

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It. Omaha General Hospital, Dong, 855. Egyptian Chocolate 30c. Myers-Dillon. Gas. Elec. Fixtures. Burgess-Graden. Silver Plating. Om. Plating Co. D. 2535. Sunday Night Dance—The Montefiore club will entertain at a dancing party at the Metropolitan December 10.

Meyers and Smith Discharged—Frank Meyers and Harry Smith, who were arrested in company with Harry Huston and Bert Wood on suspicion of being plumbing thieves, were discharged in police court. The case against Wood and Huston was continued.

Bank Clerk Improves—Eugene Green, the bank clerk who accidentally shot himself with a revolver which he was trying to repair Tuesday night, is slowly recovering at the Omaha General hospital and the doctors who are attending him say that he will recover entirely.

Data for Glee Club Concert—The Omaha High School Glee club will give its first concert this evening under the auspices of the mid-term class of the high school at the First Christian church, on Twenty-sixth and Harley streets, on Friday evening, December 15.

Nurses Get the Money—Nellie B. Doup of the Visiting Nurses' association has sent the following letter to Principal McHugh of the high school: "I beg to acknowledge receipt of \$155.37 as a Thanksgiving offering and wish to express the sincere thanks of the directors of the association to the students of the Omaha High school for their very generous donations."

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Giver in Critical Condition—James Giver, driver of a city garbage wagon, is in a serious condition at his home, 3825 North Thirtieth street, as the result of typhoid poisoning. He is being attended by Dr. Harris, who said Giver was in a critical condition. Giver was taken suddenly sick after eating his noonday meal yesterday and at 4 o'clock his condition was such that Dr. Harris was called.

Exhibits Are Numerous—Exhibits in cases which have come up in the federal circuit court within the last ten years and stored away in the vault in the circuit court clerk's office are being removed to a larger vault on the fourth floor. Chief Deputy Nicholson, who is superintending the removal, says that there must be at least 200 pounds of legal documents in the pile, representing the brain work of about 100 different attorneys. Other exhibits are several boxes of shoes, cases of whisky, beef tea, cocoa and coffee. The primary reason for moving the exhibits, which must be kept, is that the clerk's office is to be abolished January 1.

Compensation Bill Ready for Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A tentative bill abolishing the present common law and statutory liability for the personal injury and death of employes in the service of interstate railroads and substituting definite compensation irrespective of negligence was completed today by the federal employers' liability and workmen's compensation commission.

The commission intends to recommend this measure to congress. It will hear representatives of both sides on the merits of the bill, beginning next Thursday.

The bill provides that in the case of all injuries medical and surgical aid, not exceeding \$200, shall be furnished by the employer, and that where a disability extends beyond fourteen days the employe shall receive the following compensation: For injuries resulting in total permanent disability, such as the loss of both legs, both arms or both eyes, 50 per cent of his wages during the remainder of his life.

For permanent partial injuries, such as loss of arm, leg, or one eye, 50 per cent of his wages for a term of years extending from thirty months to seventy-two months.

In case of temporary total disability he is to receive a like amount during the continuance of the disability; temporary partial disability, 50 per cent of the impairment of his earning capacity.

All these payments are to be made in monthly installments. In case of death, periodical payments are to be made to the widow, children and other specified dependents.

Removal of Queues Sanctioned by Edict

PEKING, Dec. 8.—An imperial edict was issued today sanctioning the cutting off of queues. The rebels are levying tribute on and obtaining subscriptions from Peking officials who draw imperial salaries, but fear to sympathize openly with the revolution.

The rebels freely say they intend to dynamite and attack Peking. Some arrests have been made but the government is practically powerless, owing to the timidity of the official class.

The student class is powerful in China and is enforcing extreme demands because of the racial timidity of the elders, who would be content with the limitations members of the court have already imposed upon themselves.

Precautions are being taken tonight against a rising of the Manchu troops because of dissatisfaction over the regent's seemingly compulsory retirement and the prospect of all Manchus, in consequence of this losing their pensions.

Taft Entertains Nine Governors

QUINCY, Ill., Dec. 8.—(Special Telegram) Eastern governors who are making a trip through the east exploiting their respective states arrived here at noon and spent a busy day from the time they left their special train until they departed in the afternoon.

Many of the governors attended the National Rivers and Harbors congress, while others took sightseeing trips and called at the White House during the afternoon.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

City Council May Be Entirely Reorganized Next Monday.

MAY DEPOSE JOHN FRANEK

August Miller Appears to Have Strangle Hold Upon Votes Enough to Accomplish Change in the City Administration.

The city council may be reorganized next Monday night. All day yesterday rumor was rife as to the complete reorganization of the aldermanic body and the subcommittee of the council.

Since the disintegration of the "Big Four" last Monday night, politicians have come to the conclusion that the new majority is not the mere cohesion of a disintegrated quartet, but the well planned coup of a wise and keen witted leader.

Based on their judgment on the appearance of things the inside guard claim that John Frank, president of the council and present leader, will be deposed next Monday night in favor of one of the new majority.

As to the one who will succeed should the reorganization be effected there is considerable speculation. Two names are prominently mentioned: Walters and Miller. Walters himself denied yesterday that there was anything in the rumor and professed that his new position in the councilmanic body would be entirely independent. Another member of the new power said he was in favor of making August Miller president of the council in place of Frank.

In any case it appears that Miller has developed strength, not only among his constituents with whom he has been popular, but also among the new majority with whom he is numbered.

Discussing the proposed reorganization yesterday Mayor Trainer declared that he was not certain whether such a thing could be effected according to the charter. Others, however, said that the council held the power to change its president whenever it chose to do so.

"Union Pay—Union Time." "Union pay?—Union time," says August Miller who now proposes to have a time clock installed within the sacred portals of the city hall.

According to the notions of the little councilmanic office a city official should not look upon duties of his office in the light of a sinecure. August, very unreasonably to be sure, thinks that a city official should spend in his office all the time provided and intended by the powers that made the office.

August says he cannot see why an official or clerical employe of the city should be allowed to work or play according to his own sweet will. "Of course," said Mr. Miller, "I would not be unreasonable in refusing a city official permission to go to the funeral of a dead grandmother or such like, but except in cases of illness I know our officials are all too honest to collect money for the time not spent in the service of the city."

In order therefore to keep a check on all things and to reduce the force of the city hall to order and economy it is intended to install a time clock in the city hall.

South Omaha Girl Assaulted. Miss Emma Cherney, 17 years old, was assaulted by an unknown white man in South Omaha about 6 o'clock this morning. She was on her way from her home at 25 South Twenty-third street to the cannery department of the Cudahy plant, where she is employed, when she was seized by a man who emerged from between two buildings. He dragged her across the street to the Washington school. The description of the man tallies with that of an unknown person who has been terrorizing girls in South Omaha for several weeks.

Inquest Over Death. The inquest upon the death of John Lydon, or Thomas Layton, as his name proves to be, will be held this morning at 10 o'clock at Larkin's funeral parlors. There is some doubt whether Layton committed suicide or died from natural causes.

Young Man Disappears. Kenal Sanbo reported yesterday to the police that Sidney Hedgz, a 20-year-old youth, had been missing from his home at 309 J street for four or five months. The police are making an investigation of the man's disappearance.

A Good Thing to Know. We are still selling from the \$5.00 bankrupt stock of the Western Furniture Co., beautiful Xmas gifts in rockers, rugs, library and parlor tables, etc., at 50 cents on the dollar. Levy Furniture & Carpet Co., 2510 N street.

Mexico City Gossip. Try Cullins for your overcoat. Tom Clonny was fined \$5 in the police court yesterday for disturbing the peace.

The women of the Albright Lefter society will serve dinner at Twenty-fourth and N streets on Tuesday, December 12. Council No. 1112, American Federation of Labor, will hold an election of officers at the labor temple this evening at 7 o'clock.

Phone Bell South 955—Independent F-1593 for a case of Jetter Gold Top. Prompt delivery to any part of city. William Jetter. St. Agnes' court of Foresters will hold an election of officers Friday evening at the Ancient Order of United Workmen temple.

Washington letter No. 47, Knights of the Maccabees, elected the following officers at their meeting Wednesday night: Mike O. Donohue, commander; J. E. McNamara, lieutenant commander; T. C. Allen, royal knight; and M. Fitzgerald, chaplain.

Winona lodge No. 256, Modern Brotherhood of America will meet Friday night, December 8, for the annual election of officers.

The labor temple has passed into the hands of the Redfern, who will henceforth use the building as their headquarters.

Mrs. Robert Shanahan and children left Friday for New York City, where Mr. Shanahan has provided a new home for his family.

Commencing Saturday, December 9, \$2 off on any overcoat in the house. Must make room for holiday goods. M. Cullin & Co.

Fred Anderson, a farmer of Walnut, and an unidentified white man employed at Cudahy's, were arrested yesterday morning and held for observation as to their mental condition.

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Men's Tie Clasps— at 15c to 50c
Men's Sleeve Buttons— at 25c to \$2.00
Men's Pullman Slippers— at \$2.00
Men's Collar Bags— at \$1.00 to \$3.00
Men's Combination Leather Sets \$2.00 to \$7.50
Men's Umbrellas— at \$1.00 to \$5.00
Men's Suspender Sets— at 50c to \$1.50
Men's Silk Hose and Handkerchiefs \$1 to \$3
Holeproof Hose in Holiday boxes \$1.50 to \$3 (6 in box)
Men's Gloves, Fur or Street Gloves \$1 to \$10

death. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence to the Bohemian National cemetery in Omaha.

"The Chauffeur," a comedy in three acts, will be played tonight at the high school auditorium for the benefit of the local Young Men's Christian association. Local talent engaged in the production of the play and it is expected that a large audience will be present to reward the efforts of the budding thespians.

Special for Saturday at Forrest & Meany's new drug store, 2330 N street, corner 24th: 25c bottle Peroxide (full strength); 50c bottle of our special White Pine Cough Syrup; 15c bottle of our special White Pine and Tar Cough Syrup; 15c Patent medicine; at cut prices. Prescriptions a specialty.

Gilbert Bolen, the aged man who was beaten by thugs some days ago, is still in a precarious condition at the home of his son, G. B. Bolen, 421 North Twenty-fourth street. Since the crime was committed the aged man has continued in a state bordering on coma and the physicians, while hoping for the best, are still fearful that his vitality may not withstand the strain.

At the regular meeting of camp No. 885, Modern Woodmen of America, held on Wednesday evening, the following named persons were elected as officers for the year: Consul, Thomas F. Conley; pass consul, David J. Demory; advisor, James J. McManus; banker, Charles Swanson; clerk, Joseph J. Breen; escort, Robert A. Girshofer; watchman, Frank Madison; sentry, Melno Gerdes; physician, J. W. McCrain and Joseph Hummel, manager, Charles J. Clinchard.

The Jetter Gold Tops of South Omaha returned home this morning from the bowling tournament at Des Moines. The team bowled 2,570, while in the doubles Hall and Lepinski won third place at the last counting. Those who returned were John Briggs, J. J. Koch, J. M. Fitzgerald, Ben Hill, William Hall and Frank Lepinski, all of the team. Other members of the party were Herbert Garlow, Peter Peterson and John McKale.

Omaha Man Injured in Wreck of Auto

E. M. Eckman, of Omaha, and J. M. Henry and Dan Hannon of South Omaha, were injured late yesterday afternoon when Mr. Eckman's car turned over at the corner of the 4th and Q streets, South Omaha. Henry Peterson, who was also in the machine, was unhurt.

The party was returning from a hunting trip near Ashland. Eckman, in attempting to avoid another car at the corner, struck the railroad track and skidded into a ditch. All four men were buried under the wreck.

Eckman received injuries about the shoulders, while Henry sustained a fracture of the right cheek bone. Hannon suffered several severe scratches. The automobile was a total wreck.

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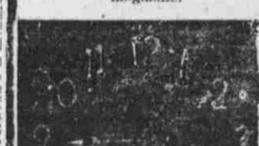
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