

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It. Diamonds, Edholm, Jeweler. Rudolph F. Swoboda, Public Accountant. Pa Bouke for Quality cigars, 218 S. 15th. Minehart, photographer, 15th & Farnam. Bowman, 117 N. 15, Douglas shoe, \$3.50. Electrical Wiring and Repairs—Burgess-Granden company, 1511 Howard street. Equitable Life—Policies sight drafts at maturity. H. D. Neely, manager, Omaha. For Furnace or Hot Water Installation heating the Omaha Stove Repair Works, 1204 Douglas. Bell Tel. Doug. 350, Ind. A-3521. Keep your money and valuables in a safe deposit box in the American Safe Deposit Vaults in The Bee building, which is ably and handsomely fireproof. Boxes rent for only \$3 a year or \$1 a quarter. Pickpocket on Street Car—A pickpocket on a Sherman avenue street car Thursday afternoon relieved W. W. Love of Mankaska, Kan., of a pocketbook containing \$1 and two railroad tickets to his home. Assault of Little Girl—Waldo Cook of South Omaha is on trial in district court, charged with a statutory offense against 7-year-old Hattie Rotholl. The offense was alleged to have been committed last July. Dollie Spencer to Play—The Burwood Stock company will be enhanced next week during the production of "The Professor's Love Story," by Dollie Spencer, who has been secured to play one of the character roles in the piece. Traveling Men Coming Back—There was a general legira of traveling men during the early part of the week for their homes to vote. The pilgrims are now gradually returning and the hotel lobbies are resuming their usual activities. Burglar Gets Money in House—A burglar visited the home of S. F. Boord, 419 North Eighteenth street, while the family was away Thursday night, and took about \$5 worth of jewelry. Entrance to the house was gained by cutting the screen out of a side window. The Omaha Messenger and Express Co. yesterday filed articles of incorporation for \$5,000. Hereafter the company will be known as the "O. M. E. Transfer Co.," and a general transfer business will be conducted with the old messenger business. Frank Prawl, C. V. Higby and Beecher Higby, Jr., are the stockholders. Good Price for Land—A tract of 100 acres three miles northwest of Florence has been sold by Melissa Swiggart to J. N. C. Andreesen for \$12,000. The price is considered good, the hilly nature of the country being considered. The farm is one mile from the site of the old town of Howard laid out by Major General O. O. Howard, the last surviving officer of that rank in the civil war. The venture was not a success and has not been called to mind for a long time. More Divorces Granted—Walter L. Blockett has applied for a divorce from Katherine Blockett, charging extreme cruelty. Jennie Pool has secured a divorce from Joseph T. Pool on charges of desertion and her maiden name—Curtis—was restored to her. Blanche Jacobs has secured a divorce from Delos Jacobs, and Anna M. Carey was successful in her suit against Charles L. Carey. She charged habitual drunkenness and non-support. The court allowed her \$500 alimony and \$5 a month for the support of their child. Official County Canvass—The official canvass of the vote at the fall election was started by County Clerk Haverly, F. C. O'Halloran and George Holmes, members of the canvassing board, Friday morning. The complete vote of the county will be tabulated from the returns made by the election boards, and unless some unforeseen difficulties arise the count will be completed in about a week. The margins between the republican and democratic candidates is so wide it is believed there will be no contests to delay the count. Falls to Identify Auto—Failure properly to identify the automobile that ran into his truck wagon at 4:30 one morning caused Sam Cohen to lose his damage suit against W. O. True in county court Friday morning. Cohen sued True for the damage done his wagon and harness. He testified he saw the number—1850—on the car and this is the number of True's machine. True, however, testified his car was in the barn that night and he himself was in Iowa. Judge Leslie held the identification of the car was not complete and found for True. Funds for University of Omaha—Plans for a campaign to raise funds for the University of Omaha were laid at a meeting of the board of trustees held Wednesday evening. The meeting was entirely preliminary and the work of canvassing for funds was given over to a finance committee to be appointed by Judge Kennedy, president of the board. A publicity committee to aid in the campaign will also be named. The board endorsed all the steps that have been taken so far such as the securing of options on the tract of land in North Omaha. Rev. B. A. McBride of the Central United Presbyterian church was elected vice president of the board. Hat from Klondike—A suit growing out of the Klondike gold rush was decided by a jury in Judge Troup's court Friday morning. W. G. Preston & Co. who in 1901 and 1902 was engaged in the shipment of supplies to points on the

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THOSE who know what the "Nebraska" has given in the past sales of this character may depend on seeing all former records surpassed in this, the most remarkable sale ever attempted by any Omaha firm. Conditions this season have been abnormal—continued warm weather and the uncertainty of politics completely upset manufacturing and wholesale circles—in many instances resulting in seasonable merchandise being sacrificed very decisively.

We took advantage of one such instance, exchanged our ready cash for several hundred yards of Suitings, and ordered it made in the latest styles by a celebrated New York maker. The tailoring is all hand work; the linings and trimmings carefully selected; coats have haircloth, non-breakable fronts, padded shoulders, hand-felled collar and lapels, and hand buttonholes.

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Yukon, was sued by the Aggers-Bowworth company for \$1,250.00, which was claimed to be due on supplies sold to the Preston company. Preston & Co. denied the debt, asserting it had paid for everything it had bought outright and the goods in controversy were handled by it on commission. Part of the produce was sold to a Yukon firm that went into bankruptcy and part applied in transit. The jury found for the defendant.

Notice. Our attention has been called to a man soliciting in the city for a fashion magazine, stating that we were going to carry the patterns illustrated in it, also offering a pattern of dress goods free as a premium. We have no agents soliciting for us in any way and take this means of notifying you that this man is a fraud and to be on your guard.

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At the Theaters

"Cupid and the Dollar" at the Boyd. A play in three acts, by Charles Jeffrey; presented by Mr. Tim Murphy and his company of players. The characters and those who portray them:

David Stratton, a wealthy American millionaire.....Mr. Tim Murphy
Virginia Stratton, his daughter.....Miss Dorothy Sherrod
Constance Drowoff, his adopted daughter.....Miss Minna Perry
Count Drowoff, a Russian noble.....Mr. Allan Brander
Paul Weston, formerly engaged to the countess.....Edward J. Hayes
Lord Douglas, in love with Virginia.....Mr. William Sama
Lady Evelyn Varney, a distant relation of Lady Drowoff.....Miss Grace Hadwell
Peter, a valet.....Mr. O. J. Griffin
James, a footman.....Mr. James Dudley

If ever Tim Murphy had a good play it is this season. Often he has scored successes, but "Cupid and the Dollar" seems to present unusual opportunities for the genial actor to get to the heart of his audience, for it is often the heart strings that are touched, even though the piece is essentially a comedy and the audience is laughing most of the time. Giving room for clever humor, wonderful pathos and that kind of playing that makes one wish the whole family could see it, this latest of Tim Murphy's offerings was yet accorded only an ordinary audience at its first performance in Omaha Thursday night, but it is believed that the remaining presentations of the play will be better attended, as many of last night's patrons remarked that it was the best piece the star has had since the days of "A Texas Steer."

England is the scene of the story's action and like some of Mr. Murphy's former plays, acting and not scenery is made the primal object of the production, for the three acts have practically the same setting. As the title would indicate, much of the play is concerned with the question of marriages for money, and many a hard rap is taken at the unions of American heiresses and foreign titles. However, the action of the piece brings forth one marriage that is a love affair, even though the principals are the daughter of a wealthy American miner and an English lord.

Starting with the love affair and resulting engagement between the western-born girl, who has a New York education, and Lord Douglas, who turns out all right in the end, the story leads through a somewhat involved situation that results from the desire of the engaged American girl to save her foster sister from the scandal that would follow an exposure of her love for a former sweetheart and her hate of the exiled Russian count whom she had married. The final scene of the first act depicts the suspicion of the count, the desertion of the English lord at what he supposes is the faithfulness of his betrothed, the anguish of the suffering countess, who is temporarily shielded by the announced engagement of Virginia to the countess's lover, and the happiness of the "dad" of the girl at what he believes to be best for his daughter and himself. This situation continues till the last scene, when the count is exposed and undone and things end happily for all others concerned.

Some of the fun of the play arises from the retired miser's decision to "turn dude" in order to save his daughter from being ashamed of him, as he supposes.

The amusing English drawl that he suddenly acquires, his unnatural desire for everything proper in haberdashery after telling his valet in a former scene to go to some place where cool weather would not bother him and to let him alone, all add humor to the situations, and with Tim Murphy presenting the character one may easily imagine how well the work was received.

According to custom, Mr. Murphy, his pleasant face and one or two new stories, responded before the curtain to a hearty and prolonged, though not voluminous, applause after the second act, and throughout the course of the play he was greeted with that reception that only denotes recognition of satisfactory work. The same voice, hair, facial expression and general bearing, and that indescribable humor that only Tim Murphy can give to a role, all have their part in the character of David Stratton in "Cupid and the Dollar," and if they ever fitted a role they do this one.

Miss Dorothy Sherrod and the other players of the company win just recognition for their efforts. Miss Sherrod, as the miner's daughter, portraying the part with her usual skill and strength. If any of the parts may be called heavy in a comedy, that carried by Miss Perry is in this one, and she proves quite able to play it. The accent of Mr. Brander as the bad count exiled from Russia and married for money to an American girl, deserves mention for him along with his portrayal of the crusty husband, while Messrs. Hayes and Sama in their parts also do well. The others in the cast are well selected.

"The Little Organ Grinder" at the Krug.

"The Little Organ Grinder," a four-act musical drama by Hal Reid of "Furness Hearty's" fame, began a three days engagement at the Krug last night. Eleanor Caines, as Clarice Lyndon, the little organ grinder, has the principal part and she combines romance, pathos and humor in a most versatile and charming manner.

The scene of the play is laid in and around New York and includes the Bowery, Staten Island, Amboy Road and other well known places near the metropolis. The central telephone station on the Bowery is the location of one of the exciting scenes. There is plenty of action and many thrilling climaxes in the play and the plot is well carried to the end of the last act, when everything is made all right and everybody gets what is coming to them.

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