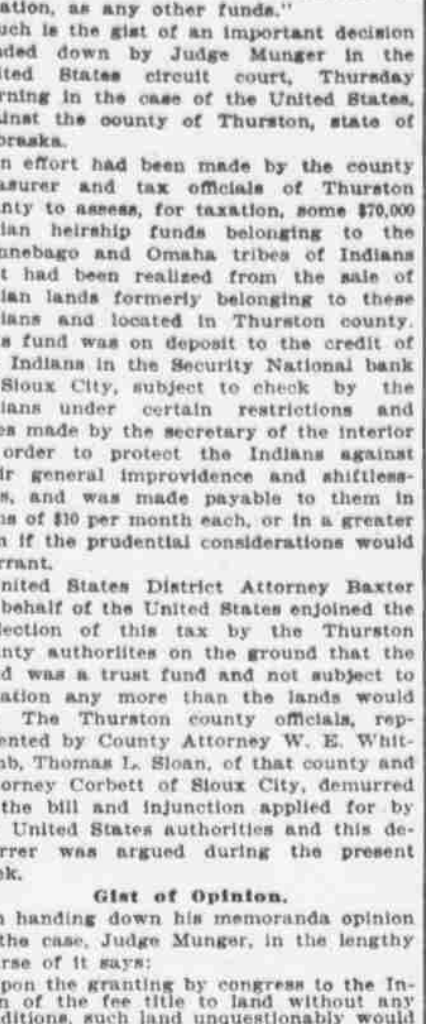
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Dishonest dealers will try to sell you cheap imitations and substitutes, which are put on the market for profit only and are positively harmful. Demand Duffy's and be sure you get it. Sold by every reliable druggist and grocer in the country, or direct, \$1 a bottle. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, and be certain the seal on the cork is unbroken. Address Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

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It arrives Chicago.....9:03 a. m.

### DAY CHICAGO TRAIN

It leaves Omaha.....7:25 a. m.  
It arrives Chicago.....8:45 p. m.

### AFTERNOON CHICAGO TRAIN

It leaves Omaha.....4:00 p. m.  
It arrives Chicago.....7:20 a. m.

Tickets, berths, folders, rates and information at City Ticket Office, 1502 Farnam St.

### ANNOUNCEMENT!

REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF GAS

After October 1st, 1905, the price of gas will be \$1.25 net.  
After October 1st, 1906, the price of gas will be \$1.15 net.

The Omaha Gas Company begs to announce that the price of gas will be reduced to all consumers ten cents per one thousand cubic feet on all bills contracted after October 1st, 1905, and payable on or before the 10th of the following months.

Bills will be rendered at - - - \$1.35 Per M.  
With a discount of 10c per M - - - .10 Per M.  
Making the net price - - - - - \$1.25 Per M.

A further reduction of ten cents per one thousand cubic feet will be made on all bills contracted after October 1st, 1906, payable on or before the 10th of the following months.

Bills will be rendered at - - - \$1.25 Per M.  
With a discount of 10c per M - - - .10 Per M.  
Making the net price - - - - - \$1.15 Per M.

These reductions are made in accordance with the policy of this company in its endeavor to give to its patrons the best service at the lowest price.

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