

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It. Jeff W. Bedford—Coal. Theo. W. Blackburn for congress—Adv. Electric Warming Pads, Burgess-Granden Company.

Becher Nighy—Candidate for commissioner, primary April 9.—Adv. Keep Your Money and Valuables in the American Safe deposit vaults in The Bee building. Boxes rent for \$2 per year.

Bascom to Be Made Priest.—Rev. C. H. Bascom will become a priest at All Saints' church March 24, Bishop Williams conducting the service. Rev. Mr. Bascom will go to Ashland as rector of St. Stephen's church.

Acres Property Sold.—Susan K. Davies has sold to O. M. Brotemarkle twenty-four and a half acres one mile west of Benson on Military road. The consideration was \$7,000. The sale was made through the Payne Investment company.

Stors Gets Fifth Truck.—The leaders in business all over the country are motorizing their hauling systems. This is being demonstrated in Nebraska by the fact that the Storz Brewing company has just purchased its fifth Alcoa—five-ton truck—the only five-ton motor truck in this city.

Have Many Club Members.—The United States National bank, the McCord-Brady company and the Paxton & Gallagher company now have each ten representatives on the membership roll of the Commercial club. The membership committee is trying to induce other houses to attain the same mark.

Present Due Wharton as Agent of Cupid. Postal regulations say nothing about conducting a matrimonial bureau in connection with postoffice, but nevertheless it has been the custom of Omaha postmasters for many years to assist D. Cupid in his work. Generally it is a thankless job, but every little while twin souls are brought together and the local office gets a letter something like the following, which came yesterday:

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., March 14.—Friend Postmaster: I wish to thank you. I got 42 letters. Now you can look for a present from me any time. It won't be much, but it will be something I got them from all kind of men I got them from butchers and cowboys and young men from college and all kinds. I thank you very much so goodbye from Ella Yarn, 27 Woodvale avenue.

Ella is the young woman who wrote several weeks ago saying that most any kind of a man would do for her—just so he had a steady job.

Postmaster Wharton says when the present comes he and Assistant Postmaster Woodard will draw straws for it, so one is recognized as the right-hand and the other the left-hand lieutenant of Mr. Cupid.

Builders Approve Court House Job. Fifty members of the Omaha Builders' exchange inspected the new Douglas county building yesterday afternoon, approved the work of Caldwell & Drake, the general contractors, so far as it has gone, and recommended that the Board of County Commissioners give Caldwell & Drake an additional thirty days in which to hurry the work to completion.

If the board takes the advice of the exchange it will not out the general contractors tomorrow.

The committee's recommendation that the general contractors be given an additional thirty days was made to the commissioners orally. The approval of the work was written and is as follows: "Resolved, That we as a body of contractors, representing the Omaha Builders' exchange, after inspecting the new Douglas county courthouse this day, report the work as far as we could see a first class job, and the citizens of the county may well be proud of the building."

OMAHA BUILDERS' EXCHANGE. By Committee of Fifty.

CLUE FURNISHED POLICE PROVES HALLUCINATION. Viola Johnson was as calm as a cucumber and that's considerable calm. But Viola had a message of dire import when she walked into the police station early last night.

"Ladies," she began lastly; "a man's down to my house, 901 Jackson street, an' says he jus' got out'n the pen aftah killin' all them people."

Viola described the man as having "great long hair, kind of lightish."

The police took up Viola's fruitless clue, although they usually never take Viola seriously. They take her intricate sometimes—and that is what was done last night.

CHEYENNE MAN DECLARES NEGRO WOMEN ROBBED HIM. Potter Hubbard of Cheyenne, Wyo., dramatically staggered into the police station last night and fell bleeding upon one of the benches in the jail office. He was bleeding where his upper lip had been lacerated. Between gasps he said he had been robbed of \$5 by two negro women and when he had followed them a few blocks a negro man struck him.

Hubbard's complaint was investigated and he was locked up after it was found his staggering was not entirely due to loss of blood.

OMAHA MEN LIKE "MINNESOTA" SPAGHETTI. Wives and mothers find there is one thing of which Omaha men never tire. Morning, noon and night his "lordship" will eat "Minnesota" spaghetti or macaroni and be delighted with it's rich, nut-like flavor.

SCHOOL AND COLLEGE WORK

Literary, Dramatic and Oratorical Activities of Normal Schools.

POWER OF LEARNING BY SEEING. A Revolution in Teaching Methods in Pennsylvania—Matters of General Interest in Educational Circles.

The most delightful affair of the school year at Wayne Normal was the 6 o'clock dinner given by Miss Elsie Ford Piper to the senior class at the home of Prof. and Mrs. C. H. Bright on Saturday evening, March 8. An elaborate five-course progressive dinner was served. The table decorations and favors were terms and jostling. President and Mrs. Conn and Miss Jennie L. Piper of Lincoln were honored guests. Miss Piper was assisted by Marguerite Chace and Ardath Conn.

The annual debating contest between the state normal schools of Kearney, Peru and Wayne has been set for the evening of April 12. Prof. J. T. House was a judge in the Randolph-Hartington debate held at Randolph.

Miss Jennie L. Piper, after an extended visit with her sister in Wayne, returned to her home in Lincoln.

Dr. I. F. Roach, member of the Board of Education, has accepted an invitation from the class of 1912 to deliver the baccalaureate sermon at the normal on Sunday, May 2.

Folders announcing the Northeast Nebraska Teachers' association have been received. This gathering will convene at Norfolk on March 29 and 30. The normal school will be represented on the program by President Conn, Prof. Britell and Miss McBeth.

FREMONT COLLEGE. Brief Mention of the Week's Happenings.

Fred Pfeiffer, a graduate of the commercial department of 1910, has been lately elected assistant cashier of the First National bank of Arlington.

Guy O. Martin took the state pharmaceutical examination last February and is now taking charge of his father's drug store at Stanton, Neb.

Peter Umel, after finishing his work in the pharmacy department, has gone to Cincinnati, where he contemplates a course in veterinary surgery.

James Donahoe, who is a former graduate from this college, has filed for the office of congressman in the Sixth district on the republican ticket.

Miss Naana Lynn Forbes was called to Waterloo and Scribner during the week to coach high school students prior to local declamatory contests and, with Mrs. Mendelhall, observation teacher, went to West Point to act as judges in a declamatory contest.

Wednesday morning the class in minor surgery gave a demonstration in chapel. The art of bandaging and artificial respiration was demonstrated for the benefit of the student body in a most satisfactory manner. Prof. Hudson and Jordan were commended in the presence of the audience for the good work done in their department during the year by President Clemmons and they have won the admiration and respect of the whole student body.

The voice pupils of Prof. C. W. Weeks had the platform Thursday, giving ten number in chorus. It was a rare treat and appreciated by all. They were followed by Charles Frederick Adams of the Congressional Brotherhood, who addressed the students on the subject of "True Leadership and Our Responsibility as Citizens."

Miss Naana Forbes, teacher of expression, read a paper before the Shakespeare club on Wednesday evening showing the development of the English drama, in which she portrayed the miracle plays, the morality, origin of the English Religious drama and the Shakespearean state. This paper was excellently written and excellently rendered.

DOANE COLLEGE. Former Student Donates Medal for Track Stars.

The election of the Owl board took place last Tuesday afternoon. Harry W. Davison of Alabworth was re-elected editor-in-chief and practically a new set of associate editors were elected.

Friday evening occurred the concert given by the Young Ladies' Glee club. The organization, under the leadership of Miss Lucile Reed, showed up finely and rendered an excellent program of high-class music, besides a number of selections of old college songs. These last were sung as the girls were grouped cozily on the stage in rocking chairs or on rugs. The ladies' quartet, which rendered several numbers, was also up to the standard and the concert on the whole was very well received.

A letter from President Perry was read to the students Thursday morning. It was an answer to the greetings that the students sent him on his seventy-third birthday. He said that besides the gifts of the students he received cards from 130 of the alumni of the college and personal friends.

Medals have been donated this year by a former student of Doane to be given to the individual stars of the horse track meet, which is slated to come off in about a month, the weather permitting. These medals were displayed in chapel one morning by Captain E. G. Dickinson of the track team. Doane's prospects for winning the state track meet are bright this year, and with a decent spring for training, it ought to put out a winning team.

CHADRON NORMAL SCHOOL. Activities of Student Organizations and Social Diversions.

The students of Chadron gave a dramatic reading of scenes from "Macbeth" during the recitation period on Thursday of last week. This was very profitable work, and much enjoyed by the students.

A great deal of interest is being taken in social activities at present. The A. F. F. society, which was organized a short time ago, now has a membership of fourteen, as follows: Laura de McElhenny, Flora Daboll, Ermine Carmean, Beattie Fisher, Emma Nerud, Fern Marshall, Grace Pollock, Eva Lesh, Neva Lutsey, Fay Herzberger, Winifred Fisher, Anna Kreitzberg, Caroline Clek and Hazel Ross.

Another girls' society is being organized and plans are being made for a boys' debating society. These societies will be a great help to the students in many ways.

The chemistry class enjoyed themselves by etching glass in the laboratory with hydrofluoric acid. Needless to say all their glass plates were branded when they got through, and many curious and

strikingly original designs were in evidence.

Some of the boys have been whispering around the last few days that there was something doing, and it is now understood that a debating and dramatic club is about to be organized. The boys feel that they cannot afford to let the girls get ahead of them in these organizations. Thursday morning after the devotional exercises at chapel, the faculty walked off the platform, and fourteen girls, wearing the green and white, took their places. Mr. Stockdale introduced them as the A. F. F. society, the first society organized in the northwest state normal. A short program was given by the society. Miss Fay Herzberger sang "A Perfect Day." Miss Laura de McElhenny, the president, told of the life and work of Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer, for whom the society was named. Then Miss Beattie Fisher gave a talk on the "Lewis and Clark Expedition." After an instrumental duet, "Lustspiel Overture," by Miss Clark and Miss Elliott, President Sparks, who had just returned from St. Louis, was called upon for a speech, and was given an ovation.

KEARNEY STATE NORMAL. Training Class Has Charge of Chapel Exercises Wednesday.

Rev. George Netherly of Omaha was a chapel visitor at the Kearney State Normal school Friday morning and addressed the students. Mr. Netherly was a student in the normal in 1904.

Prof. H. C. Sutton and George N. Porter went to Broken Bow Friday to judge in the declamatory contest at that place that evening.

Among the visitors at the normal during last week we were glad to welcome Miss Hazel Anderson, Miss Mary Herdend, J. of St. Paul, and Mr. Ben Lenkey of Miller.

The training class had charge of the chapel exercises Wednesday and presented a very creditable performance. Their program consisted of a moving picture show, pantomime, "Wanted, a Wife," Mr. Ralph Towell was the leading man in the performance, assisted by some twelve young women of the training class.

Miss Gertrude Gardner of the department of Latin and Miss Cora O'Connell, high school critic, went to Gibson Saturday to act as judges in the declamatory contest at that place.

PERU NORMAL NOTES. Governor Aldrich Inspects Schools and Addresses Students.

The Peru Glee club finished a short concert trip last Friday. They sang at Nebraska City, Stella and Verdon, winning up with their regular annual concert on the home stage. One really interesting feature of the trip is that it paid expenses.

Miss Myrtle Ferguson of Boston, who was hired to take the place of Mrs. Nettleton, who recently resigned from the expression department, is now on the ground and at work.

On Wednesday evening the students and the people of Peru assembled at the administration building to attend a reception to Governor Aldrich, who came to visit the institution. A short program was given, consisting of an address of welcome by Prof. Beck, speeches by President Hayes and Dr. Shellbarr, music by the glee club and a short talk by the governor. At the chapel service on Thursday morning Governor Aldrich made a more formal address, his subject being "What Constitutes Education."

YORK COLLEGE. Close of Most Successful Session in Its History.

York college closed one of the most successful sessions in its history Friday evening, a high mark being reached in attendance and in the character of the work accomplished. A week of vacation lessons before the opening of the spring term.

Educational Notes. A donor whose identity is concealed has given \$2,000 to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Mrs. Margaret Byers, who died at her home in Detroit, Friday, made a distinguished name in the history of the higher education of women. She was the founder of Victoria college, Belfast, of which she was director from 1862.

Carl A. Opper of Minneapolis, a student at the Minnesota State Agricultural college, is said to have discovered a new shipping method to Chicago and other large commission centers in six weeks made nearly here.

Master E. Hooford, teacher of senior literature in the Orange, N. J., High school, has won the first prize of the Mary Landis Foundation of New York, amounting to \$100. The prize is awarded once every three years to literature teachers of special merit. The sum is available for traveling expenses in Europe.

There is something of the dreamer in most of our city boys, said a teacher quoted by the New York Sun. "When the school authorities learned from their records that many boys leave high school because of their inability to master an additional language they offered a course which would fit a boy for practical work at the trades. For a while the classes in this course were overcrowded. Gradually, however, it became known that a boy who entered this new course would later find he was better equipped to find the college and university doors closed to him. None who knock at the doors of these higher institutions of learning may be admitted without credits in German and Latin. Immediately the course became unpopular, for none wished to sacrifice the chance of college, be it ever so slender."

Anonymous Writer Attacks Grand Jury. An anonymous letter attacking the Douglas county grand jury and accusing its members of being "graters" was received by Plunking Judge Abraham L. Sutton of the district court yesterday afternoon. The letter referred to paying matters, according to a report. When asked for a statement, Judge Sutton said: "I will not disclose the contents of the letter. I do not take it seriously. I believe the grand jury is on the square and no anonymous letter is going to change my opinion. No attempt to tell what is said in the letter should be considered as authoritative, for I have not told anyone its contents. If I did not have the faith I have in the grand jury it would be different, but I have faith in them."

Why He Was Late. "What made you so late?" "I met Smithson." "Well, that is no reason why you should be an hour late getting home to supper." "I know, but I asked him how he was feeling, and he insisted on telling me about his stomach trouble."

"Did you tell him to take Chamberlain's Tablets?" "Yes, that's what he needs. Sold by all dealers."

MANY FILINGS FOR OFFICE

Fifty-Six Candidates Are Out for Office of Commissioner.

ELEVEN MORE DAYS TO FILE. There is Also Long List of Candidates for State Senate and House and County Offices.

Fifty-six candidates have filed for commissioner, subject to the action of the electors of all the city. Filings will close March 25.

Fourteen candidates receiving the highest number of votes at the primary election on April 9 will be declared nominated. Voters will cast their ballots for seven at both the primaries and the spring election, May 7. The seven receiving the highest number of votes at the election of May 7 will be declared elected and will take their seats as the new directors of the city's business on May 27.

Following is the list of candidates, in order since the filings began, January 1: O. P. Brucker, M. E. Pankhouser, Charles A. Shabata, H. W. Withall, Charles J. Karbach, Thomas McGovern, John Grant, George M. Schofield, Louis Beck, John A. Ritz, G. J. Anderson, Frank M. Woolley, Frank A. Faray, A. C. Kugel, Dr. F. H. Miller, H. Bennett, Dr. P. H. Miller, C. E. Brown, Joseph Carr, Eugene E. Brandt, Albert Lamons, W. B. Benson, Michael C. Callahan, Fred Brandt, Peter E. Gool, W. G. Flood, Fred Schroeder, Julius Treitschke, Homer J. Gault, John A. Barrett, W. S. Shelton, Eugene Steere, E. I. Morrow, Peter Mehrens, Thomas Johnson, C. A. Barrett, Dr. T. W. Meyers, Clarence Vaughan, John U. Westery, Henry F. Meyers, W. G. Shriver, Jeff W. Bedford, Alfred C. Kennedy, George H. Traummel, Albert Kahn, Dan B. Butler, James C. Danham, Lee Brant, John D. Weaver, Nathan Bernstein, John D. Weaver, Robert Houghton, J. C. Davis, Legislative and county candidates filed in large numbers Saturday, March 19 is the last day for filing. Those who have filed are:

STATE SENATOR. Republican—F. J. Beck, M. O. Cunningham, Fred J. Lilboe, Arthur C. Parnest, Democrat—E. H. Ryan, John H. Grossmann, C. B. Liver, John E. Reagan, John M. Tanner.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE. Republican—John Fred Behm, Leo Schick, Ira Parnagan, Edward Simon, M. F. Singleton, S. G. Hoff, A. M. Davis, Edward J. Michael, Michael Lee, A. L. Herquist, Albert T. Lenney, Martin L. Linsgrman, J. H. Bulla, Charles L. Thomas.

COUNTY AUDITOR. Republican—William B. Howard.

RAILWAY COMMISSIONER. Republican—Ben H. Hayden.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER. Republican—Henry S. McDonald, First district, Democrat—Peter C. Blaszczak, First district, R. J. McArthur, First district.

COUNTY ATTORNEY. Republican—Sidney W. Smith, Democrat—George A. Magney, J. L. Kaley, Thomas E. Brady, A. W. Schick, Charles W. Sears.

COUNTY ASSESSOR. Republican—H. L. Conman, Democrat—Henry D. Reed.

BOARD OF EDUCATION. Republican—W. A. Ehlers, First ward, George H. Schnell, First ward, H. C. Hertzinger, Second ward, T. J. Lynch, Second ward, R. V. Cole, Fourth ward.

Socialist—Harry Bedatte, Third ward, Jacob Kopp, Second ward.

WATER BOARD. Democrat—D. J. O'Brien.

PNEUMONIA CAUSES DEATH OF DESTITUTE WOMAN. Frail and sick, a woman who gave her name as Mrs. Belle Miller stopped at a rooming house at 101 North Sixteenth street a week ago and asked for work. There was none for her, but the proprietor of the place allowed her to stay while she sought employment. Shortly afterward she was taken sick with pneumonia.

The county physician was called in to attend to the destitute woman, but she had gone too long on scant food and clothing. She died yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Nothing is known of her. She told the rooming house proprietor she had lived in Omaha thirteen years, but about her family connections she said nothing. She was about 30 years old.

Crooner Crosby took the body and will hold it for someone to claim. If it isn't the woman will be interred in the potter's field.

ROMA HOTEL RAIDED BY SHERIFF'S OFFICERS. Deputy Sheriff's Musgrave, Hanger and Wright last night raided the Hotel Roma, an Italian boarding house at Eleventh and Dodge streets, and took eight men and a woman to the county jail. Julius Cantoni, proprietor of the place, was charged with selling liquor after 3 o'clock. Cantoni contends that the persons in his place were boarders belonging in there. A few bottles of beer were seized as evidence.

Shortly after midnight the sheriff's raiders Pat Johnson's place at 211 1/2 Capitol avenue, taking eight negro and white persons to jail. Johnson was charged with selling liquor without a license. The others were charged as inmates of a disorderly house. Some of the prisoners secured bail.

NEBRASKA LAUNDYMEN MEET HERE THIS WEEK. The Nebraska laundymen's association will meet in annual convention at the Rome hotel Tuesday and Wednesday, the opening session being Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A banquet, followed by a vaudeville entertainment, will be held Tuesday night. About 120 to 130 laundymen are expected.

George M. Strain of the Kimball Laundry company is president of the association. H. A. Jacobberger is secretary of the Omaha laundymen's association, which will provide for the entertainment of the visitors.

PROF. ROSS TO ADDRESS OMAHA BUSINESS MEN. Prof. E. A. Ross of the University of Wisconsin, formerly of the University of Nebraska, who will deliver an address next Saturday afternoon at the luncheon of the public affairs committee of the club, has written Chairman C. M. Wilhelm of the committee that his subject will be "Relation of the State University to the State Government." He will speak before the Fallstreet club Saturday evening.

A Life Sentence. Of suffering with throat and lung trouble is quickly continued by Dr. King's New Discovery. 5c and \$1.00. For sale by Boston Drug Co.

BLESSINGS NEVER COME SINGLY LET THE GOLD DUST TWINS DO YOUR WORK. Illustration of two children carrying a basket.

Gold Dust is a blessing to tired housewives. It relieves them of all of the hard part of housework, produces spick and span homes, and gives them more leisure for personal enjoyment.

If you are trying to keep house without Gold Dust, you are not taking advantage of modern methods. Get some system into your work, but let Gold Dust do all the hard part of the task. All you need to do is to direct it.

There are millions of women in America today who wouldn't give up the use of Gold Dust for anything. Are these women all wrong? If you want to get right, buy a package of Gold Dust today and join the million of happy housewives who

"Let the Gold Dust Twins do their work" Use Gold Dust for washing clothes and dishes, scrubbing floors, cleaning woodwork, oilcloth, silverware and tinware, polishing brasswork, cleaning bathroom pipes, refrigerators, etc., softening hard water and making the finest soft soap. Gold Dust is sold in 5c size and Large packages. The large package means greater economy. Made by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago. Makers of Fairy Soap (the oval cake).

HONOR PAID TO PATRON SAINT. Solemn High Mass Said in Sacred Heart Church for St. Patrick.

FATHER SMITH GIVES ADDRESS. Tells of Early Life of Saint and Impresses Upon His Hearers the Great Religious Work Done by Patrick.

For Patrick, patron saint of Ireland, solemn high mass was said yesterday morning at Sacred Heart church. Rev. C. Collins was celebrant, Rev. Thomas J. Smith deacon and Rev. P. J. Judge subdeacon. The sermon was preached by Rev. Father Smith, S. J., of Cleveland.

Patrick, patron saint of Ireland, was given to the Irish in his day," said Father Smith. "It remained through ages of persecution, and that same faith has come down to our own day. Other nations have had a day when faith flourished in their midst, but few nations have the record of tracing an unbroken steadfast faith back to the days of the first apostle who preached it to them. The day came in the history of most nations when faith was taken from them through the infidelity of their children. This can never be said of Ireland. Irish bishops and cardinals, Irish priests and nuns in every land of the world proclaim by their example that Patrick's faith is as strong today as it ever was."

Father Smith spoke of the beauties of faith, how when it is gone there is no hope, life becomes a riddle and mystery and grief and evil flourish.

Father Smith briefly told what is known of the early history of St. Patrick. From his native land, either in Gaul or in north Britain, he was taken when a boy as a slave into Ireland. After six years he returned to his home and studied for the priesthood. After many years of study he was consecrated bishop and was sent by Pope Celestine to convert the Irish people.

All nations honor their heroes, said Father Smith. They seek to immortalize them in bronze. These will stand for a time, but soon the pillars fall and the bronze tells no more the story of their lives. But if those lives are touched by God and religion their names are immortal. So it is with all God's saints, but most of all with the apostles. So it is with Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland and the Irish people.

"Through Patrick's prayers the faith in slavery among the Irish people is become so attached to them that later, when he became a minister in the church he returned to the scene of his early life and taught the word of God. In a little over twelve years he banished paganism and when he died, in the latter part of the fifth century, he was surrounded by a christian people. These great warriors, the Irish, were made christians without the shedding of a drop of blood.

Founded First Free School. "St. Patrick founded the first free school in Ireland. At this time these people were the most advanced in learning, and Irish teachers were in all parts of Europe spreading civilization and teaching the word of God.

"During the enforcement of the penal laws thousands of people left Ireland for this country bringing with them the faith taught them by St. Patrick. On the way hundreds died, all eagerly giving up their lives that the light of God might shine in the hearts of the Irish people forever. This was the greatest light that has ever shone upon the people of the world, and we of today should join forces to keep this light brightly burning."

Death on the Gallows. Is sharp, short agony. The lame back of kidney trouble is daily misery. Take Electric Bitters for quick relief. 5c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

Key to the Situation—Bee Advertising. PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Rome Miller has gone to Battle Creek, Mich.

A Case of "Have-to" What Thinking Takes Out of Brains must be Put Back by Food. A trial will prove its worth to the user of Grape-Nuts. "There's a Reason" Postum Cereal Company, Limited, Battle Creek, Michigan.