PLANS FOR NEW INDUSTRY

Several General Ideas Considered but Committee is not yet Determined.

OTHER CITIES FURNISH SUGGESTIONS

Prime Purpose is to Incorporate Company of Hundred Thousand Dollars Capital to Subsidize Enterprise.

The proposition of the Omaha Commercial club for the organization of a stock company to secure new industries for the city, has aroused considerable discussion among the business men. Numerous suggestions have been made to the special committee appointed in the matter, consisting of I. W. Carpenter, J. E. Baum and Z. T. Lindsey, though as yet no man has had a detailed plan to offer. The committee has had two meetings and is working out a scheme which will be presented to the executive committee of the club in the near future.

It is the idea to incorporate a company of not less than $100,000 capital stock, divided into 1,000 shares of $100 each, to be subscribed by business men who wish to see the city grew. The money would be used to start small industries, which, in the judgment of the directors, has good money making possibilities after once placed on their feet. The company could furnish sites for new factories, taking stock in the business in exchange for the site, and could erect buildings to lease to the new concerns. The payment for the stock in the company is a matter which has called out many suggestions. Some say pay cash down; others say pay 10 per cent quarterly; others 25 per cent annually, and still others think it best to call for payments as the money is needed for new concerns.

What Other Cities Are Doing.

In case he should be called on for information as to what other towns are doing in this line, Commissioner E. J. McVann of the Commercial club has collected some data, showing plans carried out and projected. Scranton, Pa., with a population of 102,000, has organized a company with a capital stock of $500,000, and several months ago had already $120,000 subscribed. Superior, Wis., with 31,000 people, has a company with $75,000 capital stock, 20 per cent to be called for any one year, and to be used either as loans or to buy stock in new concerns. A company in Duluth, where 83,000 people live, has $100,000 capital stock, 20 per cent of which is paid in cash each year. Dayton, O., with a population only about two-thirds that of Omaha, proposes to go in for $500,000. Haverhill, Mass., proposes to form a building association to erect modern factory buildings. Marion, Ind., a town of less than 20,000 people, has raised $100,000 to secure factories. Nashville, Tenn., a city of 81,000, plans for stock subscriptions of $200 each from 500 men, to be called for 10 per cent at a time when a new industry can be got.

Joplin, Mo., has 26,000 people. Last fall a stock company was organized with $200,000 capital in 4,000 shares, to be paid at the rate of $1 a month on each share.

Kewanee, Ill., has 10,000 inhabitants. A proposition is under way to lay out acreage property in the edge of the city and sell 396 lots at $175 each, the proceeds to be used in subsidizing new industries.

Land Platted at Peru, Ind.

The Oakdale Improvement association, Peru, Ind., platted land and got a belt line through it. Through the Commercial club 700 lots have been sold at $275 cash each, and the money will be used to locate factories. Peru has 10,000 people.

The Springfield, (Ill.) Improvement association has been incorporated by ten men, with a capital stock of $100,000. Land to the extent of 234 acres has been syndicated and placed on sale.

New Orleans is making a strong hustle to organize a company such as is proposed in Omaha. The plan provides for a capital stock of $5,000,000 in 50,000 shares of $100 each, not more than 20 per cent to be assessed against the subscriptions to stock in any one year, assessments to be pro rated as investments are made and ordered by the board of governors.

The Kansas City Star last September said:

Coffeyville, Kan., has a Commercial club which in the last three years has disbursed more than $80,000 for new industries. Has it paid? In that city there is only one answer, and that is "Yes." The town has grown from 6,000 in March, 1902, to 15,000 now. The mark set for 1915 is 25,000, and that figure will be reached before then if the present rate of progress continues.

The Coffeyville Commercial club bought land at acreage prices, subdivided it into lots and had it annexed to the city. It then used the lottery plan and sold the lots, the first addition going for $125 and the second for $175 per lot. The profit on the two sales made a big fund for the club to work on. Factories having been brought in and the workmen having built houses near them, the lots are worth more than when the club sold them.

WIFE ENTIRELY TOO WILLING

For that Reason Ed Gilmore Changes His Mind About Committing Suicide.

What is the use of dying by your own hand and of your own wish for the purpose of piquing somebody when that body refuses to be piqued and tells you to go ahead and die? This reflection is probably, according to the police, what saved Ed Gilmore, Sixteenth and Grand avenue from going to sleep forever from self-administered laudanum, on a pile of sawdust at the Jensen ice houses on Grand avenue.

The finding of Gilmore lying prone and motionless, by John Johnson, 1462 North Seventeenth street, and a companion, was the cause of the hurried departure of Police Surgeon Wills from the station to the scene late Thursday afternoon. In a pocket of the man's coat Wills found an empty bottle of laudanum, but he could not find any signs of the contents having reached the inside of the man. Seeing himself in the hands of a physician Gilmore gave up playing dead man and before long the police were in possession of the reasons for his peculiar act. They are:

Gilmore married a daughter of C. H. Schistfield, 4219 Sherman avenue, recently, but did not get along well with his wife and at last she left him to go and live with Thomas Murray, Sixteenth and Fort streets. The deserted husband went to the house Thursday to secure his wife and met Murray, an old man of nearly 60 years, for the first time. Gilmore is a young man, but when a hand-to-hand conflict ensued between the two he found the aged protector of the wife too much for him and he was obliged to depart, leaving his run-away wife behind and with sundry ignominious bruises about the face.

Finding a show of force had worked against him he now tried the opposite tack and threatened to commit suicide. But his words met only with laughter and he was told to go ahead and kill himself. This showed plainly he would be the only loser by such action, but nevertheless, he went to a drug store at 2816 Sherman avenue and secured the laudanum. Then he made his way to the icehouses and lay down. Possibly he took a small portion of the poison, but most of it was poured out on the ground. Gilmore was dressed in a soldier's kahki uniform. He said he had just enlisted and the blue had not yet been issued to him. He was placed under arrest and locked up.

NEW BELT LINE ENTERPRISE

Updike Lumber and Coal Company Will Establish Plant Near West Dodge Street.

The Updike Lumber and Coal company is to open a plant in Omaha for the distribution of wholesale and retail lumber and coal. This plant is to be on the Belt line, just north of Dodge street, and W. J. Miller, with G. A. Hoagland for ten years, is to be the manager. The firm will spend $10,000 in buildings on the land which has been bought, half a block wide and two blocks long, and will immediately put in a $100,000 stock of lumber and coal.

The Updike Lumber and Coal company is a different corporation from the Updike Grain company, although it has practically the same stockholders. The lumber company has twenty-three plants in the state from which lumber and coal are retailed and these will be supplied from the Omaha yards.

The Belt line was built about twenty years ago to accommodate just such concerns as the new lumber company, as it has direct connections with all roads leading into Omaha.

"We think we have a good location for a retail lumber yard, as we are right in the center of the big residence district which is working to the suburbs," said Mr. Miller.

GENERAL IN THE LORD'S ARMY

Joseph W. Powell, from Family of Soldiers, Confines His Warfare to Satan's Hosts.

Joseph W. Powell of Buffalo, N. Y., who is to handle the dedication of the South Tenth Street Methodist Episcopal church Sunday, has reached Omaha and is the guest of Dr. S. H. Smith, 1023 South Tenth street. Mr. Powell is national organizer of the St. Paul Brotherhood, which now numbers about 40,000 in the United States. Last Sunday he organized a chapter of the Brotherhood at Anderson, Ind., 165 men meeting as charter members. The object of the fraternity is the mutual improvement of members by religious, social, physical and literary culture and to promote the spirit and practice of Christian brotherhood. Mr. Powell comes of a family of soldiers. His father received a medal from Queen Victoria for bravery, and King Edward VII. has lately knighted his cousin, General Baden Powell for special service during the Boer war in Africa, but he himself seems to be doing all his fighting against his Satanic majesty and seems to be a general in church work.

SUIT OVER FLORENCE LOTS

Legal Fight in Which Milton Rogers Estate Company Takes a Hand.

A controversy over the possession of some lots in Florence has found its way into district court by the securing of a restraining order from Judge Day Thursday morning by Irving Allison, Milton Rogers Estate company and the Florence company against Jasper Smith. The plaintiffs assert they were the owners of lots 9 to 13, block 109, of the village, and sold them to Allison under a warranty deed. April 3 he had some engineers start to work locating a place for a house he intends building. The defendant, it is asserted, claimed some rights to the property, drove the engineers off and immediately began to build a wire fence around the place. The order restrains the defendant from interfering with the property in any way until the hearing is had on the application for an injunction.

VIADUCT WILL BE LONGER

Tenth Street Bridge is to Be Lengthened in Response to Petition.

General Manager Mohler of the Union Pacific has promised a committee of jobbers and shippers that the approach to the Tenth street viaduct from Union station will be lengthened to make the hauling of heavier loads possible. A petition was presented to Mr. Mohler signed by over 200 business men whose teams have occasion to use this approach, asking that this be done, and Mr. Mohler said it would be done as soon as certain plans which he is considering for improvements at the station are completed.

AUTO SHOW ASSURED SUCCESS

First Exhibition of Whiz Wagons at Auditorium Proves Popular Affair.

LARGER CROWDS THAN WERE EXPECTED

Out-of-Town People Are Not Only Looking, but Are Buying, and Everybody, Therefore, is Happy.

Omaha's first automobile show is an assured success. This much is made certain by the attendance for the initial day and by the enthusiasm of all who go to view the show. A few people were expected from out of the city, but they have been coming in droves and numerous sales are being made to out-of-town parties. This new impetus to the auto dealers was not anticipated and they are correspondingly happy.

All conceivable sorts of machines are shown, some fresh from the shops and some showing the condition after years of wear. George Rogers' machine, which he has driven around the streets of this city, Council Bluffs and South Omaha for the last four years, is shown with the expense account for repairs. This exhibit is made by the automobile men to show how much cheaper it is to run an automobile for business than to keep a horse, or two horses, as would have been required to cover the mileage which Mr. Rogers has made with his machine.

Men Have Product.

The exhibit which attracts the most attention is the new home product of the Karbach company. This machine is strictly a home-made affair and is a beauty. It is a heavy truck with an eighteen-horse power engine on a low gear, which will be able to haul a load up any of the hills of the city. Several Omaha firms are figuring on his machine with a view of putting it on the streets, as a machine of this character would be worth considerable for an advertisement, while the novelty lasts.

Everything is automobile at the show, even the decorations consisting of miniature automobiles strung around the arena. Each dealer has all his available men at the show to expound the virtues of the various makes and each, of course, has "the best machine made." Many of the new machines which have been ordered for this year by Omaha owners have arrived and are on exhibition. The semi-limousine, which belongs to Emil Brandeis, and the similar auto beside it with a different top and which cost more money, belonging to Louis Nash, attract considerable attention as they are both finished up about as fine as the builder's art can contrive. Clarke Colt is considerably disappointed that the new machine ordered by General Cowin has not arrived for the show. The big machine belonging to Bert Bradford is not on exhibition, because of no agency in the city.

No Full Dress Affair.

Manager Gillan says a mistaken impression has gone forth that the people are expected to wear full dress at this show, but this is wrong. The show is given for the public and people can wear any attire which suits their convenience. The success is such that the show next year is bound to be a hummer and all manufacturers will be more anxious to get in on the ground floor.

Notes of the Show.

Among the most striking of the new features added to the show Thursday night was the six-cylinder Franklin. The Powell-Bacon company had this big machine expressed from Syracuse in order to get it here in time for the show. It landed in Omaha last night and was immediately taken to the Auditorium. It is the first six-cylinder car ever brought into this territory and aroused considerable interest, as prominent engineers predict that the six-cylinder motor will be practically the one universally used in the large high class touring cars. It is claimed for this car that in comfort, smoothness of running, luxuriousness of finish and appointments it is not surpassed by any car built. This six-cylinder car represents the highest development of Franklin principles, embodying power with strength and light-weight flexible construction.

The White steamer exhibit consisted of an Imperial Victoria with full leather extension top and a demi-limousine, model F, owned respectively by L. C. Nash and Emil Brandeis. They attracted considerable favorable attention.

The Cadillac exhibited was devoted solely to single cylinder cars. It included a runabout, a runabout with convertible body and a light touring car.

Announcements of the Theaters.

Richard Carle is one of the comedians of whom it may truly be said, "He never disappoints," and as the author of his own plays he is able always to secure the very best of results with regard to himself. His "Mayor of Tokio" has never been seen in Omaha, but the praises that have been showered on the piece by the eastern critics warrants the belief that its performances at the Boyd theater on Sunday and Monday evenings will be witnessed by capacity houses.

Chauncey Olcott is coming next week for his annual engagement at the Boyd, offering his newest play, "Edmund Burke."

"Sowing the Wind" is making a deeper impression on the public than any play the Woodward Stock company has yet produced at the Burwood. The run has three more performances, including the matinee on Saturday. "Dr. Bill" is in preparation for next week.

Litigation Over Land.

Walter L. Deming has secured an order from Judge Kennedy restraining the United States National bank from returning to J. Earl Lusk and Charles Cossum, executors of the estate of Richard E. Lusk, deeds to four quarter sections of land in Kit Carson county, Colorado. Deming declares he bought an option on the property from an accredited agent of the defendants, but when he went to pay down his money at the bank it refused to turn the deeds over to him. He asks that the deeds be held at the bank until litigation resulting from the transaction is concluded.

MEN TO ASSIST THE WOMEN

Result of Conference Lasting Several Hours at Y. W. C. A. Headquarters.

A number of business men of Omaha gathered at a dinner at the Central Young Women's Christian association rooms at 6:30 o'clock last night for the purpose of talking over with the members of the building committee for the new association structure the matter of joining hands with the women during the closing days of the fund-raising campaign. The feature of the evening was the speech of Miss Mary S. Dunn of Chicago, national secretary of the association, in charge of building operations throughout the country, who is in the city to assist in the local struggle. Miss Dunn has had experience in many cities of the United States during the last fifteen years and is thoroughly acquainted with all methods of procedure. She recounted several instances of close campaigns and the plans used in each. She said nowhere before have the women attempted to do the entire work alone as here in Omaha, and for that reason the eyes of workers in every city in the country are on Omaha to note the outcome of their efforts.

Remarks were made by almost every person present, among whom were C. M. Wilhelm, H. A. Beaton, H. D. Neely, W. F. Smith, G. M. Hitchcock, Charles S. Sherman, J. C. Wharton, C. M. Robinson, Nathan Merriam, C. S. Hayward, Charles E. McGrew and J. E. Baum. The deliberations and talks were continued until after 9:30, the result being a committee consisting of J. E. Baum, chairman; J. C. Wharton, C. M. Wilhelm, C. S. McGrew and Robert Cowell, was appointed to cooperate with the chairman of the building committee and secretary of the association to appoint a committee of thirty business men to advise and assist the women during the rest of the campaign. This committee will be named without delay, as it was the opinion of all that male effort is necessary to assist in the speedy consummation of the work.

The team work afforded the feature of the Young Women's Christian association building campaign Thursday, their subscriptions up to noon having raised their total considerably over their original goal—$10,000. Several teams have changed places on the list and if their results continue in proportion as they have so far their final result will easily reach $15,000.

Interested friends from out of town, or those who are out of the city temporarily, continue to be heard from. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dempster, who are wintering in San Antonio, Tex., telegraphed $50 to the building fund Thursday morning.

The French Dry Cleaning works, 1908 Farnam street, has offered 33 per cent of its proceeds from April 9 to 14 to the building fund. Something over $400 was realized from the Orchard-Wilhelm percentage given last week and the women are urged to co-operate with the merchants in this plan of helping the work along.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

Colors and Captains.	Amount.
Dark blue, Miss Hallie Hood	$ 2,571.25
Red, Miss Edith Baker	2,179.25
Pink, Miss Bessie Chambers	1,336.10
Orange, Miss Susan Paxton	1,103.00
Violet, Miss Clara Ady	943.00
Brown, Miss Ora Johnson	739.00
Yellow, Mrs. C. E. Perkins	670.00
Green, Miss Mary Larson	624.25
Light blue, Miss Nellie Crandall	482.25
Lavender, Mrs. May H. Finley	430.00
Total	$11,077.10

—The Goal, $125,000— Donors.	Amt.	Total.	—Entries to Date— Donrs.	Amt.	Total.
2	$10,000	$20,000	1	$10,000	$10,000.00
4	5,000	20,000	.....	5,000	.....
10	1,000	10,000	4	1,000	4,000.00
20	500	10,000	8	500	4,000.00
20	250	5,000	8	250	2,000.00
25	200	5,000	8	200	1,600.00
200	100	20,000	31	100	3,100.00
200	50	10,000	52	50	2,600.00
200	25	5,000	83	25	2,075.00
Small sums		5,000	Small sums		1,741.00
Teams		15,000	Teams		11,077.10
Total		$125,000	Total		$42,193.10

WOMAN WIELDS THE KNIFE

Tessie Phillips Arrested for Stabbing Charles Wattch Wednesday Night.

Tessie Phillips, 812 Capitol avenue, was arrested Thursday afternoon and locked up at the police station charged with having stabbed Charles Wattch at Fourteenth street and Capitol avenue, Wednesday evening. Wattch was taken to the station early Thursday morning by Patrolman F. Murphy with a deep knife wound in the upper left breast. His explanation that a strange man on passing him on the street had reached out with a knife and stabbed him without provocation was not believed by the police. Sergeant Hayes and Officer Murphy went out to investigate and secured evidence that Wattch had been stabbed by the Phillips woman. The story stated the man and woman were on their way to a dance at Osthoff's hall when Wattch drew a knife and attempted to strike his companion with it. She, however, threw up her hand, hitting him in the face, and knocked the knife to the walk. Immediately, it is said, she picked up the weapon and stabbed Wattch in the breast. The woman could not be found during the night, but was located during the afternoon by Detective Maloney.

Wattch is progressing satisfactorily and it is not thought the wound will prove serious. Police Surgeon Willis attended to the injuries and the man was detained by the police.

OMAHA PRIEST GOES TO OHIO

Rev. M. Kellar Becomes Assistant to Another Nebraskan in Cleveland's Big Polish Church.

The Very Rev. Theobald Kalamaja, pastor of the Catholic church at Columbus, Neb., who has been transferred to the church at Cleveland, passed through Omaha Monday evening, going east on the Milwaukee. He will become pastor of St. Stanislaus parish, the largest Polish parish in Ohio, with 1,300 families and 1,200 children attending school. His assistant will be Rev. M. Kellar of the Polish church at Twenty-fourth and Bancroft streets, Omaha. Rev. Vaclav Skryeckt of Superior, Wis., will come to the church in this city.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors and to I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 43, and Royal Highlanders, Dundee Castle No. 11, of Sutton, Neb., for the kindness and sympathy shown us and for the beautiful floral offerings sent us in our late bereavement.

CHARLES DU COMB.
NICHOLAS BAILEY.
MR. AND MRS. W. H. LANPHIER.
MR. AND MRS. J. A. CULTON.

Nebraska lodge No. 1 Ancient Free and Accepted Masons will assemble at 12:30 p. m. Friday, April 6, to escort the body of our late Bro. W. Bro. E. H. Clark to Calhoun for burial.

All brethren invited to the temple, and those who can are asked to go to Calhoun.

EDWARD A. NORTHRUP, Master.

Real Estate and Farm Edition

Sunday, April 8th

On Sunday, April 8, The Bee will issue a Real Estate and Farm edition that will be invaluable to anyone interested in real estate, whether as buyer or seller.

This edition will contain a larger list of homes, vacant lots, business property, acreage and farm lands than ever before published by any newspaper in this vicinity.

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TIRED OF FARMS IN TOWN

Two Valley Citizens Say City Restricts Modern-Up-to-Date Tilling of Soil.

Dissatisfied with city life, Fred Curtis and J. Burke are trying to move their farms outside the corporation limits of Valley by judicial process. Each owns forty acres of farm land, which is included within the village limits. They declare the village ordinances interfere with modern up-to-date farming in that they limit the amount of fertilizer which may be used and prescribe regulations regarding the distance between hay and straw stacks, which are burdensome to a farmer. As their property is not platted and is used wholly for agricultural purposes, they ask the ordinances including their property in the corporation be altered so as to put them outside the limits. Their case is being heard by Judge Day.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

Name and Residence.	Age.
Emery E. Hoyle, Missouri Valley, Ia.	28
Lydia B. Shultz, Schuyler, Neb.	20
Peter M. Cochrane, Omaha	47
Lois J. Caldwell, Omaha	28
Everett Brown, Omaha	25
Eunice Wright, Omaha	27