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Secret Benson Meeting Widens Breach in the Fontanelle Ranks.

OTHERS NOT IN SORE AT THE CHIEFS

"Billy" Saunders' Leadership is Proving an Elegant Boomerang for the Ranks Will Not Follow Solidly.

The secret meeting to boost Benson's candidacy held in the Omaha Commercial college building Tuesday has served further to disorganize the Fontanelle club ticket, since a few bits of information concerning it have leaked out. Other candidates do not conceal how sore they feel at the independent movements made for Benson, while they are left out of the calculations entirely. Some of them have had cards printed, leaving the slate and all mention of the club endorsement off, and a number of Fontanelles persist in appearing at the Broatch meetings and joining in the pro-ceedings as though there were no such mayoralty candidate as Benson supposed

to be hitched up with them According to the tales told the aforementioned secret meeting grew out of a few dinners enjoyed together by "Billy" Saunders, W. A. DeBord and Rev. S. D. Dutcher, pastor of the First Christian church, at a cafe on Farnam street. Saunders is the official manager of the Fontanelle club from these sources the prospective firemen tions, and when members of the visiting campaign and all three are affiliated with the First Christian church. Practically all emissaries of Broatch and told that if they learned the subscription atready has been through clergymen. This was how Comptroller Lobeck, a democrat, happened to get few days a number of applications have His pastor, unwise to political matters, did not perceive the partisan lines that barred Lobeck and put the latter m an awkward attitude.

The fact Baunders was mixed up in the plet has incensed the minor candidates on the Fontanelle slate and has started them out openly each for himself and the devil trap the hindmost. C. J. Andersen, who is running for the council, has giready pulled off an organization meeting in his behalf and a candidate on the ticket anbad been reached where every man was out for himself. City Attorney Breen and have laughed at the club's platform and all in all there is about as much unity

### WILD WITH ITCHING HUMOR

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GOSSIP OF THE POLITICIANS secreting of the D. A. P.

One reason for the secret organization said to exist in the antipathy of C. F Harrison, F. D. Wead and others to permitting A. H. Burnett or any of his sol lowing handling the Benson campaign The anti-Burnett faction has threatened a row before and is said to be the underlying reason of the independent Benson ovement. The reasons that Wead and Harrison have for their position were explained to a certain degree the other day when Wead told two men on the street that it was well known that when the Fontanelle club was about to endorse legislative candidates in 1996, Burnett took a list of applicants to Ed Maurer's restaurant, where John N. Baldwin, political manager of the Union Pacific, checked off those who were eligible and those who place in Omaha. The solicitors came in by were not Since then an element of the Fontanelle club has had mental reservations and private opinions not at all of the har-

mony variety. The secret organization is to have an other session when an attempt may be made to endorse a full ticket, committee is now doctoring up

Men who have been told by Broatch workers to have applications prepared requesting places on the fire and police deinderstand that a "school of appointments" will be made by the Broatch fire and police board Monday night. The information leaked out through men whom the applicants asked to sign the forms required by and policemen have been approached by been filed and arrangements made to clear George Tilden, chairman of the finan the decks for action at an early meeting. have resigned or left the service and their be made with very little difficulty and jobs actually filled when vacancies occur.

Bill Stockham was at the Eagles' club when he heard that something of a lynching bee was in progress at Seventeenth and Harney streets. Always prepared for such emergencies by having his pockets nounced frankly Eriday that the point full of cards Stockham got to the scene without delay and remained until I o'clock passing out his cards as a candidate to the Frank Crawford of the Eleventh ward throng. Other candidates were on the outskirts of the crowd in plenty, but they

> The "dollar gas" cry seems to be one upon which all candidates for any and all old offices can unite with perfect safety and imagined profit. It has been adopted as a leading feature by "Dave" Tubbs. who is a candidate for building inspector. Mr. Tubbs has a fine platform dealing with equal taxation and many other things, but he dilates on \$1 gas. What the building department has to do with the gas problem is unknown and the city hall denisens are trying to figure it all out.

City Clerk Elbourn started out Friday to arrange for the renting of places for the primary election April 2. Next week, from March 19 to 23. inclusive, the clerk will permit voters who became of age since the last registration, persons who were not then entitled to vote because of short residence, citizens who couls not register because of absence from the city and those who were detained by unavoidable accident such as sickness or family calamity, to swear in their affidavits of qualification supported by two freeholders of their precinct. Transfers of registration for voters who have moved will be permitted also.

OMAHA SOCIAL SERVICE CLUB

Organization of Persons Interested in Public Charities Formed to Promote Work.

About thirty people interested in various charities of the city and in the work of the "Christmas on Blackwell's Island;" the five luvenile court, met at the Commercial club [Vernons, xylophonists; Wynne Winslow, the Thursday afternoon and organized the "Social Service club of Omaha." The following sketch entitled "The Expressman:"

President, Judge Howard Kennedy; first vice president, Rev. H. C. Herring, D. D.; second vice president, Mrs. Draper Smith; secretary, Mr. E. F. Dennison; treasurer, Mrs. Clara E. Burbank.

officers were elected:

The object of the organization as defined n its constitution is "to promote acquaintance among those engaged in social service, to further plans for co-operative effort and to disseminate knowledge of subjects within its scope through addresses and printed matter. Membership in the organization may be secured by application to the secretary of the Young Men's Christian association.

A committee of five, of which Judge A. L. lutton is chairman, was appointed to arrange for a meeting Sunday afternoon March 35, at which Judge Mack, who presides over the juvenile court of Chicago, and H. W. Thurston, chief probation offiper of that court, will speak.

Bight at Your Door.

When you take a fire or tornado policy on property in the National-office ground floor McCague building, this city-you are patronizing an Omaha institution doing a for Omaha.

### CANVASS FOR Y. W. C. A. FUNDS

Work of Women Has Varying Effect Upon the Different Solicitors.

GOOD SUMS ALREADY ARE

Mrs. Tilden Warns All to Sign Asso ciation Pledge Card Before Making Any Subscription.

The building headquarters of the Young Women's Christian association on the third floor of the Paxton block is the busiest scores at noon Friday in several stages of elation and dejection according to their results, but one and all reported kindly, courteous reception. While the finance committee has as yet made no statement as to the amount of subscriptions received. various members who have been soliciting among the business men confessed pledges ranging from \$250 and \$500 up \$1,000. The team work is progressing spien didly, considering the limitations place upon the canvass of the "girls." In spite partments, say they have been given to of these limitations, however, the team work has resulted in some complications. Some of the young women not understanding they are not allowed to solicit women, wives of business men or heads the commission. According to statements of departments, have asked these subscripcommittee have called later they have would "get in line" they would be given given, and, too, with few exceptions, for jobs within a short time. Within the last a much smaller amount than these business men have been rated as able to give. Mrs committee, warns everyone not to make a During the past year several policemen cash subscription without first signing the association pledge card. It has been places have not been filled. With the fire learned that some one has solicited cash department probationary appointments can subscriptions for the association without having the pledge cards signed, and it is impossible to learn whether they were authorized solicitors or not

Plans from the Architect. Architect Kimball met with the building ommittee Thursday afternoon to present interior plans and plans of the elevation will probably be ready for the committee the first of next week.

Secretary Wade of the Young Men's Christian association has sent for the big clock which indicated the progress of the men's campaign last summer and which finished a like work at Kansas City Thurs. day. It is expected here Saturday or the first of next week and will be set up in some conspicuous place down town as soon as it arrives.

Miss Elizabeth Jones, one of the na tional secretaries, will arrive Monday from the east and probably will spend the " mainder of the month in the local work. The following limitations have been placed upon the solicitation of members of the teams of ten and those assisting

them: There shall be ten companies, consisting of one captain and nine lieutenants in each ompany. Soliciting shall be among wage earners soliciting shall be done among the

oilowing: Heads of firms. Heads of departments in large firms. Heads of departments in large corpora-General representatives and agents of

outside companies.

Professional men and women.

Women whose husbands are connected with any of the above.

Women of large independent means.

Announcements of the Theaters. At the Orpheum the matinee and night performances today will bring the current bill to a close. The curtain will rise at 8:15 prompt tonight.

For the week commencing Sunday matinee a delightful mixture of entertainment is promised. The eight Allisons will head the bill, an extraordinary acrobatic feature. Other contributions are: Sidney Dean and company in the novel singing sketch lyric soprano; Armstrong and Holly in a liam Davis, who will be remembered as a popular member of the Woodward Stock ompany, and company, presenting "Daniel and His Lions;" Barr and Evans, two un

SUN WILL SHINE ON GREEN Day for Celebration of the

Patron Saint of Emerald

Inle.

The weather promises to be good for omorrow, St. Patrick's Day, or as Colonel Welsh puts it: "Being the Shamrockiknocksical period only decent weather need be looked for. The local forecast tells about all there is to the story, which is for clearing weather, fair Friday night and urning warmer Saturday. The temperaure at Omaha Friday morning was 7 above zero, though up at Valentine 16 below is reported, and i below at North Platte. There is a marked rise of temperature in the northwest, and it is growing warmer in both the Dakotas. Snow is reported in the lower Missouri and Mississippi valleys and in the Ohio valley and trong business in the west. That is good lake regions this morning. Rain and sleet prevailed along the Atlantic coast Thurs- ELIMINO MEDICINE GO., Des Meines, Iowa

off eastward. We can confidently look for clearing weather for the next day or two with a gradual rise in temperature."

and Younger Boys Shot at Brandenburg.

beside which he was the organizer of the First National bank at San Pedro, Cal He also is a big land owner.

Mr. Culley is a Kentuckian, born and bred; in other words a thoroughbred, but while retaining warm affections for his native state he prefers Nebraska to live and work in. During his boyhood days in old "Kentuck" Mr. Culley witnessed one of the many stirring events which were enacted there in the old "border

James and Younger boys were attacked by town people who were scouring the country for some 'hoss' thieves," said Mr. Culley 'I was only a boy, about 16 years of age remember Frank James and Cole and Jim Younger went in the old hotel and were followed by an angry mob. Th people didn't know who the Youngers and were strangers, and it was a bad thing in those days to be a stranger in a community where a 'hoss' theft had been per-A fusiliade followed and when it was over Jim Younger and Frank James were pretty badly shot up. They managed to get out of the hotel and scramble up over the mountain to an old doctor's place where they received treatment, Public sentiment was against the men who shot the strangers after the first excitement blew over, for it became apparent they were not the horse thieves.

that were shot that day?"

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turn, March 15, 16, 17 and 18; return limit, March 31st. Also extremely low round rip rates to many points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louislana, Mississippi and we have irrigation projects under way, and Tennessee on March 6th and 20th. For full information write or call on F. A NASH, General Western Agent,

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Twelfth Annual Ball. Of the Omaha Overland lodge, No. 1 Switchmeng Union of North America, will be given at the Auditorium Saturday night

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days. "I was at Brandenburg the day the

"And do you know it was only a few cears ago that the people of Brandenburg really came to know who the men were

Mr. Culley is an advocate of the present

### LOW RATES

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\$7.50 and \$10 Skirts, all on Sale Saturday, \$4.90



Cor. Farnam

JACKSON'S HOLE VINDICATED

Famous Wyoming Place Defended by Old Timer Who Denies Calumnies Against It.

Fred Lovejoy of Grovent, Wyo., a hunting guide of the Jackson's He lowstone Park country, is an Omaha visitor, calling on old friends and incidentally talking up the Jackson's Hole country as the paradise of hunters for big game and endeavoring to persuade a few people to take their outing up there this summer and

"The Jackson's Hole country has been much maligned," he said, "and I want to disabuse your minds about it being the refuge for bad men; it is just the reverse of all that. The people up there are as good a class of folks as you can find anywhere. Of course the region is not very populous, but what there are of us are good. It is the greatest hunting country on the continent today. Elk, there is no limit to them. Plenty of deer, enough brown and black bear, with a few silver tips to give the seeker after sturdy game all the excitement he cares to hanker after. Then there are lots of antelope up in the mountains, and if a hunter wants to earn his spurs he can get an occasional shot at a mountain sheep. It is not much of an agricultural country, but some settlers are coming in

getting the water from Snake river. There are some few cattle in the country and the ranchmen are good, big-hearted fellows that it is a pleasure to meet. There is no place on earth where you will meet

nore hospitable treatment. "Our hunting season generally runs from the middle of September and the game laws are liberal. Of course the wanton destruction of game is not permitted at all. There are a few buffalo to be seen in that section but there is a heavy penalty against killing them; \$500 is the fine imposed by the gov ernment. These buffalo are generally strays from the Yellowstone Park herds."

Common Colds Are the Cause of Many

Serious Diseases. A physician who has gained a nationa reputation as analyst of the cause of vaous diseases, claims that if catching old be avoided a long list of dangerous ilments would never be heard of. Every ne knows that pneumonia and consume ton originate from a cold, and chroni catarrh, chronic bronchitis, and all throat and lung trouble are aggravated and ren dered more serious by each fresh attack. Do not risk your life or take chances when you have a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure it before these diseases develop. This remedy contains no opium, morphine or other harmful drugs and has thirty years of reputation back of it, gained by its cures under every condition.

While snow was falling last Thursday hings were spring like at Shelley's. Kaufman's orchestra furnished music and cut flowers vied with artificial ones in beauty.

The many callers were unanimous in their praise of the beautiful hats and showed their appreciation of the low prices on the hats by numerous selections. The display and sale of imported hats and gowns will continue all next week. Early

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elections are the best. Free! Free! Until March Bat, either a genuine water lor or an 8x16 art enlargment free with HEYN. THE PHOTOGRAPHER. 213-15-17 South 15th St. (Odd Numbers.)

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JUSTICE GETS A MOVE ON Goes Along at Swift Pace Up in Thurston County in Horse

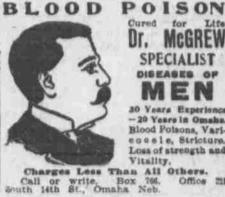
Thieves Case.

"We do things up fairly quick in Thurs ton county," said Sheriff S. M. Young of that county Friday morning at the federal building: "As a sample I have just returned from Lincoln, where I lodged two horse thieves in the penitentiary. There were Ernest Shepherd and William Roberts. the former getting five years and the later two years. The parties got away with a horse on the Winnebago reservation Tues day, were arrested Tuesday night, ar raigned and pleaded guilty Wednesday and were sentenced to the pen and I took them down to Lincoln Thursday. We are ruther disposed to think that this is a record breaker. Thurston county is a very un healthy locality for horse thieves anyhow and the disease takes them off quickly.

Marriage Licenses. Earche Himelstein, Omaha. Etta Cabbage, Omaha..... George G. Reed, Omaha Jessie Pilling, Omaha George W. Varney, Jewell City, Kan. Mimis E. Chance, Delphos, Kan. Thorwald C. Sorensen, Omaha Christina Nielsen, Omaha .....









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