

RAILROADS FOR CORN SHOW

Every Chicago-Omaha Railway Guarantees Its Strongest Support.

ZEALOUS TO HELP OUT OMAHA

C. C. Rosewater and Prof. J. W. Jones Confer with Railroad Men and Get a Most Cordial Reception.

Every railroad which enters Omaha and has executive offices in Chicago pledges its strongest support to the movement to secure for Omaha the National Corn exposition next fall and its co-operation in making that exposition a success if held in the Nebraska metropolis.

Unqualified promises have been made by officials of the Omaha C. C. Rosewater, chairman of the executive committee of the National Corn exposition, and Prof. J. W. Jones, secretary of the National Corn Growers' association, who spent a day in Chicago in conference with these railroad men.

These are the officials whom Mr. Rosewater and Mr. Jones met and who entered so readily into the plans for this enterprise: Ben F. Winchell, president of the Rock Island; Darius Miller, vice president of the Burlington; J. T. Harahan, president, W. J. Harahan, fourth vice president, and A. H. Hansen, passenger traffic manager of the Illinois Central; W. A. Gardner, president of the Rock Island; B. K. Nielsen, passenger traffic manager of the Northwestern; E. C. Nettles and E. H. Pierpont, assistant general freight agents, and C. S. Young, advertising agent of the Milwaukee.

Claim It as Their Own Work. "We not only found that the railroads are willing to do what they can to promote the exposition, but that they feel that it is not a local proposition, but one in which the railroads are quite as much interested as the people of Omaha," said Mr. Rosewater. "They regard the fact that large premiums will be offered to make it an incentive for the farmers along their lines to make every possible effort to produce a better quality of corn and other cereals, will be an immense permanent and substantial benefit."

"E. C. Nettles, assistant general freight agent of the Milwaukee, said the comparison of their freight books showed that the largest amount of grain had been shipped from places where the special corn trains of two years ago had drawn the largest crops. With the railroads, it is not a matter of sentiment, but a matter of business, because they recognize that an improvement in the quality of corn means larger shipments."

"Darius Miller, first vice president of the Rock Island, said that a special man will be secured, who will put in his time to interest farmers along the line. Special attention will be paid to the meetings where farmers congregate, such as live stock sales, farmers' institutes, county fairs and chautauques. Farmers will not only be urged to send exhibits to the exposition, but also be interested to appreciate the value of attending. The advertising department of the Burlington will co-operate in its pamphlets and folders, and will devote the space that is used in newspapers during the time just previous to and during the exposition to push the project. The Burlington system, when called upon, at once stated that he knew all about the merits of the corn exposition, and all he desired was to know in what way they could be most effective in their assistance. The Burlington has been immediately available."

"President Winchell of the Rock Island said it was the policy of his road not to do anything which would benefit one city as opposed to another, but that they regarded the National Corn exposition as a benefit to the entire population along the line, and whether the exposition were held in Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha or Minneapolis they were interested on account of the immense value for increasing the value of crops throughout the middle west."

Rock Island a Pioneer. "Perhaps you do not know," he said, "that the Rock Island and the Rock Island road started the corn show and ran the first trains of this character on the Rock Island. We have seen the actual results of this work and I believe that Prof. Holden and others interested have increased the value of land in Iowa at least \$10 an acre. We have a very efficient organization in charge of Mr. White and Mr. White will be instructed to devote his personal attention to co-operating with the management of the exposition at Omaha. We can have him take his special car and work along the line. In addition to this we will see that your advertising matter is properly distributed and displayed. You can count on our advertising department using its best efforts to work out ways and means to bring people to the exposition. It is impossible for our road to contribute money to promote any enterprise, but what we can do will be of more value to the exposition than if we made a contribution of \$1000. We do not regard this

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The ideal of your committee is the combination of this requirement with the present requirement of a strong graduate school as a condition for membership in this association. But the recognition that a strict enforcement of both requirements might work substantial hardship at the present time. Nevertheless they think that in universities which have professional schools and a graduate department it is not too much to require that the student who is admitted to the graduate department shall be at least five years in the university. It is the thought of your committee that if this dual standard of admission be now accepted by the association it may be possible to enforce it with increasing strictness as the years go by."

WORKMAN ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Not Known Where Bullet Came from, But No Doubt Where It Struck.

Henry Richter, who is employed by the Thompson Fur company, 147 1/2 Farnam street, was the victim of a peculiar shooting affair Saturday while he was working in the rear of the fur store on the second floor. Richter was employed at a work table with a number of women, among whom was the proprietress, Emma Thompson, when suddenly a bullet crashed through a rear window, slightly grazing Mrs. Thompson's hair and lodged in Richter's right arm. He was attended by Dr. Lord and later taken to his home at 119 1/2 Farnam street.

CLUE IN OLSEN CASE FAULTY

Sheriff Bauman of Fremont Returns from Quest of the Missing Girl.

Sheriff Bauman of Fremont arrived in Omaha Saturday night from St. Joseph, Mo., where he had gone to investigate another clue pertaining to the whereabouts of little Lillian Olsen, the 4-year-old girl who mysteriously disappeared from her father's farm near Rosalia, Neb., during December. The clue proved to be groundless and Bauman went on his way to Minneapolis after Harry J. Good, a former traveling salesman for the Pitt-Pat Candy company of Omaha, who is wanted in Fremont for a charge of forgery, having endorsed a number of checks made out in his firm and converted the proceeds to his own use.

HOLDUPS AT GROCERY STORE

Secure Only Two Dollars as Pay for Their Visit to J. C. Crisman.

The two highwaymen, one with a revolver and the other with a dirk, made their appearance Saturday night, holding up and robbing J. C. Crisman, who conducts a grocery store at 215 1/2 Burr street. Both men were masked and secured \$2 from the storekeeper. A fairly good description of the robbers was furnished the police, and it was thought that they are the same two who held up the grocery store at Thirtieth and Hamilton streets a week ago.

RESTORING Faded Carpets

For restoring the color of a faded carpet, nothing rivals the old-fashioned ox gall. Order one day in advance from your butcher, and put it in a bucket of warm water for one hour. Have a second bucket of clean water, two squares of clean flannel, and two or three clean dry cloths. Wring the flannel out of the first bucket and rub it over a portion of the carpet; rub with a clean, wet cloth until a lather is produced; wash this off with the flannel and clean water, and rub as dry as possible with a dry cloth.

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BELLEVUE COLLEGE

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THE MISS WELCH SCHOOL

With the temporary decline of the study of Greek on the part of those fitting for college, the Miss Welch school of Denver has placed a valuable course in its curriculum. This is the study of Greece, its history, its literature, its art, its government, its influence upon the world; everything, in fact, pertaining to the country, except the language. This course is most valuable, and is given in such spirit of appreciation of all which that marvelous country afforded, that it is a most instructive and delightful course of study.

A NEW YORK KINDERGARTEN

Perhaps the best example of a modern kindergarten to be found in New York City is afforded by the Frances Dana Archibald Walcott branch, at No. 24 West Forty-second street. This is housed in a handsome building which is the memorial to his daughter by John D. Archibald, vice president of the Standard Oil company. Besides serving as the home of this branch it contains the administrative headquarters of the New York Kindergarten association.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES

The Western Reserve University has started a movement among the Grand Army posts of the state looking to the benefit of the pensioned soldiers and their families. A bill to secure a resolution in which it states, "It is the sense of this post that we request our representatives and senators in congress to vote for and urge the passage of a bill now pending, which, if it becomes a law, will remove the limitations in the payment of the arrears of pension so that the soldier who happened to make his declaration after July 1, 1865, will receive arrears of pension as though he had declared before that date. This we believe to be a very just and equitable measure, and we are sure of the support of our fellow soldiers of the war of 1861-65."

FEDERAL UNION OF AMERICA

Banner lodge No. 11 received several new applications for membership at its meeting Thursday evening.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

Grant Post No. 104 has completed arrangements for the celebration of Washington and Lincoln's birthday Tuesday afternoon at 11 o'clock in the corps hall.

FRATERNAL UNION OF AMERICA

Banner lodge No. 11 will give a program Monday evening, Feb. 2, at 8 o'clock in the corps hall.

MAGIC CITY GOSPEL

W. T. Brass for city treasurer.

ST. MARTIN'S AUXILIARY

St. Martin's auxiliary will meet at the Guild hall Wednesday afternoon.

THE CENTURY LITERARY CLUB

The Century literary club will meet on Tuesday afternoon at library hall.

MILES MEDICAL CO.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

COMMUNICATION WITH HER FELLOW, NAMELY HEARING AND SIGHT.

When she was 7 years old she was given into the care of Miss Sullivan, and it was through her painstaking efforts that the wonderful gifts since shown by Helen Keller were given a method of expression to the outside world. It was due to Miss Sullivan's conscientious work with her pupil that Miss Keller was enabled to take the degree of A. B. from Radcliffe college. It was while the blind girl was a student there that Miss Sullivan met Mr. Macy, then an instructor at Harvard university. Since her marriage with him, she has lived at Miss Keller's home, and it is there that the first intimation of her blindness was made known to her.

Dr. Joseph Currier, superintendent of the New York Institute for the Deaf and Dumb is reported as saying that the sad coincidence of Mrs. Macy's affliction with blindness after serving so long as a teacher of one similarly unfortunate, has no scientific value. It is merely a coincidence, such as sometimes makes itself in the investigations of therapeutics.

IOWA UNIVERSITY NEWS

Last week there were sent out by the University of Iowa twelve more boxes of bones to be used for the study of comparative anatomy in the department of anatomy at the university. These bones are very helpful in teaching anatomy, and about forty high schools are on the waiting list as applicants for sets. The University of Iowa has published an attractive map of pictures of its larger buildings. The pictures are printed on very heavy calendared paper, about 24 feet in length. It is the old capitol, and surrounding it are twelve of the other buildings. These groups will be distributed with a glass over them and distributed among high schools of the state.

RESIDENTS OF NEW YORK

Residents of New York often trade with persons in California through this method. Mail today!—The sooner your ad appears the sooner you will receive replies.

Thirty cents will exchange it

So sure and so quick are returns from ads., in the EXCHANGE column on The Omaha BEE want ad page that it is practically a certainty that a thirty cent ad, well written, will find some one who will exchange something useful to you for what you don't need

Here's a chance to rid yourself of those things, useful to someone, but continually in your way

Fill in the information required below, send it with thirty cents to the want-ad department of The Omaha Bee, Omaha, Neb., and your ad will be well written and placed before 120,000 people. DO IT TODAY!

Omaha Bee Want-Ad Dept.

Inclosed find thirty cents. Please write a good ad for The BEE'S Exchange column. I have and desire to exchange for write any special remarks about what you have to trade, on these lines

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AFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Filings of Candidates Before the City Primaries Close Saturday Night.

BRENNAN IN RACE FOR MAYOR

His Entrance Complicates Matters Considerably in Democratic Camp—Hoctor Gives No Indications of Withdrawal.

The filings for city offices closed Saturday night with a total of seventy-three for the principal offices of the city. This number included the candidates for the Board of Education. The contest closed with three new candidates for mayor. They were William J. Brennan, democrat; George Hauptmann, democrat; and William Weemer, socialist. George Hauptmann is the present incumbent. Of the present city officials the only ones who have not filed are H. B. Fleaharty, for city attorney, and William T. Martin, for city council. J. H. Bulla, Fred Hefflinger, Joe Vosneck and Joe Duely filed again. Mike Grogan, who has not been known to be out of a primary race for several years, either as a candidate or hustling for one, has come out as a democratic member of the school board. On the republican side, the filing of Jay N. Williams as tax commissioner was the only important change from previous announcements. In discussing the filing of William J. Brennan for mayor, many people see in it a serious split in the democratic ranks. Mayor Hoctor failed to withdraw as had been confidently predicted by his democratic opponents. On the other hand, the liberal candidates which were about to befall the republican ticket did not materialize as any better. Jay N. Williams, one of the republican candidates, is a commission man at the yards, of a well known firm. Mike Smith rose solemnly in the Third ward as a candidate on the republican ticket. He has been a regular man on that ticket from the Third ward for a number of years.

ECHOES OF THE ANTE-ROOM

United Pacific Council, Royal Arcanum, Entertainers Supreme Regent Van Sandt.

United Pacific council No. 1069, Royal Arcanum, members and friends Wednesday evening at a royal party, smoker and luncheon at Creighton hotel. The evening was given in honor of Robert Van Sandt of Chicago. All the councils of Omaha and vicinity were represented. The evening was given in honor of Robert Van Sandt of Chicago. All the councils of Omaha and vicinity were represented. The evening was given in honor of Robert Van Sandt of Chicago. All the councils of Omaha and vicinity were represented.

WOODMEN CIRCLE

Alpha group No. 2 was honored by the presence of Supreme Guardian Emma E. B. at its meeting Tuesday evening. The degree staff, composed entirely of women, exemplified the initiatory work of the new year.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

George C. Meade post No. 12, at Sutton, has started a movement among the Grand Army posts of the state looking to the benefit of the pensioned soldiers and their families. A bill to secure a resolution in which it states, "It is the sense of this post that we request our representatives and senators in congress to vote for and urge the passage of a bill now pending, which, if it becomes a law, will remove the limitations in the payment of the arrears of pension so that the soldier who happened to make his declaration after July 1, 1865, will receive arrears of pension as though he had declared before that date. This we believe to be a very just and equitable measure, and we are sure of the support of our fellow soldiers of the war of 1861-65."

ICE OF GOOD THICKNESS NOW

It is reported from the Cudahy Packing company's ice houses at Raymond lake that the zero weather had frozen ten or twelve inches of ice. The company will work as large a force as practicable during the season. The other packers are doing the same.

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REPAIR WORK

Repair Work—Three men to look after your shoe repairs; good leather only used.

STEEL SHOD SHOES

Steel shod shoes for boys and girls will prevent cuts; none so good. Sold only at Cresco.

THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION

The Women's Christian Temperance union will meet Tuesday, February 4, at the home of Mrs. Lottie Schroeder, Twenty-third and K streets.

SOUTH OMAHA CAMP NO. 212

South Omaha camp No. 212, Woodmen of the World, will give a dance at Masonic hall Tuesday, February 4. Souvenirs are offered for the best dancers.

MRS. WALTER LAKE AND MRS. CHARLES RAPP

Mrs. Walter Lake and Mrs. Charles Rapp entertained the New Century club Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Rapp, Twenty-fourth and A streets.

THE LADIES' AUXILIARY TO THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

The Ladies' auxiliary to the Young Men's Christian association will give their first Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. W. P. Adkins, 115 1/2 North Twenty-second. Rev. Mr. Wise will deliver an address.

ALL YOUNG MEN INTERESTED IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION

All young men interested in physical education are requested to meet with Mr. Orin Williams, the new physical director of the Young Men's Christian association, Tuesday evening, at 56 North Twenty-fourth street. The association will soon open its doors to a class.

THE SOUTH OMAHA POLICE MADE 124 ARRESTS

The South Omaha police made 124 arrests last month. Of these 124 were arrested in police court, sixty-three were dismissed, twenty-one were sent to the city jail for short terms, sixteen were sentenced to the county jail and seventeen paid fines amounting to \$63. This department turned over 100 officers three prisoners during the month.

THE WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will give their first Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. W. P. Adkins, 115 1/2 North Twenty-second. A musical program, including an instrumental solo by Mrs. Jordan, a paper on "Medical Missions," Mrs. Brown; reading Mrs. Bertha Clark Hughes' music; and a vocal solo by Miss Laura Peterson; vocal solo, Miss Hazel Millard, will be presented.

A Nurse's Story

If you are a sufferer from headache, neuralgia, or pain from any cause you should read the following letter from a nurse.

"For some time I have felt it my duty to write you. I was having my doctor twice every week for headache. All he did for me was to give something to ease the pain. Sometimes the pain was so severe that I could not speak, and soon after of my family stood over me and gave me medicine every fifteen minutes until I was relieved. A sample of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills fell into my hands, I read the circular very carefully, and found my case described exactly. The next time my head began to ache I took the Pain Pills according to directions and I felt it was getting better, so I sent to the druggist for a box and took them until I was so much better that I was about the house all the afternoon. I was not had a doctor for headache since. When he met me some time after I was wanted to bow was, and I told him what I had done, and he replied: 'If you had found anything else about them, I would tell you of many similar cases.'" MISS MRS. WHEELER BOYD, 170 W. Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.

DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money. \$5 does 25 cents. Never sold in bulk. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Omega Oil FOR CHILDREN Mothers should understand that Omega Oil, although powerful in overcoming pain, is perfectly safe to use on children for sore throat, cold in the chest, sprains, bruises or any pain. It never blisters or burns the most tender skin.

Food for Nerves Weak and nervous men who find their power to work and youthful vigor gone as a result of overwork or mental exertion should take BEEHIVE NERVE FOOD PILLS. They will build up a new strength and vitality. BEEHIVE NERVE FOOD PILLS, 50c per box. Sold by all druggists. BEEHIVE NERVE FOOD PILLS, 50c per box. Sold by all druggists.

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