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THE OMAHA SUNDAY BEE: APRIL 25, 1909.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

ence Lake and Anna I. Hart; Meedamee W. C. Price, Haymaker, Martin. A supper was given at the Young Word en's Christian association Thursday even-

ing for the members of the class of '86 of the Omaha High school. The evening was spent pleasantly in story-telling and remi-

niscencing, and a poem was read by Miss Miss Emily Wood, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Heller and Miss Janet Wallace. Other members of that class were Miss Alice Avery, Miss Nellie Rosewater, Miss Alice Rustin, Mr. Charles McConnell, Mr. Edward Strictz Mr. Arthur Rose, Miss Annie Young, Miss Ida Bruce, Miss Myra Hannon? Miss Elizabeth' Witman and Mr. Lewis Weymuller. The supper was given in honor of Miss

McCague. Weddings and Engagements.

Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Ensor of South Omaha announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Neville Regina Ensor, to Mr. MONDAY-Mrs. A. J. Beaton, luncheon at Omaha club for Mrs. Harry Street of Chicago; Monday Bridge club meeting; Monday Bridge Luncheon club meeting; rehearsal and informal supper for Hays-Mirger modules courts. Antone Lyman Lott, jr. The wedding will take place June 12.

Richardson,

The wedding of Dr. John Kelley of Central City, Neb., and Dr. Ellen Anderson of Wolbach, Neb., will take place on next Wednesday evening, April 28, at 8 o'clock, at the home of Dr. Kelley's parents, 2719 Pinkney street.

Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald of Lincoln announces the engagement of her dauughter, Miss Lillian, to Mr. Chauncey Abbott, jr., of Schuyler. Miss Fitzgerald is the daughter of the late John. Fitzgerald of Lincoln and has many friends in Omaha. The wedding of Miss Marie Nutting.

rehearial and informal supper for Hays-Milroy wedding party. TUESDAY-Hays-Milroy wedding at First Presbyterian church; current topics de-partment luncheon at Young Women's Christian association; Mrs. John L. Ken-nedy, informal bridge luncheon for Mrs. Harry Street; Mrs. Oury entertains Fort Omaha Bridge club; Misse Henrietta Rees entartains Melody club; Misses Hasel and Mable Heaton, Jolly Dozen club. WEDNESDAY-Kelley-Anderson wedding; Mrs. Glenn Wharton Midweek Bridge club; Mrs. George Prinz, Bridge Club; Miss Ethel Conant, Kensington club; Allernets club, Mrs. C. V. Smith, hostess; Mrs. W. H. Wigman, LaVeta club; Mrs. M. C. Langston, Independence club. THURBDAY-Mrs. Arthur Kuhn, Comis club. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Uutting, and Mr. W. F. Kearney of Kenesaw, Neb., took place Wednesday evening at St. John's . club. FRIDAY-Musicale for Child Saving Insti-tute at home of Miss Jessie Millard; danoing party at Rome hotel for Child Saving Institute: Miss Isabell French, Junior Bridge club; Mrs. J. R. Manches-ter, Friday club; Mrs. Carl Strand, H. H. C. club. church. The Rev. Father Bronsgeest officlated. Miss Clara Chadwick was the maid of honor and Mike Dineen best man. There was an informal reception at the home of the bride's parents at 925 North Twentyfifth avenue. After a short wedding trip

ATURDAY-Opening of the Country club; Omaha High school May day prom. at Chambers. in Kenesaw. #

SOCIETY TRAINS FOR SUMMER

Country Club Will Celebrate Season's

Formal Opening Saturday Evening.

USUAL DINNER AND DANCE GIVEN

elety Will Entertain Extensively

for Benefit of Child Saving Insti-

tute Building Fund-Club

Women Give Parties.

The Alternative.

Social Calendar.

Housecleaning days have come again, The saddest of the year, And I in my once happy home Know hardly where to steer. With soap and suds and brush and by And wreckage everywhere, A map perforce must fly the goop.

A man perforce must fly the coop, Or swear and swear and swear.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Keeline of Coun-The formal opening of the Country club cil Bluffs announce the engagement of their saturday evening will be one of the largest daughter, Miss Edna Louise, to Mr. Conrad social affairs of the season. Table d'hote E. Spens of Omaha, the wedding to take dinner will be served at 7:30 o'clock and place some time this fail. The above inwill be followed by dancing Over 150 teresting announcement was made to a few reservations have been made for dinner intimate friends Saturday evening. Miss and about 300 guests are expected. In Keeline has a host of friends and is popuorder to accommodate all of the members lar in social circles in Council Bluffs and who wish to come the lists have been re- Omaha. Mr. Spens is a well-known club stricted to members and out-of-town guests. man and was recently appointed a colonel Tables will be placed on the porches, and on the governor's staff. He is general in the living room and ball room, besides freight agent for the Burlington rallway. the dining rooms.

Little change will be made at the club this season. The regular table d'hote din- Spanish War ners preceding the dancing will be served Veterans Meet each Saturday evening. Sunday a table d'hote luncheon will be served for the golfers, and Sunday evening table d'hote supper will be served. Wednesday will be ladies' day, with the usual table d'hots luncheon. Wednesday evening the midweek dancing parties will be given, but Department of Nebraska, U. S. W. V., dinner will be served a la carte this year. Will Hold First Encampment

Most of the large affairs given recently have been for charity or have been given Arrangements are well along for the by clubs, very few private parties of any cond annual reunion of the Spanish War size being entertained. Prominent among veterans in Nebraska, which is also the the affairs of last week were the bridge occasion of the first annual encampment party given by Mrs. Charles Harding and Mrs. Byron Smith for the Child Saving of the Department of Nebraska, United Spanish War veterans, than to be organ-Irstitute, and two large luncheon parties, ized. It will take place the coming Monthe one given by the Woman's club at the day, April 26, the eleventh anniversary of Young Woman's Christian association and the call for troops by President McKinley. the luncheon at Hanson's cafe for the Though Monday is the one day scheduled visiting Woman's Christian Temperance for the reunion, it will begin in an inunion representatives. formal way at reunion headquarters at

Several more musicales and partles are ing planned for the Child Saving Insti- tion committees will be present, and the tute. A musicale will be given Friday at the home of Miss Jessie Millard. A committee of women has been formed to promote the success of the musicale, as follows: Miss Jessie Millard, Mrs. Edith Waggoner, Miss Belle Von Mansfield, Mrs Clara Haivley, Mrs. N. P. Dodge, jr., Mrs. W. T. Baxter and Mrs. S. S. Caldwell.

Lighting Bids Precipitate Trouble Among Councilmen.

Emily Wood. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Sanders, Miss Minnie Collett. Benefit Entertainment for Child Saving Institute at the Home of Mr. and Mrs.

Laverty.

"Sour grapes" is an element of the city lighting proposition which is to enter into the considerations of the bids for public lightning now before the city council. The who is the guest of Mrs. John council held a session Friday night as a

committee of the whole to consider the propositions. S. L. Winter, one of the principal advocates of the recent Nebraska Power company's proposition to erect and sell to South Omaha a \$2,500,000 municipal plant, and who is the present city attorney, was present to raise all the ob-

jections which were hurled against his favorite proposition and hurl the same agains the new South Omaha company, modified to suit the new conditions.

It was not denied that the new company's bid was \$5 cheaper for each arc light nor

that the commercial lighting rate was 2 cents cheaper for each kilowatt hour, but the point was made that whereas the present company now pays a royalty of \$1.75 on nercial lighting, the city would lose that royalty. The new company agreed. and is required, to pay a royalty at the same rate, but the patronage would be nothing at the start.

Ancient History Not Wanted. The representatives of the new company insisted that the questions involved in the Nebraaka power proposition were entirely out of place in the proposed plan and there was no reason for ringing up this bit of South Omaha's ancient history. The matter of the royalty would adjust itself Mr. and Mrs. Kearney will make their home long before the ten years' contract ex-

pired. It was agreed by the attorneys to incorporate in the lighting contract that a plant of \$100,000 valuation at least should be erected within the city limits and subject to taxation this would yield a revenue annually of \$920 at least. This, with the difference in the bids, would balance any present royalty.

S. L. Winters then attacked the credibility of the new company for the reason. as he expressed it, the attorneys for the new company had in the past attacked the credibility of the Nebraska Power company. It is likely that it will be a long time before the council and the public, to whom in all probability the proposition will in the end be referred, will have settled the light proposition. Already there are signs of sharp division

Here Monday in the council and it is doubtful if the contract as it stands at present will be awarded. A new advertisement may be necessary. The new company being nominally the lowest bidder, if not to all practical purposes, will object to a readvertisement.

After considering all these possibilities the committee of the whole rose without definite action and passed the question over until the meeting of the council Monday evening

Benefit for Institute. benefit entertainment for the Child Saving Institute will be given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Laverty, 1482 North Twenty-sixth street, Tuesday, April 27, from 2 to 5 p. m. An extensive program of music has been arranged and refreshments will be served to all comers. A baby show will be one of the special features. All bables under 18 months will the Millard hotel on Sunday, where recepbe eligible to compete for some elegant

this effort to increase the fund for the

new buldings. An admission of 25 cents

will be expected of each guest. The enter-

tainment is in charge of a competent com-

mittee of enthusiastic workers for this

Sunday Services.

subject of Dr. R. L. Wheeler's Sunday

morning sermon. In the evening his theme

will be as unusual as evangelistic. Mrs.

Florence Wheeler will lead the Christian

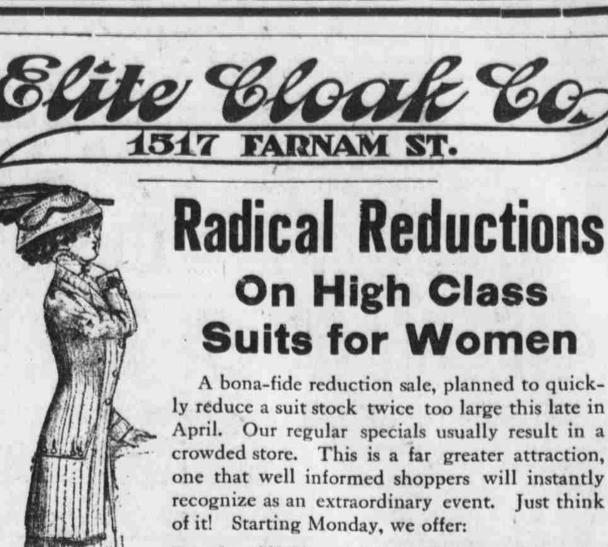
Endeavor meeting on the topic, "Africa

Rev. R. W. Livers will preach at the

and Its Missionary Heroes."

"The Covenant and The Gospel." is the

cause.



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Formerly manager of the H. J. Penfold Co., has purchased the stock and good will of that company and moved the stock to the Jewelry store of T. L. Combs & Co., 1520 Dougins St. where he will be pleased to meet all his old friends as well as new.

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## That Wedding Gift

There is the "family silver" idea. How substantial it sounds! How it touches the vanity of the self-made man! How it appeals to the best instincts in all of us-the love of respectability, permanence of family, continuity of blood and station, and similar pleasing inferences that the phrase carries with it. After all, there is much that is worthy in the idea of "family silver."

For wedding gifts, therefore, fitting preparations have been made by us in the display of numberless appropriate articles ranging from the daintiest trifles to the most elaborate of special pieces.

Albert Edholm, Jeweler 16th and Harney.

Mr. Archer Gibson, the well-known organist of New York City, who is at the ome of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Joslyn, will probably give an organ recital in one will probably give an organ recital in one of the churches, the proceeds to go to the Child Saving institute. Another large affair to be given for the benefit of the Child Saving institute is a dance Friday evening at the Rome hotel by five of the large dancing clubs of the city, including the Hanscom park, Elks, Saturday Night club, Capitol Hill Dancing club, the Arab Patroi and the Qui Vive, when 50 cents admission will be charged. The Musical association has donated the music, which will be fur-niahed by Dimick's orchestra, and the floral decorations will be furnished by Hen-derson. Those in charge of the entertain-ment are D. J. O'Brien, Howard Goulding of the churches, the proceeds to go to the

ment are D. J. O'Brien, Howard Goulding and Benjamin F. Thomas. The Thursday Bridge club will give large May party May 5 for the benefit of

the Child Saving institute, when bridge and high five will be played, and about 400 in vitations will be issued.

#### Pleasures Past.

Mrs. Earnest Stuht entertained the P. N. G. club at five hundred Thursday afternoon at her home. Prizes were won by Mrs. Corrine Hansen, Mrs. Susie Standeren and Mrs. Edward Maack. Refreshments were served. Mrs. A. J. Thompson. Miss Ruth Neal, Miss Mabel Stuht, Mr. Rich and Mr. Earnest Stuht were the guests of the afternoon. The members present were: Mesdames Susje Standeren J. Nilsson, A. P. Liddell, E. J. Streits, Earnest Stuht, Corrine Hansen, B. F. Mrs. John Dahnke and Mrs. Charles Rumohr gave a dancing party Thursday evening at the German club house for Miss Hattie Dahnke and Miss Rolla Rumohr. A color scheme of pink and white was used in decorating the ball room and also in the banquet room, where supper was served. A table in the shape of a triangle was used and in the center was a bouquet of pink and white blossoms on a stand covered with ferns and lighted with pink shaded lights. About fifty young people

Strawn, B. Golden and Edward Maack.

Miss Mary Ryder, of 717 North Twenty-

eighth avenue, enter-ained a company of

young friends Thursday evening. Music

and dancing made up the program, and

refreshments were served the latter part

of the evening. As all present were mu-

sicians, solos, choruses and instrumental

selections followed each other almost con-

tinuously during the evening. Those pres

England, Florence Britt, Josephine Daugh-

erty. Mary Ryder, and Mossrs. Alfred

Hoffman, Jesse Schroeder, James Blair,

Mis. F. D. Lake gave a linen showe

Friday evening at her home in honor of

her sister, Miss Anna I. Hart, whose mar-

take place in May. At the guessing con-

test the prize was won by Miss Ellen

Johnson. Several impromptu musical num

bers were given and those present were

Misses Myrtle Blake, Gertrude Green.

Margaret Knott, Gertrude Martin, Orna E.

Johnson, Jean Elder, Edith Rustin, Frances

riage to Mr. Albert James McGrath will

Carl Maum and Clarence Bakule.

Misses Ethel Isitt, Martha

wore present.

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veterans' camps will mdet Sunday evening for informal conference. Since the reunion place is convenient for many veterans from western lowa, and Dr. Donald Macrae of Council Bluffs, late surgeon Fifty-first Iowa Volunteer Infantry, is on the toast list for the evening,

it is expected a large delegation of Iowani will be present. This excerpt from the bulletin just issued by the committee on arrangements gives the latest news about what is to

in Omaha.

English Latheran church Sunday morning.

Music will prevail, regimental interings follow. At the banquet at the Millard in the evening: Col. William Hayward, Nebraska City, will be tosstmaster. Toasts by newly elected department commander of United States War Veterans, Gen. P. H. Barry, Greeley; Capt. P. James Cosgrava, Lincoln; Maj. Harry S. Dungan, Hastings; Maj. Donald Macrae, Council Bluffs, Ia., and Gen. Charles Morton, Omaha.

Unions Object

regular service in the evening. St. Mark's day will be observed at St. Clement's mission by the holy communion at 8 a. m. The morning prayer and sermon will be at 11 a. m. Evening prayer, with a sermon, will be observed at St. Edward's

church. "A Blind Man's Blessing." is the subject of the morning address by Rev. George Van Winkle at the Baptist church. His evening address will be evangelistic. Clever Work.

It's hard to retract, but we have to do it We told you recently that we had the handsomest suits of the season. We didn't.

We have them now. Two new, elegant creations from Hart, Schaffner & Marz, Artistic, clever work, some class or any other word or phrase won't fit these or explain their merits. We want to show them to you. Our stock has never before been as good or as clean in all lines. Crowded with good things and big bargains from end to end of this store. We will beat city prices 10 to 20 per cent or

make you a present. Don't be carried away by the big noise from the north. You can make no mistake by looking near home JOHN FLYNN & CO.

Magie City Gossip. H. C. Miller has returned from a visit

Charles Dunham has returned from a trip to northern Nebraska. Mrs. Elwell of Springfield, Neb., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Josephine Gram-

Mrs. J. C. French entertained the Ladies' Ald society of the Baptist church yesterday afternoon James Owens of the South Omaha Na-

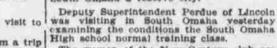
tional bank has gone on a business to Creighton, Neb. The Presbyterian King's Daughters met vesterday afternoon with Mrs. Frank E. Bliss, Twenty-fifth and E streets.

K. Ods, a Jap of the South Omaha colony, died yesterday morning at the South Cmaha hospital. His body will be cremated at Davenport. Ia.

E. F. Folda and J. C. French have gon-to Washington to wait on the comptrolle your business.

room with reliable furiers in charge.

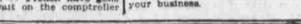
employing the theme, "Christ The Good Sorosis models embrace every Shepherd." The young people will hold the essential of Shoe Satisfaction-Softness and pliability in leathers, comfort in fit and graceful in form The Staple Sorosis Styles \$3.50 Sorosis Specials \$4,00 Custom Made \$5.00 and upwards Frank Wilcox, Mgr.



E. M. Scott fell from a car in the Bur-lington yards last night and was injured so much that he was taken to the South Omaha hospital. His back was severely strained.

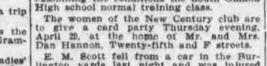
The following births have been reported Henry Petersen. Twenty-second and Mis-souri avenue, a giri; Ansen Calta, 374 South Twenty-second. a boy; George Sax, 221 North Twenty-sixth, a giri; William Bush, Thirty-fourth and T. a giri.

Sturdy oaks from little acorns growadvertising in The Bee will do wonders for

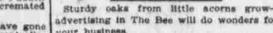


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..... **Sorosis Shoe Store** 208 South 15th St. of the currency on the matter of making South Omaha a reserve city.



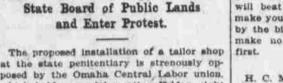
strained.



coats to match Must have room for arrival of new Linen Gowns--OUR AIMthe Highest Quality at the Lowest Prices Switches Wigs, Puffs, Curls, Pompadour and Transformations. Cluster Puffs, at ..... Combings made into switches. Pupils taken to learn the trade.



# to Convict Labor Omaha Men Will Appear Before



posed by the Omaha Central Labor union which held a special meeting Friday night at the Labor temple to consider the proposition. The result was the adoption of a resolution, protesting against the project and authorizing the appointment of a committee to call on the governor and the Board of Public Lands and buildings with the protest. Louis V. Guye and P. J. Ford were chosen to comprise the committee.

### ICONOCLASTIC POLICE DENY STORY OF BARTENDER

Paracchini Insists Stranger John Shot Him, but Officers Say Beer

Glass Was Weapon Used. John Paracchini says a stranger shot him in the head. The police declare that the stranger bounced a bear glass off Parac-

chini's dome of thought. At all events Paracchini, who is a bartender working for his brother in a saloon at Ninth and Jackson, telephoned the sta tion Friday afternoon, declared he had been shot and sat down passively until the patrol wagon arrived.

Paraochini told the police a stranger came into the saloon and the two shool dice for the drinks. The stranger lost and refused to pay. Then Paracchini, according to his story, took his gun from beneath the bar and started out to meet the stranger. The two came together and the stranger took the pistol and proceeded to shoot Paracchini in the top of the head, cutting a gash about two inches long. The stranger disappeared and Paracohini called the police.

Paracchini was taken to the police sta-Sullivan, Bens Thompson, Bertha Hay-Katherine Hart, Isabel Traill, tion and his head was fixed up by Dr. Charlotte Elder, Ellen Johnsoh, Myrtle Newell. The police were unable to locate Rustin, Alice Burnham, Ruth Lake, Flor- his assailant.