

BRIEF CITY NEWS

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Gunther Lones Pocketbook—A Gunther, 280 Farnam street, reported to the police last night that his pocket had been picked of \$4 while he was going home from the depot on a West Farnam street car.

Oliver Buys Lot and Building—George Oliver has bought from Alfred Farnam a lot and building on the east side of Twenty-fourth between Q and R streets, South Omaha, paying \$14,000.

Losses Money from Dresser—A thief stole \$11 from a dresser drawer in the home of Mrs. A. Helme, 315 North Twenty-second street, Friday evening, while Mrs. Helme was at a grocery store, so she told the police.

Woman Hit by Auto—Agnes Smalley, 123 Maple street, was struck by a swiftly moving auto driven by W. C. Gross Saturday afternoon at 1:30 at Eleventh and Farnam streets. She was taken to her home, where an examination showed that her injuries were only slight.

Burlington Announces Special Train—For Wednesday, October 4, the occasion of the electric parade in connection with the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities, the Burlington announces special trains into Omaha from Lincoln, Plattsmouth and Intermediate points.

Wilson Case Continued—James Wilson, who was arrested on a warrant sworn to by J. J. Mahoney charging him with illegal registering in the First precinct of the Third ward, pleaded not guilty to the charge in police court Saturday morning and asked for a continuance until Friday, September 29, which was granted.

Wants Clean Streets—Councilman McGovern will try to reform the conduct of careless contractors and builders who are littering up the streets just before Ak-Sar-Ben time. The street commissioner is trying to keep all refuse from the downtown thoroughfares during the next two weeks and all citizens are expected to help.

High School Lads Will Meet Prison Workers at Train

A meeting of the local reception, entertainment and pupil supply committees of the American Prison congress, which meets in Omaha October 14-19, was held at the Commercial club Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Draper Smith presided. Arrangements for the reception and general entertainment of the visiting delegates were discussed. The Rome hotel will be the general headquarters of the congress. Sessions will be held at the Auditorium and at one or two of the local churches.

It was decided that a committee of senior boys from the high school should act as a reception committee at the Burlington and Union stations and at the Rome hotel on October 14 and 15, when the delegates will arrive. The following seniors have been appointed by Principal McHugh to act on this committee: Malcolm Bailes, George Grimes, Vargi Rector, Edward Perkins, Rex Houston, Sidney Meyer and Harry Jenkins. The local committee which met Saturday afternoon will give a luncheon at the Commercial club Friday noon, when arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the visiting delegates will be made.

"Y" Gardeners Have Apple Feast

William Lonergan's farm, a mile north of Florence, presented a lively scene Saturday afternoon when sixty boys gathered to enjoy the hospitality of Mr. Lonergan and his fruit orchards. The boys were prize winners in the Boys' Garden club exhibit held at the Young Men's Christian association last spring. Mr. Lonergan was judge of the exhibits of the Garden club and conceived the idea of entertaining the youthful gardeners by inviting them out to eat apples, plums and other good things, and the lunch was served from the end of the Florence car line.

DAYLIGHT BURGLARS ARE CHASED BY WOMEN

Two daylight burglars in the Charles Shiverick residence at Thirty-eighth and Jones streets were almost captured by Mrs. Charles Martin and Mrs. F. T. H. Martin, who chased them across back lots and streets. The Shivericks were away from home. An employe heard the burglars in the cellar and gave the alarm. Soon the house was surrounded by men and women. The burglars came out of a window on the side guarded by the women, who gave chase. One of the house-breakers cut loose a horse hitched to a post and jumped into the vehicle, pursued by the animal. Mrs. Charles Martin grabbed the horse and hung on. He cursed, jumped and ran. The police came too late. The men are still at liberty.

SUES CITY BECAUSE HIS CELERY CROP GOES DRY

Timothy Horan sues South Omaha and Union Stock Yards Diverted His Water. The city of South Omaha and the Union Stock Yards company are made joint defendants in a suit brought by Timothy Horan for \$5,000, alleging that his celery farm was ruined by diversion of the sludgy waters of Mud creek. He asserts that he had purchased right to one-sixth of the flow of water in the creek, but the building of a sewer by the defendants diverted the water. They agreed to build him a sluiceway to help irrigate his crop, he says, but failed to do so and he wants damages and the execution of his contract.

COFFEE AT RETAIL DOES NOT ADVANCE IN OMAHA

Though coffee has made recent advances at wholesale, local dealers are pretty well supplied with stock bought before the rise and are not advancing prices to consumers. Sugar is still selling at fourteen pounds for \$1, with supplies coming a little more freely, indicating a probability that the price will decline soon, rather than advance.

A Bloody Affair is lung hemorrhage. Stop it; and cure weak lungs, coughs and colds with Dr. King's New Discovery. For sale by Best Drug Co.

SCHOOL AND COLLEGE WORK

Students and Faculties Settling Down to the Grind.

ACTIVITIES IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS

Superintendent Davidson Backing Down to Work in Washington and His Leadership Hopes Fully Watched.

On September 12 the Kearney Military academy opened auspiciously with an unusually fine set of boys. Never before have things gone more smoothly from study hall to kitchen—and the school is now in perfect running order.

Two new teachers have dropped easily into their places, and Mr. Willard Nelson, formerly of Blee Academy, is instructor in manual training.

Of our last year's graduates heard from in their way to their respective colleges are Day and Marble, entering Ann Arbor; Levy, the School of Mines at Boulder; Wolitshak, the University of California; Tym, England, and Todd, the State university at Lincoln.

YANKTON COLLEGE

Enrollment Shows Increase All Along the Line.

Yankton college begins work with vigor. All departments are in full swing. The enrollment shows increase all along the line. Over 250 students are enrolled during the first week with a college freshman class of fifty. The year bids fair to be a record-breaker. Even the athletes wear a smile at the prospects. The football material looks good, with nearly enough men on the field every night for the third team.

WASHINGTON SCHOOLS

Great Things Expected from Superintendent Davidson.

The public schools of Washington, D. C., opened last Monday and nearly 50,000 children were enrolled. Under the superintendency of Dr. Davidson, formerly of Omaha, beneficial results are expected. System instead of the confusion of former years is confidently looked for, especially in the matter of adjusting school accommodations to the number of children.

In securing Dr. Davidson, late of Omaha, as superintendent of the schools, says the Washington Times, "the authorities have been peculiarly fortunate. Dr. Davidson has made an excellent impression since he has been in Washington. On Saturday he served notice on a big gathering of colored patrons of the schools that it would not be worth while for them to go about aligning influence and putting 'pulls' into operation; he was going to run the schools, and would not require assistance of that sort."

"That is the right attitude; and the best part of it is that Dr. Davidson comes here with a record which is earnest of his purpose to make good on such a policy. In Omaha he took charge of the schools when they were almost as much a political as an educational establishment. He proved both the diplomat and the administrator. He got the politics eliminated and the schools put on a solid business basis, besides developing the educational work to the point where the system was recognized as one of the models of the country."

"In the hands of a man of established abilities, both educational and administrative, it is to be hoped the Washington schools are today entering on a new era. Dr. Davidson has not made any promises, which is an excellent sign. In a very short time he has performed most reassuringly, which is a better sign."

KEARNEY NORMAL NOTES.

Annual Reception to New Students Given Friday.

United States Senator Norris Brown occupied the chapel hour at the Kearney normal on Thursday morning with a brief lecture on the peace treaties. Senator Brown's remarks were delivered in his usual forceful and succinct manner and were deeply appreciated.

On Thursday evening the young men of the Normal Young Men's Christian Association gave a stag social for the young men of the school and the men of the faculty. As usual, this took the form of a watermelon-feast, and the evening was greatly enjoyed.

President Thomas left Thursday for Wayne, where he will attend a meeting of the board and will be present at the laying of the corner stone of the new library and science hall which is being erected at that place.

Mrs. Cotton Mather, national secretary of the literary department of the woman's mission society of the Methodist Episcopal church, was a visitor at the normal on Friday.

The annual reception to new students given by the Young Men's Christian association and Young Women's Christian association occurred at the normal Friday evening. The students turned out en masse, wearing labels giving name and home address. Punch was served and games and music occupied the evening.

The normal band, under the direction of Professor Porter, and the orchestra, under the leadership of Professor Patterson, have been organized for the year, and are meeting for regular practice.

Persistent advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

Mail Transported by Airship in New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The first United States mail ever transported by aeroplane was carried today from the aviation field on Nassau boulevard, Long Island, to Garden City, a distance of five miles by Earl L. Ovington, in a Bleriot machine. His flight was the leading feature of the international aviation meet's opening day. Ovington took only one bag of mail, held it between his knees and when he was over Garden City he dropped it on the signal of a man who waved a flag as prearranged. This bag contained about seventy-five pounds of letters and post cards.

BELLEVUE COLLEGE

Located in Omaha's Beautiful Suburb. THIRTIETH YEAR OPENS SEPTEMBER 12TH, 1911. College, Normal School, Musical Conservatory and Academy. Strong faculty, representing graduate study in Harvard, Johns Hopkins, Columbia, Princeton, Chicago, Wisconsin, Iowa, Leipzig, Edinburgh and Oxford. Single Teacher's Certificates granted. Successful Athletics. Debating, Oratory and College Journalism. Expenses moderate. SEND FOR CATALOGUE.

Two Men Get in Fight Protecting Young Girl

Two men of the same mind—both with only the one thought of protecting Anna Nelson, the 13-year-old daughter of James Nelson, Tenth and Seward streets—resorted to fistfights early last night to settle the question as to who was the girl's real protector.

As a result of the fight Albert Staton, who operates a photograph gallery on wheels at 1222 Nicholas street, is at St. Joseph's hospital with two eyes swollen shut and threatened with the loss of sight in one. Staton's opponent, the injured man told the police, was Harry Sillick, who lives in his neighborhood. He escaped.

According to Staton's story, he took the girl to her home following her visit to his studio. Staton said Sillick overtook him at Eleventh and Nicholas streets and accused him of "taking too much interest in the girl" and assaulted him.

Juvenile officer Carver said last night that Staton visited his office two weeks ago and asked him to see that Anna Nelson went to school. Later, Carver said, Staton told him the girl had started to school and the services of the juvenile authorities would not be necessary.

JUDGE HOLDS EMPLOYE'S NEGLIGENCE CAUSED DEATH

After the testimony on both sides had been nearly completed and all of the material facts communicated to the jury Judge Smith McPherson yesterday directed a verdict to be returned for the company in the suit for \$10,000 instituted by Otto Apicquet, administrator, for the death of John Johnson. Johnson was killed while unloading a lot of dump cars in the Union Pacific freight yards in April, 1909, and a suit was brought against the company on the grounds that it incurred the responsibility of negligence when the foreman in charge of the freight handling crew went away while the work was in progress.

"It is very clear in this case," said the court, "that the man who unfortunately lost his life was guilty of contributory negligence to a degree that absolved the company from all responsibility for his death. He was not compelled to stand in the position where common prudence should have shown he was in danger of being killed, and that his acts of assisting to remove the standard that kept a heavy piece of machinery from falling put in jeopardy the company's property as well as his own life. From the testimony it appeared almost a case of suicide, and no construction of the rules of equity could that the company responsible for the suicide of an employe."

FARMER FROM CHILLICOTHE LOSES BIG SUM IN DRAFTS

L. S. Stump, a farmer, residing near Chillicothe, Ia., reported to the police yesterday morning that he had been robbed of \$3,000 or that he had lost his pocketbook containing the money while walking from the Burlington depot to the Willow Springs saloon on South Main. Stump came to town Friday afternoon bringing the money for the purpose of investing in farm lands. Of the amount only \$150 was cash. The remainder was in drafts, two for \$1,400 each and one for \$600 issued by the Ottumwa National bank. The man spent some time in the saloon and says he did not miss his pocketbook until late in the evening. He denied that he was intoxicated, but could not clearly explain why he delayed so long in notifying the police. Payment of the bank paper was stopped by wire. The police detectives are inclined to believe that the old man was "touched" by some of the South Main street gang, whose regular vocation is to "roll" drunken men.

ENDEAVORERS NAME OFFICERS

Iowa Church Society Holds Its Annual Session at Oskaloosa.

OSKALOOSA, Ia., Sept. 23.—H. E. Van Horn of Des Moines was re-elected president and Grinnell chosen as the IBC president at the closing session of the Iowa Christian Endeavor union here this afternoon. Cedar Rapids and Des Moines, the other candidates for convention honors next year, were defeated after a spirited contest.

Other officers elected were: Vice president, William Hardeste, Iowa Falls; secretary, H. W. Kruger, Lake Park; treasurer, H. M. Rich, Hubbard; superintendents junior and intermediate work, missions and persons, Mrs. F. L. Coudou of LeGrand; Mrs. Laura D. Garst of Des Moines; and Miss Belle Powers, New Hampton; editor, Iowa Bulletin, William Hardeste, Iowa Falls.

President Van Horn was elected delegate to the National Temperance convention at Washington with Vice President Hardeste as the alternate.

GLENWOOD DEFEATS BLUFFS IN FIRST FOOT BALL GAME

The Council Bluffs High school foot ball team went to Glenwood, Ia., and was defeated in the initial game, 16 to 4, yesterday.

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Natural Laxative Water Speedy Sure Gentle Quickly Relieves CONSTIPATION

CANADA VOTE FARMER GAIN

Local Grain Man Says Nebraska Grower Will Profit.

BUT OMAHA MARKET WILL LOSE

Says Wheat May Go to \$1.25 by April, but Chicago Clique, Not the Farmers, Will Benefit.

"The defeat of reciprocity by Canada, means profit to the farmer of Nebraska, and a loss to the Omaha grain market," says a local grain dealer, who is in close touch with the trade all the time.

"The millers of the north will still be compelled to buy the Nebraska wheat to mix with the northern variety in order to get output of flour. If reciprocity had carried, they would have had access to the Canadian spring wheat, and could have passed up our hard wheat. This would have resulted in fixing the price of the Nebraska wheat on the export basis, which would have meant a considerable loss to the local farmer. As it is, he will come in contact with the export price only on the basis of flour. The northern wheat is preferred because it makes a whiter flour and looks a little better. It has no other advantage."

"I doubt if much was gained by the dealers on the sudden rise in wheat prices, for the reason that not one in three had an idea that reciprocity would be beaten, so none of them were long. It is my judgment that the price was pushed up too fast, but it will go higher before spring. The situation is simply this:

"The last government report gave us about 680,000,000 bushels of wheat for this year's crop. About 100,000,000 bushels were held over. Against this we have a home consumptive demand of about 50,000,000 bushels for food and about 20,000,000 bushels for seed. Our export in form of flour is about 75,000,000 bushels. This will leave less than 50,000,000 bushels to hold over, which is far less than the normal amount. In the meantime, the Chicago clique, who were his pretty hard two years ago and who have been holding a lot of wheat, are planning to get even on the losses incurred, and it wouldn't surprise me in the least to see wheat going at \$1.25 in Chicago by April."

"Not so much of this gain is going to the farmers for they have been more early to market than usual this season, and more of this year's crop is in the hands of the holders than is usual at this season of the year. In Chicago, for example, a rule was passed by the Board of Trade last week to recognize basis as public warehouses, and already a considerable number of basis have been rented for storage purposes for the winter. The traffic on the lakes has been light, and the boat owners prefer to tie up now and rent their capacity for storage purposes."

BLACKBURN RE-ELECTED BY LIFE UNDERWRITERS

T. W. Blackburn of Omaha was re-elected secretary and treasurer by the convention of American Life Insurance men, which adjourned Saturday after a three days' session at Pittsburgh, Pa.

ERNEST E. HART SEEKS TO BE RE-ELECTED COMMITTEEMAN

Ernest E. Hart of Council Bluffs has announced his candidacy for a fourth term as national committeeman. He pledges himself as a supporter of President Taft.



Brandeis Stores, richly decorated for this event, will present Authentic Styles in Millinery, Women's Ready-to-Wear Apparel, Fabrics and Furnishings. Scores of imported models.

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at the rate of 3 cents a bushel, with the certainty of a cargo in the spring."

Don't waste your money buying strengthening plasters. Chamberlain's Liniment is cheaper and better. Dampen a piece of flannel with it and bind it over the affected parts and it will relieve the pain and soreness. For sale by all dealers.

Advertisement for Victor Victrola. Features a large illustration of the Victrola IV, \$15. Text includes: "The latest product of the Victor Company", "\$15 for this genuine Victor-Victrola", "Victor-Victrola IV, \$15", "Equipped with all the latest Victor improvements including Exhibition sound box, tapering arm, 'goose-neck', ten-inch turntable and concealed sound-amplifying features", "The fact that this instrument bears the famous Victor trademark and is a genuine Victor-Victrola guarantees to you the same high quality and standard of excellence so well established and recognized in all products of the Victor Company.", "There is no reason on earth why you should hesitate another moment in placing this greatest of all musical instruments in your home.", "All we ask is that you go to any music store and hear this new Victor-Victrola.", "Victor Talking Machine Co., Camden, N. J.", "Other styles of the Victor-Victrola \$50, \$75, \$100, \$150, \$200, \$250. Victors \$10 to \$100."

Advertisement for Nebraska Cycle Co. Features a large illustration of a bicycle. Text includes: "NEBRASKA CYCLE CO.", "Mickel's Specialty House", "GEO. E. MICKEL, Manager.", "15th and Harney Sts., Omaha", "334 Broadway Council Bluffs.", "See the Victor Talking Machine Co.'s new \$15 Victrola in Our Cozy, New Talking Machine Parlors in the Pompeian Room. Hear all the late Records.", "BRANDEIS STORES OMAHA", "and all Other Styles at A. Hospe Company 1513-15 Douglas St. OMAHA, NEB."