

## CHURCH HOWE IN NEBRASKA

Arrives from Montreal, Where He Has  
Been Consul Six Weeks.

## PREDICTS GREAT FUTURE FOR CANADA

Dominion and Argentine Republic, in  
His Judgment, Offer Best Pros-  
pects to Young  
Men Just Now.Church Howe, consul general of the  
United States at Montreal, Canada, arrived  
in Omaha Wednesday morning, regis-  
tering at the Paxton.

"Like my new consularship at Montreal very much, though I have been there but six weeks, coming there from Antwerp, Belgium, where I was consul general. I like the Canadian people and they are cordial toward Americans, treating us as they do that our interests are largely identical. "Canada is in a highly prosperous condition, and the country is developing with great rapidity. The Canadian Pacific is extending its lines in all directions, particularly toward the northwest territory. My reception at Montreal was very cordial and in the brief stay I have had there I am more than pleased with the outlook for closer friendly relations between the two countries. A great many Americans are moving into the Canadian country and they are welcomed as a most valuable class of citizens. It is a country of the greatest possibilities. I think the two greatest countries in the world for the material advancement of young men are Canada and the Argentine Republic. In Canada everything is at the high tide of prosperity. The old Canadian towns and cities are becoming modernized with skyscrapers and the financial affairs of the country are better than ever before in the history of the Canadian provinces.

"I shall go to my home at Auburn Thursday morning. I expect to remain in the state for about two months. I am glad to be nearer home, as it affords an opportunity to visit old friends more often than when I was abroad. My health was never better and I feel twenty-five years younger than I did ten years ago."

Major Howe's appointment confirms the fact that time has dealt very gently with him for the last few years. In fact, he looks much younger than when he last visited Omaha two or three years ago.

## REPORT ON FEES EARNED

District Court Clerk Must Observe  
New Rule on Income of  
Office.

District Clerk Broadwell will be required hereafter to report all fees earned by his office, instead of confining the report to the fees collected, according to an opinion given the county commissioners by Deputy County Attorney Shotwell Wednesday afternoon. Heretofore the report of the district clerk has included only the fees actually collected. Recently the commissioners decided the officers are liable for fees earned whether collected or not and voted to begin suit against the officers for uncollected fees. Under the opinion the commissioners will demand a complete report of fees earned and Mr. Broadwell will be required to amend his last quarterly report.

## Good Cough Medicine for Children.

The season for coughs and colds is now at hand and too much cannot be said as to the value of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is the only remedy of many others, and few of them who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. P. Starcher of Ripley, W. Va., says: "I have never used anything other than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for my children, and it has always given good satisfaction." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a child as to an adult.

## Railway Notes and Personal.

L. W. Wakeley, general passenger agent of the Burlington, is in Wisconsin for a short trip.

L. M. Whithead, chief clerk in the passenger department of the Burlington, has gone on a vacation trip to Florida.

Wednesday was the date of sale of the one-way colonist rates to the Pacific coast and the Omaha depot were crowded. All western trains went out in two and three sections loaded to the guards, the Burlington afternoon train having three big sections. The station of the west has gone broadcast in the land and people are flocking to the western coast.

C. Clem Deaver, in charge of the home-seekers' information bureau for the Burlington, has specimens of red winter wheat raised by the Campbell system of dry farming at Yuma, Colo., which are pronounced by experts to be the best wheat ever raised in this west. This wheat was raised in the semi-arid belt on eighty acres which four years ago was bought for \$200 and the yield this year was thirty-six bushels to the acre. Indications now are that Mr. Deaver will have a party of fifty home-seekers to the northwest on the excursion which will be run next Tuesday.

## THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL

Few People Know How Useful it is in  
Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of the better it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking, or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually cleans and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels. It disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the reality of it is that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but, on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician, in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat. I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

Send your name and address today for a free trial package and see for yourself. P. A. Stuart Co., 25 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

## NOTES ON OMAHA SOCIETY

Miss Edna Keeline of Council Bluffs entertained at luncheon at the Omaha club Tuesday in honor of the Misses Bowen, Carey and Eckhart, the guests of Miss Marion Connell. The table was prettily decorated with yellow and white chrysanthemums and was laid for Miss Dorothy Eckhart of Chicago, Miss Carey of Indianapolis, Miss Bowen of Delphi, Ind.; Miss Edith of New York, Miss Julia Higginson, Miss Maud Klocke, Miss Patterson of Denison, Ia.; Miss Marion Connell, Miss Denney of Council Bluffs, Mrs. G. A. Keeline and Miss Keeline.

A high five party, carrying out the Halloween effect, was held Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Kerr, 3009 California street, the occasion being the fourth anniversary of their wedding. The house was prettily decorated with flowers, a profusion of chrysanthemums being used, while on each gas jet was a Jack o' lantern, giving a novel effect. A number of beautiful gifts were received by Mr. and Mrs. Kerr. The prizes at the party were won by Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Danforth. Among those present were Miss Hallie Patterson, Misses Ellen and Lucile Patterson, Mrs. O. W. Dunn, Mr. George Duncan, Dr. F. S. Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Danforth and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Ellis.

The members of the First Methodist Episcopal church, Twentieth and Davenport streets, will give a reception to their pastor, Rev. Frank L. Loveland, and his family, in the church parlors, Thursday evening, November 1. All the members and friends of the church are invited.

The O. C. C. Luncheon club will meet Friday at the home of Mrs. C. H. Walcott. The luncheon will be followed by cards.

Miss Laura Congdon will entertain informally at tea Thursday afternoon in honor of several young visiting women.

Mrs. W. O. Henry has issued invitations for a luncheon Friday, November 2.

The gymnasium committee of the Young Women's Christian association invites all the members of the association to a Halloween party Thursday evening at the rooms at 2 o'clock. It is to be a masquerade affair and prizes will be given for the most original costume, the most artistic and the homeliest. A very enjoyable affair is anticipated by all the young women.

Mr. Alfred Anderson entertained about twenty-five friends at an informal party Tuesday evening at his new home on Chicago street. Halloween games and music were the features of the evening, after which refreshments were served, the table being decorated with flowers and pumpkins.

Mrs. B. E. Bruce has returned from a visit to California, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Fish.

Miss Bertha Dickinson Hill has returned from a summer spent in Port Huron, Mich. Mrs. T. B. Baldwin has returned from a visit of two weeks in Hot Springs, Ark. Mrs. Jesse Payne Wier has returned to her home in Hope, Ark., after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. F. E. Hall.

Miss Jean Wakefield of Chicago is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. T. Matthews.

Mr. Hugh Robertson came up from the State university to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Robertson, on Georgia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hamilton have gone to Chicago to spend a week.

Mrs. William Elmore Martin has gone to New York to attend the wedding of Mrs. Clifford W. Smith and Mr. William Newcomb Carlson, which will take place Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chambers and Mrs. Charles Pollock of Columbus, Neb., are the guests at a house party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Needham, 205 Summit street.

Mrs. W. H. Wigan has returned from a two weeks' visit in Lincoln, where she was the guest of Mrs. George Mittner and Mrs. Charles Ashton.

Miss Henrietta Rees is spending a few days in Lincoln.

## PRICE OF CHICKENS FALLS

Impaired by Doubt of Eastern Buyers  
as to Interpretation of  
Pure Food Law.

By reason of doubt among large eastern buyers as to the probable interpretation of the pure food law as it relates to cold storage, the Nebraska chicken crop is worth one-third less to farmers than last fall, says David Cole, produce merchant. They fear the law will be read to mean that all poultry placed in cold storage must be drawn and consequently are not buying heavily. Local prices have been running lower than last fall and prices in the east have been correspondingly lower. At present there is a congestion on the eastern markets and the tendency is for a further decline.

"This agitation for drawn poultry is unjustly hurting the business," says David Cole. "Unjustly because as a matter of fact undrawn poultry keeps better in storage than the drawn, and any cold storage expert knows that. An undrawn fowl can be kept absolutely pure in cold storage, but when you break the skin the meat absorbs all impurities that may be in the air, even though the flesh is frozen."

Another local poultry dealer says the reason chickens are not bringing quite as good prices as last fall is that the cold storage men lost money last year in chickens as well as eggs, and for that reason are cautious about buying.

## HELD FOR BURNING OF CAR

Itinerant Painter Arrested Admits  
Being on Train with  
Four Others.

H. E. Frost, an itinerant painter of Waterloo, Ia., was arrested Wednesday morning on suspicion of having been implicated in the burning of a box car loaded with furniture at Emerson, Neb., Tuesday afternoon.

Frost said he and four other knights of the road got in the car at Sioux City, intending to ride to Omaha, but their ride was brought to a sudden termination at Emerson, when they made their escape from the burning car via the end door, which had been set on fire presumably by cigarettes which the men were smoking. The companions of Frost have not been captured as yet.

St. Paul, Minneapolis and Return \$10.25.

Via Chicago Great Western railway. Tickets sold November 1 and 2. All information at city ticket office, 1512 Farnam st.

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## Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder

there are combined the elements of safety and pleasure in kissing your wife or sweet heart—delicious after taste. Just ask her about it.

In handy metal cans or bottles, 25c.

Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder Co.

## OUR LETTER BOX.

## The Really Vital Question.

To the Editor of The Bee: The real issue before the voters of Douglas county at the coming election, so far as the legislative ticket is concerned, is the question, shall the railroad pay their share of the city taxes of Omaha and South Omaha? The Bee has pointed out, what is apparent to every observer, that the force of the combined railroads are masked behind the candidates of the democratic party, and the money of the railroads is to be spent freely in the interests of the democratic ticket. The reason for this is apparent. The republican state platform promises to make the railroads pay their share of municipal taxes throughout the state. The democratic platform is silent on that question and the managers of the democratic party have taken advantage of that fact to enlist the support of the railroads for their ticket.

Not in years has a question been presented that so vitally affects the interests of every taxpayer, big and little, in Omaha and South Omaha, and the other towns of the state, as the question the voters must decide next Tuesday. Shall the terminals of the railroad companies pay their share of the city and town taxes?

Today, while the small home owner pays \$7.00 to \$10.00 per year on his \$1,000 home the railroads pay but a few cents per year on \$1,000 worth of terminal property. If the taxpayers of Omaha and South Omaha send down to the legislature the twelve republican standing on the republican platform all this will be changed, and the small taxpayer as well as the large jobber and real estate owner will save one dollar in every five dollars he now pays into the city treasury.

The efforts of The Bee to bring this fact home to every voter deserves the thanks of the people, but it is pertinent to inquire why it is not receiving the aid and cooperation of those most vitally interested. What is the Real Estate exchange doing? Where are the men who have worked for equal taxation for the last five years? Now that the taxing of terminals, for which they have fought, is about to be realized, are these people going to lay down and let the opportunity slip from their grasp? One thing is certain, this reform can only be accomplished by the election of the republican delegation from Douglas county to the legislature. A democratic victory sounds the death knell of taxation for city purposes of railroad terminals, not only for this year but for years to come. If the Real Estate exchange and the organizations that have co-operated with them in the past are in earnest now is the time to act.

Let them rest assured the railroads are not asleep.

FRANK H. WOODLAND.

Secretary Republican County Central Committee.

## Heard Smokes Out Bryan.

OMAHA, Oct. 29.—To the Editor of The Bee: The Bee reports Mr. Bryan as having said in Chicago yesterday that government ownership of railroads was the democratic issue in 1908. I take this to be an open challenge to the democracy of the county north and south to meet that question in the national convention of that year.

Since the Madison Square speech Mr. Bryan has been very busy with the extensions and apologies about that speech, in which he has publicly said many times that his views of government ownership of railroads were merely his personal views, and that he had no desire or intention of pressing them as an issue on the democratic party in 1908. He now drops the mask behind which he has been masquerading for months and takes a high jump to the front for a measure of centralization of power in the federal government and for state socialism and paternalism, which, if ever achieved, will mark the end of free government in the United States.

The plain truth about it is that Mr. Bryan has been scared out of his boots by his Satanist Majesty, Mr. William H. Hearst, who is now his rival for the presidential nomination in 1908. The New York Home-made political desperado and outcast has been stealing his thunder as the original apostle, next to Eugene V. Debs, of revolutionary discontent in the richest and most prosperous country on the planet. He has smoked Mr. Bryan out of his hole, which was so large that he could not pull it in after him, and the editors of hotspur between these old twins in the work of destroying the democratic party will soon permeate the air. In other words, it is too evident for discussion that our own very uncommon "commoner," whom Mayor Danaher and Candidate Hitchcock think "the greatest man in the world," has collapsed a big due under the internal pressure of his burning ambition to be president of the United States.

Mr. Bryan, who has led his party to continued defeat and disaster, is like John Brown, still marching on to other glorious conquests, which will include, on the 6th of next November, the following triumph:

First—The election of a republican house of representatives, which would have been democratic beyond a reasonable doubt if he had continued his \$60,000 tour abroad until after the election, or if he had kept his eloquent mouth shut after he got home.

Second—The election of Sheldon and all but one on the republican state ticket, and a republican legislature.

Third—The election of Mr. Kennedy as his own successor in congress, and a full republican delegation from this state in that body.

GEORGE L. MILLER.

P. S.—By the way, if Mr. Bryan has as much influence in advocating the election of His Satanist Majesty, Jr., in New York in inducing Bryan to vote against him in that state as he has in supporting Judge Parker for president in 1904 in persuading them to vote against him in this and other states, His Satanist Majesty, Jr., will be beaten by not less than \$50,000 majority by Mr. Hughes.

G. L. M.

## Know General Forsythe.

AURORA, Neb., Oct. 29.—To the Editor of The Bee: In the Bee of the 28th inst. I noticed a short reference to the military career of Major General J. W. Forsythe, and as I had a personal acquaintance with him perhaps some additional items will be of interest.

About 1881 I first became acquainted with General Forsythe, who was then employed as bookkeeper by Messrs. Conley, Farwell & Co. of Chicago, with whom I had dealings. He resigned that position in 1881 to take position on the staff of General Mc-

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## Sale Extraordinary—Featuring Women's Suits

This sale carries out the most extraordinary undertaking ever entered into between manufacturers and any Omaha retailer. Our arrangement for this sale practically turned over to us the entire surplus products of several of the largest Women's Ready-to-Wear Suit Makers in this country at 60c on the dollar. You will find three times the number of suits in this collection and at prices that are one-third less than the very same garments in any other store in this city would cost you.

The suits embraced in this vast collection represent the very choicest garments of America's most expert man tailors. This sale affords extraordinary money-saving inducements for the woman who has not as yet selected her fall and winter suit. Greater value-giving in women's fine Tailor-made Suits has never been offered to the women of Omaha.



## Three Peerless Suit Values for Women, on Sale Thursday and Friday, Nov. 1 and 2:

Women's \$15 and \$16.50 Tailor-Made Suits, Friday and Saturday, \$10

WOMEN'S Suits, in chevrons, mixtures and plaids, blouse, coat and Norfolk styles, made to retail at \$15.00 and \$16.00—On Sale Thursday and Friday at.....\$10

Women's \$22.50 and \$25 Tailor-Made Suits, Friday and Saturday, \$15

WOMEN'S Stylish Tailor Made Suits, in fine materials, all new, up-to-date, made to retail at \$22.50 and \$25.00—On Sale Thursday and Friday at.....\$15

Women's \$35 and \$40 Tailor-Made Suits, Friday and Saturday, \$25

WOMEN'S High Class Suits, of this season's choicest materials, in the most effective models, made to retail at \$35.00 and \$40.00—On Sale Thursday and Friday at.....\$25

Sale  
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Nebraska Clothing Co.  
FARNAM & 15TH.

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## Cicilian and was succeeded by Levi Z.

Subsequent to McClellan's campaign in the Shenandoah valley Mr. Forsythe was detailed on recruiting service for General J. F. Farnsworth's Eighth Illinois cavalry regiment. Afterward he was on the staff of General Sheridan.

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Coal Exchange in Magic City Indicted by  
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## BILL SAME AS AGAINST OMAHA TRUST

Combine Still Able to Raise Prices,  
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The indictment is said to include a score or more prominent South Omahans.

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WILBUR F. BRYANT.

## The Pioneer Anti-Pass Man.

LINCOLN, Oct. 29.—To the Editor of The Bee: In the midst of grave questions raised by the campaign controversy as to which candidate was the last to return his pass, it may be of current as well as historic interest to locate the first man in Nebraska who returned his pass.

In the vast mass of important papers and correspondence left by Governor Furnas to the State Historical society, I find the following letter, which may be of interest upon that question:

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS & OMAHA RAILWAY CO., OFFICE OF GENERAL SOLICITOR.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 29, 1888.—Robert W. Furnas, Esq., Secretary, Etc., Lincoln, Neb.—Dear Sir: I return you herewith a pass sent me by you with thanks. It is my opinion that every person who attends the Nebraska State Fair should pay his way in and so contribute to its support. Truly, yours, JOHN E. HOWE.

Respectfully submitted by A. E. Sheldon.

## Announcements of the Theaters.

At the Orpheum matinee today the bill includes a number of features calculated to appeal strongly to the women. Mary Norman, whose types of American girls are familiar to theatergoers, is presenting a new monologue called "Masks and Faces," in which she impersonates actresses, and is scoring even better than ever. The distinguished actress, Rose Coghlan, assisted by Edward Emery, a noted English player, is presenting a one-act play entitled "Ace of Trumps" with much success.

The comedy success, "The Arrival of Kitty," is the offering at the Krug theater for the remainder of the week, commencing tonight. The comedy has been rewritten and new interpolations have been added that make "The Arrival of Kitty" more popular than ever and possesses the attributes that go to make an evening's entertainment pleasing.

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