BEGIN ON NEW EXPOSITION

First Spadeful of Earth for Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Turned at Seattle.

JOHN BARRETT REPRESENTS GOVERNMENT

Ceremonies Consist of Big Military Parade and Exercises on Grounds —Plan Two Years of Strenuous Preparation.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 1.—With impressive ceremonies ground was broken today for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, which will be held here in 1909, opening just two years from date. The day was a holiday. Seattle presented a gala appearance and amid the blare of trumpets, the marching of a military pageant, inspiring speeches and banqueting, the inauguration of active work on the Pacific World's fair was celebrated.

Many prominent men, mayors, legislators, governors and state officials, attended the ceremonies and visitors from nearby cities were present. The Hon. John Barrett, director of the International Bureau of American Republics, as the personal representative of President Roosevelt, was the principal speaker of the day and the guest of honor.

President John Edward Chilberg of the exposition, after appropriate remarks, turned the first spadeful of earth, while the band played "The Star Spangled Banner" and the thousands in attendance cheered. The other addresses were delivered by Governor Albert F. Mead of Washington and Mayor Moore of Seattle.

Hold Big Military Parade.

The ceremonies started with a big military parade at noon. It passed through the principal downtown streets and ended at the railroad station, where a special train was taken for the exposition grounds.

It is thought by the management that two years of strenuous work on the $10,000,000 world's fair will find it completed in every detail by June 1, 1909, the opening day. The purpose for which the exposition is held is considered to be worthy of the expenditure of so large a sum. Briefly, its primary object is the exploitation of the resources and potentialities of the Alaska and Yukon territories, in the United States and Canada, and to make known and foster the vast importance of trade on the Pacific ocean and with the countries bordering on it.

The exposition site, which embraces the unused portion of the campus of the University of Washington, is 250 acres in extent and borders for more than a mile and a half on Lakes Union and Washington. The Olympic and Cascade mountains are in sight and unobstructed view will be had of the peaks of Mount Maker and Mount Ranier. Now that ground has been broken, work will start immediately on the landscaping and laying out of roads, plazas and circles. The administration building will be erected at once in order that the management may have headquarters on the grounds. The exposition plans call for about twelve large exhibit places, arranged in a unique manner.

Address of Mr. Barrett.

In his address Mr. Barrett said in part:

"The president of the United States sends sincere greetings to Seattle and the great northwest on the occasion of ground breaking for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. He wishes you success in your undertaking and expresses regret that the pressure of public business prevents the acceptance of your invitation that he or some member of his cabinet should be present. I am moved to express the hope that under the Pacific division of your exposition you may see fit to invite the participation of those Latin-American states that border on the Pacific ocean and whose growing ports can be easily and directly reached by vessels sailing from Puget sound, the Columbia river and San Francisco harbor.

"If we do not study, exploit and master the foreign commerce of the advancing, ambitious nations of Latin America, Europe certainly will, and the Panama canal will become a waterway for the European and Asiatic merchant fleets rather for our own."

KELLER STILL IN HIDING

Chief Donahue Vexed at Reno Police for Letting Him Get Away.

No definite information has yet been received by the Omaha police regarding the whereabouts of Captain Keller, the former army officer, who is accused of having swindled a number of Omaha people out of varying sums. Chief Donahue said Saturday the coast towns are on the alert and the alarm is well spread through the west and he is inclined to the belief that Keller is lying low in some obscure place in one of the mountain states. Chief Donahue is also vexed with the Reno (Nev.) police for their failure to arrest Keller, as they had his telegram with description before he arrived there, and even then they allowed him to stay in the city several days, work a number of citizens for about $7,500, and then get out of the city.

That our American forests abound in plants which possess the most valuable medicinal virtues is abundantly attested by scores of the most eminent medical writers and teachers. Even the untutored Indians had discovered the usefulness of many native plants before the advent of the white race. This information, imparted freely to the whites, led the latter to continue investigations until to-day we have a rich assortment of most valuable American medicinal roots.

Dr. Pierce believes that our American forests abound in most valuable medicinal roots for the cure of most obstinate and fatal diseases, if we would properly investigate them; and in confirmation of this conviction, he points with pride to the almost marvelous cures effected by his "Golden Medical Discovery," which has proven itself to be the most efficient stomach tonic liver invigorator, heart tonic and regulator, and blood cleanser known to medical science. Dyspepsia, or indigestion, torpid liver, functional and even valvular and other affections of the heart yield to its curative action. The reason why it cures these and many other affections, is clearly shown in a little book of extracts from the standard medical works which is mailed *free* to any address by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., to all sending request for the same.

Not less marvelous, in the unparalleled cures it is constantly making of woman's many peculiar affections, weaknesses and distressing derangements, is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, as is amply attested by thousands of unsolicited testimonials contributed by careful patients who have been cured by it of catarrhal pelvic drains, painful periods, irregularities, prolapsus and other displacements, caused by weakness, ulceration of uterus and kindred affections, often after many other advertised medicines and physicians had failed.

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HEALTH NOTES FOR JUNE.

Spring Catarrh is a well defined Spring disease. The usual symptoms are given above. A bottle of Pe-ru-na taken in time will promptly arrest the course of the disease known as Spring Catarrh.

CROWNING OF QUEEN OF MAY

Large Crowd at Streets of Paris to Witness the Interesting Ceremony.

The crowning of the Queen of the May was the feature of the Streets of Paris at the Auditorium Friday night, and the event was witnessed by about 3,000 people. At 8:30 o'clock the main floor was cleared of spectators and a procession formed to escort Miss Anna Weitzel, the Queen of May-elect to her throne. The throne was erected on the stage just beneath the May pole, and was beautifully decorated with flowers. The procession formed in the back of the Auditorium, and headed by a battalion of the High School cadets, followed by the queen, the two princesses and the children who took part in the May-pole dance, marched to the music of the orchestra the length of the great Auditorium to the stage, where, with Fred A. Nash officiating, the queen was escorted to the throne and crowned.

Before the march to the throne was begun the queen was presented with a diamond ring as the first prize in the contest, and the princesses, Miss Kate Kochem, the winner of the second prize, was presented with a beautiful pearl necklace, and Miss Rosaline Hall, who was awarded third prize, received a gold bracelet set with diamonds. After the crowning ceremony came the May-pole dance. Swinging, colored ribbons, which were attached to the top of the May pole, nine little girls becomingly costumed danced gracefully around the throne upon either side of which stood the princesses. This was perhaps the best feature of the evening and was enthusiastically applauded by the throng of spectators.

After the May-pole dance three little girls, Addie Fogg, Gretchen Langdon and Edna Bilz did some artistic Spanish and French dancing. Addie Fogg's tambourine dance made a decided hit.

The Queen of May wore a pearl gray brocaded silk with spangled net, a court train of gray velvet heavily embroidered with gold, with wide borders of ermine, borne by two little girls. Upon her head she wore a wreath of white flowers and carried a large boquet of La France roses.

Princess No. 1, Miss Kate Kochem, wore a pink crepe gown and pink gloves and slippers.

Princess No. 2, Miss Rosaline Hall, wore pink silk mull with white lace, and long pink gloves and pink slippers. Both princesses carried American Beauty roses and wore pink wreathes in their hair.

Tonight will be the last night of the Streets of Paris and in point of attendance it is expected to eclipse all previous records.

CLOSE OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children of Temple Israel to Entertain with Varied Program.

The closing exercises of the Sunday school at Temple Israel will be held Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, a varied program having been prepared for the members of the school. The program follows:

Recitation—A Little Bird.....Irving Klein
Piano Solo.....Sidney Meyer
Recitation—Bessie's Treasures..Minnie Wolf
Recitation—Mother and Child.....
.....Frances Kopald
Violin Solo.....Fred Ripans
Recitation.....Blanche Frank
Recitation.....Herbert Mayer
Recitation.....Ruth Harris
Piano Solo.....Chester Heyn
Recitation.....Rosalind Kohn
Recitation.....Lottie Horn
Recitation—Beautiful Grandma.....
.....Louise Schoenberger
Vocal Solo.....Lillian Meyer
Recitation—Order for a Picture.....
.....Marion Davis
Violin.....Maurice Frank
Recitation.....Ruth Meyer
Piano Solo.....Freida Bellman
Recitation—The Nervous Girl..Leola Harris
Piano Solo.....Fannie Hart
Recitation.....Mable Straus
Violin Solo.....Verna Kirschbraun
Recitation.....Mayer Kohn

ADLER LEASES BUILDING

Takes Five-Year Lease on Three-Story Building at 1119 Farnam.

Sam A. Adler has just closed a five-year lease for the three-story building at 1119 Farnam, next door to his present location.

After thoroughly remodeling the building, putting in a new modern window and connecting with his present store he will put in a complete line of women's and children's furnishings, furniture and carpets.

If you have anything to trade advertise it in the For Exchange columns of The Bee Want Ad page.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Fire and Police Board Forfeits Saloon License of Bernard Krebs.

CHARGED WITH SELLING ON SUNDAY

High School Students Present "She Stoops to Conquer" to a Large Audience in Auditorium of High School.

The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners revoked the first license under the policy pursued by the new board, last night. This was the license of Bernard Krebs, who runs a saloon on Railroad avenue and Madison street. He has ordinarily borne a good reputation with the police. The evidence produced was conclusive in the minds of the board members that the law had been infringed. The evidence was chiefly that of Detective P. H. Shields, who made the arrest in the case. He said he had watched men going in and coming out of the place for two hours before he forced an entrance. When he entered he found men drinking beer and one of these rushed out the side door, carrying some liquor with him. The officer captured some of the liquor and preserved it. All of the members of the family strenuously denied that any beer was either sold or given away in the place. The brother of Bernard Krebs and his father and mother testified that they live in the rooms attached to the rear of the saloon and that several people came to the door to buy eggs of Mrs. Krebs, Mrs. Krebs, sr., declared that her husband was sick and that he was drinking some beer with the hope of being benefited. Bernard Krebs himself testified that he was at home in his own home fully half a block away and knew nothing of the things which went on in the rooms.

The evidence of the defense did not satisfy the board and they passed a resolution revoking the license. This means a severe loss to Krebs, having sold liquor under the new license only two weeks. The arrest was made Sunday, May 19, and since that time the saloon has been closed. There is some talk of an appeal to the district court, but this is almost impossible, for the reason that the evidence in the case was not preserved. There is nothing to present to the court by way of evidence to be reviewed. The board members all expressed regrets that the penalty was so severe, but they insisted that the saloon men had all had due notice of the requirements and could find no just ground for complaint. The board further hoped that this one lesson would be sufficient to convince the saloon men of the fact that there must be no further infringement of the orders of the board and the statutes of the state.

Permission was asked for the privilege of selling liquor in a dance hall during one dance, but this was denied by the board, members explaining that if the parties conducting the sale should have enemies they might possibly file complaints, which would force the board to take action to the injury of the parties, however fair their intentions were.

This constituted all the business before the board and an adjournment was taken.

High School Drama.

Standing room was at a premium last evening at the high school auditorium, and the large crowd listened with ready sympathy to the efforts of the favorite young students who presented Goldsmith's humorous drama, "She Stoops to Conquer." The following was the cast of characters:

Squire Hardcastle.....Guy C. Kiddoo
Mrs. Hardcastle.....Anna M. Lane
Tony Lumpkin, her son..Horace W. Sisson
Kate Hardcastle, her daughter.....
.....Ann Rowley
Constance Neville, Kate's cousin.....
.....Marion M. Dennis
Tony's Companions:
Mat Muggins.....R. W. Van Sant
Aminadab.....Will J. Krug
Jack Slang.....Glen R. Munger
Tom Twist.....C. R. Way
Stingo, landlord of "The Three Pigeons"
.....Louis T. Gramlich
Charles Marlow, Miss Hardcastle's suitor.....Harry de Young
George Hastings, Miss Neville's lover..
.....Earl R. Clark
Mr. Hardcastle's Servants:
Diggory.....Morris S. Cohn
Roger.....Harold A. VanDusen
Dick.....Howard Graham
Thom.....F. Arthur Renstrom
Jeremy, Marlow's servant..Glen R. Munger
Miss Hardcastle's maid....Lottie D. Wright
Sir Charles Marlow.....Julius Steinberg

Great care was taken in the staging and costuming of the play and this heightened the charm of the performance. Real talent was exhibited by more than one of the young actors and actresses. Among them, Guy C. Kiddoo acted the part of a crusty squire, who is taken by surprise in his own house and treated to the courtesies usually accorded to an innkeeper, in a manner which at times excited roars of laughter from the audience. Harry De Young as Charles Marlow, the hero, who is caught in seriously ridiculous circumstances, exhibited striking contrasts in his boldness to the supposed landlord and in fact the father of his lady love, and his excessive timidity in the presence of the young woman, who does her very best to help him to the inevitable proposal. Her whimsical play with his embarrassment reached, perhaps, its climax in the first scene of the second act, when she jauntily accepted his offer to escort her and hung her scarf on his arm, with which he parades away thinking it is her hand, being too bashful to once look in her direction. Miss Ann Rowley played the part of Miss Kate Hardcastle with such ease as to suggest the professional performances.

The work of preparation and rehearsal has kept the young people engaged for many weeks and they are heartily glad that the crucial night is passed.

Sunday Services.

The theme of Rev. Mr. Liver's sermon Sunday morning will be "Stirring Into Flame God's Gift Within You." There will be an evening service.

Sunday morning at the First Methodist church the Women's Foreign Missionary society will have charge of the services. Miss Carrie Foster of India will speak. The Epworth league will hold the usual evening service. The evening service is suspended and the congregation will attend the baccalaureate sermon at the high school auditorium.

"Does the World Need the Church?" will be the theme of Rev. George Van Winkle's morning sermon. The young people will meet at 7 p. m., but there will be no evening service.

Prof. Thomas K. Hunter, D. D., will speak Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian church on the subject, "A Great Opportunity." He will present the interests of Bellevue college. In the evening he will present an evangelistic theme.

Rev. Andrew Renwick will speak on "Lessons From the Denver Assembly." There is to be no evening service.

Magic City Gossip.

For Rent—6-room house. 719 N. 22d, South Omaha.

John Fennell has returned from a two weeks' vacation to Philip, S. D.

F. R. Ferguson of Alexis, Ill., was the guest of Rev. Andrew Renwick Thursday.

Miss Margaret Broderick has gone to Peru to attend the summer normal school.

Miss Fannie Slabaugh returned Wednesday evening from a year spent at Kearney.

E. Doolin arrived last night from Chicago to take charge of the body of his brother James.

Rev. Mr. Renwick has just returned from attending the general assembly of his church at Denver.

There were forty-three births reported during the month and thirty-six deaths. This is an unusually high death rate.

Miss Hattie Roberts has returned from Kearney where she has been attending the State Normal during the last year.

The regular dance at the South Omaha Country club was postponed last night on account of the extreme coolness of the weather.

J. E. Kissner, a would-be cowboy, claiming to have been robbed of $50 in Omaha, was fined yesterday in South Omaha for being drunk.

A case of smallpox was discovered at the residence of William Dayhuff, 836 North Twenty-sixth street, yesterday. The house was quarantined.

Wanted—Experienced marker and sorter. Hinchey Laundry, 409 North Twenty-fourth, South Omaha.

Rev. Fritz Zell will have charge of the Sunday services at the Young Men's Christian association. The Nelson Brothers' quartet of Omaha will render the special music.

The coroner held an inquest over the body of James Doolin yesterday afternoon. The jury found that he came to his death Wednesday morning by drinking carbolic acid, he alone being responsible for the act.

The King's Daughters held a very enjoyable meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Garrett. A social has been arranged that flowers for the South Omaha hospital may be provided.

Myles and John Macarthy were fined $5 and costs yesterday for disturbing the peace and incidentally beating the face of one of the Whetstone family, between which families and their own a feud is said to exist.

The following births were reported yesterday: James Jarman, 223 North Twenty-eighth, boy; Joseph Mucha, Eighteenth and U streets, girl; John Lange, Forty-second and U, boy; Earnest Koenig, 715 North Twenty-third, boy; John Kisiski, 2041 X street, girl.

Police Judge King yesterday imposed a fine of $10 and costs on Joseph Walker, who was arrested on the complaint of Dr. C. M. Schindel for assault and battery committed Tuesday morning, May 21. There was no denial on the part of the defense, but they attempted to show that the attack was justifiable. As soon as the verdict was pronounced a warrant was served on the doctor for provoking an assault by the uses of insulting language. This case was set for Wednesday of next week.

OMAHA MAN AT JAMESTOWN

R. C. Strehlow Interested in Construction of Several Exposition Buildings.

R. C. Strehlow, a prominent Omaha contractor and builder, has just returned from the Jamestown exposition, where he built nearly two-thirds of the buildings on the exposition grounds, including the large group of government buildings. The work done by Mr. Strehlow represented contracts aggregating over $900,000 and nearly all of the important buildings were built under his direction.

Mr. Strehlow built the group of four large buildings for the government exhibit; the pure food building; the mines and medical building; the states' exhibit building, which is one of the largest at the exposition; the Virginia building; the marine appliances building; the bazar building; the palace of commerce; the building for the dirigible balloon exhibit; the New Jersey state building and all the entrances to the exposition grounds on Hampton roads.

Mr. Strehlow first began his career in the construction of exposition buildings at the Transmississippi exposition held in Omaha in 1898.

"This talk about the Jamestown exposition not being completed is hurting the exposition immeasureably and is not in accordance with the facts. Nearly all the exposition building are completed, notwithstanding the statements recently published, and all the streets on the grounds are paved with the exception of one," said Mr. Strehlow.

"It is true that the exhibits are not all installed, but the government exhibits are an exposition in themselves and were ready several days before the opening of the exposition. The large pier will not be completed before next August, but the show will be in full blast within thirty days and it is going to be a very pretty and instructive exposition."

Mr. Strehlow went to Jamestown last August and intends to return next week to close up his business with the exposition management.

MORE WESTERN ENTERPRISE

An Insurance Company to Cover All Kinds of Insurance Being Organized Here.

Edwin T. Swobe, agency director of the New York Life Insurance company, for the last few years, has resigned his position and is promoting a Nebraska company to write the minor lines of insurance, such as personal accident, health, liability, fidelity, surety bonds, plate glass, steam boiler, burglar, automatic sprinkler, etc. There is said to be an excellent opportunity for a western company of this nature, as there is no stock company writing this class of business located west of Chicago.

The premium collections of the minor lines of insurance in the state of Nebraska last year exceeded $400,000 all of which went to foreign corporations.

Among others who have subscribed for stock in the proposed company are:

H. H. Baldrige, H. C. Bostwick, John S. Brady, T. C. Byrne, E. A. Cudahy, John M. Daugherty, W. M. Glass, Charles W. Hull, J. H. Hamilton, R. C. Howe, W. J. Hynes, F. P. Kirkendall, E. V. Lewis, Thomas B. McPherson, Frederick A. Nash, H. D. Neely, W. A. Paxton, Charles Pickens, Charles L. Saunders, John Steel, Nelson P. Updike, Charles M. Wilhelm, Walter T. Page, George N. Roberts, C. E. Spens, George W. Platner, Stewart White, N. A. Spiesberger and E. A. Benson.

An enterprise has seldom been promoted in Omaha in which there has been interested a stronger body of representative business men.

BUSINESS DETAINS SHELDON

Governor Too Busy to Keep Appointment with Masonic Goat.

The second evening of the ceremonial session of Omaha council No. 1, Royal and Select Masters was held Friday in Masonic temple and was largely attended. It was marked by the conferring of the superexcellent masters' degree on twenty-five candidates and by a banquet. Governor Sheldon was to be one of the candidates for the superexcellent masters' degree, but important business kept him in Lincoln and he was unable to be present.

Nearly 150 Masons sat down to the banquet which followed the conferring of degrees. J. W. Maynard was toastmaster and the speakers included Judge Gustave Anderson, Judge Howard Kennedy, William E. Bourke, A. J. Senter and F. E. White.

The annual session of the grand lodge of Free Masons will convene at the Masonic temple in Omaha next Tuesday beginning at 10 a. m. It is expected more than 400 Masons from all over the state will be in attendance.

WILLIAM H. TAFT CLUB FORMED

New Republican Organization is Launched by Omaha Member of Party.

A Nebraska William H. Taft club has been formed by a number of young Omaha admirers of the gentleman whose name has been adopted by the organization. It is avowedly for the purpose of furthering the interests of the presidential boom of Mr. Taft. Membership costs nothing, as no initiation fee or dues are collected, but any money may be donated to the club. A. V. Shotwell is president, C. N. McKilfresh is vice president, C. E. Smoyer is secretary and Edward N. Slater is treasurer of the club. It is proposed to make it state wide, and to have an executive committee of five members each from the congressional districts of the state. Fifty members have already been enrolled.

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BRIEF CITY NEWS.

One of the Objects of the City Savings Bank is to provide a place for those who wish to save their money—a place where they can profitably employ their funds without danger of loss.

'Phones for City Lawyers—A house telephone system is being installed in the rooms of the legal department in the city hall. Other offices have them in use and some others will be equipped later.

Frank Suchy Not Dead—The published report of the death of Frank Suchy, janitor at the Castellar school, has proven incorrect. Mr. Suchy is ill with cancer of the stomach, but was reported better Saturday. He lives at 2326 South Nineteenth street.

Rentfrow Sells His House—Sergeant Louis Rentfrow, who retired from the police force Saturday to assume the management of the Windsor hotel, has sold his lot and frame house near the northwest corner of Twentieth and Grace streets to Isador Friedman for $3,700.

Looking for Dog That Bit Boy—Anton Krejcik was in the office of City Prosecutor Daniel Saturday in search of a warrant for the owner of a dog which had bitten his little boy. He said the dog was vicious and he wants the owner punished and the dog killed.

Twenty Years' Subscription—"I want to make sure of being supplied with the best agriculture journal for the rest of my life," wrote J. M. Neal of Oakland, Cal., to The Twentieth Century Farmer, published in Omaha. He enclosed the cash to pay twenty years in advance.

Redicks Transfer the Land—Deeds have been recorded transferring the title to the tract of land near Twenty-fourth and Boyd streets used by E. H. Howland & Co. for a lumber yard from W. O. and O. C. Redick, executors of the estate of John I. Redick. The property was bought last fall by the lumber company for $6,375.

Divorces Still in Vogue—Maud Samuelson has secured a divorce from Edwin J. Samuelson in Judge Kennedy's court. She charged him with extreme cruelty and abandonment. Anna B. Mueller was given a divorce from Alfred O. Mueller on the grounds of nonsupport and was allowed $20 a month for the support of the children.

Big Ranch is Sold—Carlos A. Rawls of Plattsmouth has sold his large ranch in Garfield and Loup counties through the D. V. Sholes company for $25,000 to Frank J. Davis of Weeping Water. The ranch contains about 2,700 acres of fine grazing and farm land, which was sold with the improvements thereon and about 200 head of cattle and horses.

Employe Gets Judgment—Albert Heilwig secured a verdict for $291.16 and interest against George N. Aulabaugh in Judge Sears' court Saturday morning. Heilwig claimed to have been employed for a year as a furrier by Aulabaugh. Before the expiration of the time he says he was discharged without cause. The jury allowed him the full amount claimed.

Fifty Dollars for Systo—Antone Systo of South Omaha, who appealed to the district court from a judgment of the South Omaha police court fining him $50 and costs for assault and battery growing out of a fight at a dance, was fined $50 by Judge Troup Saturday morning. Judge Troup said he would make the fine the same as it was fixed in the lower court, and in addition to it Systo will have heavy court costs to pay.

Mrs. Kitchen Gets No Allowance—County Judge Leslie has denied the application of Mrs. Josephine G. Kitchen for an allowance of $400 a month pending the administration of the estate of her late husband, James B. Kitchen. Judge Leslie held where there is a will and the wife accepts its provisions she is not entitled to an allowance. When the will was first filed it was reported Mrs. Kitchen would fight it, but later she accepted it.

Want Grade Re-Established—Property owners on Lake street between Thirtieth and Thirty-third are preparing petitions to the city council seeking the re-establishment of the grade of the street in question. This street has been impassable for many years on account of a high bluff occupying the center of the street, and it is desired that the bluff be cut down about sixty feet at the highest point, affording an easy grade and enabling the use of the street by loaded wagons.

Cottages Sold by Kansas Cityan—Three seven-room cottages and a large lot at Sixteenth and Burdette streets have been sold by the Payne Investment company for John D. Seitz of Kansas City to John W. Young for $11,000. The property was bought as an investment. Another sale reported by the Payne Investment company is that of the nine-room house and large lot at 2510 Pierce street for T. E. Green of Pennsylvania to G. M. Nattinger for the reported price of $3,600.

Public Charities Meeting—A number of Omaha people interested in public charities and corrections will go to Minneapolis to attend the sessions of the twenty-fourth annual meeting of the national conference. The sessions will be held from June 12 to 19. Among those who will go from Omaha are Mrs. Draper Smith, S. P. Morris, E. D. Pepson, attendance officer of the Board of Education; Mrs. Harriet H. Heller, Dr. F. M. Sisson, E. P. Quivey and Mrs. E. M. Adams of the Visiting Nurses.

Eighteen Months in Pen—John Y. Farrell, who pleaded guilty Friday to breaking into a boxcar and stealing a bicycle was sentenced to eighteen months in the penitentiary by Judge Troup Saturday morning. Farrell was arrested twice for the crime. The first time he was turned over to the government authorities as a deserter, but it was found on examination he was not the man wanted. He was turned loose and later arrested the second time by the county authorities.

River is Behaving Itself—The river remained at practically a stationary stage during Friday and Friday night and at 7 a. m. Saturday was at the same stage 17.6 feet. Since that hour it has been falling slightly. Very perceptible falls in the stage of the river are reported from Sioux City and Blair bridge and the fall is likely to continue for the remainder of Saturday, unless some extraordinary and unforeseen conditions should ensue in the upper valley. But these are not expected.

Street Paving Under Way—Under urgent instructions from the city engineer the Commercial Land company has begun work on curbing and guttering on Charles street between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-ninth streets. This work has been delayed for some reason until residents of the neighborhood appealed to the council to request contractors to start work or remove material. Work will be started Monday on Howard street by the asphalt repair force and it will be rushed to early completion.

Long List of Cruelties—Mary Finstrom charges a long list of cruties against Victor Finstrom in her petition for divorce filed Saturday afternoon in district court. February 28, she says, he grabbed her by the wrists and twisted them so hard they were swollen and sore for several days. She also accuses him of making threats against her and using profane language. She says he deserted her in April and has not supported her since. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name, Mary Thompson.

Resolutions of Respect—A meeting of the custodian force of the postoffice building was held Friday to take formal action in reference to the death of Chief Engineer and Assistant Custodian Charles Baxter. The meeting was addressed by J. H. Shugart of the watchman force of the building, which was an eulogy upon the life and character of Mr. Baxter. Following the address resolutions of condolence and respect were unanimously adopted and a copy of the same ordered sent to the family of the late Mr. Baxter.

Several Homes Projected—Jacob E. Houtz has bought the lot owned by Charles Tuner on the east side of Thirty-second street, between Farnam and Dodge streets, for $3,500 cash through George & Co., and will build a large residence there this summer. Another sale reported by George & Co., is that of a house and lot at 303 Elm street for Baltaz Kramer to Neils Jorgensen at the reported price of $1,700. The property was bought for a home. Elizabeth C. Smith, bought a house and lot in North Omaha, through George & Co., for $2,500, which was owned by Albert L. Meager and the real estate company sold another lot in North Omaha, in Redick's addition, to Edith B. Chapman for $575 on behalf of Herbert E. Jones, upon which the buyer will build this season.

Manase Studies Crop Conditions—W. H. Manase, industrial agent of the Burlington was in Omaha Saturday. He is on a tour of the west to look over the conditions as they really exist. "You know the railroads are vitally interested in conditions as much, if not more than any other concern, and we like to know what they are," said Mr. Manase. "For that reason the Burlington spends large sums of money on crop reports and reports on conditions in general. The Burlington is having a strenuous time these days with the grain and lumber rates."

Internal Revenue for May—The receipts of internal revenue for the Nebraska district for the month of May, 1907, were $295,768.45, as against $228,706.66 for May, 1906. The falling off in receipts is no indication of any less amount of business being done during the last month than in the same month of 1906, as the receipts of one or two days might make up the difference. In May, 1906, there happened to be a sudden demand for spirit stamps. The revenue receipts for the month of May are generally uniform, as in 1906 the receipts were about the same as in May, 1907.

Six New Citizens—Saturday was new citizens' day in Judge Troup's court at the court house. Five foreigners renounced allegience to the mother country and swore to uphold, protect and defend the Stars and Stripes through thick and thin. Under the new federal law the hearing takes the form of a trial and several witnesses were examined in each case. Before papers are issued each applicant it put through a close examination as to his knowledge of the principles of the government, his beliefs in anarchy and polygamy and his general character and reputation. United States District Attorney Goss appeared for the government and examined each applicant. Those who secured papers are Martin Keaveny, Hugo Gentlaurer, Josef Coufal, Abraham Goodson, William Bauermeister.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Judge J. J. Sullivan of Columbus is a guest at the Paxton.

W. P. Miles of Sidney, A. V. Dresher of Farnam and E. H. Liukart of Tilden are at the Henshaw.

Ben B. Horwich leaves next week for Albuquerque, N. M., where he will remain for some time for the benefit of his health.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bates, J. A. McLaughlin of Lincoln, L. L. Drill of Red Cloud, G. G. Hall of Salt Lake City and Edgar L. Means of Orleans are at the Millard.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac A. Coles left Omaha Friday night for Charlottesville, Va., where the mother of Mr. Coles is seriously ill and is not expected to survive.

J. M. Oppor of Gresham, George W. Werts of Schuyler, C. W. Dahl of Aberdeen, C. L. Reynolds of Campbell, T. W. Adams of Columbus, G. H. Landers and J. B. Crabill of Fremont are at the Murray.

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