

BRIEF CITY NEWS

More Root Prints.

Take your prints to the Times.
Electric Fans—Singer-Gardner Co.
Best Dry Cleaning of garments. Twin
City Dry Works, 407 South Fifteenth.

R. BREWER HOWELL FINE—Mr. Brewer
Howell, a prominent member of the Water
Board, has filed with the city clerk as
candidate for re-election.

MONEY TO LOAN to Home Builders at
lowest association rates and easiest
method of repayment. Nebraska Savings
and Loan Assn. 114 Board of Trade Bldg.

In the Income Court—George N. Mayhew
has brought suit for divorce from Charles
C. Mayhew, a traveling salesman. She
charges his wife George A. Lang has been
given a divorce from George A. Lang upon
allegations of his support. A decree is
granted Josephine, daughter of George and
Frederick Paul Beutler. She charged him
with having neglected their children.

Minister Files for GINGER—Rev. Melvin
O. McLaughlin, 312 Lathrop street, pastor
of the First United Brethren church, has
filed as candidate for election to the State
Senate from Douglas county. He is the
second republican candidate in the field,
as Leslie Ringer filed some time ago. Rev.
McLaughlin says his platform is "straight
republican." "I have no hobbies and no
time to grind," he said.

Great Days Work is Being Done—County
Commissioner John Grant is busy in giving
"credit where credit is due." He made
a little tour of inspection Thursday morning
unofficially and all by himself, of the
new court house. He says he found that
the work is now going on as rapidly as can
be expected, that there is coming in rapidly
and that, as it appears to him, as many
men are at work as can at this time be
conveniently handled.

Want Men to Correct—The Omaha
Linen & Buffet association admits having
made a mistake, and asks that the
county court correct it. The association
wants Anton Stephanoff to remit the sum
of \$500 which it is claimed, is the amount
of Mr. Stephanoff's indebtedness. The
company states that Stephanoff owed two
accounts, one for \$500 and the other for \$600.
They further state that when he paid the
amount of \$500 a mistake was made, by
which both amounts were marked "paid."

Hawthorne Men to Denver—Members of
the National Retail Dealers' Hardware asso-
ciation will arrive in Omaha on Saturday
afternoon at 4 p.m., on a special train at the
Union station. There will be about 100
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Meantime work is progressing rapidly on
the new \$150,000 home of the institute which
is being erected on Forty-second street
where Jackson would intersect if pro-
longed. Cement flooring is being laid on
the second floor and it is expected that the
building will be entirely completed by
October 1.

**Company Formed
to Give Aero Meet**

Officers Elected and Stock Sub-
scribed at Meeting Held
Thursday.

The Midwest Aviation Meet company was
organized at a meeting held at the Com-
munity Club Thursday noon. This com-
pany will be financially responsible for the
aviation meet to be held July 22-24 under
the auspices of the Aero Club of Nebraska.
The new company is to have a capital
stock of \$50,000, divided into 100 shares.
These officers were elected:

President—J. J. Durkin,
Vice President—E. R. Kimball,
Secretary and Manager—Clarke Powell,
Treasurer—Gould Davis.

**HARRINGTON AGAINST
BRYAN'S LATEST PLAN**

Would Not Put a County Option
Plank in the Democratic
Platform.

M. F. Harrington of O'Neill was regis-
tered at the Paxton yesterday. He refused
to discuss the statement of W. J. Bryan
touching the importance of county option
further than to say:

"Mr. Bryan and myself are warm per-
sonal friends, and so I will not be drawn
into any argument. This much I will say,
though, that among the democrats and
populists there I have met to the districts
where my business takes me not one who
has not expressed himself in favor of putting
a county option plank in the state plat-
form. Some of them are for the thing per-
sonally, but they will not add to put a
declaration favoring it in the platform. So
far as I can judge now, I do not believe
a county local option plank will be in the
democratic state platform."

Mr. Harrington said he did not believe
he could attend the state convention him-
self, "although I should very much like
to," he added.

A Fierce Attack
of malaria, liver derangement and kidney
trouble, is easily cured by Electric Bittera,
the guaranteed remedy. We. For sale by
M. M. Dugay Co.

TO CARE FOR THE NEWSBOYS

Club Formed Eight Years Ago to Be
Reorganized.

BOYS ARE TO WEAR BADGES

Plans to Make Boys of Their Own Badges
by Purchasing Comfortable
Rooms and Reading
Matter.

To keep the 300 newsboys of Omaha from
swearing, smoking, shooting craps, larger-
ing to wash their hats and all the other
vices in the calendar, the News-
boys club is to be reorganized by Chief
Probation Officer Harry Bernstein. Eight
years ago the club was founded and has
been enforcing its rules ever since, but a
new system of badges and registration has
been found necessary. A business man's
committee, upon whom E. W. Dickson,
Rome Miller, Joseph M. Cudahy, Father
Stevens and Judge Sutton as judge of the
juvenile court have already been asked to
serve, will have final authority over the
newsboys' affairs. Five other men will be
added. The committee directly in charge
of the boys will be the men who have
charge of the street sales of the various
newspapers—See Carroll, Tony Costello, Tom
Motter and Carroll.

Every boy will be given a numbered
badge and he can be identified by his
number. If he breaks any of the rules or
is troublesome to any matron a complaint
may be made to the office of the juvenile
court, where Miss Esther Johnson will act
as secretary and keep a record.

The Newsboys' club, which is a self-gov-
erning organization and which was formed
by Harry to help the boys keep off the
streets after 8 o'clock and to keep them
out of saloons, expects to re-establish its
club rooms in the fall. All of its rules
are backed by the circulation managers
of the various newspapers and if any boy
sets himself against the rules just rebelli-
on is swiftly quelled by a refusal to sell him
any more papers. A similar club was
organized by Harry Bernstein in Minne-
apolis about two years ago and the busi-
ness men of that city are now raising
funds for a club house.

We have the best behaved set of news-
boys of any city in the country," says
Harry, "and the thing that keeps them
together is this organization. It does away
altogether with any danger of strikes or
organized trouble, and it helps the boys
the newspapers and the public."

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