

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Most Prized... Electric Fans—Burgess-Graden. Omaha Stove Repair Works. Furnaces and Flower Vases. Fines Are Heavy—Receipts from fines and forfeited bonds in police court for the month of May exceeded all previous records. The total was approximately \$2,500.

Government Bonds—Subscriptions for the new issue of United States government bonds will be received at the Nebraska National bank, where blanks and information will be supplied without charge.

Our Burglary, theft and larceny policy protects against theft by any person (including servants), lawfully or unlawfully upon the premises. Other good features. Butcher, 224 Brandeis Bldg. Phone Douglas 1579.

Kieth Visits Here—John Kieth, former ranchman at Sutherland, Neb., and now making his home at Hollywood, Cal., where several other Omaha people have winter homes, is visiting old friends in Omaha and "casualty" paying up a few taxes," as Kieth puts it.

Condition of Mrs. Rose—The condition of Mrs. Julia Rose, who was bitten by a dog while working in her garden is still serious, but no immediate danger is anticipated unless complication sets in. Mrs. Rose is mother of J. Frank Rose, one of the clerks at the Hotel Rome.

Seek New Circus Lot—When the Barnum & Bailey circus comes to Omaha July 12, it may break in a new circus lot. The advance agents are negotiating for the ground at Forty-second and Leavenworth streets. The Buffalo Bill show may also exhibit on this lot when it comes in August.

Writen Before Grand Jury—Arthur V. Mullien, who conducted the prosecution of the ouster suit against Chief of Police Donahue, will appear before the county grand jury Thursday morning, presumably in connection with the enforcement of the Albert act. The summons were served on him just before he left the city for Lincoln Monday.

Deaver Goes to Billings—D. Clem Deaver, legislative agent of the Burlington, left for Billings Wednesday, to make preparations for the big homeseekers' excursion that road is planning on Homeseeker day, June 6. Mr. Deaver will return to Omaha before that day and he expects to lead out more than 300 farmers to settle in the Big Horn basin.

Corn Worms Are Busy—Cut worms are reported to be at work on the corn in the low lands of the state, but it is not thought that any great damage will be done by them. C. H. Wright has just returned from a trip over the state and he reports that corn is up and is being plowed. In the low lands I found some of the corn weedy and the cut worms at work," says Mr. Wright, "but with clear weather for awhile I think the worms will disappear."

Normandie Apartments Sold—The Normandie Apartment House company has sold the Normandie apartments located at Park avenue and Pacific street. The property goes to Edwin J. Harrington of California, who buys it as an investment. In exchange, John S. Knox, one of the principal owners, takes over 222 acres of land lying south of the city on Fort Crook boulevard. It is reported that the tract will be platted into acres and placed on the market.

Investigate Short Baskets—A representative of the Coffin Box and Paper company of Minneapolis arrived in Omaha Wednesday morning to investigate the holding up of a consignment of baskets to Trimble Bros. John Grant Peeg, inspector of weight and measures, prohibited the unloading of the baskets because of an alleged shortage in measure. A test developed that the baskets would hold but seven-eighths of a bushel. The company contends that the baskets are not supposed to be bushel measures and will urge that they be delivered.

DIFFERENT DATES FOR THE CHARITY CONVENTIONS

Nebraska Charities and Corrections on Another Date from the Prison Congress.

At a meeting of the state officers and executive committee of the Nebraska Convention of Charities and Corrections, held Wednesday morning in the city hall, it was decided not to hold the annual state convention in conjunction with the National Prison association, which will convene in Omaha October 14 to 18.

Instead an informal meeting of the social workers will be held in October and the annual convention early in the new year. Whether to hold the regular convention in October was a topic of spirited debate. Some members contended that the two conventions should be held simultaneously; others held that the state convention should be a separate affair. This latter view finally prevailed after discussion which lasted the greater part of the morning.

Dr. William M. Davidson, chairman of the committee of 100 which has charge of the arrangements for the National Prison association's convention, told the charity officials that he would be glad to have the two conventions at the same time, and that the two organizations could work hand in hand. Will Campbell of the publicity bureau of the Commercial club also spoke in favor of the combination idea.

Members of the charity associations, however, felt that their affairs might be lost in the shuffle and urged a distinct convention.

Rev. Edward A. Fredenhagen of Kansas City, Mo., secretary of the Kansas and Missouri division of the Society for the Friendless," announced during the morning that his organization was planning a campaign of Nebraska and that subsidiary societies will be formed throughout the state. "The object of the society," said Mr. Fredenhagen, "is for the prevention and cure of crime, reclaiming and reformation of criminals, and the relief of the friendless and distressed."

TROOPS OFF TO TARGET RANGE

Soldiers at Fort Crook Will March to Ashland for Practice and Maneuvers.

The annual target practice of the troops stationed at Fort Crook will begin the latter part of next week and will last for the next twelve weeks. Two battalions will participate at the practice.

The second battalion of the Fourth infantry will leave early next week for the two-day march to Ashland, Neb., where a target range has been secured for this year only. The distance from Fort Crook to Ashland is about forty miles and twenty miles will be made by troops each day.

A Hilarious Error.

The Bee of Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning took unwarranted liberties with the advertisements of the Bennett store. Directly beneath "Bennett's," so well known as the signature to all the Bennett advertisements, might have been found "Dressmaker's Forms—Brandeis New Stock—just in, each \$1.00."

The copy sent to the Bee from the Bennett store read "Brand New Stock, Etc." The Bennett store treated the error in full good nature and the Bee hastens to inform the public that the firms in question are not "Brandeis Forms" and are to be found at the Bennett store.

PROGRESSIVES PUT OFF MEET

Candidates Not Able to Be Present at This Time.

NORRIS BROWN GIVES ADVICE

Statistics Being Gathered by Secretary Shotwell Seem to Favor Roosevelt as Progressive Candidate for President.

The meeting of the executive committee of the Progressive Republican league called for Wednesday afternoon in the office of J. L. Kennedy, has been deferred to a later date on which all of the candidates for congress can be present. Both Senator Norris Brown and Congressman George W. Norris, who were expected, wrote to Secretary Shotwell informing him that it would be impossible to be there at this time, congress being still in session. Senator Brown's letter, which contains some interesting suggestions, is in part as follows:

"I very much regret that it is impossible for me to get away, because there are a number of things I would like to talk over with the men who are determined to promote the principles for which the league stands.

"These principles can only be advanced successfully by uniting all forces who believe in them in a steady and constant effort to support them. Our chief danger, as pointed out by President ex-Roosevelt in a letter to us here, is a division of the friends of the movement among themselves. The moment we begin to factionize and divide our forces in the interest of any one of our number for some particular office that moment the cause for which we stand begins to lose the support that belongs to it. The league is for the advancement of governmental policies and not for the advancement of any particular individual. Under the Nebraska statute the rank and file are permitted to choose all their officers and to express their choice for president at a primary. They should be permitted to do so and to exercise their own judgment in that regard without dictation or suggestion on the part of any organization whether it be our own or some other organization. Our fight is for a cause and not for men."

At present a number of the country newspapers of the state are taking a poll in their different communities to determine a preference for a presidential candidate. When the figures are completed they will be turned over to the progressive league. Secretary Shotwell says that data gathered up to the present time strongly favors Theodore Roosevelt as the progressive candidate.

CROPS AND FRUIT IN GOOD SHAPE IN ALL NEBRASKA

Railroad Reports Show the Fruit Crop Will Be a Revelation to All.

Soil and crops in Nebraska are reported to be in good condition by the weekly crop reports of the Burlington and Northwestern lines. Rain is needed in some parts because of the hot winds which have blown over the state.

Some damage has been done to winter wheat near Kearney, Aurora and Sutton and near Wymore and Table Rock wheat is said to be heading rather short. The general condition, however, is very good and a good crop will result.

Spring wheat is in good condition, and the corn is judged to have been benefited rather than hurt by the extreme weather of the last week. Potatoes are in good condition; pastures and meadows in only fair shape as yet.

Fruit crops in Nebraska this summer are to be a revelation to the scoffers who assert that this state cannot grow fruit. The prospects are for a bumper crop in all kinds of fruit.

Potatoes and sugar beets in the northwestern part of the state are a little slow coming up, as the dry weather which has been prevalent in southwestern Dakota has been felt in that part of the state.

TWELVE THOUSAND FOR DEATH OF BRAKEMAN

Heavy Damages Awarded to Widow of Man Killed by Train at Valley.

Verdict for \$12,000 damages against the Union Pacific Railway company for the death of Harry Richelleu, a brakeman, was returned in district court this morning.

Suit was brought by Mrs. Charlotte Richelleu, administratrix.

Richelleu was killed while switching at Valley, Neb., Mar. 1910. His foot was caught in a frog and he was run down and crushed to death by a string of cars.



Speak up loud When you ask for Campbell's Tomato Soup make it plain that Campbell's is what you want. No use accepting any second-best when you can have the best. Insist on

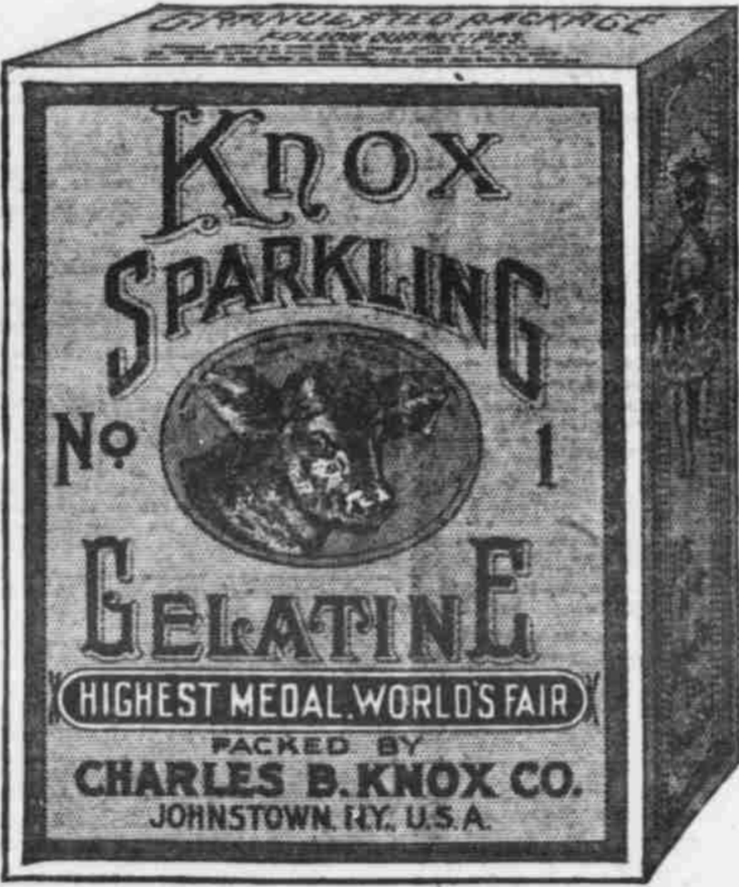


There's a flavor and richness about this incomparable soup that is the envy of soup-makers everywhere. Judge it for yourself. The same with any of Campbell's Soups. You are the judge. 21 kinds 10c a can. Just add hot water, bring to a boil, and serve. JOSEPH CAMPBELL COMPANY, Omaha, Neb. Look for the red-and-white label.

The Greatest MEN'S SUIT SALE Ever held this early in the season, will occur at this store next Saturday. The small lots of our regular stock will be sold at end-of-the-season prices. See a Few in Our Window Now, and Watch For Our Friday Ad. Nebraska Clothing Co. "THE HOUSE OF HIGH MERIT."

Send for the Knox Recipe Book Today. Dainty Desserts for Dainty People.

Knox pure, plain, sparkling Gelatine has introduced countless delicious desserts and dainty dishes into thousands of homes. This pure, uncolored, unsweetened Gelatine is as much a staple in the up-to-date home as butter, eggs and salt. Almost every dish can be improved with Knox Gelatine. It garnishes the meats, gives body to the jells, thickens the soups and gravies, and is the basis for hundreds of delicious desserts.



RECIPE for CHOCOLATE BLANC MANGE. 1/2 box Knox Sparkling Gelatine. 1 quart sweet milk. 1 cup cold water. 1 cup sugar. 2 ounces grated chocolate.

Soak gelatine in cold water five minutes. Boil sweet milk with sugar and grated chocolate and a little salt five minutes. Then add dissolved gelatine, stirring constantly. Flavor with vanilla, and pour into mold. Serve with whipped cream.

The above is a sample recipe from our illustrated Recipe Book, "Dainty Desserts for Dainty People," sent FREE for your grocer's name.

CHARLES B. KNOX CO. 318 Knox Ave., Johnstown, N.Y.

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You Can Broil, Bake and Boil at the Same Time on a Double Oven Range. The Kitchen Hours are Shortened Where There is a Gas Range. BECAUSE, there is no fire to care for and nothing to clean up. The whole meal may be prepared at the same time, which is economical, and, BECAUSE A Gas Range does its work with neatness and despatch, there is ample time for rest. Double Oven Ranges Cost, Connected, \$20.00. EASY TERMS IF DESIRED. OTHER RANGES AT OTHER PRICES. OMAHA GAS COMPANY

BEE WANT ADS PRODUCE RESULTS

The Omaha Bee's Great Booklovers' Contest. Illustration of a man reading a book. NO. 58—THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1911.

What Does This Picture Represent? Title Author Your Name Street and Number City or Town

After you have written in the title of the book, save the coupon and picture. Do not send any coupons until the end of the contest is announced. Remember the picture represents the title of a book—not a scene or character from it.

Catalogues containing the names of all the books on which the puzzle pictures are based are for sale at the Business Office of The Bee—25 cents. By mail, 30 cents.

Rules of the Contest. All persons are eligible to enter this contest except employees of the Omaha Bee and members of their families. Each day, for seventy-five days, there will be published in The Bee a picture which will represent the name of a book. Beneath each picture there will be a blank for the contestant to fill in the name of the book.

First Prize Value \$2,000. A \$2,000 Apperson "Jack Rabbit" Touring car, Model Four-Thirty, with five passenger capacity. It is a great car in a great road. It has many speed and road records, and today ranks among the leading motor cars. For both service and speed, this auto will make an excellent possession. It is a real joy-maker. It is fully equipped and is just like accompanying illustration. The famous Apperson warranty goes with this car. The prize may be inspected at the Apperson Sales Rooms, 1102 Farnam St.

Second Prize Value \$750. Not everybody can play a piano but everybody would like to. The \$750-note Kimball player-piano, worth \$750, which is the second grand prize, will furnish music for you whether you play or not. It is a wonderful instrument, and will make some home a happy place for every member of the family. Even if you can't play this instrument, if sister wants to play it without the mechanism, she simply has to lift a lever. This player is exhibited at the A. Hospe store, 1512 Douglas St.

Third Prize Value \$500. This prize is a beautiful lot in A. P. Tukey & Son's 11th addition adjacent to Hancock park and Central boulevard. It is lot 4 of block eight on Thirty-third street, and is 6x130 feet. The street car line runs along Thirty-second Avenue, just a block from the site of the lot. Some young couple, perhaps, will here erect a little cottage in which to live for years and years. Who can tell what lucky person will get this ideal lot? You may be the one.

Fourth Prize Value \$250. A \$250 Columbia "Regent" Grafonola and \$50 worth of records form the fourth grand prize. This excellent instrument is one of the best manufactured. It is built of finest mahogany throughout. For your family this instrument is simply a musical gem. It is sure to increase the bliss of any home. It will draw the family closer together and form means of entertainment night after night. This Grafonola is now exhibited at the Columbia Phonograph Company's agency, 1311-12 Farnam Street.

Thirty-Five Cash Prizes VALUE \$140.00. Five Prizes of \$10. Ten Prizes of \$5. Twenty Prizes of \$2. Watch for the Daily Picture in The Bee