

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Five Root Print L. Electric Fans—Burgess-Grandson Co. Best Dry Cleaning of garments. Twin City Dye Works, 407 South Fifteenth.

CHARLES K. COUTANT DIES

One of Omaha's Oldest Pioneers Passes Away. HAD BEEN HERE FORTY YEARS. Mr. Coutant held prominent place in early affairs of the city. Held office and helped build its commerce.

Knights Prepare for Roosevelt; Many Will Come

No Special Program at Den, and Show is Given and Applauded by Members of Ak-Sar-Ben. Samson proved last night, to his own satisfaction at least, that he can hold just as successful Monday night initiations without any particular guests as he can with a crowd who think they're the whole show.

TELEPOST COMPANY COMES

Locates Offices and Plant in This City Right Away. PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION SOON. Messages to be sent on last day of the month, when the public is invited to be on hand.

Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps that have been selling all season at \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 & \$4 98c. Buys Any Pair. So Come Early. Nebraska Clothing Co. 'The House of High Merit.'

To Passengers Hanscom Park and North 24th Line. Sometime during September Pay-As-You-Enter Cars will be placed on the Hanscom Park and North 24th Street line.

Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway Co.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE. OFFERED FOR RENT. Thursday is Home Day. See what bargains are set for you on that day by Real Estate Dealers. Buy your home.

South Dakota Wants Pictures

Asks for Films Taken by the Trade Boosters While at Alexandria. An echo of the South Dakota-Nebraska trade excursion reached the Commercial club Tuesday in the form of a request from G. K. Stablin of Alexandria, S. D.

Ties Money to Shin; is Robbed

John Huffman Took Unusual Precaution, but Was Thief's Victim, Nevertheless. The usual precaution of tying his money to the side of one limb when he retired, availed John Huffman, a roomer at the Davenport lodging house nothing, according to his report to the police Tuesday that he had been robbed.

Omaha Corn Crop is on the Blink

Hot Wind Dries Up the Field at Corner of Seventeenth and Harney Streets. Da corn crop is on da blink. Antonio Constantine, who is Omaha's only downtown farmer, is in despair because the sun has scorched the corn which he has been raising on his large farm at Seventeenth and Harney streets on a small section of the W. H. Thomas lot.

NO REPORT IS MADE BY TELEPHONE COMPANY

Railway Commission Says Annual Report of Independent Company is Missing. Reports from Lincoln declare that the State Railway commission has observed that the annual report of the Independent Telephone company of Omaha is among several which have not answered roll call in the office of the State Railway commission. And the attorney general is preparing suit.

ARMY ORDERS ARE ISSUED

Changes Made in Service by War Department—New Duties for Engineers. (From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Army orders issued today are as follows: Captain Edwin Bell, Eighth Infantry, will relieve Captain Arthur Cranston, Eighth Infantry, of construction work at the Presidio, Monterey, Cal.

OMAHA BOY OCCUPIES PULPIT

Dr. William B. Lower to Preach at First Presbyterian Church in Place of Dr. Jenks. Rev. Dr. William Barnes Lower with his wife and two daughters, Mary and Ruth, arrived in Omaha Monday for a week's visit and for the occasion of Dr. Lower filling the pulpit as substitute for the Rev. Dr. Jenks at the First Presbyterian church next Sunday. Dr. Lower was formerly an Omaha young man. He was graduated from the local high school and the Omaha theological seminary. He was at one time principal of the Bellevue High school. He is the son of W. H. Lower, who for a long time was connected with a local newspaper. Rev. Dr. Jenks, whose place Dr. Lower is to fill Sunday, is away on his vacation.

SPECIAL TRAIN FOR BANKERS

Express Driver Dies from Fall. George Whitmack Succumbs at Hospital to Injuries received in Fall from Wagon. Omaha bankers are to be given an opportunity to join the special train of the Bankers' association which will pass through here September 23. The annual meeting of the National Bankers' association will be held in Los Angeles this year and as the Nebraska association meets here on that day the Burlington has arranged to attach two extra cars to the special train, carrying the crowd to the west at this point and take on those of the Omaha convention who wish to go.

STATE FAIR SEPT. 5th to 9th 1910 LINCOLN THE STATE'S BEST PRODUCTS. Wright Bros. Aeroplane in Daily Flights. Lombardo Symphony Band and Opera Concert Company. Great Races, Patterson Shows, Base Ball, Fireworks, Night Races, Vaudeville.

Mayor Loses a Big Fine Steer

Was to Have Received One at St. Paul Convention, but Stays Away. Somebody in St. Paul is deemed to be disappointed. While the convention of the League of American Municipalities is in session there some of the prominent city officials in attendance are being "kicked about their antecedents and propensities. Mayor Jim of Omaha, "Cowboy Mayor," etc., was due to be presented at the Hotel Royal with a real live steer and one of the St. Paul papers chuckles steely-eyedly over the fact that he should be expected from the mayor on that gladsome occasion. In the meantime the mayor of Omaha is fulminating against his late democratic opponent and trying to get a log chain on his nomination for governor. The steers are deemed to be disappointed, but it will be funny, anyway, if they have already bought the steer.

MRS. ELIZABETH VANOUS DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Wife of Sergeant Anton Vanous Passes Away at Home—Eight Children Survive. After a long and painful illness Mrs. Elizabeth Vanous, wife of Police Sergeant Anton Vanous, died last evening at 8:25 at her home at 1975 South Eleventh street, aged 65 years. She had been a sufferer for over a year from locomotor ataxia, and had several paralytic seizures. Following the last one less than a week ago her death was hourly expected. Besides her husband she is survived by eight children, all of whom live at home, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pelton, 1221 South Thirtieth street. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

CLEANER CONCERN COMES

Palm Vacuum Cleaner Company Makes This Distributing Point for Its Machines. The Commercial club announces the location here of an addition to the mercantile field. The Palm Vacuum Cleaner company, which has its head office at Detroit, has established a distributing agency in Omaha to cover the Nebraska and western Iowa field. F. G. Jahn, who is the manager, has taken offices in the First National bank building. The stock will be carried in warehouses for the present. The agency has sent out six traveling salesmen. The Palm company is making a late type of dustless sanitary cleaner designed for permanent installation in buildings of any size or description.

REV. E. A. ENDERS IS DEAD

Former Creston, Ia., Pastor Probably a Victim of Cholera in India. ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Word reached here today of the death of Rev. E. A. Enders at Fatepur, Haawa, India, after a short illness. It is thought that the Rev. Enders, who represented the Central Presbyterian church of this city, was stricken with cholera, which is now raging in India. After leaving the Omaha Theological school he took the pastorate of a Creston, Ia., church, which he

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