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## BRIEF CITY NEWS

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To Divide Responsibility—The house committee of the Commercial club will meet Friday and revise the system of managing house affairs. It is proposed to subdivide the responsibility of the house work among the various members.  
Trade Extension Committee Meets—David Cole, president of the Commercial club, has called a meeting of the trade extension committee Thursday to map out plans for trade extension work during the coming year. It is expected the committee and the club at large will carry out some unusually hard work and new ideas in advancing the trade interests of the city.  
Kraljeck Funeral Will Be Held Thursday—The body of Mrs. Kraljeck, who was shot Monday by her brother-in-law, has been turned over by the coroner to a private undertaking. The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Wenceslaus church. Father John Vranek will officiate. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral of Wotman, who killed himself after shooting Mrs. Kraljeck.  
Teacher for New School—Miss Anna Caruthers, a graduate of the training class for teachers of the Omaha schools, was named Tuesday morning by Superintendent of Schools Davidson as the teacher who will have charge of the primary grades in the new Fairfax school building. Miss Caruthers began her work Tuesday afternoon, when the new wing was opened for the primary classes.  
Prisoner Breaks Jail—Ed Lang, serving a vagrancy sentence in the county jail, escaped from custody Tuesday morning in a sensational manner. Lang, who had only a few days left to serve, was working in the matron's department on the fourth floor. The garage of the city jail is built up against the wall of the county jail, and the roof was a matter of some fifteen feet below the windows that open from the floor upon which Lang was working. Watching his opportunity, he slipped the window and made a flying leap to the roof below, crashing partly through the rotten boards. He extricated himself, and running along the roof, made another leap to the roof of the tinshop adjoining the jail. From the roof of the lower building he easily jumped to the alley and made off.

**SON CUTS MONEY FROM BODY OF HIS DEAD MOTHER**  
Is Later Arrested for Intoxication and Carrying Concealed Weapons.  
Cutting a money belt containing \$500 from the dead body of his mother, according to a story told Deputy Sheriff Dick Flanagan, by his brother, William Borsen, 308 South Twentieth street, Monday night, Henry Borsen, the youngest of two sons who lived with their mother, Mrs. Anna Borsen, one mile north of Krug park, divided the money with his other brother last Saturday and was arrested Sunday on a charge of intoxication and carrying concealed weapons. He had \$100 on his person at the time.  
When it was learned his mother lay dead at home he was released without trial.  
Mrs. Borsen, aged 71 years, died of pneumonia Saturday morning, after an illness of three days. Her body was left in the house. After the body was taken to the mortuary, the sheriff's office and two deputies responded. They found the doors and windows of the house wide open, white rain pelted in. It was deserted except for the dead body and a cat.  
The body was removed Tuesday to an undertaking establishment and the funeral will be held Wednesday.

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## Woman and Children Have Narrow Escape from the Flames

**Policeman Corneau and Driver Clyde Dunn Fight Their Way to the Rescue.**  
Groping half unconscious from suffocation, unable to find the door through which they could go to the street and safety, Mrs. Nellie Haegen and her daughters, Evelyn, aged 8, and Mildred, 12 years old, were found in their rooms above the Omaha Art and Frame company while it was burning at 3 o'clock this morning, and saved from the impending death by the assistance of Clyde Dunn, driver for Fire Chief Saiter, and Police Officer H. Corneau.  
The dense smoke which arose from the art store to the rooms above drove men and women into the cold, wet street in their night clothes. Mrs. Haegen and the little girls staggered about their rooms trying to find the door when Dunn and Corneau, with handkerchiefs over their mouths, felt their way into the rooms and found them. They were carried to the street below, where men swaddled them in covercoats and took them into the Hoffman undertaking parlors, four doors north. They soon recovered.  
Mrs. W. H. Wyman of Cokerville, Wyo., who came to Omaha yesterday to visit Mrs. Haegen, was asleep in another room when the fire was reported. She was one of the first to escape from the smoke-filled rooms, despite the fact that the house was strange to her.  
Peter Petersen and Frank Doty, roomers at the place, were awakened by the smoke and fled to the street.  
When R. R. Redden, owner of the Omaha Art and Frame company, the rear half of which was gutted, arrived on the scene the blaze was practically extinguished and he was able to estimate his loss at \$1,000.  
"It was lucky that the flames were confined to the rear part of the store," he said. "I had about \$2,500 worth of fine pictures and frames which would have been a total loss of the store."  
Redden was unable to tell the cause of the fire.

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## CARTER GETS MOST MONEY

**More Than \$35,000 Spent on the Park Last Year.**  
**OTHER PARKS GET A SHARE**  
Report of the Park Board Shows Money Spent on Parks and Boulevards of the City for Twelve Months.  
More than \$35,000, practically double the amount expended on all other parks in Omaha, was spent in improving the Levi Carter park last season, according to the report of the Park Board commissioners, which was sent to the city council Monday afternoon.  
To be exact, \$32,142.15 was expended on Carter park, exclusive of the amount directed to the green houses and nursery. The improvement and the resulting expenditure of this amount was made possible by a donation of \$30,000 given by Mr. Carter's widow, now Mrs. E. J. Cornish of New York City.  
The park, which is a memorial to the late Levi Carter, is the result of Mrs. Cornish's generous gifts to the city. All told, she has contributed \$63,500 towards the park.  
Elmwood park comes in for the second largest appropriation, but the money expended does not compare with the amount set aside for Carter park. All expenses, including keeper's salary, totalled \$7,541.74 for this park.  
These amounts were spent on other Omaha parks: Hancock park, \$3,819.77; Riverview park, \$5,911.90; Koonsee park, \$3,325.50; Fontenelle park, \$108; Miller park, \$3,830.65; Bemis park, \$681.34; Charles Turner park, \$625.58; Jefferson Square, \$2,390.17; Capitol avenue, \$277.22; Bluff View park, \$329.55.  
Improvements along Florence boulevard more than doubled the money spent on any other part of the system. For improving Florence boulevard, \$18,627 was appropriated and used. Other boulevards were improved to these amounts: West Central, \$7,977.22; South Central, \$2,504.34; Southeast boulevard, \$1,652.88; Northwest boulevard, \$1,281.11; Northeast boulevard, \$99, and Lafayette street, \$1,921.25.  
Among the receipts for maintenance of the parks is the sum of \$650 which comes from concessions. The Hanson park privileges netted \$30; Riverview park privileges, \$198, and Levi Carter park privileges, \$200.

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## AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

**General Manager Buckingham Tells What Stock Yards Will Do.**  
**YARDAGE WILL BE ENLARGED**  
Should Water Franchise Be Extended Plan is to Expand Three Hundred Thousand in Building Special System.

Everett Buckingham, general manager, explained yesterday the object of the contemplated \$2,000,000 bond issue by the Union Stock Yards company.  
"We intend," he said, "to make additional improvements and then in the event of being able to put in the water supply system a considerable sum of money will be required. That will cost probably \$200,000 and of this sum the Stock Yards company will have a proportion."  
Asked as to the improvements intended to be carried out in the yards he said the company was going to provide additional pen accommodation, sheep barns and rebuild all the unloading chutes with a view to making them in conformity with the most modern plans. More paving would be effected during the year and other new buildings erected to cope with the growing business of the yards.  
It might be mentioned that this progressive policy was sanctioned at the annual meeting of the company some weeks ago. Of course, added Mr. Buckingham, "the \$2,000,000 will only be authorized and we will issue it from time to time as we need it to carry out improvements."  
There was a fine run of stock to the yards yesterday and Mr. Buckingham expects that there will be steady business for the next ninety days in all classes of stock.  
The hall of the exchange building yesterday had quite a new face. The walls and ceiling have been repainted, giving this place of business a clean and bright setting.

**Cleaning the Streets.**  
Effective steps were taken by Major Trainor and City Engineer Roberts to complete the contractors, who are doing the grading on Twenty-fourth street south of O street, to keep the thoroughfare clean. The street was cleaned and kept clean. Following this strong hint steps were taken to improve matters, but much yet remains to be done to make the roadway decently passable for pedestrians.

**Condition of Railroad Avenue.**  
F. Krebs has filed a complaint with the city clerk under the condition of Railroad avenue in the vicinity of Y street. "On account of the construction of the Mad creek sewer the recent thaw of the snow has caused the ground to settle to such an extent that the pavement is being washed through mud in order to get to my residence," he says, and he adds: "There is already considerable damage done to my property owing to the caving in of the banks." Mr. Krebs desires the necessary steps taken to compel the contractors to make the required repairs to the street and sidewalk in order to prevent accidents and give him access to his property.

**Unsanitary Bakeries.**  
The hearing of the charges against two bakers for having their premises in an unsanitary condition has been fixed for Thursday. The cases were called yesterday morning in police court, but Anastos Erca, one of the defendants, who has a place at Thirty-second and Q streets, did not appear, and his \$10 bond was forfeited. George Kerchhoff showed up and was represented by Attorney E. R. Letcher. The hearing was continued until an effort was being made to have the charges withdrawn on the promise of the defendants that they would improve their bakeries. "I will consent," said Mr. McNally, "to no such course. This is a matter vitally affecting the health of the people, and I think these people should be taught a lesson. Why did they not comply with the law before their attention had to be called to it so forcibly?"

**Government by Commission.**  
The question whether the city should adopt the commission form of government will be considered at a meeting at 9 o'clock in the city hall tonight. Attorney A. H. Murdock, as chairman of the committee appointed to investigate the matter, has a carefully drawn-up report to present. Judging by what happened at the meeting Saturday afternoon, it would not be surprising if a resolution favoring the innovation were voted down.

**Red Oak Officials in the City.**  
D. B. Gunn, mayor of Red Oak, Ia., and Councilmen Sam Payne, W. E. Gilmore, Ed Williams and Lew Fikes visited South Omaha yesterday to make an examination of the wear of a certain kind of paving that had been laid down in the city last year. With City Engineer Roberts as guide, they visited the sections of the city where asphaltic concrete has been used, and so impressed were they, said the mayor, with its durability that they will recommend its use in Red Oak.

**Magic City Gossip.**  
Cool-See Howland, Phone South 7, will give a box of clothing to the poor tomorrow night in Rushing's hall.  
The Smile club was entertained by Mrs. Julius Swanson, Forty-third and O streets.  
The women of the Lefter Monday church will give an entertainment in the church this evening.  
A fine program will be presented this evening for the meeting of the local acre of the Eagles.  
South Omaha Plattdeutscher Verein will give a ball and entertainment in Frank's hall Saturday night.  
A prize masque ball will be given by Epiphany Workers lodge No. 173 tonight in O. O. J. hall.  
Miss Genevieve Kennedy entertained the "Ladies' League" at her home. After cards, luncheon and a social hour.

**St. Valentine's Day in Omaha Forty-Three Years Ago Recalled**  
**Aaron E. Hoel Recounts Gala Incident That Happened Hereabouts Many Years Ago.**  
St. Valentine's day forty-three years ago was a big holiday in Omaha. It was an ideal day for a hanging out in the open, and a hanging out there was, witnessed thousands of men, women and children gathered here from many miles around. Aaron E. Hoel, a pioneer resident of this city, recalls the incident, for being sheriff of Douglas county at that time, he was one of the central figures in the attraction.  
The man who paid the death penalty on this day was a young fellow, Ottawa G. Baker, convicted of the murder of a man named Higgins, who was a clerk in W. R. King's wholesale grocery store. Baker was a porter at the same place. During the day of the murder about \$1,500 had been taken in at the wholesale house and it was placed in the safe. Baker's girl had gone to Kansas and in his ardent desire to follow and be with her he laid plans to get the money. He murdered Higgins, opened the safe, and after taking the money hid it in a tin box on Twelfth street between Howard and Jackson. He was tried, convicted and sentenced to hang.  
"You have no idea of the way the women flocked to the scene of the hanging, which was on the prairie back of the site of the present high school building," said Mr. Hoel in speaking of the incident of years ago. "They actually made a martyr of him, coming to the scene for many miles around. All decked out in their Sunday best. Sure, they would do the very same thing today if they were given the opportunity, but by law all hangings are now conducted in a rather secret way at the state prison. They were attended, of course, by morbid curiosity, but many were inclined to make a martyr of the prisoner more out of pity because of his fate than by the nature of his deed. Women are just the same today; let a man go on trial in any of the state courts, and the first thing you know they will be sending him flowers."  
Mr. Hoel recounts that just before the hanging the prisoner was escorted to the scaffold by a guard composed of firemen, armed with muskets. The guard was in charge of Sheriff Hoel. After the hanging the body was secured by some enterprising individual who mounted it and had it on exhibition here for a long time.

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**Omaha Benefited by New Order of the Indian Department**  
Action is Said to Be What the Commercial Club Has Been Working For.  
Omaha receives a triumph through the order issued from the Indian affairs department at Washington Monday, according to H. C. Jordan, in charge of the local Indian warehouse. Mr. Jordan, when interviewed Tuesday on the reported change of methods making Omaha and Chicago the only two points where contracts for Indian supplies may be let hereafter, explained that the Commercial club has been seeking for the arrangement for a long time.  
The final order is a concession to the requests and general efforts to bring it about by the Omaha business interests. It means that this city will become almost an independent headquarters for the letting of great contracts for supplies, instead of being only one of three. The next date for the letting of Indian contracts will be April 11.

Twenty-sixth and F streets, was dismissed Tuesday by Police Judge Christian.  
Oak Council, No. 182, Knights and Ladies of Security, will give a Valentine party this evening in the Woodmen hall.  
Woodmen Circle, No. 29, will meet with Mrs. Josephine Bergan, 427 South Eighteenth street, Wednesday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Moore entertained fifty friends Saturday evening at their home, 1215 North Twenty-fifth street.  
Phone Bell South 88, Independent F-165 for a case of Jetter Gold Toy. Prompt delivery to any part of city. William Jetter, 1215 North Twenty-fifth street.  
A Valentine masque carnival will be held by the Woodmen of the World in Rushing's hall tonight at which prizes will be given.  
The Young People of the First Christian church will give a Valentine social at the home of Mrs. Hancock, 224 North Twenty-fourth street, this evening.  
Mrs. A. J. Spryler wishes home that she is greatly enjoying her sojourn at Long Beach, Cal. A recent letter was through the orange groves of this part of the state.  
The Ladies auxiliary, of the Omaha lodge of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will give a dancing party Tuesday evening in the Danish Brotherhood hall, 2415 N street.  
The Glanston of America initiated a class of twelve at their meeting Saturday night. The program included an exhibition drill by the degree team of lodge No. 4, Omaha.  
The next meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Mission society in connection with the First Presbyterian church will be held Thursday, February 23, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rich.  
Many South Omaha girls attended the twenty-fifth anniversary celebration in Omaha. There was no meeting of the city council as several members belong to the order and other festive invitations.  
Notwithstanding the announcement that all gambling resorts had been closed in the city, the place of the gambling establishment that two houses were still running in the business section of Twenty-fourth street.  
This coroner's investigation into the circumstances of the death of William Tobin, who was killed by a Rock Island freight south of Harrison street Sunday, will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at Papillon.  
The only savings bank in Douglas county is the South Omaha Savings bank, located in the old quarters of the South Omaha National bank, 254 N street. This bank is owned and controlled by interests closely identified with the Stock Yards National bank and pays 4 percent on deposits. Any amount in an account. Truman Hight, president; H. C. Bostwick, cashier; F. R. Getty, assistant cashier.