BRIEF CITY NEWS.

Have Root Print It.

P. J. Creedon & Son—Coal.

Eyes Tested Free—Ryan Jewelry Co.

Dr. Morton, Dentist, 627 City Nat'l Bank.

Gas, Electric fixtures, Burgess-Granden.

Times, Printing.

Fight Against Evil—"The Fight Against Evil," will be Dr. Frederick Cohn's subject this evening at 8 o'clock at Temple Israel.

Valley Farm Changes Hands—G. H. Ostler Thursday sold to A. P. Bloomquist a farm two miles south of Valley for $8,500.

Youth and Health should be taxed to provide for old age; a savings account with the Neb. Savings & Loan A'ssn. will start you right. 1905 Farnam, B. of T. Bldg.

The Bankers Savings and Loan Association have moved to their new quarters in the Douglas block, Sixteenth and Dodge, and are ready to make loans to home builders.

Divorce Decrees Granted—The following decrees of divorce were granted Thursday in the district court: Ida C. Heslop from Joseph W. Heslop and Georgia E. Obee from G. Wade Obee.

Creighton Farm is Sold—A farm of 160 acres, part of the old Creighton farm, two miles northwest of Benson, was sold Thursday by the John A. Creighton Real Estate and Trust company to James L. Langan for $18,564.

Divorce Suit Dismissed—The suit of Thomas A. Rodman for divorce from his wife, Lydia, was formally dismissed by Judge Troup Friday morning, the defendant having died during the course of the suit.

Funeral of Ella M. Larsen—The funeral of the late Ellen M. Larsen, who died at the age of 21 years Tuesday, will be held from the family residence north of Florence Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Miss Larson died of pneumonia after a long illness.

Old Farm is Sold—Barbara Poppenberger Thursday sold, through the Byron Reed company, sixty acres of farm land two miles west of Benson to J. J. Anderson. The consideration was $10,350. Mrs. Poppenberger has owned the land since 1880.

Cornbleth Takes Meat Department—Louis Cornbleth, formerly proprietor and manager of the Public market, has taken full charge of the meat and fish departments of the Bennett company. Mr. Cornbleth has had a long experience in his special line.

Spelling Bee at "Y"—An old-fashioned "spelling bee" will be held at the Young Men's Christian association tonight. E. A. Benson will propound the words to the contestants. The spelling match will be held in the assembly room beginning at 8 o'clock.

Starr Asks for Another Writ—Failing to secure a writ of mandamus to compel City Electrician Waldemar Michaelsen to inspect the wiring that he has installed in two houses, C. E. Starr has filed a petition for a writ of mandamus to compel Mr. Michaelsen to grant him a permit.

Ladies of the G. A. R.—Ladies of the G. A. R. will hold a meeting this evening at Baright hall in honor of their national president, Mrs. Emma E. Pierce of Springfield, Mass. Mrs. Pierce leaves Saturday for Kansas City. All veterans of the civil war are invited to attend the meeting.

Gives His Name as Snake—Fred Snake, was the name a prisoner arrested for creating a wild disturbance, gave as his in the police station Friday morning. Snake was unable to say where he lived. He suffered arrest in the north part of the city after an unusual scene of fighting with everyone he met.

Burnham to Honolulu—Major William P. Burnham, chief of staff of the Department of Missouri, is preparing to leave Sunday for Honolulu, where he will join his old regiment. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Burnham. The Burnham twins will remain in Omaha until the return of their parents next summer.

Social Settlement Meeting—The annual meeting of the Social Settlement association will be held Saturday evening at the public library. Mrs. W. C. Shannon, president of the board of directors, will preside. The reports of all the year's work will be read and several new members will be elected to the board.

New Engines in Service—The first of the ten big Pacific type engines, bought recently by the Union Pacific for use on its lines was put in service at Omaha Friday morning. The engine started out with mail train No. 23. One of the points of the new style of engine is the water tank which will carry 9,000 gallons of water instead of 7,000 as those at present. This will make it unnecessary for the mail trains to stop for water at Fremont as it does at present, but allow it to go straight through to Grand Island.

Money Order Keeps Him Out—Charged with selling oleomargerine without a license, Joseph Vopolka, proprietor of a grocery and butcher shop at Fifth and William streets, proved an alibi with the receipt for a money order in police court Friday morning. Through his attorney, J. C. Cooley, Vopolka showed that he had sent his $10 fee for the state license two days before the complaint was filed charging him with the illegality. The case was continued to Saturday morning, by which time it is expected Voipolka will be able to show his license.

KENNEY TRAFFIC MANAGER

Assistant is Appointed to Succeed W. W. Broughton of the Great Northern Railway.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 3.—W. P. Kenney has been appointed acting general traffic manager of the Great Northern railway to succeed W. W. Broughton, who has become vice president of the Pittsburg Coal company.

Mr. Kenney was assistant to Mr. Broughton.

NEW CENSUS OF IOWA FALLS

Commercial Club Agents Find Names Omitted from Official Count.

IOWA FALLS, Ia., March 3.—(Special.)—The canvass of the city by the Commercial club, just completed, puts the city in the 8,000 class and increases the number reported by the official census by about 300. A systematic and careful enumeration of the city was made by the directors of the club and results in finding many people who were not previously enumerated. The count made does not include nearly 400 students who are enrolled at Ellsworth college nor the foreigners who are employed the major portion of the year at the stone crushers in this city. In both instances they are residents of the city the most of the year, and while not legal residents, eligible to enumeration, yet they go to swell the number of people in Iowa Falls the greater part of the year to nearly 3,500.

Business Confidence is not brought about by Deceptive Advertising. Bee advertising generally is Reliable Advertising.

FORMAL OPENING ON TODAY

Union Outfitting Company Ready for Show Day.

BIG STORE ALL IN READINESS

Public is Invited to Attend, Receive Souvenirs and Inspect the Beautiful Floral Display and Large Stock.

Busy Omaha will tomorrow witness the formal opening of the new modern store of the Union Outfitting company at Sixteenth and Jackson streets, where everybody will have the opportunity of seeing one of the best equipped retail furniture houses in the country. People of Omaha and its suburbs will look upon the splendid new home of a firm that has grown with the progress of this city; that has become one of the best known firms in the west, and that has done as much for Omaha, as Omaha has done much for it.

The formal opening of this new store represents an important retail mercantile event in the city of Omaha and the state of Nebraska. It indicates the rapid growth of Omaha and its suburbs, for without the growth and progress of Omaha and surrounding cities the establishment of this store on the large and firm foundation of today would not have been possible. As Omaha has gone ahead, so has this new store moved forward, reaping benefits of a straight business policy that has won for the Union Outfitting company thousands of friends in Omaha and in the states of Iowa and Nebraska.

One of the Very Best.

The building of this new store, the enlargement of its stock in every line—has produced for Omaha a retail furniture establishment that is second to none in the country. Not even in the larger cities of the east is there a store that compares with the Union Outfitting company's establishment for variety, quality and quantity of stock.

By giving this city one of the best stores in the country the Union Outfitting company has added another stepping stone to the flight that is rapidly putting Omaha into the class of best metropolitan cities. Just as a new modern hotel or department store aids immensely in making a city larger, so this new furniture store gives Omaha a higher position than it would have without the big establishment.

With the building of the Union Outfitting company's store at Sixteenth and Jackson streets has come the realization that the retail business section of Omaha is fast creeping south of Harney street. Not many years ago Harney street was the dead line, but now it is very often stated that within a few years the retail lines will extend fully as far as Leavenworth street.

High Type Represented.

The Union Outfitting company represents a high type of home furnishing concerns. It sells high-class goods at prices that are as reasonable as any in the world. It gives dividend payments—payments on the installment plan—that makes it possible for everybody to buy at this store, getting the best goods at the fairest prices and taking plenty of time in which to pay for them. The policy of this store has won many friends and has made it possible for the company to put up the new building, in which nothing has been left undone to make the store modern in every detail.

The store is one of the best lighted in the city. Unobstructed, daylight enters the building from two sides, Jackson street and Sixteenth street, so it is a certainty that this light never can be cut off by the erection of new structures. The electric lighting is a marvel of ingenuity, and it is stated that this store is the best lighted, day or night, of any in the city.

All Ready for Opening.

Every detail is ready for opening tomorrow, which will be extensive in scope, for great plans have been made during the last few months for this event. Music will be furnished by an augmented orchestra. Thousands of valuable souvenirs will be given visitors in the way of china plaques. No special attempt will be made to sell goods at this time and the whole store will be given over to the visitors for an inspection of the stock. It is to be show day at the big store, where everybody may inspect the large stock, the beautiful floral decorations and the many other interesting things. The Outfitting company extends an earnest invitation to all its customers, friends and citizens at large to visit the new modern establishment for this formal opening.

MICHIGAN REPUBLICANS MEET

Taft Endorsed, but Canadian Reciprocity is Not Favored by State Convention.

SAGINAW, Mich., March 3.—Despite an urgent appeal by Governor Osborn, the republican state convention here today omitted from its platform an endorsement of Canadian reciprocity. All the nominations were unanimous and there was little debate over the report of the resolutions committee.

Governor Osborn in his address said in part: "It is impossible to indorse the Taft administration without indorsing Canadian reciprocity, the greatest of President Taft's works."

The platform as prepared for the consideration of the resolutions committee contained an indorsement of President Taft, Governor Osborn and United States Senator William Alden Smith. As submitted to the convention and adopted the platform omitted the indorsement of Senator Smith.

Several members of the committee said that it was considered that the endorsement of Senator Smith might be construed as an indorsement for re-election, and it was decided that the expiration of his term was too far away for such indorsement at this time.

SOUTH DAKOTA TO ADVERTISE

After Bitter Fight Legislature Appropriates Money for Purpose.

ACTION ON RICHARDS PRIMARY

Senate Bill Wiping Out Free Range Passes House Without Emergency Clause—Soldiers' Home Considered.

PIERRE, S. D., March 3.—(Special Telegram.)—For the first time since the statehood of South Dakota, it will again begin the advertising which was carried on in territorial days, but on a small scale. The result was not secured until the close of a bitter fight on the floor of the house, in which members from the southern and eastern parts of the state repeated the old worn out capital campaign statement of the general worthlessness of the state west of the Jim river, and putting that up as their reason. The farmers of the eastern part were bitter in their denunciation of such "useless expenditure" by the state, and said they had all the growth they wanted, but it went through by a bare scratch majority of fifty-three.

Primary Bill Killed.

The house tonight killed the Richards primary law after submitting the same proposition to the people through the referendum.

The senate bill wiping out free range passed the house, but not until the emergency clause had been stricken off, and it is intimated that the stock interests will attempt to hang on for another two years through the use of the referendum.

The house killed the new law in regard to publication of insurance statements, but it will be up again under reconsideration.

The senate killed the new game code which provided for state game wardens and materially changed the game laws of the state and killed the bill to appropriate money for securing gas from the well on the state grounds.

Action on Soldiers' Home.

The senate also took up the house bill providing for a board of control of three for the soldiers' home, and abolishing the name "commandant." It has gone through both houses with the "emergency" attachment and will be a law as soon as signed, and while it does prohibit the appointment of soldiers as members of the board and at the head of the home, it does not cut out the old provisions which required such appointments. The same body also passed the house congressional apportionment bill cutting the state into three districts, one west of the Missouri, one east of the river and south of the south line of Hughes, Beadle and Brookings counties and the third east of the river and north of that line. At the same time it carries a provision that until the state is granted three congressmen two shall be nominated and elected at large.

NEW HOSPITAL FOR YANKTON

Physicians Pleased with Plans for Quarter Million Structure.

YANKTON, S. D., March 3.—(Special.)—Physicians and surgeons of this neighborhood met at Sacred Heart hospital Tuesday night at the invitation of the Benedictine Sisters to inspect some designs for the proposed new hospital to be erected on Mount Marty. The visitors were surprised to find the designs of great beauty, in early English gothic. If constructed as planned the building will easily be the peer of anything in the whole west and the commanding site will add much to the effect. The work is only at a very preliminary stage, but the design submitted shows a frontage of 230 feet, wings of eighty feet and five stories in height, with a handsome tower 125 feet in height. The interior design is also excellent. The estimated cost is $250,000, most of which will be raised by subscription and bonds.

Newspaper Change at Huron.

HURON, S. D., March 3.—(Special.)—Fred C. Smith has sold his interest in the Morning Herald to H. L. Hatch, possession being given March 1. The new firm of Tredway & Hatch will continue the paper under its present political faith.

JAIL WEDDING IS PREVENTED

Tennessee Attorney General Prohibits Marriage of Man Who is Held for Murder.

CHATTANOOGA, March 3.—Only the interference of the state attorney general this afternoon prevented the marriage in jail of Dr. John W. Sherman, held without bail for killing his brother-in-law, and Miss Cleo D. Lucas.

Earlier in the day Dr. Sherman procured a license and when the wedding party, including Mrs. Thomas D. Norman, wife of the man Sherman is charged with killing, appeared at the jail admittance was refused on instructions from the attorney general.