

REPAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Further Cut in City Engineer's Force is Contemplated.

NEW GRADE SYSTEM PLANNED

Propose to Make Street Lines Follow Undulations of Land and Thus Cut Out Many Damage Claims.

It is probable that with the cut already made in the force of the city engineer there will be still other reductions by the first of the year.

When Councilman Peterson was expressing his views on the subject there were present city officials, who indicated by their concurrence that they were anxious to see certain changes made.

Beside the expenses pertaining to running the engineer's office, certain officials are considering some ways and means whereby the grading and paving damage claims may be eliminated or curtailed to a minimum.

According to these officials, the chief damage claims result from a policy of cutting a bee line through all obstacles on the streets to be graded.

This expense is needless according to many, who hold that in grading the natural undulations of the land should form the basis for the grading.

Newsies Feast. "May be you think we didn't have some feed," said a newsboy last night.

For indeed the probation officer won the plaudits of thirty-five of his young charges when he sat them down to a real Thanksgiving dinner with turkey and all the fringes.

One of the fraternity who called in to see that the "shot got into the paper alright," persists in demanding that the menu be published.

Buckshot Stop Prisoner. Bill Karns, a prisoner at the Sarpy county jail in Papillion, in an endeavor to escape Wednesday was brought to a summary halt by a load of buckshot sent in his direction by the jail officers.

Karns was arrested Tuesday for an alleged theft of corn from a farmer named Friend, who lives in Sarpy county just outside the city limits.

When the sheriff and his prisoner had arrived at the Papillion jail Karns asked permission to speak with his sister.

Sheriff Spearman granted the request and allowed the prisoner to hold a few minutes' private speech with his sister.

Woman Hunts Husband. Mrs. Gus Falivck of McCook is in the city in search of her husband, Gus Falivck, who disappeared from his home about a week ago.

Falivck was a stockman and was supposed to have come to South Omaha from McCook.

Too Much Good Cheer. An over-abundance of Christmas giving exhilaration proved the undoing of three separate individuals who last night ended up their celebration in the hands of the police surgeon.

John Elliott of Forty-third and I streets, having partaken rather freely of the day's good cheer, was returning home at 8:30 when he fell from a cross-town car at Twenty-fourth and M streets, causing an injury to his right hip.

John Doe, whose Gallic cognomen the police were unable to obtain, walked into the police station about 9:30 o'clock and exhibiting a bloody countenance to the startled desk sergeant informed the copers that the car "had run away from him."

Richie Stays Limit With Freddie Welch. LOS ANGELES, Dec. 1.—Willie Richie, a lightweight from the training entourage of Paddy McFarland, achieved an inter-national title reputation today by defeating twenty rounds with Freddie Welch, the British lightweight challenger, who was to have gone on with Ad Wolgast in a Thanksgiving championship battle at Vernon.

Richie, on twenty-four hours' notice, was substituted for Welch, who was heretofore his vermillion appendix at a hospital yesterday.

After an all night train ride from San Francisco, Richie entered the arena somewhat heavy. Welch appeared trained to the minute. Welch excelled in ring generalship and did most of the leading, but his slicked steam, while by Richie's, when they landed, generally stopped him.

FIFTY PERSONS INJURED BY FALLING OF BIG GRANDSTAND. JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 1.—Fifty persons were injured, several possibly fatally, when a temporary grandstand at the state fair grounds collapsed just before play was started today in the annual football contest between the University of Mississippi and Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical college.

Money saving Drug prices at Omaha's big drug store for Saturday, Dec. 2nd.

- 25c Santal Tooth Paste... 25c
25c Santal Tooth Powder... 25c
25c Santal Liquid, small... 25c
25c Santal Face Cream... 25c
25c Santal Cream... 25c
25c Dr. Lyon's Tooth Powder... 25c
25c Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder... 25c
25c Pure Florida Water... 25c
50c Java Rice Powder, all color... 50c
50c Hinds' Blue Arrow Toilet Soap... 50c
25c Cuticura Soap... 25c
25c Fresh California Toilet Soap... 25c
25c Fountain Pens... 25c
25c Princess Sweet's Chocolates... 25c
CANDY DEPARTMENT...
40c Assorted Buttercups, per pound... 40c
Pure Vermont Maple Sugar, per pound... 40c
Myers' Malted Milk, per pound... 40c
Holla, pints 20c; quarts, 40c.
Let us furnish the punch for your next dance or party. Any quantity, good service, prices right. Everything furnished.

pronounceable name was retired to the calaboose.

A few minutes later as the police were settling themselves to a much needed rest Detective John Zaloudek ambled in with a large black named George Winn. Winn was found at Twenty-seventh and N streets with a badly cut head.

South Omaha Bowling. The following are the bowling scores from Garlow's alley:

MARTIN'S TIGERS. Table with columns for player name, 1st, 2d, 3d, Total.

PETERSON'S CANDY KIDS. Table with columns for player name, 1st, 2d, 3d, Total.

DUNHAM TAILORS. Table with columns for player name, 1st, 2d, 3d, Total.

CARLSON CIGAR CO. Table with columns for player name, 1st, 2d, 3d, Total.

Man Held on Suspicion. Because he appeared to have prematurely raised the alarm of a theft that had occurred in the house where he worked the police yesterday arrested George Girdecs whom they charged with being a suspicious character.

According to the story told by Captain of Police John Dworak, Girdecs is employed as the keeper of a rooming house at 418 North Twenty-sixth street.

Quality goods at low prices at Flynn's. Adier's ladies' kid gloves, \$1.50 quality.

Saturday Bargains. Men's H. S. & M. \$22.50 suits at \$17.50, \$27.50 and \$50.00 overcoats, \$30.00.

Magic City Gossip. Try Oulkins for your overcoat. Policeman Ed Kroeger is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Harry L. Kelly, who has been ill for some time at her home, 2919 D street, is reported much improved.

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Work for Fuel Bureau. The fuel bureau could begin by intelligent purchasing of higher grade coal, could instruct firemen to perform their work with economy in view, could conduct tests for better heat insulation of boilers, have call orders for engines inspected with more regard for the length of time required to fire up and could otherwise conserve the fuel supply.

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Limits to Efficiency. "It must be realized, of course, that the cost of operating a 'conservation bureau' of fuel would increase as the efficiency percentage increased. During the first per cent of savings this cost would be slight compared with the expenses cut down. Beyond a certain amount, however, this cost would mount rapidly till there would be a question of the value of the bureau, because it would become cumbersome and in its own way.

The efficiency limit of this efficiency service would be reached, it seems, when about 25 per cent of the present losses in fuel were cut off; further gain could be better reached through more scientific construction of locomotives.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.



New Arrivals for Our Winter Stocks of Men's Suits

Show the latest creations in the tailors' art—handsome effects in casimeres, cheviot and worsted suits, designed in the latest styles, emphasize the fact that our's is the store for style. The conservative inclined will also find suits here a plenty. All are easily satisfied here. Values, as usual, predominate. Our special offering of suits at is without a doubt the greatest money-saver offered to the public. Not a suit is worth less than \$15— and the \$18, \$20 and \$22.50 suits predominate.

\$11.75

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

Those long convertible collar overcoats so popular this season, are shown by us in a larger variety than ever before. These most popular coats are offered to you at a decided saving of from \$5 to \$7 a coat. Perfect in fit and handsomely tailored. You must see our overcoats before buying elsewhere. Prices—

\$10.00 to \$30.00

BOYS' SUITS

Mothers and fathers who wish to economize will find it to their interest to buy our boys' suits. Priced very low, we offer exceptional values in a variety of styles and fabrics.

Prices \$1.95 to \$5.95

Advance Christmas Showing Men's Neckwear

25c, 50c and \$1.00

This event was arranged for the benefit of those who will buy neckwear for Christmas gifts and who prefer to purchase now when stocks are at their best and when selection may be made without the annoyance of crowds and hurry. Our plans were made months ago, when we selected from the best makers in America the fine quality silks and satins that make these not only stylish but serviceable. We pride ourselves on selling the best 25c, 50c and \$1.00 neckwear that can be manufactured.

We pride ourselves on the assortments of patterns and colors and the richness of the color combinations. We offer the newest novelty effects—plain colors—self and contrasting colored stripes and figures in a variety limited only by the bounds of good taste.

Nebraska Clothing Co.

FARNAM & FIFTEENTH STS.

Omaha's largest and best equipped clothing store.

Greater Shoe Values

Our line of \$2.50 shoes for men and women comprises all the new shapes and leathers, including hi-tops, high arch and in fact all the style that you would find in most \$3.50 shoes. All our shoes are solid leather and all are Goodyear Welt. And at—

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They are the greatest shoe values to be had anywhere. Come in and look our line over.



RAILWAYS WASTE HALF COAL

Fifty Million Dollars' Worth of Fuel Lost Each Year.

GREAT WESTERN INVESTIGATES

Chief Engineer Fitch Suggests Bureau of Experts to Reduce Waste—Perfect Efficiency Asserted Impossible.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—American railroads lose \$50,000,000 worth of fuel a year and consume \$200,000,000 worth of coal to secure \$30,000,000 worth of efficiency—a further waste of \$120,000,000 worth of fuel, according to figures prepared by Chief Engineer L. E. Fitch of the Chicago, Great Western railroad.

The Women's society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. A. Brayton.

A play under the auspices of the Women's auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian association will be given December 8 at the high school auditorium.

Washakie tribe No. 23, Independent Order of Red Men, will give a grand masquerade ball Saturday evening at the Red Men's hall, 315 North Twenty-fourth street.

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BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It. Omaha General Hospital, Dong. 255. Egyptian Chocolates 30c, Myers-Dillon. Geo. Elec. Fixtures, Burgess-Granden. Silver Plating, Om. Plating Co. D. 2543. Three Divorces Started—Divorce suits as follows have been started in district court: Oliver Rosenberger against Mary B. Rosenberger, Jeannette M. Hartmann against Fred E. Hartmann.

Chinese Goods—Miss Philbrick will hold a Christmas sale before leaving the city at F. M. Schindell Millinery Co. 1323 Douglas St., beginning Dec. 4. Great reduction on curtos,apestries, satin, etc.

Look for Missing Man—G. A. Pallve of the firm of Pallve & Lankas of McCook has been missing for over a week and the chief of police of McCook has offered \$100 reward for information for his whereabouts. He is 23 years old and about 5 feet 8 inches in height.

Must Return to Iowa—James Burns and John Wilson, who were arrested in Omaha early in the week in connection with the blowing of a bank safe and the theft of \$4,000 at Derby, Ia., will be taken to Chariton, Ia., tonight. The two men refused to go without requisition papers and these were secured by the sheriff at Chariton.

Arguments in Film Case—Arguments in the Western Union Telegraph company's suit to enjoin E. A. Bromely from leasing to the General Film company a part of the building occupied by the telegraph company were completed in Judge Troup's court yesterday. The telegraph company contends the films are so highly inflammable that storing of them in the building would increase fire danger.

Great Western Men Here—A meeting that is expected to be just a family affair has brought together a bunch of the officials of the Great Western railroad. Those who are here are George A. Somers, general freight agent, Chicago; Erving Duval, general agent, Kansas City; W. I. Laird, general agent of the freight department Chicago, and W. H. Conner, general agent, Denver. All report good business and prospects for a continuation of the conditions.

Building Permits. Mike Shapiro, 2320 North Twenty-eighth street, addition to frame dwelling, \$250; James Neilson, 2321 Tyler, frame dwelling, \$1,500.

Look For This Box when you buy coffee. It contains the one blend that entrances the coffee drinker, and that is always the same. Uniform always—not one thing to-day, another to-morrow.

TONE'S OLD GOLDEN COFFEE. Finest coffee grows on earth, carefully milled to give you all coffee, roasted to perfection—then into the box that holds all the strength. Try it and see the difference.

35c a pound. TONE BROS., Des Moines, Ia. There are two kinds of spices, Tone's and "others."

Ask Your Doctor

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a tonic. It does not stimulate. It does not make you feel better one day, then as bad as ever the next. There is not a drop of alcohol in it. You have the steady, even gain that comes from a strong tonic. Ask your doctor all about this. Trust him fully, and always do as he says.

Useful Christmas Presents

AT LOW PRICES. Including Bags, Suit Cases, Trunks, Automobile Shawls, Lap Robes, Horse Blankets, Harness and Saddles. We are selling a lot of Fur Robes at a big discount from

\$13 to \$20. Automobile size. Alfred Cornish & Co. 1210 Farnam Street. Phone Doug. 2514.

RED CLOUD'S FAST WORK

LOWERS M'COOK'S COLORS

RED CLOUD, Neb., Dec. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Red Cloud, by winning from McCook High school, 15 to 6, yesterday, now claims the championship of southwestern Nebraska, as the team has defeated every high school played this season. The game was witnessed by 600 people.

Red Cloud was coached by Harvey Rathbone for the last week. Two touchdowns, two goals and one field goal constituted the scores. The features of the game were the running of Johnson and Robinson and the kicking of Robinson.

Caught in the Act and arrested by Dr. King's New Life Pills, bilious headache, quins and liver and bowels act right. 25c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

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Announce the Special Sale of the famous "Telfeyan Collection" of rare Oriental rugs.

A \$40,000 Stock of Selected Persian Weaving

The "Telfeyan Collection" is, without a doubt, the finest ensemble of choice Oriental Rugs and Carpets that was ever shipped West. To take advantage of a very unusually low price, we have purchased the entire collection, and will offer it at prices that will instantly appeal to every rug lover in this section.

These Prices for December Only Sale Starts Dec. 4th

Orchard & Wilhelm Carpet Co.

GRAY HAIRS QUICKLY BANISHED; DANDRUFF, FALLING HAIR STOPPED

Remedy Made from Garden Sage and Sulphur Restores Color to Gray Hair.

A feeling of sadness accompanies the discovery of the first gray hairs, which, unfortunately, are looked upon as heralds of advancing age. Gray hairs, however, are not always an indication of advancing age, for many people have gray hairs quite early in life. Of course, it is unnatural, and indicates that there is something wrong with the individual, and that Nature needs assistance in correcting the trouble. The same is true of hair that is constantly falling out and becoming thinner every day. If everything is right with Nature, the hair, even in comparatively elderly people, should be long, thick and glossy, without even a streak of gray.

The Thing To Do. Put It In The Bee. If you love your pocketbook, umbrellas, watch or some other articles of value, the thing to do is to follow the example of many other people and advertise without delay in the Lost and Found column of The Bee. That is what most people do when they lose articles of value. Telephone us and tell your loss to all Omaha in a single afternoon.