BRIEF CITY NEWS

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Orange Baskets—Edholm, Jeweler.

Smoke House for Smokes, 214 S. 15th.

Rudolph F. Swoboda, Public Accountant.

Rinehart, photographer, 18th & Farnam.

Print Legals in "The Benson Times."

Equitable Life—Policies, sight drafts at maturity. H. D. Neely, manager, Omaha.

"Three-Fourths of Life"—Rabbi Cohn will preach on "Three-Fourths of Life" at Temple Israel tonight.

Desertion Cited for Divorce—John H. Kersten has filed suit for divorce from Alice Kersten. Desertion is charged.

J. H. Mithen, 203 First National bank building, is making real estate loans without delay and on terms very favorable to borrowers.

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The Drill Team of North Omaha lodge, No. 159, Ancient Order of United Workmen, has completed all arrangements for their annual grand prize mask ball, which will be held at Washington hall, February 22, Washington's birthday.

Damage Case Compromised—The $5,000 damage suit brought by Steven Ruis against the Leonard Construction company has been compromised in the United States circuit court and the proceedings dismissed.

Alleged Overcoat Thief—Trial has begun before Judge Sears in criminal court of Alfred Jones, accused of robbing the Pease Bros. store of seven overcoats. The defendant is represented by Charles Battelle and Assistant County Attorney Piatti is prosecuting.

Carpenter Verdict Stands—There will be no new trial of the suit of Mrs. Marian Carpenter against the supreme council of the Royal League. Judge Day has overruled a motion to that effect. Mrs. Carpenter will receive the $1,527.87 awarded here originally by the jury as insurance for the death of her husband, J. Frank Carpenter.

Butcher Goes Into Bankruptcy—Mr. Fred W. Apen, engaged in the retail meat business in South Omaha, has asked that he may be declared a bankrupt. He schedules his liabilities at $1,980.63 with his assets at $1,372.78, with the customary exemptions made and privided by the national bankruptcy laws.

John G. Woolley at Hanscom Park M. E.—John G. Woolley, for twenty years a leading factor in political prohibition and one time nominee of that party for president, visiting his son, Paul G. Woolley of Omaha has consented to make an address Sunday night at Hanscom Park Methodist church. Westminister Presbyterian and St. Mary's Congregational churches will join in the services.

Another Chance for Lincoln Memorial Stamps—The Omaha post office department has just received another invoice of 400,000 postage stamps of the Lincoln Centenary memorial design. Parties that have hitherto been unable to secure them may now do so. This will be the last invoice of the stamps received at the Omaha postoffice. For the present they will be sold at the rate of thirteen for a cent and a quarter of a dollar.

Two More Galling Yokes—Mrs. Mary R. Sorenson filed a suit for divorce Friday morning against Charles C. Sorenson, proprietor of a saloon at 412 South Eighteenth street. The petition cites a statutory ground. William C. Herrley was accustomed to beat his wife almost daily, according to testimony of his wife, Pearl M. Herrley, before Judge Troup. Another charge is that a year ago when Herrley had a birthday, his wife prepared a dinner of more than ordinary attractiveness to celebrate the occasion. A Mrs. Peterson, a common friend, was invited to attend. When it came time to sit down Herrley, his wife said, refused to let his spouse eat until he had finished his own meal. Threats against her life were also frequent, declared the witness. Judge Troup granted the divorce.

Building Permits.

Edgar M. Morsman, jr., Forty-first avenue and Davenport street, frame dwelling, $6,500; Perfection Cement and Stone company, 4300 North Thirtieth street, cement stone building, $1,000; James Nelson, 2861 Spalding street, frame dwelling, $2,000; Henry Wilson, Thirty-ninth and Decatur streets, frame double dwelling, $2,000; Charles J. Samuelson, Thirtieth street and Capitol avenue, frame double dwelling, $4,500.

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NEW MOVEMENT IN IRELAND

Seumas MacManus, Noted Nationalist, Tells of Its Progress.

MANY ARE LEARNING GAELIC

Teaching of Native Tongue Encourages National Spirit—No Need Now for the Irish to Leave Ireland.

"Shinn Fein" (For Ourselves) vs. the Irish parliamentary party was the burden of a spirited address delivered by Seumas MacManus, the noted Irish nationalist and writer on Irish folk lore, before the Emmett Monument association in Orleans hall in the Arlington block Thursday evening.

The meeting, which was an informal one, assembled for the special purpose of meeting Seumas MacManus socially, was presided over by P. C. Heafey and was attended by about sixty of the leading Irishmen of the city.

"Shinn Fein" is the name of the new young Irish party in Ireland that is becoming impatient over the slow work of the Irish parliamentary party headed by John Redmond and is urging a greater agitation for Ireland for Irishmen. Mr. MacManus showed what had been accomplished in the last thirty years in Ireland by agitation. Her home industries had been more than doubled and wages had also been doubled. Much had been accomplished in the enactment of the land bill and the home rule bills, but he held that there was still much to do for the betterment of Ireland and that could only be accomplished by the constant agitation for a revival of the national spirit. Ireland had no more members in Parliament today than it had in the time of Parnell, and the national spirit for a time seemed to be asleep.

He declared that drink was one of the great causes of the decadence of the Irish spirit. Twelve millions of pounds are expended annually for strong drink by the Irish people, he held, that should go into the betterment of agricultural conditions and for the establishment of additional schools. He stated also, that there was a strong movement on foot in Ireland to abolish the pernicious practice of treating.

In conclusion, he again urged the encouragement of a revival of the old Irish literature, the Irish language, and to this end he asked that this meeting adopt a resolution asking that the study of the Irish language be made a part of the compulsory education of Ireland, believing that should such a resolution be passed here and elsewhere throughout the United States it would have a good effect in Ireland.

In conformity with his request a committee consisting of Joseph Kenney, P. Linahan and M. O'Connor was appointed to prepare such a resolution, which was later prepared and adopted by the unanimous vote of the meeting.

Upon the conclusion of Mr. MacManus' address a vote of thanks was tendered him, and the remainder of the evening was given over to a smoker and social greetings.

Mr. MacManus will lecture this evening at Creighton university hall on the subject of "Irish Fairies and Folklore."

OMAHA ELKS GO TO FREMONT

Make Things Lively While Demonstrating They Are All Good Fellows.

Omaha Elks showed the people of Fremont last night that the letters B. P. O. E. stand for the "Best People on Earth."

Brimming over with good nature, chock full of fun and imbued with the feeling of goodfellowship, Omaha Elks to the number of nearly 100 went to Fremont last night bent on having a good time—and they had it. The attraction was the annual fair of the Fremont Elks, and the Omaha lodge accepted the invitation of the Fremont brothers to attend, and they attended in such large numbers and gave such liberal patronage at all the many booths that the Fremonters will not soon forget that last night was Omaha night in their city.

The Elks went to Fremont on a special train over the Union Pacific, leaving at 7:15 and arriving home shortly before 12. Record runs were made both ways, and on the outgoing trip the train made over a mile a minute from Lane on. The trip to Fremont was made in 50 minutes, and the return in 51 minutes. Engineer Meiklejohn was at the throttle and George O. Brophy was the conductor.

Arriving at Fremont the visitors formed in line and marched to the club rooms behind the Elks Costume band, Prof. Dimick leader. Into and around the hall they paraded, singing to the tune of "Auld Lang Syne" one of the favorite compositions of the order: "We're here because we're here, because we're here, because," and so on endlessly, or until hoarseness prevented further singing.

While dancing was supposed to be the order of the evening, the visitors had more fun in buying chances on various articles there for sale, from boxes of candy and cut glass dishes up to diamond rings. Pretty girls sold the chances—and they gave back the change, strange as that may seem. An orchestra furnished music for the dance most of the evening, though the Elks band played part of the time and the Elks sang "How Dry I Am."

When the time arrived for departure the visitors again paraded around the ball room, with Sheriff Brailey, on account of his size, and the band at its head. Passing to the streets the strains of "Omaha" rent the air all the way to the depot, where it was found that Mayor Wolz of Fremont and Exalted Ruler Christianson of the Fremont lodge had preceded them. Mayor Wolz was a member of the Omaha lodge a number of years, and knowing that Elks are good feeders, he brought several huge baskets of sandwiches for them to eat on their way home. This capped the climax of the evening's entertainment and the mayor was lifted to the top of a radiator and called upon for a speech. He thanked the Omaha "bunch" for turning out in such large numbers and declared that Fremont will return the compliment when the local lodge holds its fair in April. "But we will bring along the ladies," he said. John A. Rine, exalted ruler of the Omaha lodge, replied briefly and the conductor called "All aboard!"

FEDERAL COURT AT HASTINGS

March Term of South Platte Division Convenes Eighth Day of March.

The March term of the federal court for the Hastings district of the South Platte federal division will convene March 8.

These have been summoned as the federal petit jury for the term, to report at 9:30 a. m., March 8:

John Delnes of Fairfield, H. N. Austin of Inland, Ed Anderson of Sutton, John Alexander of Nelson, N. P. Scott of Lawrence, Martin Hull and George Garlick of Ruskin, Frank P. Clark of Hastings, J. S. Largent and R. B. Thompson of Guide Rock, G. Y. Denny of Bladen, B. F. Hudson of Rosemont, Harry McCue of Lowell, J. M. Household, E. H. Hungan and J. S. Cooper of Newark, Frank Danielson of Minden, Olaf Hawkinson of Heartwell, Henry Cox of Wilcox, B. H. Fattig, Benton Jackson, Grant Clemmons and R. D. Ready of Riverton, T. C. Bradley, Grant Wolcott and James Gierens of Holdrege, T. T. Barr of Atlanta, Horace Phelps and Lewis Clark of Orleans, Frank Tripe, J. S. Coady and Fred Girts of Stamford, Lewis Gildersleeve, J. F. Erwin and H. T. Moore of Alma and W. A. Frahm of Red Cloud.

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Is "The Man Who Corrupted Hadleyburg" the same who "Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo?"

Is "A Tramp Abroad" any more ambitious than the specimens we see in this country?

Is "The Good Old Summertime" going to last all winter?—Judge.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Myron D. Learned, who represented the Omaha Grain exchange in the hearing of the elevation cases before the Interstate Commerce commission, returned to Omaha Friday.

"Irrigated land is in demand all over the west and it has reached a stage that all a man with an irrigated farm has to do is to put it on the market and it is sold," said L. W. Wakeley, general passenger agent of the Burlington, who returned Friday morning from Denver.

Postmaster Carl Kramer of Columbus is an Omaha visitor registered at the Hotel Loyal.

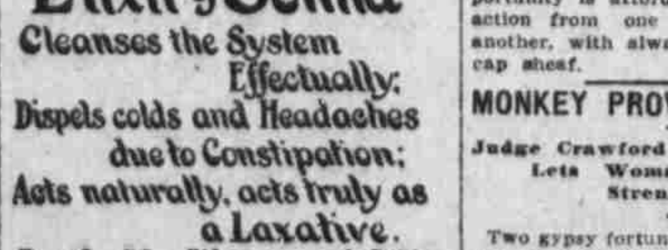
M. Christiansen of Uehling, Thomas Rawlings of Wakefield and T. C. Margett of Fort Collins are at the Hotel Loyal.

C. A. Bennett of Los Angeles, C. E. Eberhart of Walla Walla, O. E. Lafler of Lewiston, Mont.; E. J. Todd of Salem, S. D.; James Philip of Fort Pierre, J. Berg of Lindsay and Charles McCarthy of Minden are at the Paxton.

J. P. McElroy of Rapid City, W. O. Forsyth of San Francisco, F. M. Sullivan of Butte and O. J. Allison of Lincoln are at the Henshaw.

J. O. Greenwalt of Daykin, W. B. Pole of Gordon and C. A. Bates of Pine Ridge are at the Merchants.

Thomas D. Gordon of Sioux City was in Omaha on business.



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At the Theaters

"On Parole" at the Boyd.

The military play keeps its vogue well. The beautiful southern girl, beloved of the federal officer, has been wooed mid the sound of alarms, the crash of cannon and rattle of musketry in many a play—from "Shenandoah" to "The Warrens of Virginia." Most theatergoers know that "On Parole" is of this class and its dramatic merit is neither greater nor less than the others of the kind. The vast majority of playgoers will like it well.

The Woodward stock company is giving it a thoroughly successful presentation. Miss Hill has a role in which she is more in sympathy and better adapted temperamentally to than the girl thief who fled into the bishop's carriage.

Mr. McCollough is the Colonel Dale of the cast and is forceful, convincing and moderately romantic. Miss Redding as the girl in love with the heroine's brother does one of the best protrayals of the company and the Captain Allen Fraser of Mr. Long deserves favorable mention.

The drama will be given through Saturday night. Attendance at the Boyd has been large throughout the week and the new change of bill will not cause a diminution.

"It's Never Too Late to Mend" at the Krug.

Thrilling climaxes, with kidnaping, drugging, shooting and daring leaps for life, make "It's Never Too Late to Mend" one of the plays that sets the gallery to "hollering" with a vim that lasts from first curtain to last and half the way home. The piece tells the story of a girl who was kidnaped when a child from her elderly father, whose wife was false and treacherous to everyone, and even tried to kill her daughter and send her husband to his grave with a slow but certain poison, so that she might get his millions. Of course, everything comes out all right before the last act closes, the girl being restored to her father and marrying the man she loves, the father being saved from death and the villainous wife getting her deserts. The company presenting the play is thoroughly capable of giving it in all its detail of meldramatic incident, comedy and pathos. Some of the players deserve special mention for their work, particularly Paul Burns, as the comical Hebrew landlord who always is on hand to add a laugh to every strained situation. There are thirteen scenes to the production, so plenty of opportunity is afforded for rapid and tense action from one hair-raising event to another, with always just one more as a cap sheaf.

MONKEY PROVES TO BE BABY

Judge Crawford Makes Mistake and Lets Woman Go on the Strength of It.

Two gypsy fortune tellers, with an Italian dialect, unpronounceable names and costumes and manners that savored of the canvas wagon, faced Police Judge Crawford Friday morning. They were charged with having offered to tell fortunes on the street without a license.

"What's that you have there?" asked the judge of one of the women, referring to a large something held in her arms and wrapped in an old shawl in such a way that only some brown skin and fur stuck out at one end of the bundle. "Is it a monkey?"

"Ah, too mucha monka beeaness witta police," vigorously responded the owner of the package, taking up the idea of "monkeying" from his honor's remark.

"Never mind the police; let's see your monkey," ventured Judge Crawford, more interested in the "monkey" than the merits of the case against the women.

"Ah, you tella da police notta mind us. Tella dem no monk when we tella da forch."

And the possessor of the parcel of ragged shawl with something brown and hairy inside continued jabbering until the something in the shawl gave a squirm. The shawl was readjusted around the spot of skin and hair and a pair of blinking eyes, a snubby nose, a tiny mouth and a baby's squall were evidenced. The baby won the women their freedom.

Announcements of the Theaters.

The program for the coming week at the Orpheum will be headed by Homer Lind & Co., presenting the one-act musical play, "The Opera Singer," in which melody and pathos are skillfully mingled. Rogers and Deely will be heard in "The Singer and the Valet." Another singing number is provided by Linton and Laurence. The four Amatis sisters, pianists and vocalists, will present a program composed of classic selections rendered with rare talent and good taste. For those who enjoy fine athletic work the act of Delmore and Lee will prove of much interest. Chinke, the juggler, comes with new feats and dainty Minnie Kaufman, the first of trick bicyclists, will also prove a pleasing feature.

The Woodward Stock company will conclude its engagement at the Boyd theater with a matinee and an evening performance today, offering "On Parole." This is a delightful love story of the war times and is being well handled by the Woodward organization.

On Sunday evening the great Klaw & Erlanger production of "The Round-Up," with its wealth of western scenery will open an engagement of one week at the Boyd. This is one of the real triumphs of the art of stage management and scenic construction. It reproduces the environment of the story of the play perfectly, and those who have been in New Mexico and Arizona will feel in it the great uplift of that wonderful country. The story is a romance of the region where life is full and free and hearts and hands are always open. Macklyn Arbuckle is still playing the role of "Slim Hoover, the sheriff," with Florence Rockwell as the girl of the Sweetwater ranch. Orme Caldera and the others of the original cast are yet with the company.

Maude Leone and the Burwood Stock will be seen twice today in "All-of-a-Sudden Peggy," which has drawn immense audiences at the Burwood theater all week. Miss Leone's first week as leading woman of the organization has been a succession of ovations and from the excellent impression she has made it is safe to say that each succeeding week will but add to her popularity.

In the first act of "Sapho," which starts a week's run tomorrow afternoon, Miss Leone will wear her famous crystal gown, a dress composed entirely of glass and weighing eighty-six pounds.

Correcting History.

Alexander the Great wept.

"Why these tears, your majesty?" asked the sycophants. "Isn't it glory enough to have conquered one world?"

"I'm not weeping because there are no more worlds to conquer," blubbered Alexander. "It's because I have a presentiment that some day Signor Ferrero will find out I'm nothing but a shine."

The sycophants, suppressing the real facts in the case, gave out the false version of the incident that has come down through the ages.—Chicago Tribune.

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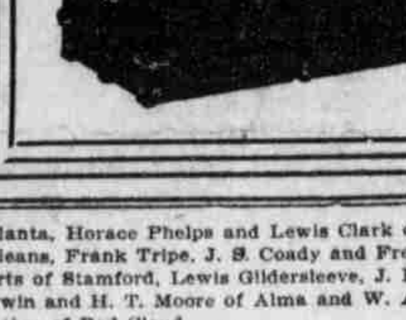
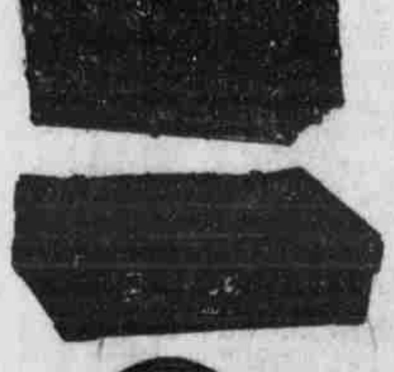

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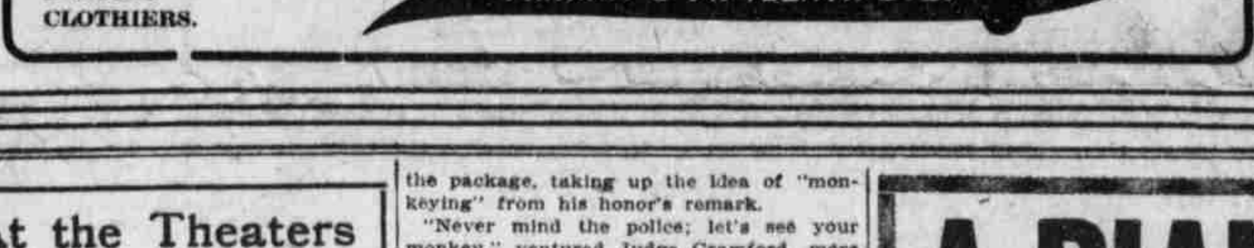

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