

BRIEF CITY NEWS

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Nearly One Hundred Candidates—Ninety-eight candidates are in the field for the nomination for commissioner and thirteen have filed. Frank A. Furray was the first to file his petition.

Promotions on Oregon Short Line—Due to the fact that F. H. Plaisier, former assistant general freight agent of the Oregon Short Line, has been promoted to the position of assistant director of traffic, D. D. Gray becomes assistant general freight agent and H. E. Godwin, district freight agent. The promotions are effective February 1.

Negro Hit by Bullet—Wilbur Hisee, a negro, appeared at police headquarters yesterday and asked for medical aid. He said he had been shot in the shoulder last night by a person unknown to him. He said he was going south on Tenth street near Dodge when he heard the report of a gun and almost simultaneously felt a pain in his right shoulder. He was dressed by Police Surgeon Arrasmith.

Council off Executive Board—F. S. Cowgill, president of the Transmississippi Grain company, has resigned from the executive committee of the Commercial club, as the meeting hour is the busiest hour of the day with him. The vacant position is to be filled by a grain man, and a committee composed of W. H. Bucholz, C. H. Picketts and E. P. Peck has been appointed to find and recommend the right man.

Many Inquiries About Auditorium—Spokane, Wash., about to vote bonds for a \$500,000 auditorium; Kalamazoo, Mich., and Nashville, Tenn., all have written to Manager Gillan of the Omaha Auditorium to get detailed information on the Omaha building, its cost, description, use, manner of maintenance, etc. Within the last year Mr. Gillan has had similar inquiries from Seattle, Syracuse, Rochester, Atlantic City, Newark, Detroit, Colorado Springs and Grand Rapids, Mich.

Light Company is Moving—The Omaha Light and Power company is moving into the Union Pacific building, the offices occupying the suits on the Dodge street side, first floor, just to the east of the Dodge street entrance. The rooms occupied by the bookkeepers are on one of the floors higher up in the building.

New Carpets at Police Station—A resolution was passed by the city council Tuesday night awarding the contract for furnishing for the police station to Hayden Bros. Linoleum, corrugated rubber matting and a sanitary oak desk will be supplied for the station by Hayden Bros., who were the lowest of several bidders.

Bourke Changes Location. We wish to announce to our many friends and patrons that we have found the demands of our tailoring department so urgent, that we have decided to retire from the ready-made clothing line entirely and from February 15 we will confine our efforts to the

CUSTOM TAILORING BUSINESS EXCLUSIVELY. On February 15 we will open with a complete new stock of the latest offerings in Spring Wools, at 301 to 303 CITY NAT'L BANK BLDG. We wish to thank our friends for their patronage and hope to merit a continuation of their favor.

BOURKE'S CLOTHES SHOP. Stock Losses in Wyoming Normal

Russell Thorpe of Lusk, Wyo., one of the most extensive cattle and sheep feeders in the state, is in Omaha. Discussing the live stock situation in Wyoming, Mr. Thorpe says it is no where as serious as it is promised to be when the spell of frigid weather was hovering over the country. He figures that the losses of the cattlemen and flockmasters will be just about normal.

Both cattle and sheep are thinner than usual, owing to the long continued cold, but aside from this, they are in very good condition and are going to come through the winter fairly well unless there should be unusually cold weather and bad storms during February and March.

According to Mr. Thorpe, outside of the cattle and sheep country, people do not understand the situation. With many the opinion prevails that the owners of stock go into the winter with little hay, expecting that their animals will subsist picking the dry grass on the range. The situation is quite the reverse of this.

OMAHA PARKS COMPARED WITH THOSE OF OTHER CITIES

In a communication from the park commissioners the mayor and council are given an idea of what other cities are expending for parks and boulevards and the value of the Omaha park and boulevard system is set forth in comparison with other cities. The communication accompanies the annual report of receipts and expenditures. In part it says:

"In comparison with funds for our parks and boulevards, we quote Seattle for the year 1910, and its park area is only twenty acres more than ours. It expended for improvement and maintenance \$400,871.89, while we expended \$25.06, including \$20,000 donated. Seattle's bond issue for the same year was \$1,000,000 for purchase of parks and playgrounds, and our bond issue was only \$50,000 for improvement of boulevards only. That city's bond issue has been \$2,500,000, while ours for parks and boulevards has been \$500,000."

NEW COMMANDANT TAKES UP WORK AT SCHOOL

Captain Arthur S. Cowan, the new commandant of the Omaha High school cadet regiment, took charge of the drill at the school yesterday morning. About ninety incoming freshmen reported at the school for cadet drill and were assigned to companies.

Here Was One Good Place for a Minister's Son



SEVENTY SONS OF CLERGYMEN MEET TUESDAY EVENING AT THE UNIVERSITY CLUB.

New York Lad Lured Into West by Tales About Wild Indians

"Where are all the Indians?" queried Edward Downs, a 15-year-old New York boy, who had come to Omaha to see some of the real wild and woolly west. Instead he saw the police, who looked very much like the New York cops, and very much like they do in other metropolitan places. They led him to the station. "I read there were a lot of wild Indians around here, and that sometimes they just shut up everything and killed people and scalped them and held war dances and everything," the boy explained to juvenile officers. "A man told me if I would just wait around here they would come in and ride whop and shouting up and down the streets. I've waited three days, but I haven't seen any."

After being taken to the detention home the boy became convinced that there were no very ferocious Indians around here. "This place looks something like New York," he said and at this the detention officers smiled out their cheeks. "Say, I think I'll go home. I've got \$1.25 here. Just go and send a telegram to my father and he will forward me a ticket." Juvenile officers did as directed and back by telegraph came the order for a ticket. The boy left yesterday for his home, much disgusted with the writers of things as they are not.

BURGLAR TAKES NOTHING BUT SOAP FROM STORE

"Cleanliness is next to Godliness," but the police do not believe this was the

Will Appraise Only if Owner Desires

After much heated debate the Real Estate exchange decided that its appraisal committee should appraise property only with consent of the owner. The committee was instructed to bring in a few appraisals at next meeting. The exchange endorsed the campaign of the Omaha Commercial club and Grain exchange for the testing of seed corn. The membership of Robinson & Wolf was transferred to Harry Wolf and J. C. Robinson was elected to membership. The firm has dissolved partnership. The banquet committee reported a deficit of \$4 on the exchange's recent \$2 dinner. The exchange will make up the deficit.

NORTH PRESBYTERIAN TO BE DEDICATED SUNDAY

The North Presbyterian church, Twenty-fourth and Wirt streets, will be dedicated fourth morning. The words of dedication and the blessing will be given by the pastor, Rev. M. V. Higbee. The festival of dedication will be brought to a close Friday evening, February 23, by a banquet.

A PIERCE ATTACK of malaria, liver derangement and kidney trouble is easily cured by Electric Bitters, the guaranteed remedy. 50 cts. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

Speakers Selected for Cement Show

Several Omaha and Nebraska men are included on the program of the convention of the Nebraska Cement Users' association, which will be held at the Home Hotel next Tuesday to Thursday, inclusive. Harry W. Moore of the Moore Engineering company, will talk on "Reinforced Concrete" Wednesday morning, and L. E. Porter of York, Neb., will talk on "Requisites for Good Concrete" the same morning. In connection with the convention, a cement show will be held in the Auditorium, the doors opening Tuesday noon. Thirty-five exhibitors from all parts of the country have taken space at the show, which will surpass former shows in the number of exhibitors and amount of cement products shown.

Bishop Beecher is to Have Automobile

All distance records made by bishops in the missionary district of Kearney were surpassed in 1911 by Bishop George A. Beecher, who traveled 16,000 miles, visiting near and remote parishes. "And this year," said the bishop while in Omaha to attend the meeting of charities and corrections, "I intend to break last year's record." Travel is difficult in parts of the district which are far removed from railroads and can be reached only by crude facilities. This, together with the fact that the district is very large, has prompted Bishop Beecher's supporters and friends to furnish him an automobile. The machine will be purchased in

Big Concerns Are to Co-Operate With the Seed Corn Trains

The Burlington, Union Pacific and Northwestern railroads are busy making out their schedules for their seed corn specials and expect to be ready to announce the schedules by next Monday. Omaha grain companies, implement companies, creameries and banks are sending out letters to all their Nebraska agents, apprising them of the coming of the seed specials and asking them to form organizations in their towns to get the farmers into jawn on the day the special comes.

FREDERICKSEN FUNERAL TO BE HELD ON FRIDAY

Funeral services for Ralph Tattaman Fredericksen will be conducted Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the late home, 229 South Eleventh street. The services will be private, conducted by Rev. Mr. Ahmestorp, pastor of the Danish Lutheran church. Mr. Fredericksen, who died Tuesday evening at St. Joseph's hospital, was one of the best known Danish editorial writers in the west. Since 1888 he has been connected with the Danish Pioneer. Prior to that time he was a contributor to English periodicals.

David Bigham, America's greatest singer, Lyric theater Friday evening.

Bill Dooley Enters Plea of Not Guilty

Bill Dooley, the negro who killed Jack Reynolds in South Omaha Saturday, was arraigned before Police Judge Callanan yesterday. He entered a plea of not guilty and will be given a hearing Saturday afternoon. Though the coroner's jury returned a verdict indicating that Dooley killed Reynolds in self defense a charge of second degree murder has been lodged against him. Dooley has retained Franklin A. Shotwell as counsel and the case is being prosecuted by J. M. Fitzpatrick.

Fresh Eggs Offered at Declining Prices

Some of the stores offered fresh eggs yesterday at 25 cents a dozen, 5 cents below Tuesday's price. A free movement of eggs from the country has begun and further declines are looked for. Storage eggs have practically disappeared. Butter is down 1 cent, the wholesale price being now 36 cents and the retail price generally about 40 cents. Butter is 12 cents a pound higher than it was a year ago at this time and 6 cents higher than two years ago.

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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.

You-- Sir or Madam who are contemplating the purchase of one or more Oriental Rugs Here is your opportunity to secure some high grade rugs at unprecedented low prices. Three More Days and this exhibition and sale comes to a close. Thursday, Friday and Saturday are the last days of the sale at rooms 204-210 City Nat'l Bank building, 16th and Harney. The Nahigian collection has made a name for itself among Oriental rug admirers in Omaha for quality. Have you made your purchase yet? H. P. WHITMORE Art Dealer. Representing Nahigian Bros., Chicago.

Sweeping Assertions You can save 375 pounds of work on sweep day Every time you sweep you raise the broom at least 1000 times. An ordinary broom weighs 35 ounces. That makes 35,000 ounces, or 2,187 1/2 pounds you lift every time you sweep. A Little Polly Broom is 6 ounces lighter than ordinary brooms. In using it you save lifting 6,000 ounces, or 375 pounds every time you sweep. Think what this means in a year's time. The saving on your carpets is considerable, too, as the Little Polly Broom is made of soft tipped broom corn, that gets into the nap and draws out the dirt with the least effort on your part. Little Polly handles are of hard maple—light and strong. The finish is guaranteed not to stick or soil the hands under any condition. The LITTLE POLLY Broom Look for the Name on the Handle This hard finish and the high polish we give Little Polly handles, is a secret process—the envy of all other broom makers who have tried to duplicate it, but have all failed. Little Polly handles come in canary or rose color and all bear the name The Little Polly, printed lengthwise. Be sure to look for and find this name, as it stands for the best broom that experience or money can produce. You can get brooms that cost more, and others that cost less, but, pay what you will, none offer so big a value as the Little Polly. Prove the truth of these facts by giving the Little Polly a trial. We guarantee satisfaction or money refunded Harrah & Stewart Mfg. Co., Des Moines, Ia. H. J. Hughes Co., Distributor, Omaha, Neb.

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