BRIEF CITY NEWS

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Omaha General Hospital, Doug. 855.

Egyptian Chocolates 30c. Myers-Dillon.

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Will Close Christmas Day—The Young Women's Christian association will close its building Christmas day. Special services will be held Sunday, December 24.

Young People in Comedy—The young people of the Westminster Presbyterian church will give a two-act comedy entitled "Graduation Day at Wood Hill School" in the parlors Friday at 8 p m

Goods Stolen from Wagon—George W. Laird reported to the police that while he was moving his household goods from the Normandie flats to 1036 South Thirty-second street a box of silverware valued at $100 was stolen from the wagon.

Thirty Days for Phillips—William Phillips was convicted in police court of holding up Edward Dykes with a penknife on the latter's front door step at 110 South Ninth street and robbing him of $9 in cash. Phillips was sentenced to thirty days on the rock pile.

Judge Sutton is Ill—Lack of proper ventilation in Judge A. L. Sutton's court room has placed the judge in the sick list. He has been suffering from the poor ventilation ever since the October term of court began. He may be confined to his home for a week or more

Burkley Gets Contract—The Burkley Printing company of this city has been awarded the contract for printing the weekly general order bulletin of the fourteenth division of the railway mail service. The first issue of the bulletin will be ready for distribution today.

In the Divorce Court—Divorce decrees as follows have been granted in district court: George Iverson from Mildred Iverson, Iva L. Showers from Charles G. Showers, James G. Leaverton from Edna G. Laverton, Chris Sorenson from Florence Sorenson, Josie Bedessem from Theodore F. Bedessem. Frances I. Frushard has filed an answer and cross-petition to the suit for divorce of Harold W. Frushard

Learn How to Make Fudge—Lessons in how to make peanut brittle, cocoanut, chocolate and nut fudge and fondant—in short, every kind of candy—will be given December 14 in the domestic science department of the Young Women's Christian association by Miss Gertrude Sly, instructor in cooking. This will be an open lesson to all members who wish to learn the very best way to make Christmas candies.

Many Joining Navy—Seventeen men who enlisted in the navy at the Omaha recruiting station in the last week have been sent to the training ship in San Francisco harbor. In the last few days the recruiting station attaches have been busy answering questions from prospective recruits, and more men have shipped in the last thirty days than in any two months this year. Lieutenant Post says the number of men shipped thus far in 1911 is more than double the number shipped in 1910.

Rome Miller Goes East—Rome Miller left Omaha last night for New York, where he will address the New York Hotel Men's association on "Hotel Protection." While east he will visit the president and directors of the "See America First convention," to which he is the Nebraska representative, appointed by Governor Aldrich. The "See America First" convention will be held in Baltimore in May and will be attended by some of the most prominent men in the United States.

Would Have Omaha Join—A. T. Anderson of Washington, D. C., secretary of the National Board of Trade, composed of commercial bodies all over the country, is in Omaha to invite the Omaha Commercial club to become a member of the organization. Whether the club becomes a member or not he will invite it to send representatives to the board's "corporation day conference" on January 17 during its national convention at Washington On this day will be discussed the corporation and trust problems.

Building Permits.

John Hansen, 2808 Izard, frame dwelling, $2,500; John Bisholls, 109 North Sixteenth street, alterations to store building, $200.

CHURCHES HOLDING BAZAAR

Holiday Wares Piled High on Long Tables in Bee Rotunda.

BEAUTIFUL QUILTS ARE SHOWN

Women of Twenty-Five Churches Start Bazaar for the Sale of Pretty Gifts Made by Their Own Societies.

The rotunda of The Bee building is transformed into a maze of ribbons, laces and daintily designed handiwork in feminine fads and fancies of every imaginable kind. These fluffy and colorful alticles are the wares of the big Christmas fair which the women of twenty-five churches are holding this week and which opened Monday morning with much enthusiasm.

The holiday wares are piled on long tables which line The Bee lobby and half a hundred representatives of the Women's Aid Societies are on hand to act as saleswomen. The days have been divided among the churches which are displaying, four churches at a time. Today and Tuesday are given over to the bazars of the Hanscom Park Methodist, Westminister Presbyterian, United Brethren and Grace United Evangelical.

The tables of the Hanscom Park Methodist church are in a square outlining the gold fish pool. Mrs. George W. Stone, president of the church aid society, is assisted by Mrs. C. A. Peake at the doll counter. Selling corset covers are Mrs. G. W. Street, Mrs. Charles Landeryou, Mrs. W. B. Peake and Mrs. F. W. Pickett. Mrs. F. N. Hess, Mrs. F. M. Pond, Mrs. B. F. Thomas and Mrs. Clark Shelly have charge of the fancy work and Mrs. Martha Russell and Mrs. Catherine Bassett preside at the apron section. Mrs. Carrie D. Scott and Mrs. Edward Hislop are selling art goods.

The Queen Esther society of the church has miscellaneous fancy Chrismas work. Mrs. W. M. Balcomb, president of the society is assisted by Miss Cecil Cornish, Miss Lucile Devereese and Miss Florence Goodland. The Philathea society is dispencing fudge, nut creams and Turkish delight under the direction of Miss Clara Barnes, Miss Vera Biddick and Mrs. Charles Lang.

The Westminster Presbyterian bazar is in the southeast corner. Mrs. J. F. Stout president of the Ladies' Aid society, is manager in chief. The rack covered with coquettish little aprons is in charge of Mrs. A. P. Thompson. Mrs. Warren Switzler, Mrs. W. J. Burgess and Mrs. W. R. Burns are selling match scratches, pin cushions, shoe bags and embroidered household lines. The main attraction of this display is a blue and white quilt made as our grandmothers used to make them. The body of the quilt is white stitched in clover design. At regular intervals are basket figures in blue. Mrs. Switzler's sewing circle cut out the figures and made the quilt. Mrs. W. S. Heller has a display of blue and white, pink and white, lavender and white and green and white rag rugs. Mrs. William Randall has charge of the marmalades, mince meat and preserves.

All of the aprons, bags and other articles sold by the women of the Grace United Evangelical church have been made from fancy handkerchiefs. The saleswomen are Mrs. A. Terry and Mrs. Ada Patterson. Mrs. Susie Shufelt is chairman of this exhibition, which is in the northwest end of the rotunda.

In the northeast corner is the bazar of the United Brethren church, with Mrs. H. W. Allwine in charge. Miss Helen Henderson and Miss Clara Baldwin are assisting Mrs. Allwine in selling aprons and bags. Pies, cakes and candy are being sold by Miss Anna Swanson, Mrs. F. J. Hale and Miss Florence Fehr. At the fancy work counter are Mrs. F. L. Mouer, Mrs. R. E. Marble, Mrs. Charles Neff and Miss Louise Walker.

Alleged Robbers Try Habeas Corpus

Habeas corpus proceedings to secure their liberty before they can be extradited were started by James Burns and John Wilson, the alleged Derby, Ia., bank robbers, in district court yesterday. The petitions for habeas corpus writs were filed by A. S. Ritchie, attorney for the alleged yeggmen, who were picked up by the Omaha police department detectives last week. The petitions declare the men never were in Iowa at all and are being detained illegally by Chief of Police John J. Donahue. Judge Kennedy ordered Chief Donahue to produce the men in court tomorrow morning and show cause why he should not be compelled to set them at liberty.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUN IS PLANNED FOR NEW YEAR'S

A novelty for local sport followers will be a cross country run held on New Year's afternoon, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association.

Several teams from the association will be entered and the high school will also enter its team, composed of Lynn Sackett, captain; Charles Robel, Halleck Rouse, Finley Jenkins, Coleman Gordon and John Lewis. The high school team is holding semi-weekly runs this month to get in trim and can be counted upon to run their older and more experienced competitors a lively race.

A silver loving cup will be awarded the team winning the run, this to be decided by a committee of judges on the usual point basis. Individual medals will also be awarded. The winner of the run will receive a handsome gold medal, second prize will be a silver one, and the next seven men who get places will be given bronze badges.

The run will start at the Young Men's Christian association building, thence north to Farnam on Seventeenth, west on Farnam to the boulevard on Thirty-first, north on the boulevard to Cumings street, east on Cumings to Sixteenth, south on Sixteenth to Harney and then west on Harney back to the association building. The distance thus covered is about three miles.

Marriage Licenses.

Permits to wed have been granted to the following couples:

Name and Address.	Age.
Clarence McKern, Council Bluffs	24
Myrtle Hartford, Council Bluffs	18
LeRoy Gates, Redfield, Ia	22
Cassie Dresser, Des Moines	37
Jacob Staniloiu, South Omaha	30
Staneka Balcas, South Omaha	22
Ralph L. Todd, Aurora, Ill	22
Helen C. Leit, Dundee	21
Charles G. Nelson, Omaha	40
Hilma Jacobsen, Chicago	40
Ira J. Owens, Omaha	over 21
Adle Burnsides, Omaha	over 21

The key to success in business is the persistent and judicious use of newspaper advertising.

Sheep Men Give Omaha Some Good Publicity Abroad

The Union Pacific has published a handsome folder to advertise the convention of the National Wool Growers' association and mid-winter sheep show, to be held in Omaha December 14, 15 and 16. The entire publication is devoted to Omaha and the sheep industry. It contains pictures of the new Union Pacific headquarters, Union station, federal building, public library, high school, Minne Lusa pumping station, South Omaha Live Stock exchange building, sheep pens at the stock yards and sheep on the range.

Low fares from all points in the west to the convention are announced in the folder.

Manager Parrish of the publicity bureau of the Commercial club, which will furnish the sheepmen with badges, already have them on hand. They consist of a purple ribbon and a medal bearing the likenesses of three sheep and the official shield of the association. The ribbon is to be fastened to the coat lapel by the "Omaha key" pin.

The live stock papers are giving much space to the coming convention and show, all of them printing the programs. The American Sheep Feeder ends a long article with, "So come along and see the famous cowboy mayor, the great and only Jim Dahlman."

SOUTH OMAHA SALOONIST IN GOVERNMENT MESHES

Frank Stanek, who conducts a saloon at Twentieth and Q streets in South Omaha, has been arrested by Deputy United States Marshal Haze on the charge of refilling bonded whisky bottles. He will be given a hearing before United States Commissioner Daniel Friday.

MAY NOT SEE HIS DYING WIFE

Charges Made that Wick and Moore Keep Husband Away.

MRS. O'KANE TELLS HER STORY

Mother of Dying Woman Arrives and Says She Will Prosecute Saloon Men Who Keep Them Apart.

Mrs. T. J. Roach of Wichita Falls, Tex., sits beside her dying daughter, Mrs. Dick O'Kane, in a little flat at 1823 Leavenworth street, watching a hopeless struggle for life, and calling on Mayor Dahlman to prosecute Gus Wick and Charles Moore, owners of the dance hall in which Mrs. O'Kane drank carbolic acid with suicidal intent on Friday morning.

Dick O'Kane, the husband of the dying woman, plays the piano at the dance hall. According to the story the women tell, he is under the control of Charles Moore, who has refused to allow the husband to see the wife. It was his refusal to allow her to see her husband that led Mrs. O'Kane to drink carbolic acid in one of the stalls at the dance hall on Friday morning.

About a year ago the Roachs left Omaha for Wichita Falls, where they purchased a hotel, which they still operate. O'Kane and his wife accompanied her parents to Texas, but the women say Moore coaxed him to return to Omaha, engaging him as piano player. Mrs. O'Kane returned with her husband, but the influence of Moore was strong enough to keep them apart. She is in a precarious condition from the effects of the poison she drank, and Dr. Fitzgibbons, who is attending her, says pneumonia has developed and gives very little hope of her living.

Moore Keeps Them Apart.

Mrs. O'Kane told her story to a Bee reporter Monday morning. She said:

"I tried to get Dick to come and live with me, and he would have, had not Charlie Moore kept him away. He was making money for Moore and the latter cared not what became of me. Time after time I have gone to the saloon after midnight and pleaded on my knees to Charlie Moore and Gus Wick to let me see my husband, but they never would. Once Mr. Moore got mad at me because I cried and wanted to see my husband, whom they were dragging down, and he slapped me on the face and knocked me down.

"Thursday night I went up and told Charlie Moore that if he did not let me see my husband I would kill myself. He told me to come in and when I went in he said 'come and have a drink.' I thought I would humor him and so told him I would. While we were waiting for the drinks I asked him to let me see Dick again and he laughed. When the drinks came I took the water, which was also set on the table, and went into the toilet room and drank the poison. Even while I was at the hospital Mr. Moore would not let Dick come and see me."

Mrs. Roach said that when she got in town Sunday night she asked Moore to send O'Kane up to the house on Leavenworth street and he refused.

"I then asked the police," she said, "and two officers brought him up to see his wife. He stayed all night and this morning promised to come back at noon. But at noon I called up Wick & Moore's saloon and they said he had left town, which I do not believe and they are trying to keep him away from his dying wife. I am going to prosecute Wick & Moore if I have to stay here for the rest of my life."

Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

OMAHA SOCIALISTS TAKE ACTION ON M'NAMARAS

Socialists of Omaha and vicinity gathered at the Lyric theater on Sunday and adopted a lengthy set of resolutions denouncing the McNamaras and the "capitalistic" conditions they hold responsible for confessed criminals. J. B. McNamara is especially denounced as a tool of capitalism. All workers are urged to unite in support of socialist candidates for office. The resolutions conclude with the call from Karl Marx: "Workers of the world, unite! You have nothing to lose but your chains."