

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It. Diamonds, Eshel, Jeweler. Rudolph F. Svoboda, Public Accountant. Pa Source for Quality Cigars, 215 S. 15th Street, photographer, 18th & Farnam.

Charge of Forging Tombstone Orders—Charged with forging orders for a tombstone, F. M. Evans is under arrest in Council Bluffs on a complaint filed in the county court here by J. P. Bloom & Co. of Omaha, Evans, it is charged, signed the name of John Kuke of Murdock to an order calling for a \$100 stone to be delivered at Murdock. He was arrested in Council Bluffs Thursday, but at his own request was allowed to stay there until Friday morning because of the serious illness of his wife.

NEWS IN THE ARMY CIRCLE

Employe in Cuba Writes that Reports of Election Disturbances Are Overdrawn. In a letter just received by one of the civilian employes at army headquarters from Cuba, where the recipient of the letter was stationed for a year or more, the writer of the letter takes emphatic exception to reports sent out by interested parties regarding serious disturbances during the late elections on that island.

Orders have been issued from army headquarters for the movement of the regular troops for the month of October that are stationed in this department. The payments will begin October 31.

Very few of the officers of the regular army will avail of the privilege to return to their former homes to vote next week. As a rule scarcely 10 per cent of the army officers take advantage of the privilege granted them.

NEVER CLOSE HOTEL REGISTER

Awful Fate Hangs on Act so Nearly Performed at the Hotel Rome. A traveling man all but shut up the register of the Hotel Rome, Chief Clerk William Anderson intervened in time to prevent this chief crime against hotel traditions.

"Twenty-five years ago," said he, "I was night clerk at a Des Moines hotel and an old traveling man named Odenron came up to the desk to pay out.

Police Are on the Pig Hunt—Pigs are the latest item to be added to the "lost or stolen" list at the police station. Thursday night a lively, squealing porcher that weighed at least 150 pounds was killed in Guy Lee's pipe at 503 North Twenty-eighth street by an unidentified thief and then hastily carted away without the knowledge of the owner.

DAVE MERCER SELLS LOTS

Disposes of Property to Edward Hayden for Ten Thousand Dollars. Negotiations are pending between Edward Hayden of Hayden Bros. and ex-congressman Dave Mercer for the Mercer lots on the northwest corner of Thirty-ninth and Dodge streets and it is understood the deal has been closed by the D. V. Shibles company whereby Mr. Hayden secures the two lots for \$10,000.

Attend the Great Linoleum Sale Monday. See South Show Window—The Best Bargains Offered Not Remnants.

At the Theaters

"The Music Master" at the Burwood. David Warfield and company in "The Music Master," a comedy in three acts, by Charles Klein, with the collaboration of David Belasco. The cast: Herr Anton von Barwig, David Warfield; Signor Tagliaterra, Fico of Milan; first violin, Agostino Aramini; Mons. Louis Pina of Paris, viola; Herr August Poon of Leipzig, cello.

It is rather grateful to turn from the unpleasant atmosphere of "The Devil" to the more wholesome and satisfying air that one breathes with "The Music Master." The play of Klein lacks the polish of the Molnar play, but it has the human touch, the fine quality that grips the heart and starts the tears, and proves "some touch of nature makes the whole world kin." And, by that same token, he shows that all the world loves to laugh a little, too, and that humor knows neither geographical nor racial distinctions.

Omaha has this experience last night at the Burwood theater, where one of the most representative audiences ever assembled spent an evening under the spell of the actor and the stage manager combined, Fred Bailey, whose "atmosphere" has as much to do with the result as Mr. Warfield's "temperament." Maybe more, for almost any good actor could get pronounced effects from the lines and situations provided for the star, but only one stage manager before the people today knows how to produce exactly the result desired.

The reception accorded the company last night was as much as Omaha can do for "strolling players." It is very rare that an Omaha audience will sit still after the final curtain and call the star back twice to bow his thanks, but this was done last night. The engagement continues the rest of the week, with a matinee on Saturday.

"The Top of the World" at the Boyd. "The Top of the World," a musical extravaganza in two acts; book by Mark E. Moran; lyrics by James O'Dea; music by Anna Caldwell and Manuel under direction of James M. Allison. The principals: Kris Kringle, the toymaker; D. J. Flanagan, Kankakee, an Eskimo chief; Oona Manka, a little girl who wants to grow up; Fred Bailey, a wonderful actor; Kathleen Clifford, a beautiful girl; Stubby Almsco, a ballplayer; Harry Fairleigh, Westinghouse Morse, a hustling inventor; William Quirk, Kokomo, an Eskimo belle; Florence Smith, Jack in the Box, a wonderful actor; Fred Bailey, The Candy Kid, an Arctic practical joke; Fred Bailey, The Friendly Bear, a stretch of imagination; Arthur Hill, Prince Thymite, a wonderful actor; Stubby Almsco, an ice ventral; Daisy Fugot, Jack Frost, king of the north wind; George Majeroni, Ice Guards; Nita Vasco, the North Pole; Aurora Borealis, Queen of the North; et al. Bobbie Nolan, Wuff-Wuff, the cub; Colonel North, it would be difficult to crowd into the same space and time more joy and laughter than "The Top of the World" affords. This is a musical extravaganza which began a three-day engagement at the Boyd last night. It has all the hot springs in the country beat for stiff joints and old age. It supplies one whole period of irrefragable pleasure and intellectual interest and amusement at least twenty times during the evening. So many crisp hits, comical creations and clever actors are combed in this hodge-podge of joy that one finds himself in a bewilderment of giggles before the performance is one-third over. The affair is such in the opening act as to win a paragon or two of the north pole, but the measured movements of magic from the scene shifts into a beautiful land called Alusia, which has every earmark of Paradise, and the very incongruity of the thing is a home run hit. Some genuine skill has

gone into the making of this piece—if it may be reduced to singularity in number—and some yeoman service has been enlisted in the cause of presenting it. In the early stages the ball seems to revolve around a stick of candy, a jumping jack and polar bear and, indeed, they do maintain their prominence throughout, but other heroes come ably to their assistance. Fred Bailey, Ralph Austin and Kathleen Clifford have the principal parts, but Arthur Hill in the friendly bear, and Alice Hegeman, who played the wardrobe keeper for "The Mayor of Tokio," keep in close sight for first money. Austin and Bailey would take that bear and keep on top of the world for ever, but with Alice Hegeman as Aurora Borealis, queen of the lights, and Miss Clifford and the rest of the good ones at hand, they will never have to do it alone. With this pair of comedians continuously jabbing at one's risibles the fall of the curtain comes with that dull, dead thud of which we read on more somber occasions.

It's a gay life, and then some. Miss Hegeman makes a decided stroke, as she always does, with her unique hideousness in makeup and characterization. One of the good hits of the evening is the timely and frequent appearance of the man with the hot air jug, who puts a crimp in old Jack Frost, king of the North Wind, about the time he gets to blowing the hardest. What makes it seem all the more like borrowing money from the management is when that devilish little weasened miniature silhouette of Bailey squirts himself across the stage like a phantom and compels the man who has been out between acts to jab himself to make sure he did not take too many. Really, it's all mighty fine. And the large audience last night thought so. It runs till after Saturday night, with a matinee on Saturday.

"The Cow Puncher" at the Krug.

Another of those plays with cowboys, rangers, cattle thieves and Mexicans, plenty of gun play, comedy and heart interest, and with that everywhere essential love element, opened a week-end engagement at the Krug Thursday evening. "The Cow Puncher," with Fred Siegel in the name part, was given a warm reception by last night's audience, and throughout the six scenes of the production the cunning meanness of the "greaser" villain, acted by Curtis Benton, the strength of the undevoted cow puncher and the actions of the other characters were watched with breathless anticipation and hearty applause. A number of specialties, including some "fiddling" by Jack Fleming in a cowboy role, and some clever farce work by one of the other men in the company, adds to the entertainment.

Caught in the Act and arrested by Dr. King's New Life Pills, bilious headache, quins and liver and bowels acted right. For sale by Beaton Drug Co. Quick Returns Through Bee Want Ads.

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FARMERS WANT REPUBLICANS

Bohemian and German Ranchers Over Nebraska Are for Taft and Sheldon. United States Marshal W. P. Warner returned Friday afternoon from an extended campaigning tour through Knox, Pierce, Wayne, Colfax, Platte and Stanton counties and reports conditions up there as most favorable for republican success.

"I made addresses in each of these counties and find that the Bohemian and German farmers of those localities are very well satisfied to let matters remain as they are," said Mr. Warner. "The general drift is strongly toward the republican ticket. I followed very nearly the same territory that Mr. Bryan spoke in a few weeks ago, and I was rather surprised to find that his talks have not had any permanent influence among the farmers of those sections. They are not at all alarmed by the bank deposit guaranty doctrine of the democratic platform.

"I was told while in Colfax county that the democrats would do well if they got 100 majority there instead of the 600 majority they are claiming.

"I find, further, that a number of the most influential Germans and Bohemians are outspoken in their adherence to the republican ticket, and that they are working hard for Taft and Sheldon. One of the leading German families up there which owns a chain of banks and has been democratic, is now openly supporting the republican ticket.

"It is all fully to say or think that any considerable part of the farming community of Nebraska favors the election of Mr. Bryan. On the contrary, my observation during the last few days has been that the farmers are for the republican ticket and that Judge Taft will carry Nebraska by a big majority."

HOW SOLDIERS MAY VOTE

Do Not Lose Citizenship in State Where He Held It Before Enlistment. In view of the existence of three large military posts in Nebraska, wherein are garrisoned approximately 2,000 soldiers of the regular army of the United States, some question has arisen as to the right of these soldiers to vote at the coming presidential election in Nebraska. The revised statutes of Nebraska, paragraph 3306, section 5, says: "No soldier, seaman or marine in the army and navy of the United States shall be deemed a resident of the state in consequence of being stationed therein."

BIG LINOLEUM SALE MONDAY

Brandels Bought Entire Carload from Railroad Co. at Spot Cash. FLOOR OILCLOTH AND LINOLEUM. The greatest bargains that any store in America ever offered in a sale of linoleum and floor oilcloth will be presented at the great sale at Brandels. We bought one carload of high and medium grade linoleum and floor oilcloth from the railroad company, and the values we offer are unparalleled. We will devote practically our entire third floor to this sale. Plenty of clerks will be ready to wait on you and there will be none of the unpleasantness of waits and overcrowding.

Weekly Hints for Home Makers

Dunning Hardware Co. A golden opportunity is again offered this week to purchase the best quality that is made in solid steel axes and shears at 50c per pair. Every pair worth from 75c to \$1.50. According to size (Quality all alike). And to every lady purchaser we will present a neat, beautiful souvenir card receiver. Don't miss this sale continues only a few days.

See west window, 1511 Harney, for the biggest bargains ever offered in Lumber boxes, 25c to 35c value, from 15c to 25c each.

Dunning Hardware Co. are preparing a pleasant surprise in the tool line for the mass of thinkers at home on the outskirts at the beach. Read next week's hints.