

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Great Preparations Being Made to Entertain the Visiting Eagles.

THOUSAND MEMBERS EXPECTED TO COME

Peter Edwards Has Down and Serenely Buried by an Automobile, the Driver of Which Does Not Stop.

The big event of the week in South Omaha is expected in connection with the first state convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Already the people of the town are preparing for an elaborate reception of the delegates who will represent the eighteen cities of the state where the order is represented.

At 2 p. m. Monday, this meeting will be strictly a business session and it is expected that a strong central organization will be perfected. From this session the delegates and friends will attend the banquet which will be served at the dining room of the South Omaha Live Stock exchange at 7:30 p. m.

The second day will be occupied by a business session in part, but the greater portion of the day will be spent in sight-seeing. The delegates will ride in special cars over the city to their headquarters. All the places of interest in Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs will be thrown open to the delegates.

Fourth at Country Club.

The South Omaha Country club has completed its preparations for a celebration of the Fourth of July. These celebrations will be conducted on the club grounds and will occupy nearly the entire day.

Ran Down by Automobile.

Peter Edwards, living at Twenty-eighth and R streets, was run down by an automobile yesterday morning at 11 a. m. Edwards works for Armour & Co. in the fertilizer department.

Packers Make Protest.

The packing houses were before the Board of Review yesterday afternoon, with a modest protest against the advance in their assessment. The contemplated advance would add about \$100,000 to the valuation of each of the plants.

Index to Council Proceedings.

The city clerk is busy perfecting a complete index of the council proceedings, which is to cover every item of the records since the new loose-leaf system was put in vogue.

Let It Figure Your Bill.

No house in Nebraska is making lower prices than J. Flynn & Co. Men's Outing Suits, handsome range of patterns, \$10.00 values at \$6.00.

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KILLS RED BUGS, KILLS COCKROACHES, KILLS ANTS, KILLS MICROBES, KILLS ALL INSECTS.

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Does Not Burn or Explode

Kills the Eggs, Too. See the Point?

"GREEN POISON" is easily applied with brush or feather. A 15-cent bottle of "GREEN POISON" from your druggist will kill a million bugs.

nuisance, by reason of their entangled condition. The same, therefore, has been condemned by order of the city building inspector, and upon due approval of said action the same will be torn down, the owners of said buildings being unknown.

Magie City Gossip.

Reynold Wilson is passing a week in Elkhorst.

O. K. Paddock and family expect to start on an excursion to the Pacific coast soon.

George E. Dunscombe is about to build a \$5,000 residence at Twenty-second and M streets.

James Murphy, 51 and costs, comprised the sum of the sentences in police court yesterday.

P. A. Caldwell, justice of the peace, notary public, real estate and fire insurance, 231 N. Street.

The women of the Christian church will hold a rummage sale Friday and Saturday of this week at 508 North Twenty-fourth street.

Letter's Gold Top Beer delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 8.

Miss Hattie Steinberg has left for the summer. She will be at Sioux City, where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. N. S. Gibson was called to the bedside of her mother, who resides at Meria, Neb., in the week-end.

Mr. F. E. Glaze of Avoca, Ia., will spend Sunday as the guest of Fred Fero. His wife, Mrs. Glaze, will arrive on Monday.

John Owens was arrested on suspicion and turned over to the Omaha police department last night. He is suspected of stealing some tools.

The Fraternal Life association of South Omaha will give a hard time to the members of the United Workmen temple Wednesday evening, June 27.

Pete Olson, Twenty-ninth and R streets, reported the loss of a Jersey cow. He declares the cow was stolen from his stable during the afternoon.

The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. William J. McBurney, Twenty-fifth and P streets, Wednesday, June 28.

The funeral service of James Austin this afternoon will be under the auspices of the Modern Brotherhood of America. The order is called to assemble at 2:30 p. m.

The women of the First Methodist Episcopal church will give a lawn party at the home of Mrs. Frank Clark, Twenty-fourth and B streets, Tuesday evening, June 26.

Willcox will have an arraignment in court Monday on his arraignment for breaking the builder's ordinance, in putting up a new building at Twenty-fourth and J streets.

South Omaha lodge, No. 66 of the Ancient Order of United Workmen will give a smoker Tuesday evening, June 26.

All members of the Modern Brotherhood of America, will meet Sunday afternoon at 2:30 sharp, at the home of Mrs. Charles C. Kroger, 411 K street, for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother James C. Austin.

Mrs. James Houston of Twenty-first and Bidney streets entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Houston's cousin, Mr. John Hanna, father of Lieutenant Hanna of Kansas. Covers were laid for ten.

Joe Blaha was compelled to kill two of Dan Hannon's horses yesterday. They had outlived their usefulness in the grading gang and had been turned out to die. The pound master's ire was roused considerably. It is of the opinion that the humane society could do something to attract their efforts about the grading camps.

Frenzied with Feas.

are many who develop lung trouble. Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them. Guaranteed. 50c and \$1.00. For sale by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.

DIAMONDS—Frenzer, 18th and Dodge st.

Rush Continues to Agency.

Crowds continue to pour through this gateway for the town of Sheridan and Billings on the Burlington road for the registration for the lands of the Crow Indian reservation which the government is giving away to the successful entry-men. The Burlington is forced to use considerable extra equipment for this business, but is able to meet all demands to the present time.

Preparing a New Rate.

G. E. Morrison, rate clerk for the passenger department of the Northern Pacific and J. J. Dickinson for the Great Northern and J. Durham of the Oregon Short Line are meeting with Mr. Bonell, rate clerk for the Burlington, arranging a new schedule of rates preparatory to putting in the new 5-cent rate for western states, which has been decided upon by the railroad traversing Wyoming, Utah and Idaho.

Omaha Gets Fort Riley Contract.

Elmer A. Cope of Omaha has been awarded the contract for furnishing 7,000,000 pounds of oats for use at Fort Riley during the coming fiscal year. The price will be \$1.11 per 100 pounds until January 1, after which it will be \$1.14.

SEASONABLE FASHIONS.



NO. 4017—A TINY BOX-PLEATED GOWN. The dainty childish gowns which are so pretty and becoming are often most charming when least adorned. These are quite possible for any woman to fashion at home, whether she be clever with her needle or not. The more originality there is shown in the development the more choice they are. Here is a small gown which relies chiefly upon box pleats for construction and adornment. These are stitched from yoke to waist line and allowed to form the fullness of the skirt. The fanciful yoke may be of lace or the material. The neck may be high or in round outline, and the long sleeves may be replaced by a short puff if desired. A belt or ribbon sash may girdle the waist. Any soft fabric may serve as material. 3 1/4 yards of 36-inch material is needed in the medium size.

For the accommodation of The Bee readers these patterns, which usually retail at from 10c to 50c, will be furnished at a nominal price (10 cents), which covers all expenses. In order to get a pattern enclose 10 cents, giving name and home of pattern wanted and bust measure. As the patterns are mailed direct from the publishers.

OUR LETTER BOX.

Jesse Lowe.

OMAHA, June 23.—To the Editor of The Bee: The name of Jesse Lowe in Omaha is classic. The mention of Jesse Lowe by Mayor Dahlman for city engineer recalls it in my very ready memory, dating back to the period of the first occupation of Omaha as a townsite in the early months of 1854. Dr. Enos Lowe, father of the late General Lowe of the United States army, was president and actual director-general of the Council Bluffs, Iowa, and operated Omaha as a municipal corporation. William D. Brown owned the land by recognized right of possession, and from him it was purchased by Dr. Enos Lowe, General R. Curtis, James A. Jackson and others of Iowa and Council Bluffs. I first met Dr. Lowe in Council Bluffs, where he then resided, in October, nearly fifty-two years ago. In 1857, I think, he built the fine home on the corner of Sixteenth and Harney streets, which is now the location of Bennett & Co.'s great mercantile house. Jesse Lowe, the first mayor of Omaha, was the son of the late Dr. Enos and the Jesse Lowe who bears his name is his son. His mother was the late Sophia Lowe, whose recent death was so widely lamented. His father directed the organization of the city government in 1856, under the counsel of the late James M. Woodworth, who was city attorney, and Jesse Lowe started in business in Omaha in the firm of Lowe & Christie, and has been long in the business of government contracting, the firm unchanged, on a large scale. He came from New Orleans to attend his mother's funeral a few months ago. I knew him from his cradle, and have rejoiced in his excellent character and useful and successful life. I should be glad if he could see his way to come back to his birthplace and old home to stay.

When Dr. Lowe built his fine mansion on the hill, of that day, his street was called Dr. Lowe's street, but the latter would never encroach upon its peace and quiet in his time. I used to go out near it and "shoo" deer and prairie chickens—I didn't shoot any, thank the Lord, for the principal reason that I didn't know how.

Nothing more clearly marks the narrow view of Omaha's future in those early times, than the erection of Dr. Lowe's home far away from what, with his knowledge and foresight, he thought would be the center of the town. It was in that fine home that Dr. Lowe, with the help of which introduced Robert H. Clarkson to the people of Omaha.

GEORGE L. MILLER.

Fireworks and the Fourth.

ASHLAND, Neb., June 20.—To the Editor of The Bee: In behalf of the Nebraska State Medical association, through its committee on public policy and legislation, the press of Nebraska is respectfully asked to give the following advice and warning in regard to the use of dangerous fireworks on Independence day, July 4, and comment thereon, editorially, as strongly as the importance of the subject demands and their judgment directs.

No space and words need be wasted to emphasize the folly in the use of highly explosive fireworks, and when they are permitted to be used by children such practice certainly becomes a crime, against which the strong force of the law should be wielded with emphasis.

Especially deplorable, besides the crippling of many children, are the deaths from lockjaw from injuries by toy pistols, giant crackers and other fireworks, because most of these deaths are owing, first, to the wanton practice of using deadly weapons, and, secondly, because those injured are not immediately attended to by a competent surgeon.

The people are especially warned that penetrating wounds, similar to those caused by a nail, if noticed by the dust of the street or the dirt of the barnyard, are very dangerous, because the dust and dirt of these places contain quite often the germs of lockjaw, and these germs, if worn in a wound from which the air is excluded, will rapidly multiply and cause the terrible disease, tetanus (lockjaw), and almost invariably death, precipitated by most horrible convulsions.

If, therefore, law and parental discipline cannot prevent the use of toy pistols, giant crackers and other deadly fireworks, then, upon injury, the child should be quickly brought to the family physician, and, during the great danger of punctured wounds in these cases, will unhesitatingly and thoroughly convert these wounds into open surfaces, to every part of which outside air may have access, the only means which will, with thorough antiseptics, prevent the growth of the lockjaw germ and hence save precious lives. Very respectfully yours

A. S. MANSFELDE, M. D., Chairman of Committee.

First Republican Convention.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., June 21.—To the Editor of The Bee: The most significant event next to signing the Declaration of Independence and the promulgation of American liberty in 1776, was holding the first national republican convention in Musical Fund hall in the historical city of Philadelphia, June 15, 1852, with the fruitful and beneficial results that followed, and was the most important in American history. That great body of American yeomanry from every hamlet, city and state north of Mason and Dixon's line, comprised many original abolitionists, free soldiers and newly converted whigs and democrats to the standard of the new-born republican party, that since has contributed so large a volume of unparalleled statesmanship, valor, patriotism and progress to benefit the American nation and people during the last half century.

In that memorable assembly were Horace Greeley, Wendell Phillips, Owen Lovejoy, Garrett Smith and scores of other notable characters, with national fame. Everyone seemed to be deeply imbued with the same patriotic desire and motive, namely, to prevent if possible the further extension of slavery into new territory. Kansas and Nebraska was then stated by the politicians of the south for slave states. To prevent a continuance of the control and domination of our people and government by the slave power of the south, to establish a

national law, or high tariff, for the benefit of American workmen and protection of American industries, that convention was also unalterably opposed to the law as construed by democratic jurists of compelling every American citizen to become a slave catcher.

These were some of the fundamental principles enunciated by that first national republican convention. My neighbor and the friend of my youth, Rev. Mr. Levi of the First Baptist church of West Philadelphia, opened the convention with a profound and solemn invocation, invoking the Providence of God, that all those present might be imbued with a spirit of patriotism, foresight and wisdom in these important deliberations. I was present at all the sessions, acting as proxy for William Lowe, who was the accredited delegate from our district. I observe from newspaper reports that over 200 original republicans, who attended that first convention in 1852, marched in the big parade and demonstration on Tuesday last, during the golden jubilee in Philadelphia, Ala., how few of this remnant of that wonderful foundation or platform they were erecting for the future. When the calling began on Tuesday last, during the golden jubilee in Philadelphia, Ala., how few of this remnant of that wonderful foundation or platform they were erecting for the future. When the calling began on Tuesday last, during the golden jubilee in Philadelphia, Ala., how few of this remnant of that wonderful foundation or platform they were erecting for the future.

It was very evident that the celebrated pathfinder, John C. Fremont, would be selected. Then William B. Dayton of New Jersey, was chosen for his running mate. However, when the election was over, James Buchanan, democrat of Pennsylvania, a striking southern sympathizer, was declared elected president. I believe that was the last presidential majority the Keystone state has given for a democrat. During his administration the slavery question became more fierce and exciting, the general property of the country became stagnant and inactive, hard times set in and a financial depression spread over the land. It was during that period of poverty and distress that President Buchanan's secretary of war, Mr. Floyd, and the southern statesmen and politicians were active in preparing for the great and ruinous rebellion that followed the election of Abraham Lincoln in 1860. The result of that dreadful conflict is American history that every school child should be familiar with, but what a happy thought and consolation now, after a period of more than forty years, since that cruel war was ended, to know that the whole American people, north and south, have become reconciled and all are enjoying, under a magnificent republican administration, the greatest amount of prosperity experienced since our government was formed.

DAVID ANDERSON.

Yes to All.

OMAHA, June 23.—To the Editor of The Bee: Will you kindly tell me through the columns of your letter box: 1. May colored newspaper pictures be taken from water-color paintings? 2. May the colored magazine pictures be taken from water-color paintings? 3. And is the regular water-color board paper that the picture to be copied must be done on? Thanking you in advance for reply, I am ever

A SUBSCRIBER.

Ans. Water-color pictures reproduce perfectly. Colored pictures in magazines are often made from water colors. Water-color board is all right.

Write to Washington.

OMAHA, June 23.—To the Editor of The Bee: To settle a dispute will you kindly answer through the columns of your valuable paper, tomorrow, the following question and oblige an old subscriber: "Name in order the three states which produce the largest crops of wool in the United States." Note—This does not mean the states raising the largest number of sheep. Yours truly, J. W. H., 271 B street.

Ans.—The information desired may be obtained by writing to the secretary of agriculture, Washington, D. C.

BLACKWOOD BOY SURRENDERS

After Spending a Night and a Day in Hiding He Returns to His Home.

After spending a night and day in hiding, 12-year-old Paul Blackwood, the lad who is accused of shooting Willie Gorman, aged 23, with a 22-caliber revolver Friday morning, appeared at the police station, tired, frightened and very repentant, Saturday evening, accompanied by his mother, sister and Emergency Officer Sandstrom. As there had been no complaint filed with the police against the little fellow, Captain Dunn told him to go home, but henceforth let revolvers alone.

The lad told Captain Dunn that when some boys told him he had shot and killed the Gorman boy, he became badly frightened and instead of going home hid all day until night, then crept into a vacant house on Thirty-third street, getting up Saturday morning and keeping out of sight until night again fell. By this time he had become homesick and hungry, and was anxious to go home. However, fearing a severe whipping, he dared not go near the house, but, relying on the loyalty of his sister, he managed to get her by telephone and told her he would come home if he would not be whipped. She, greatly worried over his absence, gladly promised him immunity, but without consulting the father, and when the boy did trudge home it was only to receive a good trouncing from the male parent.

It was the sound of this encounter that first brought the police into the results of the shooting of the Gorman lad. Neighbors hearing the noise, telephoned the police that a man was whipping the Blackwood boy and Officer Sandstrom was sent to the house at 1113 South Twenty-seventh street, Lewis Blackwood, the father, was greatly incensed at his son's action and declined to go with the boy to the station.

The boy said he bought the revolver from a dealer for \$25, intending to use it for celebrating the Fourth of July. He was the wounding of Willie Gorman, he said he was a block and a half away from him when he hit him. In fact, he said he did not know he had struck him until he heard some one call to and run toward him, when he turned and fled, throwing the weapon as he ran.

Willie Gorman was not seriously injured. The ball entered the hip and was located with X-rays by Dr. Hostetter. He is progressing favorably at his home, 850 South Twenty-third street.

DIAMONDS—Edholm, 18th and Harney.

Advertisement for Pillsbury's Best Breakfast Food-VITOS. It's Easy to Figure the economy of Pillsbury's Best Breakfast Food-VITOS. The quality question is easily disposed of when you know it's Pillsbury's. The blackboard diagram below tells the economy story. A two pound package of Pillsbury's Best Breakfast Cereal makes 12 pounds when served. A package of the ordinary cooked kinds usually contains 7/8 of a pound and costs ten cents—a pound would cost about 11 cents, 12 pounds \$1.82. \$1.82 minus 15 cents, the cost of 12 pounds of Pillsbury's Vitos, equals \$1.17. How much is this saving worth to you in a year? Pillsbury's Cereal Food never gets sticky or lumpy. Good in summer or winter.

Advertisement for 'Another Event Opening of the Snowshoe Reservation'. LOCATION—In Northwest Wyoming adjoining the Big Horn Basin southeast of Yellowstone Park Forest Reserve, and reached by the Burlington's new line to Worland, Wyo. DATES OF REGISTRATION—July 16th to 31st. PLACES FOR REGISTRATION—Worland and Thermopolis, Wyo.; Worland is directly reached by the Burlington; Thermopolis by a stage journey of 32 miles south of Worland. CHARACTER OF LANDS—Of the 1,150,000 acres of lands to be opened for settlement, about 400,000 acres are agricultural lands to be drawn for. Such lands can be finely irrigated, according to surveys already made. EXCURSION RATES—From all points on the Burlington west of the Missouri River the excursion rate to Worland is but one fare for the round trip, with a maximum of \$20.00 from Omaha, Lincoln and Nebraska territory. This unusually low rate gives everybody a chance to draw for these lands. DATES OF SALE—July 12th to 29th. Final limit August 15th. TRAIN SERVICE—Two daily through trains during the registration from the Southeast to Worland, Wyo. Go into this country over the Burlington through the Big Horn Basin along the Big Horn River, passing thousands of acres of irrigated lands under cultivation; you will get an object lesson in irrigation and its possibilities. Burlington agents will be supplied with rate circulars and special folders descriptive of the Agency, the method of drawing, etc.

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