

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Brist It. Egyptian Chocolates Co. Myers-Dillon. Gas, Elec. Fixtures, Burgess-Granden. Om. Mach. Wks. Expert auto repairs. Silver Plating, Om. Plating Co. D. 3535. Two Divorces Granted—Divorce decrees as follows have been granted in district court: Seth S. Smith against Sally Swift; Amelia J. Davis against William C. Davis. World Jails Real Estate Exchange—Scott & Hill, the Armstrong-Walsh company and the Philippen Real Estate company have applied for membership in the Real Estate exchange. New Boy for Shotwell—Real Estate exchange members smoked cigars at the expense of Fred Shotwell of the Payne & Slater company yesterday. Mr. Shotwell is the father of a new boy. Report on Commercial Congress—Henry T. Clarke reported at the Real Estate exchange meeting on the doings of the recent Transmississippi Commercial congress at Kansas City, to which he was a delegate. Doing His Shipping Duty—Secretary Grigg of the Omaha Builders' exchange is doing his Christmas shopping early, because he is going to send a present to his wife's niece, Mrs. Foster Wood, a missionary in the Congo. Will Award Contract Soon—Bids are in for the F. H. Davis building on the west side of Sixteenth street, just south of Jackson, and the contract will be let within a day or two. McGowan & Jacobberger are said to be low bidders. The building will be two stories, 10x20 feet. Will Hold Monthly Luncheons—Alumni of the University of Nebraska will hold monthly luncheons this winter, and the first will be held Thursday noon at the University club in the Barker block. Among other things, the alumni will make plans for attending the Nebraska-Michigan football game at Lincoln Saturday in a body. Missouri Pacific Settles Case—The Missouri Pacific railroad has settled with Mrs. Isabella Meehan for the death of her husband, Joseph W. Meehan, for \$3,000. The stipulation of settlement has just been filed in district court and the suit formally dismissed. Meehan was run down and killed while working as a switchman in the Union Pacific yards. Purses for Suits—Members of the Real Estate exchange have made up a purse of \$16 to be given to Frank R. Siltz, the aged real estate man who applied to the county for help a few days ago. W. H. Green, who started the subscription at the exchange meeting, said Siltz lost all his money in a bank in Iowa twenty years ago and has had a hard time ever since. Rates for Big Meetings—All of the transcontinental lines have agreed upon a rate for the numerous conventions to be held in Pacific coast cities next season, among which will be the Shriners, Elks, Women's clubs, Grand Army, the Commercial Travelers and others. The round trip rate from Omaha and other Missouri river points will be \$35; from Chicago, \$65, and from St. Louis, \$62.50. The time limit will be sixty days from date of sale. Temptation Too Great—J. McTaggart, driver for the Express company, testified in police court that it is impossible to move the contents of a saloon without imbibing too much "life-water." McTaggart was arrested for being drunk. He was moving the contents of a saloon from one location to another and said he got drunk sampling the various kinds of wet goods in his wagon. He was discharged. Careless Auto Driver Fined—Thomas Foley, an employe of the Cadillac company, was fined \$10 and costs in police court for not stopping at street corners to allow passengers to alight from street cars. Foley about three weeks ago ran into Luellen Stephens at Twenty-fourth and Farnam streets while he was alighting from a car, and knocked him down after running over his foot. Mr. Stephens appeared in police court with the assistance of a cane. Motherly Wants New Trial—Ed Rothery, convicted last week of raffling bonded whiskey bottles and reusing revenue stamps, has filed a motion for a new trial. Rothery's contention is that if the stamps were reused and the bottles filled again, it was done in his absence by a colored porter, who did so without his consent. He states that he had the opportunity of setting the case by paying \$60 fine at the court, but that he is innocent and he will fight. Home Miller Completes Tour—Home Miller of the Hotel Rome and one of the leaders of the Nebraska Hotel Men's association has returned to Omaha after a three weeks' tour of the west with seventy-five other innkeepers. A "See America First" organization was perfected. Mr. Miller, with E. A. Medlar, editor of the Omaha Hotel Reporter, represented Omaha at Denver, Pueblo, Oklahoma City, Houston, Galveston, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Dallas, Texarkana, Hot Springs and Kansas City, and in all of these towns the special train of hotel men boosted advertising plans to get persons who intend to go abroad to see this country first. Mr. Miller made speeches at each of the cities visited and was the principal figure at all of the meetings. AGED BENEDICT HAS MANY ADDED TROUBLES Justice William W. Eastman has now not only his office troubles, but also his domestic cares to take up his time since his marriage a few weeks ago in Buffalo. The judge appeared at his office bright and early yesterday morning with a large ulcer of twice wrapped around his third finger. When asked why he had the string on his finger he said, "My wife told me to do an errand for her yesterday and I forgot to do it. This morning I decided I would tie a string around my finger so that I would remember to do it, and I have now forgotten what it was she wanted me to do."

OMAHAN SEES MARTYRS HUNG

J. C. Bailey Describes Execution in England Forty-Four Years Ago. LAD OF FIFTEEN AT THE TIME Says that Hanging Was Horrifying Scene and that While There Was Much Talk at Time, There Was No Riot.

Employed in the offices of Chief Cosgrove of the Pacific Fruit Express company in the Union Pacific headquarters building is J. C. Bailey, who forty-four years ago today, was a witness to the hanging in Manchester, England, of Allen, Larkin and O'Brien, the Fenians accused of attempting to overthrow the English government and who have been referred to as the "Manchester Martyrs." At the time of the execution Mr. Bailey was a boy 15 years of age, employed as a messenger with the Lanchestershire & Yorkshire railroad, his duty being to carry telegrams and run errands. The morning of the execution, November 23, 1867, Mr. Bailey, together with a number of the other employes, went to the roof of the depot, and from this point of vantage were witnesses to the execution of the three men. Describing it, Mr. Bailey said: "I think it was about 10 o'clock in the morning that perhaps a dozen of young fellows climbed to the roof of the depot to look over into the new Bailey Jail yard, two blocks away. Reports of Rioting. "During the night before the execution, there had been reports that an attempt would be made to rescue Allen, Larkin and O'Brien when they were taken from their cells and escorted to the gallows. As a result, all of the streets around the square in which the jail was located, was filled with soldiers. A high stockade had been built around the jail and the grounds and no person was permitted to approach nearer than twenty to thirty yards. If they attempted to get nearer, they were driven back at the point of bayonets. There were great crowds in all of the side streets, but there was little disorder. There was some jeering, but as the crowd seemed to lack a leader and was disorganized, no attempt was made to rescue any of the men. "Shortly after getting onto the roof of the depot, the three condemned men were brought out through doors on the ground floor of the jail and each accompanied by two jailers, with a large number of guards in front and behind, marched to the scaffold, fifty to seventy-five feet from the prison. "I think about six steps led up to the scaffold. Up these the three men proceeded, escorted by guards. The Traps Are Sprung. "As soon as Allen, Larkin and O'Brien reached the scaffold they took positions

STOCKHOLDERS LOOK OVER INTERURBAN LINE

Arthur English, receiver of the Omaha-Papillon Interurban railroad, yesterday took over the line in a special car, a party of friends and investors in the securities of the line. This was done to let those who have put their money in see how it was spent, and the cost of the different features of the work was explained by Mr. English as the car proceeded. The first car ran into Papillon on Sunday, October 1, and that month the road paid a profit, the first time since it was built. Up to October 1 the line ran only to Papillon. One new standard interurban car has just been added to the equipment. It has a baggage compartment, and all other cars to be added from time to time will be built on similar lines. The investors in the party seemed to be satisfied with the showing made by the new road and the others predicted a bright future for the line when the country becomes more thickly settled between Omaha and Papillon. Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

WOMAN'S CLUB ENJOYS SPLENDID LUNCHEON IN HONOR OF DR. MARY GIRARD ANDREWS.

Yesterday noon seventy-three ladies of the Woman's club sat down to an elegant luncheon at the Hamilton cafe, in honor of Dr. Mary Girard Andrews, an ex-president of the club, who is visiting here. The dining room was very prettily decorated with Killarney roses. A feature of the seating arrangements was a long table set for fourteen ex-presidents. The ladies thoroughly enjoyed the menu and congratulated the management on the service.

Particularly the Ladies.

Not only pleasant and refreshing to the taste, but gently cleansing and sweetening to the system, Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna is particularly adapted to ladies and children, and beneficial in all cases in which a wholesome, strengthening and effective laxative should be used. It is perfectly safe at all times and dispels colds, headaches and the pains caused by indigestion and constipation so promptly and effectively that it is the one perfect family laxative which gives satisfaction to all and is recommended by millions of families who have used it and who have personal knowledge of its excellence. Its wonderful popularity, however, has led unscrupulous dealers to offer imitations which act unsatisfactorily. Therefore, when buying, to get its beneficial effects, always note the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package of the genuine Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. For sale by all leading druggists. Price 50 cents per bottle. THE OMAHA BEE Omaha's Great Home Paper

Discouraged

The expression occurs so many times in letters from sick women, "I was completely discouraged." And there is always good reason for the discouragement. Years of pain and suffering. Doctor after doctor tried in vain. Medicines doing no lasting good. It is no wonder that the woman feels discouraged. Thousands of these weak and sick women have found health and courage regained as the result of the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes regularity, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures weakness. IT MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG AND SICK WOMEN WELL. Refuse substitutes offered by unscrupulous druggists for this reliable remedy. Sick women are invited to consult by letter, free. All correspondence strictly private and sacredly confidential. Write without fear and without fee to World's Dispensary, R. V. Pierce, M. D., Pres't, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.



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Rug Sale Extraordinary Tremendous Purchase of High Class New Rugs Just Received from the Big Alexander Smith & Sons NEW YORK AUCTION WILL BE PLACED ON SALE HERE Saturday, Nov. 25th and Monday, Nov. 27 We've offered you remarkable bargains from this great auction sales before, but nothing, we believe, that will equal the magnificent assortments and values shown in this big sale. SEE WINDOWS. WATCH PAPERS. HAYDEN BROS.

Quality is easy enough to talk about, but it is not so easy to give. Probably you've been looking for quality clothes for many seasons. Possibly you're discouraged trying to find them. What's that old proverb, "Try, try again?" This time we want you to try our quality. It's an easy matter for us to give quality because we worked hard to get it. NEBRASKA CLOTHES are first of all quality clothes, then they are lower priced than elsewhere. Our clothes are guaranteed in every particular. They will serve you well because there is not an ill feature in them. Stop a moment and consider. Men's and Young Men's Suits, . . . \$10-\$35 Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, \$10-\$35 Omaha's Largest and Best Equipped Clothing Store. Nebraska Clothing Co.



A Beautiful table makes a beautiful dinner.

The essence of hospitality is that which leaves a memory of attractive furniture, dainty linen, and artistic china. You must begin with the dining room furniture itself. A Berkey & Gay dining room suite is the perfection of furniture making. It appeals to the artistic sense, even of those who are not thoroughly versed in the meaning of design and finish. We are the sole selling agents here for the Berkey & Gay pieces. Their mahogany dining tables and chairs in period designs, and their famous "Flanders" pieces in our beautiful American oak are so charming that you fancy they will be much more expensive than they are. Their beauty of line, staunchness of construction and integrity of wood insure that you will be able to hand them down in your family as your ancestors used to pass on their olden furniture. We are giving some most desirable values in dining room outfits this week; some are Berkey & Gay pieces, others also have our recommendation. Regular Price Special Price China Cabinet, fumed oak . . . \$52.00 \$36.00 Buffet, golden oak . . . \$80.00 \$59.00 China Cabinet, fumed oak . . . \$44.00 \$29.50 Buffet, golden oak . . . \$64.00 \$46.00 Buffet, early English . . . \$54.00 \$36.00 China Cabinet, early English . . . \$45.00 \$29.50 Dining Chairs Arm Chairs and Side Chairs. One, two and three of a pattern. Some we have in quantities and are going at a fourth and even a third less than regular. Orchard & Wilhelm Carpet Co.

A whole lot of Christmas for 15 cents The Christmas number of the Woman's Home Companion is a whole department store of Christmas help, inspiration and entertainment. A single visit will convince you that you never saw such bargains anywhere else: 3 Christmas stories, 4 other stories, 10 Merry Christmas talks by editors and others, 7 successful ideas for Christmas entertainments, 130 suggestions for Christmas gifts, 57 advertisements of Christmas presents, a Christmas full-page picture, a piece of Christmas sheet music, a page of Christmas dinners and a page of Christmas tables—all this without counting the regular departments, fashions, fads, foods, women's clubs, how to handle husbands and babies, etc. It is a great big 15 cents' worth of Christmas. How 15 cents will make your Christmas money go farthest THE woman who pays \$1.50 a year for the Woman's Home Companion gets her money back with every number and sometimes more. A single suggestion of the several hundred given in each number could be easily worth \$1.50 to any woman. A suggestion for a gown, or a luncheon party, or a home-made Christmas present, or a practical household recipe, any one may be worth \$1.50 to the busy, anxious housewife who is trying to solve many economic problems with a small household allowance. Our readers write to us every day telling what good they have gotten out of any one suggestion, and remember that every number of the Woman's Home Companion has a hundred suggestions. 15 cents of your Christmas money spent for the Christmas Woman's Home Companion will make your Christmas a brighter, happier and more successful Christmas. Somebody in your house ought to get the Woman's Home Companion for a year as a Christmas present. A Merry Christmas to all readers of the Woman's Home Companion and those who are going to be More Kewpies THE Kewpies are giving a Christmas party, the best sort of party, to a whole neighborhood of poor children that the rich people forgot. You know the Kewpies, don't you, those funny little chaps that do so much good in such a quaint way, all told in pictures and rhymes? And here's a new kind of Toy-book or is it a book-toy, this book about the surprising adventures of Jack and Betty, who have to cut their way through from page to page, always finding something more wonderful on the next page. You play with the Jack-and-Betty-book, or you can send it to some little boy or girl as a Christmas gift. DON'T PULL OUT THE GRAY HAIRS; A SIMPLE REMEDY RESTORES COLOR Cures Dandruff, Stops Falling Hair and Makes It Grow. "Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place" is an old saying, which is, to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that Nature needs assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of advancing age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray. This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Sherwin & McConnell Drug Co., Cor. 16th and Dodge, Cor. 16th and Harney, Cor. 24th and Farnam, 207-N. 16th St., Loyola Hotel. The Twentieth Century Farmer Is the Leading Agricultural Paper of the Mid-West. Its columns are filled with the best thought of the day in matters pertaining to the farm, the ranch and the orchard, and it is a factor in the development of the great western country.



130 Christmas Presents in this number

HERE is a long list of practical Christmas presents which anyone can make—useful, elegant, embroidered, stenciled, cut leather and other attractive but simple suggestions, all new and all possible. The best Christmas present is the one which you make yourself, and into which so many loving thoughts have gone. All of the suggestions in the Woman's Home Companion have been tried and will work out. Last-minute Gifts A Half-a-Dozen Simple Gifts by Selma York The Best New Books The New Christmas Cards Useful Closures by Lucy Throop Easily made Gifts for Men by Helen Marvin Easily made Gifts for Women by Helen Marvin



Boysie got the Graphophone

THIS is an amusing story, but not too amusing to have a real sympathetic touch, for, after all, everyone was glad that Boysie got his graphophone, especially as his goat got sick and so couldn't be raffled off. Frederick Dorr Steele's pictures add a good deal to the spirit of the story. [The Bounding House Graphophone" by Novell Harrison]



Christmas Bells

TWO pages of sheet music for Christmas, written especially for Companion readers, which would cost at least one dollar at music stores. [Christmas Bells" music by Ward Stephens; words by Marguerite Merington.]

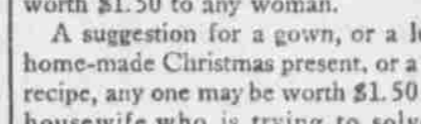
"The Flying House" and how it flew

THE strangest thing about the flying house is that it really flew, with Princess Ethel and Prince Paul in it, and Viletemma and Algernon also. This was strange because Viletemma "made up" the story to keep Algernon quiet. So Viletemma was more surprised than Algernon when it happened. [The Flying House" by Hulbert Footner]



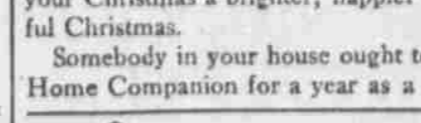
And here is a gown for the Christmas festivities by Grace Margaret Gould

What would you do about it? If you were Margery and your fiance, Carter, fell head over heels in love with your bridesmaid, Isabel, whom he had known only ten days, what would you do? If you were Isabel, madly in love with Carter despite yourself, what would you do? If you are just yourself, what would you have Carter do, remembering that he is a real man and the fashionable wedding only four days off? If you can't solve the problems yourself, you'll be intensely interested in the way the author does it. [When a Man Loves" by Mary Hastings Bradley]



Toys mother can make for you

SEE these many pages of Christmas presents which mother can make for you, and other pages of presents you can make for her—only we mustn't let her know. There is a gift for everyone in the family, and just how to make it, in this number of the Companion, which costs only 15 cents. [Home-made Toys" by A. Russell Bond]



And here's a new kind of Toy-book

or is it a book-toy, this book about the surprising adventures of Jack and Betty, who have to cut their way through from page to page, always finding something more wonderful on the next page. You play with the Jack-and-Betty-book, or you can send it to some little boy or girl as a Christmas gift. [Adventures of Jack and Betty" by Clara and George Williams]



More Kewpies

THE Kewpies are giving a Christmas party, the best sort of party, to a whole neighborhood of poor children that the rich people forgot. You know the Kewpies, don't you, those funny little chaps that do so much good in such a quaint way, all told in pictures and rhymes? [The Kewpies' Christmas Party" by Rose Cecil O'Neil]

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