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Shower for Miss Cahill—Miss Francis Cahill was given a shower Wednesday evening by the office employees of Hayden Bros. at her home, 2872 Seward street.

Fifty Dollars an Acre—Dr. H. Gifford has sold a 320-acre farm one mile north of Fort Calhoun to Frank Wallace, who has been leasing an adjoining farm.

The price was \$50 an acre. J. H. Dumont & Son made the sale.

Lightning Strikes House—Lightning struck the home of John Lavelle at 4112 Lafayette avenue during the storm on Thursday evening and started a blaze on the roof. It was soon extinguished however and the damage was inconsiderable.

We make no speculative loans—that is, loans on bonds or stocks of any kind, hence our securities are not affected by the stock market, and our dividend rate in sixteen years has never been less than 6 per cent. Resources, \$2,500,000. The Conservative, 1614 Harney St.

Little Evasion of School Law—The attendance officer of the Board of Education reports comparatively little evasion of the compulsory attendance law, but a large number of applications for permission to work on the part of children who declare such work necessary to their existence.

Woman is Shy One Husband—Mrs. Nora Baxter of Louisiana, Mo., has written to the Omaha chief of police that the department aid her in locating her husband, Clyde Baxter, who was injured near St. Louis in a railway accident and was supposed to have been brought to Omaha and put in a hospital.

Applications in Bankruptcy—William Steinhilber, a laborer of Omaha has filed his voluntary application in bankruptcy in the United States district court. Liabilities \$23,750; assets \$27,170.

Edridge B. Daniel, a painter and paper hanger of South Omaha, has made a like application with liabilities at \$237.50 and assets at \$168.50.

To Spread Fame of Jim—The Dahman cowboy quartet left Friday for a tour of the Oregon circuit. The members go to New Orleans, where their initial engagement begins next week. The party will return to Omaha in November for a week's engagement. The quartet is composed of George H. Day, D. F. Sotter and George F. Allen of Omaha and William Hahn of Chicago.

Boy Feared His Father—John Pilipiec, a small boy found sleeping under a building at Eighteenth and Vinton streets, declares that fear of a whipping at the hands of his father drove him to desert his home for a precarious existence in the streets. His meals were secured at the wholesale fruit houses, where he was permitted to eat fruit which arrived in bad condition. He is now at the Detention home awaiting investigation.

Teamster Breaks His Leg—Ben Williams of 1810 Charles street, a teamster employed by the Omaha Transfer company, broke his leg Friday morning while loading radiators into his wagon at the Union Pacific freight depot. The horses backed away from the platform unexpectedly and one of the heavy iron pieces was dropped upon him. He was taken in charge by Dr. Henry and was carried in the police ambulance to the Omaha General hospital.

Why New Line Does Not Open—Word has been received that the material which is delaying the opening of the street railway line from Farnam street to Cumington on Fortieth has been shipped from the factory and should be here by a shipload. While no definite date can be set for the opening of that line, the officers of the company promise to put a large force of men at work and push the new line to a speedy completion as soon as the needed material arrives.

In the Divorce Mill—Lillian May Goldsmith has secured a restraining order from Judge Kennedy to prevent her husband,

NARROW ESCAPE FROM RAIN

Part of City Gets Wet, but Storm Pools Greater Part of It.

After the oppressive humidity of Thursday a storm blew up and black clouds arose in the west. They proceeded toward the north for a while and it seemed Omaha would be left with its dust and heat. About 7 o'clock the clouds spread over the sky, the wind rose to a gale and then the rain fell. The northern part of the city got heavy drenching. The gutters ran with water and the thick dust was turned to thin mud. South of Leavenworth street there wasn't enough precipitation to mention.

However, the storm cooled the air. The temperature at noon Friday was 64, compared with 84 at noon Thursday. A similar lowness of temperature was evident all through the day and the indications are that it will continue.

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Machinists Nearly Finished. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—The twelfth biennial convention of the International Association of Machinists, which has been in session here since September 9, will, it is expected, conclude today. Some routine matters remain to come before the convention today.

IN THE FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

Billy the Bear Pronounces Jamestown Expo Prize Fraud.

PIANOS FREE AT TAXING TIME

Waterloo Man Who Takes First Trip in Elevator Wants Conductor Arrested for Exceeding Speed Limit.

L. J. F. Jaeger, "Billy the Bear," has arrived in Omaha on his return from the national convention of the Eagles at Jamestown.

"That exposition is the biggest fraud of the century," said Billy. "I can see no possibility of its becoming a success. Many of the buildings are still unfinished and no effort is being made to finish them."

"Yes, I got knocked out as national secretary of the Eagles. Some of the Nebraska delegation knocked me down, claiming that I was physically unable to do the work. That hurt me more than the defeat for the office. It comes pretty hard to bar a crippled man from work that he could do and I guess almost every person in Nebraska knows that I have done pretty well with my fingerless hands and being shy a pair of feet toward making a pretty good living."

"I am going back to Chadron and get back into my old work and will try for the place again next year. It is pretty hard for a westerner to get an office in these big national conventions that are dominated by the eastern fellows. I am not sore on account of my defeat, but I do feel a little hurt that my condition should be used against me by men who I thought were my friends."

"I am getting a fine piano, rent free," said one citizen.

"Tell me about it," said the other.

"Well, you know the assessors are abroad in the land and the stores have to pay pretty heavy taxes on pianos when they are caught with the goods. One of these stores has been after me for months to buy a piano and I have refused; I didn't even want to try one, for I knew I wouldn't buy it. Yesterday they telephoned my wife they were going to bring it; and they brought it. Didn't say anything about selling it to us and didn't even mention a price. Now, I figure they thought the assessor was about due and that he would be a good time to move a few pianos. The cost of moving a piano would be as much as the taxes, but you see the store would be out the money anyway. If the assessor found the piano, and they thought they had just as well spend it by giving somebody a trial and perhaps catch a customer."

"Raised bank notes do not get into circulation very much these days, as the people are getting too sharp for the note raisers," said a secret service official. "I had a funny experience over in Des Moines the other day. Having heard that the raised notes were in circulation there I went over to see about them. I found that the notes had been sold to a pawnbroker to place on exhibition in his window. I found the fellow and had no other recourse than to take the raised notes. And then he did raise a howl. He wanted to know how he was going to get his money back that he said for them. I told him he would have to look to the parties from whom he bought them. But when I told him I was a secret service officer he gave the notes up readily, but he looked as if it was going to break his heart."

A wild-eyed man with upstanding hair rushed into the office of Chief of Police Donahue Friday morning and shouted for immediate aid.

"What's wrong?" asked the chief.

"Look here," said the man. "In George Morris of Waterloo, and I want you to arrest the man who runs the elevator over here right away. You won't need no warrant. Why, it's outrageous! I stepped into his elevator in perfect good faith just a minute ago and what do you think he did?"

He stopped, out of breath and speechless with indignation.

"Well," said the chief.

"Why, he took me up five stories so fast that I couldn't get my breath and we nearly bumped into the roof before he could stop his old dastardly machine."

"Were you hurt?" asked the chief.

"No, I wasn't, but holy smoke, I might have been."

Mr. Morris confessed that he had never been in an elevator before in his life and the sudden shock was too much for his nerves. He declared his intention of going to Police Magistrate Crawford and filing a complaint against George Whitmore, one of the elevator conductors in the city hall, for fast and reckless driving.

"And I won't go down in the elevator either," he said as he departed. "I'll go down the outside ladder before I take that risk again."

"These Omaha boys who used to be easy for me can now beat me with one hand tied behind them," said John Francis of Chicago, general passenger agent of the Burlington, who has been in Omaha for the last few days, spending his vacation playing golf with some of his old friends.

"The reason is apparent. They get a chance to practice where I do not. This thing of living in Chicago is not what it is cracked up to be. Give me Omaha for mine. The distances are such in Chicago that it is out of the question for a man to get off to play golf any day but Saturday afternoon. Here in Omaha a man could work at his desk until 5 o'clock and then have plenty of time to play nine or fifteen holes before the sun disappeared. Omaha is the place to live after all."

"I have made up my mind that the residents of Erskine street have earned the right to have this street perpetuated in memory of President Roosevelt from their practical endorsement of his anti-race suicide idea," said City Clerk Butler. "I have watched the matter for months and no other street in town reports as many births in a month as Erskine street. You may pick up the paper each afternoon and you can count on finding that some family on this street has added to the population of Omaha. You may miss it some day, but on the next one there will be two births recorded. Erskine must be made Roosevelt street, and I'm going to see that it is done if there are enough members of the council who realize the importance of the subject dear to the heart of the chief executive."

HEIRESS WEDS SALOON MAN

Wyoming Girl Who Will Inherit a Fortune Marries Liqueur Dealer.

Florence E. Werlen of Lander, Wyo., heiress to \$20,000 worth of property there, and Jesse Bryant, a Lander saloon keeper, were married in the parlors of the Merchants' hotel Thursday afternoon by Justice Altstadt. The young couple came to Omaha to spend their honeymoon.

Justice Altstadt was accompanied by Everett Long of Omaha and May Gow of Bellevue Thursday afternoon at his office.

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BOATS WILL COME AGAIN

River Transportation in Near Future Predicted by Burkett.

CHEAPER THAN THE RAILWAYS

Senator Who Comes Up from Lincoln to View Army Posts is Entertained by Commercial Club.

"Steamboats were plenty on the Missouri once and they will be again," said Senator E. J. Burkett, who is in Omaha for a two days' inspection of the military posts, Forts Crook and Omaha.

"We haven't paid much attention in the United States to river improvement, for we are a new country and have first to develop our harbors. But now we have come to the point where transportation in the interior is a big problem and we must grasp the opportunities afforded by our waterways. Water transportation is cheaper than rail transportation and the competition resulting between rail and water is wholesome for the shipping interests of the country."

Once Omaha saw steamboats plying up and down the Missouri continuously. The river has not less water in it than it had then, but other influences drove the boats out of business. The river may not be so good as it was then, for channels filled with snags and sandbars when not in use while a constant movement of boats actually keeps a river open. The Missouri now needs considerable work on it to clean it out.

"I believe navigation will be resumed on the river. As to when and how I am not prepared to say. It has been suggested to me that it would be cheaper to build a canal along the river than it would to keep the channel dredged out. It would require engineers to pass on that."

Time Not Far Away.

"At any rate, it will be opened somehow and the time probably is not far away. The north and south traffic of the country is growing amazingly and we need the river."

Senator Burkett arrived in Omaha at 9 o'clock Friday morning and was met at the station by Victor Rosewater and Chairman C. E. Black of the entertainment committee of the Commercial club. In company with Mr. Black he visited the Indian supply depot and the headquarters of the Department of the Missouri and then went with Major Cruise and Captain Hacker to the quartermaster's depot. This afternoon he is visiting Fort Omaha with Senator Millard and Major Noyes and tomorrow he will inspect Fort Crook.

Senator Burkett was the guest of honor at a luncheon at the Commercial club, at which about thirty representative Omaha citizens were present.

Those at the banquet were: Senator Burkett, F. P. Kirkendall, George E. Roberts, John A. Kuhn, C. C. Benson, E. V. Lewis, Z. T. Lindsey, E. A. Benson, Euclid Martin, C. E. Deaton, F. A. Nash, Emil Brandeis, H. E. Palmer, H. E. Palmer, H. E. Palmer.

BURGLAR MET FACE TO FACE

Intruder is Greeted at Door, Turns Calmly Away and Walks Off.

A chair, which had been carelessly left near the kitchen door, prevented a burglar from robbing the residence of M. Lagosa, 282 Davenport street, Thursday night. Mr. Lagosa was alone in the house, and had gone to bed. About 10:30 a man pushed open the kitchen door and entered the room. He got tangled up with the chair and made such a noise Mr. Lagosa was awakened. He went down stairs and met the burglar face to face. The intruder

turned around calmly and walked out of the house and down the street as if nothing had happened. It is believed he was a prowling tramp.

CISSELL AND SMITH RESIGN

Two Methodist Ministers Whose Terms End at Conference Next Month.

The North Nebraska conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet in the Hanson Park Methodist church October 2 and continue until October 7. Bishop William F. McDowell will be president of the conference. This conference includes territory north of the Platte river. There will be 150 ministers in attendance about half of whom will be accompanied by their wives. There will also be about 120 lay delegates. Some difficulty is being encountered in finding accommodations for all those expected, as the conference occurs at the same time as the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities.

The lay delegates' conference will meet on October 4. Three lay delegates will be chosen to the general conference, which meets in Baltimore next May and questions of constitutional changes will be considered.

Among the noted Methodists who will attend are Dr. Henderson of New York, field secretary for the general conference committee on evangelism; Dr. Kinnett, one of the secretaries of the board of church extension and home missions; Dr. J. M. MacVety of Kansas City, western secretary for the board of education and Sunday schools; Chancellor Huntington of the Nebraska Wesleyan university; and Dr. C. B. Spencer, editor of the Christian Advocate.

Rev. Clyde C. Cissell, pastor of the Hanson Park Methodist church and Rev. J. Randolph Smith, pastor of the Trinity Methodist church, will present their resignations to the conference.

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