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CONNELL CAUSES SURPRISE

Spring New One in Proposition to Have Gas Ordinance Passed.

WHAT CHARTER HAS TO SAY ON IT

Tough Legal Point to Solve is What Constitutes a Modification of a Franchise Such as This.

The announcement that Attorney W. J. Connell expected to have the new \$3 gas street lighting ordinance passed by the council after two weeks publication in the Bee and World-Herald, even though Judge Sutton decided it is a modification of the franchise in that it refers to the lamps and not the quantity of gas consumed per hour, has caused no end of surprise.

No ordinance granting, extending or modifying the conditions of any franchise shall be passed until at least two weeks shall have elapsed after its introduction, nor shall after the same has been published daily for two weeks in two established daily papers of the city. No new franchise shall hereafter be granted, nor any extension of franchise, hereafter granted be lawful unless an annuity to the city be provided based upon either a fixed reasonable amount per year, or a percentage on the gross earnings of the owners of said franchise, nor until a proposition for the same has been submitted to a vote of the electors of the city at a general city election, or a special city election called for that purpose, and to carry such proposition shall require the majority of the electors voting on such proposition.

Not Generally Understood.
"This section of the charter is not generally understood," said the assistant city attorney. "It makes it look as though nothing stands in the way of changing the prices and other stipulations of any franchise provided the corporation interested on one hand and the mayor and council on the other agree to it. The tough legal point to solve is what constitutes a modification. It might be argued that a change in price is more than a modification and so on. On the face, however, it looks very much to me as though the right of the people to grant franchises is pretty nearly rendered without value, if the mayor and council have the right to assent to vital modifications, proposed or desired by the corporation interested. It is clear that extensions cannot be granted without sub-

DAN BALDWIN IS MISSING

Omaha Detective Assigns Salary, Draws It and Leaves the City.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS AT A LOSS

Second Time During His Career as Peace Officer He Has Left His Home in This Manner.

Detective Dan P. Baldwin of the Omaha police force assigned his September salary at least four times and his October wages once, collected the money, and left the city for parts unknown, according to evidence supplied at the city hall. The first assignment presented was to L. Heller and was for September and October as well. The September claim will be paid to Heller, as he had the look to get his assignment over the bars first. The other assignments were to L. A. Goldsmith, a saloon keeper of the burnt district, to the Duff Green Loan company and to Arthur Metz. The last named assignment was presented, but not accepted. It came in later than the others, which appeared at different hours September 28. That something was wrong was suspected in the controller's department, but nothing was said about the matter until L. A. Goldsmith appeared with the information that Detective Baldwin had shaken Omaha dust and the delights of the Ak-Sar-Ben from his sturdy frame, got his hands on a bunch of money and lit out.

LOYAL LEGION AND THE GUARD

Nebraska Commandery Will Help the Local Companies Secure an Armory.

General J. H. Culver, adjutant general of the Nebraska National Guard, General Charles F. Manderson and Clement Chase were last night appointed a committee to represent the Nebraska commandery of the Loyal Legion in the effort that is to be made at once to secure an armory building in Omaha. The three companies of the National Guard now in Omaha maintain separate armories at a considerable expense to themselves, the state granting only \$250 a year for rentals. If they could be housed in one building it would not only lessen the burden they now bear, but at once place them on a battalion footing with a major in command.

General Culver introduced the subject in a written communication in which he urged the co-operation of committees to be appointed from the Loyal Legion, the Grand Army of the Republic, the Commercial club and the Business Men's association, all working together to raise a fund or bring pressure to bear for a legislative appropriation, or both. The idea seemed to meet with instant approval. Captain Broatch, General Bates of Aurora and Mr. Chase spoke on the subject.

Marriage Licenses.

The following have been granted license to marry:

Name and Residence.	Age.
Viggo Walthers, Omaha	26
Mamie Anderson, Omaha	22
Ralph W. Moody, Omaha	31
Jean A. Campbell, Omaha	24
Roland W. Starnard, Omaha	21
Hattie A. Gantt, Omaha	24
Frederick T. Wath, Fresno, Cal.	38
Lydia C. Bruechart, Omaha	35
Charles G. Hunt, Council Bluffs	35
Sarah A. Rowels, Omaha	46
Theodore T. Bedessen, Omaha	27
Minnie J. Strobel, Omaha	24
Nip Neumann, Council Bluffs	24
Balbina Doragaczewski, Omaha	18
Gus Bunz, Bennington, Neb.	28
Kate Schneider, Calhoun, Neb.	29
Godfrey Linder, Omaha	23
Anna Johnson, Omaha	21
Robert J. Riley, Omaha	23
Mary A. Perkinson, Omaha	18
John Olson, South Omaha	24
Eather Erickson, South Omaha	23
Reward Bussa, Elkhorn, Neb.	23
Dora Peterson, Elkhorn, Neb.	23

2-K wedding rings. Edholm, jeweler.

OMAHA MEN AND THEIR HOBBIES

Harry B. Davis, undertaker. Tel. 128.
E. D. Keck, voice teacher, Davidge Bldg.
Woman Wants Divorce.
Daisy Batten has brought suit for divorce from Thomas A. Batten to whom she was married in September, 1895. Mrs. Batten in her petition alleges that Thomas is perfectly able to make a living for her but that he spends his time in riotous living and has left it to her to make the living for herself and five children. These she says she is willing to turn over to her mother who will help her care for them.

DIED.

COOK—James, age 33 years, mail carrier, at his residence, Thirtieth and Boulevard, at 1:45, October 4. Funeral arrangements later.

BLOW TO CATALOGUE HOUSES

Retail Grocers Gain Another Victory in Postoffice Department's Order.

KNOCKS OUT NUMBER MAIL DELIVERY

Suspends Order Recently Made Granting Postmasters Permission to So Distribute Mail in Rural Free Delivery Districts.

Another battle has been won by the retail grocers in their fight against the catalogue houses. The order of the Postoffice department giving postmasters permission to deliver mail to rural free delivery boxes when addressed to them by number only, has been suspended.

The order in question was issued August 7. Before the month was over the retail merchants and their friends learned that letters and circulars, hundreds and thousands of them, were pouring into the farmers of the west from catalogue houses in Chicago and other large cities. They were addressed by the number of the route and the box.

A trade paper of St. Louis called the attention of the trade press to the matter. Trade papers all over the country took up the matter and as a result of their efforts and the protests of numerous grocers' organizations, the order has been suspended, that part at least, which permits delivery of mail by number only.

The part of the order which permits the postmaster to furnish lists of numbers on rural free delivery routes, still stands.

AN ORIGINAL IDEA

Conceived in the Mind of Mr. J. A. Swanson of the Berg-Swanson Co. and Realized on Their Spacious Second Floor.

It remained for this rapidly growing firm to hit upon a modern method for their increasing business in evening clothes, in consequence of which one of the best departments in the west has been established. Full Dress, Tuxedo, English Frock Coat, and Prince Albert Suits are sold exclusively on their second floor, and since these garments are the most perfect of men's attire, as this department is the most perfect in its equipment.

Large, carved cabinets of oak, with full plate glass fronts of artistic shape and coloring, have been placed as receptacles for these garments. Tables made after the dictation of Mr. Swanson are arranged in their respective locations, with an eye to proper display before the prospective buyer. "The fact that we have such an elaborate department," said Mr. Swanson, "is the best guarantee that we shall continue to sell more of these garments than ever before. A number of years ago Baldwin disappeared suddenly, to turn up later at Kansas City, where he was picked up by the police in a state of mental aberration. He returned to Omaha and since that time has been a faithful officer.

Baldwin has been widely known for his remarkable physical strength, being almost a giant in powers and endurance and a terror to rebellious evil-doers.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cures diarrhoea and dysentery in all forms and in all stages. It never fails.

Lambert Has a Lively Time.
Harry Lambert was arrested last night, charged with being disorderly. It is stated that he came home early in the evening, 708 North Eighteenth, and finding no one there proceeded to show his displeasure by attacking the furniture, most of which he destroyed. He kicked the sewing machine in a corner, pulled the covers off the bed, and satisfied his vindictiveness.

Ak-Sar-Ben Sale Boys' Clothes

Boys' Fine Suits,

BOYS' SUITS AT \$3. WORTH \$4.00
These are "extra special" values—extra special because they are made better—look better—and will wear better than any other suit offered in town at four dollars.—The fabrics are of the latest fall and winter weaves.—In all the desirable patterns and plain colors.
BOYS' SUITS AT \$4. WORTH \$5.00
There's something about these boys' suits that raises their value equal to any \$5 or \$6 suit—it's the way they're made—the way they fit—the way they hang—the way they'll hold their shape. Nowadays mothers want boys' clothes not only to wear well, but they are very particular to have them look well.



BOYS' SUITS AT \$2.25, WORTH \$3.00
A new assortment of Boys' Suits to sell at the popular price of \$2.25 will greet you here tomorrow—They are wonders for the money.

Boys' O'coats at \$3.00

Made of plain oxford, chevots and fancy chevot, in stripes and plaids, strictly all wool mixtures, well lined and trimmed, sizes 4 to 15 years—**3.00**
Special this week

Boys' O'coats at \$4.00

Made of strictly all wool frieze, in black, and oxford gray colors—fancy chevot, in all the newest colorings—The styles are long, loose fitting, with belt and without, and medium length box coats—to fit boys sizes 4 to 16 years—worth \$7.50—Special for this week—**4.00**

Boys' O'coats at \$5.00

Made of high grade fancy chevots and silk mixed chevots—black and oxford gray mixings—styles long and medium length—with and without belts—to fit boys up to 16 years—worth \$7.50—Special for this week—**5.00**

On Farnam **Nebraska Clothing Co.** On Farnam at 15th Sts. at 15th Sts.

CARNIVAL PIANO SALE AT HOSPE'S A BIG SUCCESS

Home and out-of-town piano buyers are crowding the A. Hospe Co.'s 1513 Douglas street music rooms for the big sale in on Pianos and Organs are selling fast. Prices have been stove in to where profits are lacking.

You want a good Piano. You want a low price. You want easy terms. All these things are now at your hands.

We have over 100 Pianos to select from. We can supply as many duplicates as the trade demands. We have stocked up with Knabe Pianos, Kramlich & Bach Pianos, Kimball Pianos, Cramer Pianos and a great lot of fine Kimball and Hospe Organs.

These beautiful instruments are made in Spain and Sweden, mahogany, in golden oak, in French burr and American curly walnut, as well as rosewood and birch.

Prices all cut, in half on many, one-third off on others to be lowest off of the highest grade Pianos ever placed on the market.

Just see what you can buy in an up-to-date finely finished Piano, full size, handsomely veneered piano, 3-4 pedal, 3-string Cabinet Upright Grand Piano, fresh from the factory, for \$148, \$195, \$185.

Then see the high grade Pianos for \$225, \$275, \$300 and \$350. Another line of the very highest type of first class Pianos which cost \$400 to \$600 in art cases.

Don't forget we accept \$10 cash and \$5 per month. Our terms on other grades are known to be the lowest. You cannot miss it on quality, for we have the best. We buy carloads for cash. We deduct cost of the box and its freight, as the factory pays the freight, and you pay nothing for the boxing, as we receive Pianos unboxed. A great saving. It knocks competition, for we undersell from \$50 to \$100 under their lowest prices.

Fine Piano Seats and Stools, Pianos Tuned, Repaired, Refinished, Pianos Moved, Packed and Shipped.

A. HOSPE CO.
1513 Douglas St. OMAHA.
W. H. INDOE—Writing Out the Checks



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This is the best chance anybody ever had to get an Oldsmobile

It may seem unusual to the public to see a bargain sale on automobiles advertised. But that is just what we are doing now. The cars we agree to take for fall delivery must be sold quickly. We cannot have our money tied up any longer. These prices are lower than ever before and lower than they are likely to be again, and the cars are all regular standard Oldsmobile models.

Look over these prices and then come and see the cars at once and have them demonstrated to you.

Oldsmobile 20 h. p. 2-Cyl. Touring Car,	\$1000
Regularly \$1400	
Oldsmobile Standard Curved Dash Runabout,	\$ 550
Regularly \$650	
Oldsmobile Touring Runabout, 1905,	\$ 650
Regularly \$750	

If you do not fully appreciate the unusualness of this offer, we know you will after you have examined the cars, but above all, do not put this matter off, as they are likely to be sold out in a very few days. If you are out of the city and want us to hold any special car for you, telegraph us. The 1906 Oldsmobile Runabout, known as Type "B," \$650, including lamps and horn.

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