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MILES AT MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Mayor of Hastings Expresses Views on Public Questions.

TWENTY-SEVEN CITIES SEND MEN

Storage House of Burlington at Havelock Damaged Thirty Thousand by Fire—James Reed Pardoned.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Nov. 17.—(Special.)—Discussion of legislation wanted by the cities of the state comprised this afternoon's program of the meeting of the Municipalities league. Mayor Miles of Hastings made a short talk in which he presented a few changes he desired to see made in the city charters with a very short discussion of each. He was followed by Robert P. Starr, E. P. Clements and C. P. Anderbury.

Mayor Miles first attacked the water regulations which have been framed by the state legislature. His next contention was that in the laying of sewers and paving, the abutting property should be assessed by the lineal foot instead of by the benefit derived as is now the case. Besides being very difficult to determine exactly the amount of benefit done a piece of property there is always the possibility that the tenants will move out and either increase or decrease the benefit as the case may be.

In cities of the second class in which are such cities as Hastings, Fremont and Grand Island, there is at present only one registration required of the voters. A man may move from one town after registration and after some years return and claim his vote. Mr. Miles is of the opinion that the law should require either one registration every year or none whatever. Following this talk there was a general discussion in which all delegates joined.

At 4 o'clock the visitors left for an inspection of the Lincoln water and lighting plant.

Of the twenty-eight cities belonging to the league twenty-seven have sent representatives to the meeting. The attendance exclusive of Lincoln is now fifty-two.

Municipal accounting occupied the attention of the delegates at the forenoon session. The present slipshod ways of reporting and the slowness in getting results from the present methods of accounting were denounced by several speakers. The trend of the speeches was that a uniform system of accounting should be adopted in the state. Immediately after the opening of the afternoon session a resolution instructing the legislative committee to prepare a bill to be presented to the legislature this winter inaugurating the reform.

Mayor Henr ySchuff of Grand Island gave the main address and the discussion was afterward led by Fred Cosgrove of Omaha and T. H. Pratt of Lincoln.

Fire at Havelock.

Fire which for a time threatened to consume the entire building broke out on the third floor of the new Burlington storehouse at Havelock about noon Thursday, and damaged the building and supplies stored in the structure to the extent of $30,000. This is covered by insurance. The fire started on the third floor of the building in a pile of waste. The origin is unknown. This is the second loss by fire at Havelock which the Burlington has suffered during the last six months, of which the cause has never been learned. The damage which amounted into the thousands, was confined mostly to the third floor of the new building. Water which was poured into the building damaged the first and second floors of the building to a considerable extent.

Matthews Wants Chief Clerkship.

Leo Matthews, private secretary to Governor Shallenberger, has entered the race for chief clerk of the house of representatives. He has sent out several letters to his political friends and members-elect soliciting their support. In addition to being secretary to the governor Matthews is also secretary to the state committee.

Pardons Douglas Convict.

Governor Shallenberger this afternoon pardoned James Reed who was sent to the penitentiary from Omaha for life. Lieutenant Governor Hopewell commutted the sentence of Reed to ten years and counting in the two and one-half years he spent in the Douglas county jail, the ten years expired a month ago. Reed murdered a woman with whom he was in love because after spending all his money and promising to marry him she laughed at him when he went to her room to take her to Denver where they were to live. At that time Reed was a skilled mechanic, working for the Union Pacific for more than $100 a month. He is a graduate of an engineering school.

Commission Takes Recess.

The railway commission is just now out of the city, though the work in the office is progressing nicely. Commissioner Winnett is in Washington, Commissioner Clarke is visiting his brother in Oklahoma and resting from the hard campaign and Commissioner Furse has gone to Alma, his home, on business.

Election Expenses.

The following expense accounts have been filed with the secretary of state by candidates for office at the late election:

A. H. Martin, congress, Fourth district, nothing.

J. L. Crabtree, state superintendent, $21.82.

J. M. Burleigh, socialist, attorney general, $5.

G. M. Hitchcock, United States senator, $948.50.

C. H. Whitney, democrat, attorney general, $199.34.

W. R. Jackson, democrat, state superintendent, $286.95.

W. V. Hoagland, state senator, Thirtieth district, $25.

P. J. Hewitt, democrat, auditor, $173.85.

H. E. Reische, representative, Fifty-third district, $81.07.

Grant G. Martin, attorney general, republican, $806.41.

J. F. Boyd, republican, congress, Third district, $256.59.

H. T. Clarke, jr., railway commissioner, republican, $318.86.

W. R. Eastman, land commissioner, democrat, $290.

B. F. Good, democrat, congress, Fourth district, $502.79.

T. M. C. Birmingham, prohibitionist, United States senator, $160.

Menzo W. Terry, populist, attorney general, nothing.

Peter Mortensen, railway commissioner, to fill vacancy, $110.

M. P. Kinkaid, congress, Sixth district, republican, $505.09.

E. J. Burkett, United States senator, $557.50.

W. L. Kirk, representative, Twentieth district, $55.00.

W. L. Weesner, representative, Forty-sixth district, $47.

Peter Mehrens, coingress, Second district, $2.

Jesn H. Hayden, state railway commissioner, $266.95.

J. H. Kemp, senator, Eighteenth district, $71.30.

J. P. Latta, congress, Third district, democrat, $624.60.

CADETS HAVE TYPHOID FEVER

Thirteen Middies, Including Two from Wyoming, Are in Hospital at Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Nov. 17.—Two more midshipmen were sent to the naval academy hospital today suffering with typhoid fever, making thirteen in all who are down with the disease.

Among the number are Delevan B. Downer of Wisconsin, Lawrence K. Forde of Wyoming and Bert F. Clark of Wyoming.

Prof. Henri Marcou, an instructor at the academy, is also at the hospital from the same cause. The cases are declared to be of a mild nature.

Implement Dealers Elect Seward Man President of Body

Paul Herpelsemer of Seward, Neb., was elected president of the Mid-West Implement Dealers' association at the closing meeting Thursday afternoon. The vice president elected was A. Spooner of Mandana, Ia., and the board of directors consisted of J. H. Helvig of Rising City, Neb.; H. Bender of Sutton, T. M. Reed of Loup City and William Kotter of Stewart.

After the regular meeting the board of directors held a meeting and re-elected M. L. Gooseman of Vesta, Neb., as secretary and Charles Wagner of Omaha treasurer. The action of the association in recommending Omaha as the meeting place next year was approved by the directors and Omaha gets the meeting next time.

H. C. Oldfield of Norfolk, Neb., talked on "Organization of Local Clubs" in the afternoon meeting, and a short debate on "Retailers' Present Problems and How to Solve Them" was held. The discussion was opened by E. A. Armknecht, secretary of the Iowa Retail Dealers' association. The reports of various committees and the various routine business of the club took up the afternoon, and it was late before final adjournment was reached.

Both Speedy and Effective.

This indicates the action of Foley Kidney Pills, as S. Parsons, Battle Creek, Mich., illustrates. "I have been afflicted with a sev re case of kidney and bladder trouble, for which I found no relief until I used Foley Kidney Pills. These cured me entirely of all my ailments. I was troubled with backaches and severe shooting pains with annoying urinary irregularities. The steady use of Foley Kidney Pills rid me entirely of all my former troubles. They have my highest recommendations." Sold by all druggists.

The Weather

For Nebraska—Partly cloudy; warmer.
For Iowa—Partly cloudy; warmer.
Temperature at Omaha yesterday:

Hour.	Deg.
5 a. m.	29
6 a. m.	29
7 a. m.	31
8 a. m.	32
9 a. m.	35
10 a. m.	37
11 a. m.	43
12 m.	46
1 p. m.	48
2 p. m.	50
3 p. m.	49
4 p. m.	48
5 p. m.	47
6 p. m.	47
7 p. m.	46
8 p. m.	44

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Nov. 17.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding period of the last three years:

	1910.	1909.	1908.	1907.
Highest today	50	24	70	53
Mean temperature	39	19	54	42
Precipitation	.00	.00	.00	.00

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal at Omaha since March 1, and compared with the last two years:

Normal temperature	37
Excess for the day	2
Total excess since March 1, 1910	752
Normal precipitation	.03 inch
Deficiency for the day	.03 inch
Total rainfall since March 1	13.78 inches
Deficiency since March 1	14.27 inches
Excess for cor. period, 1909	2.52 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1908	4.01 inches

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

Station and State of Weather.	Temp. 7 p. m.	Max. Temp.	Rain-fall.
Cheyenne, cloudy	36	44	T
Davenport, clear	32	36	.00
Denver, cloudy	40	42	.00
Des Moines, cloudy	44	52	.00
Dodge City, clear	38	52	.00
Lander, part cloudy	34	44	.00
Omaha, part cloudy	46	50	.00
Pueblo, cloudy	46	52	.00
Rapid City, clear	44	50	.00
Salt Lake City, clear	44	50	.00
Santa Fe, part cloudy	38	44	.00
Sheridan, clear	30	42	.00
Sioux City, cloudy	38	42	.00
Valentine, clear	36	38	.00

"T" indicates trace of precipitation.
L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

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I know that it is practically useless for me to tell men I can cure their appetite and craving for liquor in three days—useless because the average drinking man does not wish to be cured. Alcohol has so weakened the brain of most drinkers that they do not realize the danger they are in. But I can talk to the wives, mothers, fathers, relatives, friends and employers of men who are wasting their lives and impoverishing themselves and families through drink.

I invite everyone interested in the cure of a drunkard to call upon or write to me that I may give them full particulars of the Blackstone Cure, which is the latest and most improved treatment for alcoholism, curing any case in three days.

It is not now necessary to confine your patient in an institution and pay an enormous fee for treatment. The Blackstone Cure is a simple, safe, non-poisonous treatment to be taken in the privacy of the home and costs about ONE-TENTH as much as institute treatment. It is the most reliable and positive treatment known, and is sold by the Blackstone company under an iron-clad contract to cure in any case or the small fee paid will be immediately refunded. Arthur G. Morgan, manager Blackstone Company, 307 to 311 Brandeis Theater Bldg., Omaha, Neb. Take elevator to third floor.

RAIL COMPANY HAS ANSWER

Des Moines Traction System Claims Franchise Recognized.

COUNCIL ACTED WITHOUT RIGHT

Two Hundred Coal Miners at Clive Have Trouble Over Nonunion Man's Action, but Soon Settle.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Nov. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Claiming that the city council by granting to the Des Moines City Railway company a franchise in 1896 and by adopting ordinances since has recognized the rights of the company for a perpetual franchise, the company filed in court its answer to the city's suits.

The company makes the claim that the franchise which was granted in 1896 was changed in that it carried a perpetual franchise agreement and an exclusive franchise for thirty years. The city's attorneys in the case will oppose this argument of the company with the claim that the city council had no right to grant a perpetual franchise without express authority and that the city had not been given that authority by the legislature. The case involving the right of the company to occupy the city streets longer will come up next week in Dallas county.

Coal Miners Trouble.

Two hundred coal miners employed at Clive, six miles from Des Moines, dropped their tools today and refused to go to work, the trouble arising over a nonunion man pulling off checks from coal cars as they reached the top of the mine. Later it was unofficially stated that the state officers of the United Mine Workers of America had ordered the miners to go back to work, the grievance not being sufficient to call a strike on.

Suits Against Keokuk Saloons.

The Iowa Anti-Saloon league today filed injunction suits at Keokuk against eleven saloons, alleging violations of the mulct law. The league is making a crusade against saloons in southeastern Iowa.

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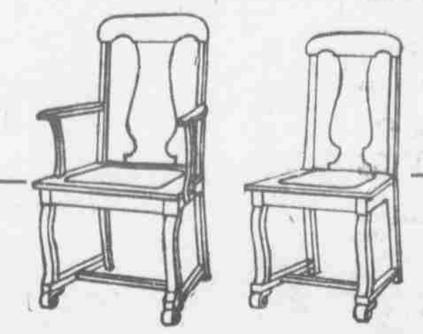

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Solid Oak Dining Chairs, fumed finish, box frame, leather seat; special price, each $4.50
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OTHER ITEMS IN THIS SALE.	Regular Price	Sale Price
Golden Oak Dining Chairs, leather upholstered seat	$6.50	$4.00
Golden Oak Dining Chairs, leather upholstered seat	$4.75	$3.50
Early English Dining Chairs, shaped wood seat	$2.25	$1.75
Mahogany Dining Chairs, leather upholstered seat	$5.00	$3.50

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Overcoats for boys in ages 8 to 14 years—long cut black or gray velvet collars—heavy materials, worth $3.00 and $3.50; in basement, at $1.98

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits, double breasted fancy chev'ts. $1.48
Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, worth 50c and 75c—at, pair 39c
Children's Reefers—small sizes only—3 to 5 years—worth up to $4.00; on sale at 98c
Boys' Corduroy Knickerbocker Pants—Four different shadings—worth $1.00; on sale at 69c

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Roosevelt Refuses to Give Interview, Col. Nelson Talks

Colonel Returns to Office in New York, but Declines to Discuss Result of Election.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—"Not a word—not a word," said Colonel Theodore Roosevelt in answer to a question as to what he thought of the recent election when he returned to his magazine labors today for the first time since November 8.

"They are saying you can't come back," ventured a reporter.

"Not a word," said the colonel as he bounded out of his automobile, which brought him in from Oyster Bay, and hurried into his offices.

One of the colonel's visitors was Colonel William R. Nelson, owner of the Kansas City Star. The Evening Post quoted Colonel Nelson as follows:

"The west understands Roosevelt," said Colonel Nelson, "and it understands that he is not merely the leader of the republican party—he is leader of the American people. The old parties are breaking up. It may take two years, it may take four, it may take six, for the people to come together in the fight for their own rights, but when they do there won't be anything to it.

"Nineteen twelve for Roosevelt? It's too early to discuss that and there are too many cross currents in the political stream. The trouble is people don't realize that is the last thing Roosevelt is worrying about. Only those who know him well really appreciate that the thing which concerns him least when he is in action is what may happen to him.

"And this is true, whether he is going up in an aeroplane, going into the heart of Africa or fighting to help his party out of a hole."

Kansas City Clubman Kills Self.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 17.—Despondent because he was a victim of acute rheumatism, from which he had suffered for three years, J. Rudley Ward, 41 years old, a prominent club man and business man of this city, shot and killed himself at his home last night. He had visited all the well known health resorts in this country and then decided that his ailment was incurable.

"Cafes" Not Saloons.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—"Saloon" has gone out of existence in Jersey City. By edict of the Hudson County Liquor Dealers' association it became known today that the word "cafe" is hereafter to be substituted. Further yet, the bartender has been done away with, now being known officially as a "server."

Could Hardly Hear

Sense of Taste and Smell Were Also Greatly Impaired.

"I was afflicted with catarrh," writes Eugene Forbes, Lebanon, Kansas. "I took several different medicines, giving each a fair trial, but grew worse until I could hardly hear, taste or smell. I was about to give up in despair, but concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After taking three bottles of this medicine I was cured, and have not had any return of the disease."

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects radical and permanent cures of catarrh.

Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolated tablets called Sarsatabs.

Senator Burkett Back at Capital

Nebraska Member of Upper House Says He Has No Animosities to Mar His Thanksgiving.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Senator Burkett returned to Washington this afternoon from Chambersburg, Pa., where he addressed a large audience last night. The senator said that while he regretted his defeat he had no animosities whatsoever to cloud his Thanksgiving. He had made the best fight he knew how for the people of Nebraska and the verdict was against him.

"Conditions of local character operated against me," said the senator, "conditions which I could not change or control. I am glad it is over. Glad to get back to my family. I cannot thank my friends enough for their loyal, unswerving support. They have my heartfelt gratitude. I bear no ill will to any man who was against me. That was his right. My one regret is that Nebraska is not going to be represented by two republicans in the senate in the Sixty-second congress."

Eleven More Days for Parliament

Apparently Inspired Statement Says House of Commons May be Dissolved November 29.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—An apparently inspired statement issued today fixes November 28 as the date for the dissolution of Parliament. The government, it is asserted, designs to pass the budget before appealing to the country, the debate on the financial measure proceeding in the House of Commons while the lords are discussing the veto bill.

That the American dollar and the "Irish dictator" will figure largely in the unionist campaign was indicated by the excitement at the annual conference of conservative associations at Nottingham this morning, when Henry Chaplin, unionist member of Parliament for Wimbledon and former president of the local government board, which, he said, was handing over the rule of the country to the "sworn enemy of England, who, with the gold of foreign millionaires aspires to dictate our destinies."

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GENOA		Canopic
QUEENSTOWN		Cymbric
SOUTHAMPTON		Oceanic
SOUTHAMPTON		K. F. Wilhelm
PLYMOUTH	Majestic	
SAN FRANCISCO	Strathillem	Orang
TACOMA	Mexico Maru	
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