

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Point N. Reading Lamp—Burgess-Granden Co. Take Your Printing to the Times. Kinsch—Photographer, 11th & Farnam. Best Dry Cleaning of garments. Twin City Dry Works, 407 South Fifteenth. Tom Moore Club—The Tom Moore club will give another dance at Turner hall, Thirteenth and Dorcas streets, next Monday night. For Wage Earners, the monthly payment plan of the Neb. Savings & Loan Ass'n offers the ideal plan for savings. 104 Board of Trade Building. Dodge Makes Big Sale—N. F. Dodge has sold to Jacob Eastman four frame houses on Dodge street, east of Twenty-eighth street, for a consideration of \$13,000. Ladies, See Our Line of rubber coats and gloves. We carry a full line of sprague mobile accessories and rubber goods. Omaha Rubber Company, E. H. Sprague, president, 1605 Harney St. "Just around the corner." Special Block Watchman—Many families pay night watchman \$1.50 a month. What's the use? Phone Creigh, Baldrige & Co., Douglas 209, about residence burglary insurance. It's cheaper and better protection. Man in Grave Danger—A capsized boat with a man clinging for his life to the upturned bottom of it came floating down the Missouri river shortly before 11 o'clock noon on Wednesday. He was seen by the bridge operator at the Illinois Central bridge and the Omaha police immediately notified. Personal Taxes Due—The fact that personal taxes for 1910 become delinquent after November 30 made Wednesday a busy day at the treasurer's office. Property holders from all over the county were rushing in to get under the wire in time and avoid the 10 per cent interest that is affixed to delinquent tax accounts. Exchange Adopts New By-Laws—Vice President George D. Morton presided over the weekly meeting of the Real Estate exchange Wednesday in the absence of President C. C. George, who, as a vestryman of Trinity cathedral, was attending the consecration of Bishop Becher. The exchange heard reports on several new by-laws from D. C. Patterson. It was unanimously voted that associate memberships shall hereafter be established, that an appeal committee and a public service committee be selected. Details of qualifications of associate members will be settled later. Branch of Medical Freedom—Omaha is to be the headquarters of the Nebraska branch of the National League for Medical Freedom, which branch was recently perfected with the following officers: L. H. McCoun, president; Dr. C. B. Atten, treasurer, and Mrs. F. H. Drake secretary. The following executive committee has been elected: Major H. M. Lord, Sandy Griswold and Carl E. Herring. Before the branch was organized, 1,000 persons sent their names to the headquarters of the organization at New York asking for membership. The headquarters of the branch are at 716 Brandeis Theater building.

BRUNING WANTS COUNTY JOB Is Being Considered for Appointment as Director of Detention Home to Succeed Mrs. Heller. For reasons which they do not make known, the county commissioners are discussing the advisability of appointing a new director for the Detention County Detention home which is run as a reform school and refuge home for the juvenile court. Mrs. H. Heller now has charge of the home and has had for several years, identifying herself prominently with all of the institutions in the city, providing for the welfare of unfortunate children. Fred Bruning, now chairman of the county commissioners, and in danger of losing his connection with the county pay roll when his term runs out, is being considered as a successor to Mrs. Heller. His connection with charity work has been in his capacity as chairman of the board. Mr. Bruning himself evaded a direct answer to the suggestion. "I don't know what we will do," he said, "and I do not know who will succeed Mrs. Heller. I think there may be a change." Oscar Fleckard, another member of the board, said: "Mr. Bruning has said that he would not accept the place, but it may be offered to him. It seems only right that there should be a change in these things occasionally, doesn't it?"

ENGAGEMENT DOES NOT BAR Judge Troup Rules that it Makes No Difference How Many Pledges Girl Has. He who breaks his promise to marry a girl cannot escape payment of damages by a plea in court that she was engaged to another man when he refused to marry her. So held Judge A. C. Troup Wednesday, when he overruled the motion for a new trial of L. W. Sautter of Papillion, against whom a jury at Papillion returned a \$2,000 verdict in favor of Miss Susie Elias of Papillion a few weeks ago. Judge Troup declared that Miss Elias might have been engaged to a dozen men and still her engagements would not free Mr. Sautter from his obligation to keep his promise of marriage if she asked him to do so.

MAYOR JIM'S AUTO ON SALE Campaign Machine is Offered at Bargain Rates by the Dahlman Club. For sale, one six-cylinder automobile, Brooks 16, long black speeder, that carried Mayor Jim over so many miles of Nebraska territory this fall is on the market. Mr. Dahlman was a candidate for the office of governor on the democratic ticket in the last election. The Dahlman club owns the car and is willing to dispose of it at a cheap rate. It is equipped with a democratic exhaust and a strong republican brake. It cannot be guaranteed as safe, however, as it has some ideas of its own on personal liberty and may make a speech at any moment.

Solved the Puzzle. The prize winners in the Schmolzer & Mueller contest who solved the chick puzzle, which was run in this paper, are as follows: First Prize—Lynne A. Brown, 87 Eighth avenue, Council Bluffs, Ia. Second Prize—Donald A. McCandless, 9012 California, Omaha, Neb. Third Prize—D. L. Miller, 2318 North Twenty-fifth street, Omaha, Neb. Fourth Prize—Miss Claire Irwin, 1310 South Thirty-second street, Omaha, Neb. These prizes were awarded after the most careful consideration. The judges were as follows: Mrs. E. H. Sillars, artist. Mr. W. N. Dyrness, publisher Orpheum theater. Mr. J. Zimmerman, First National bank, Omaha. Mr. Joseph Miller, Manager Vette Automobile Co. All the other prize winners will be notified by mail.

CLEARINGS SHOW AN INCREASE

November Gives a Substantial Gain Over Last Year. BANKS OF OMAHA PROSPEROUS These indications of business transacted show month better than same month a year ago—Big increase for year.

Table with columns for months (Nov, Dec) and years (1909, 1910) showing bank clearings. Includes sub-tables for 'Clearings for Eleven Months' and 'Clearings for Twelve Months'.

PROSECUTIONS UNDER FIRE PROTECTION LAW

County Attorney Prepares Complaints for Eleven Omaha Concerns Lacking Escapes. Complaints against eleven Omaha concerns charging violation of the state fire protection law, which requires fire escapes on all buildings two or more stories in height, have been prepared by County Attorney English under direction of Will M. Maupin, deputy state labor commissioner, and will be filed in the county court as soon as a summons can come to Omaha and return there.

MACHINES TO BE REOPENED

Commissioners Decide to Comply with Request of C. W. Pool. Democratic Candidate for Secretary of State Will Watch for Himself in an Effort to Get into Office. Ignoring the opinion of the office of County Attorney James P. English that the official election canvassing board can require Charles W. Pool, defeated democratic candidate for secretary of state, to give a cost bond for the opening of the voting machines to verify the returns on secretary of state, the board of County Commissioners Wednesday morning ordered the board to proceed to open the machines for Mr. Pool without requiring a bond. The board announced that the canvassing of the machines will be commenced Thursday morning.

McCLELLAND HOLDUP GETS FIVE-YEAR TERM

T. J. Kirby Throws Himself Upon Mercy of Court and Refuses to Make Any Defense. An exciting incident was recalled yesterday when T. J. Kirby, a mild-mannered, pathetic-looking man, stood up before Judge Green in the district court at Council Bluffs to receive sentence. On September 20 Kirby, single-handed, attempted to rob the State bank at McClelland, sixteen miles north of Council Bluffs, and was not only foiled but was shot and captured by the vigilant youth, Walter Julius Kirby has been in the Pottawattamie county jail ever since. He notified the authorities immediately after his arrest that he would make no defense and never faltered in his determination. He waived all his rights and threw himself wholly at the mercy of the court. When arraigned with other prisoners he looked straight at the judge and entered a plea of guilty. Judge Green had indicated that the prisoner should forfeit none of his rights and had appointed an attorney. The latter made an eloquent plea for the young man, which was further strengthened by the presence of his wife and family and some of the men from Oakland who had known him for several years. The plea of guilty was to the charge of assault with intent to commit robbery.

RECRUIT FROM FARM PROVES A MUSICIAN

Applicant at Naval Station Gives Demonstration on Clarinet for Officer. Winding the soul of western Nebraska has taken the cunning from the stiffened fingers of Theron Leonard Anderson, applicant for enlistment as a naval musician, but at an Omaha music store he demonstrated to Lieutenant Post of the recruiting station that he could play. Anderson, very obviously a farmer, appeared at the recruiting station to make his application. He professed his remarks with the statement that he was a musician of no mean ability. The officer in charge may have been a bit skeptical, but with other preliminaries out of the way he arranged for the try out. Anderson was accepted. The recruit who goes down to the sea to pipe fairy strains on his clarinet for the sailor boys has been a man of many vocations and now he has cast his choice in favor of the bounding main as a preference over the following acres of the Nebraska corn fields. John Croft Kirkpatrick, a Washington, Ia. lad of 27 years, has decided to go to sea for the government because of the impressions he gained in reading "Twenty Years Before the Mast," and a history of the Spanish-American war.

COUNCIL HONORS MRS. BUTLER

Adjourns Regular Meeting Because of the Death of City Clerk's Mother. In honor of Mrs. Joseph Butler no business was transacted by the city council Tuesday night. Several members were present and the meeting was adjourned on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. The funeral of Mrs. Butler, mother of Dan Butler, city clerk, and Joseph Butler, deputy city commissioner, was held Tuesday morning.

CLARK SUCCEEDS IN PURPOSE

Omaha Man, Patted in Attempt at Suicide Here, Ends Life by Poison at Lincoln. George B. Clark, 233 South Thirteenth street, who attempted to commit suicide at his home last week by taking an overdose of morphine, succeeded in his attempt to kill himself at Lincoln yesterday, when he again took poison. Clark was released from St. Joseph's hospital, recovered from the effects of his previous attempt, only yesterday morning.

Wool Importers Released on Bond

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Charles A. Waiter, member of the woolen manufacturing and importing firm of John F. Briggs & Sons of Bradford, England, and this city, American, Paul Wright and Company, London, were concerned in a series of alleged customs under valuation frauds in connection with which the government was defrauded of duties amounting to \$200,000, was today released on \$50,000 bail.

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MEAT PRICES STILL LOWER

Another Cut Announced Here by the Larger Markets Standard Cuts Take Slight. Spring Two Weeks Ago. Nov. Round steak.....18 1/2 19 10 Shoulder steak.....17 1/2 18 10 Pot roast.....16 1/2 17 10 Pork chops.....15 1/2 16 10 Pork tenderloin.....14 1/2 15 10

LYNCH FEELING LONESOME

County Board is Being Organized Without Consulting the Lone Republican. John C. Lynch, newly elected county commissioner, is beginning to feel his isolation as the only republican on the board. "The democrats have met and made preliminary arrangements as to who shall be chairman of the board and as to who shall be chairman of the various committees and all the other details of organization, I have not been consulted nor invited to join. I can see plainly that if I get anything I will have to fight for it." One of the democrats, P. B. Elzasser, smiles facetiously when he is told of Mr. Lynch's sorrow. "When we democrats want to do anything of importance we will ask the only republican on the board to do it for us. Why certainly, of course, to be sure."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

License to wed were granted to the following couples: Name and Residence: Age: William Kinakate, Tamora, Neb..... 29 Mrs. Mary E. Williams, Omaha..... 29 Louis Morgan, Omaha..... 21 Fannie Chester, Omaha..... 18 Monte C. Franka, Plattsmouth, Neb..... 22 Druella Thomas, Plattsmouth, Neb..... 22 James Beas, Florence, Neb..... 28 Emma Rybicki, Florence, Neb..... 21 Erwin Knapolsheimer, Lincoln, Neb..... 21 Bertha G. True, South Omaha..... 21 Ray Hinder, Omaha..... 21 Augusta Miller, Council Bluffs, Ia..... 15 Fred N. Curtis, Fort Crook, Neb..... 29 Helen Ashburn, Fort Crook, Neb..... 29 John Thomas, Omaha..... 20 Mattie Shaw, Omaha..... 19 Ernest J. Franz, Malmo, Neb..... 24 Lena Thomson, Council Bluffs, Ia..... 24 Henry W. Stoneman, Shenandoah, Ia..... 24 Frances Taylor, Shenandoah, Ia..... 19

CRUEL MISTAKE

is to neglect a cold or cough. Dr. King's New Discovery cures them and prevents consumption. 50c and \$1. Sold by Beaton Drug Co.

"MATRIMONY" AT THE LYRIC, TONIGHT

Free Lectures and Public Delineations of Character According to the New Science of Vitiosophy. Dr. William Winsdor, president of the Boston College of Vitiosophy, is announced to give three lectures on his extraordinary system of character study, commencing tonight with a lecture on "Matrimony," at the Lyric Theater, introducing seven beautiful young ladies and seven handsome young men. Selecting life companions. Explaining Vitiosophy, the New Science of Character and the Cure of Divorce and Marital Unhappiness. How to read Character and How to Understand People Before You Deal with Them. Associate With Them, or Marry Them. Dr. Win. Winsdor. This will be followed on Friday night, at the Lyric Theater, with a lecture on "How to Become Rich."

KRUTSCHNITT VISITS OMAHA

Says Harriman Lines Have Bought Additional Equipment. THINKS THE BRIDGE IS SOUND Maintains the Bridge Across the Missouri River is Most Substantial on the System and Needs No Change.

Julius Krutchnitt, director of maintenance and operation on the Harriman line, was in Omaha Tuesday morning. Mr. Krutchnitt came to Omaha from Chicago alone, but leaving here, a number of prominent officials of the Union Pacific accompanied him on a trip through Nebraska and into Kansas. Generally when Mr. Krutchnitt visits Omaha it means that the Union Pacific is contemplating some improvements or enlargements of the holding of the road here, but this time he averred that his trip was one of inspection only. "There are undoubtedly many things we would like to do here and various structures we would like to build, but at the present time the Union Pacific is investing all the money it can in Omaha. With the shop buildings, the new headquarters and the postoffice, the road is handling considerable here," was his statement. "There is absolutely nothing in the Harriman line that needs any attention," said Krutchnitt, complimenting W. W. Keen, stationmaster and the employes on the fine condition of the building and the evident good service. In regard to the new additions amounting to \$200,000 which were proposed for the Union station some time ago, he stated that for the present at least it would be impossible to build it. In regard to the talk of a new bridge, Mr. Krutchnitt spoke decidedly. "There has been considerable talk of it, I know, both here and in Chicago, but there is absolutely nothing in it. We have 2,000 miles of railroad and over 4,000 bridges on it, and the one over the Missouri is the best and strongest we own. It was thoroughly repaired in the only weak spot, the floor, three years ago, and I confidently state that I expect that bridge to last for many years to come. "The biggest improvement the road has made in some is the purchase of 196 new engines lately in the east. Some are of the compound cylinder and Mallet type, and others the single cylinder engines."

MINIKUS NOT HELD FOR ASSAULT OF WOOLDRIDGE

Is Released by Police Judge Crawford After a Hearing Wednesday Morning. Following a preliminary hearing in police court Wednesday morning, Mat Minikus, charged with assault with intent to wound in connection with the attack upon Officer Wooldridge at Creighton dance hall a month ago, was discharged by Judge Crawford. Mat Minikus pleaded not guilty. He had several witnesses to prove that he did not make any assault with intent to wound. They testified that Minikus' brother, William, was Wooldridge's chief assailant. William Minikus and Fred Talbot, who have been identified by Wooldridge as the men who assaulted him, had not been found. Mat Minikus said Wednesday morning that they had left the city after the affray.

BISHOP MILLSPAUGH BRINGS HISTORIC CAP

Also Tells of the Many Times that He Has Been Mistaken for Bryan. Bishop F. R. Millspaugh of Kansas brought with him to the consecration a small velvet cap of the kind worn by bishops occasionally. "The cap is somewhat historic," said Bishop Millspaugh. "It belonged to my predecessor, Bishop Thomas, the father of Bishop Thomas of Wyoming, who is also here for the consecration. "Bishop Thomas does not know of this cap's existence, and this afternoon after the service I shall offer it to him, saying, 'you can have it if you wish it.' Do you think he will take it?"

When Bishop Millspaugh did present the cap to the son of the man who wore it Bishop Thomas was too overcome for speech. He kept the cap. "Once in Germantown, Philadelphia," said Bishop Millspaugh to newspaper men who were chatting with him, "I had just left Christ church, which I was supplying, and had boarded a street car when a man said to me: 'Why, how do you do, Mr. Bryan?' "I have been mistaken for Bryan on other occasions, and last summer when I met Mr. Bryan I mentioned this. Said he to me: 'But you have not so much jaw as I.' "Nor do I work it so hard, either," I replied.

PRESERVES NATURAL COLOR OF THE HAIR

(From Woman's National Magazine) "Any woman can postpone for years the time when her hair becomes thin and gray. It is a mistake to shampoo frequently with soap and water, as that tends to make the scalp scaly and hard and the hair dull and faded. "The hair will respond quickly to the proper home treatment. Put in a fruit jar four ounces of olive root and four ounces of therox. Shake until well mixed. Once or twice a week sprinkle a little of this powder on the head and brush it thoroughly through the hair. "This dry shampoo removes dirt, dust and dandruff from the scalp and leaves the hair fresh, sweet and clean. The therox helps to grow beautiful hair and preserves its natural color."—Adv.

Advertisement for 'A Suit Intended for You...' featuring 'Tailor Beck' and 'Ask your barber' for 'Wavenlock' scalp rub. Includes an illustration of a man in a suit and a small figure of a man.

Advertisement for 'Time's Flight Turned Backward' featuring 'SAGE AND SULPHUR' hair remedy. Includes an illustration of a woman's face.

Advertisement for 'WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR REMEDY' with detailed text about its benefits and pricing. Includes a small illustration of a woman's face.

Advertisement for 'KIMBAL' with text: 'THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1 you will know ALL about that FREE gift of \$75. And the gift is offered EVERY day during December. Watch this newspaper VERY carefully THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1.'