

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It. Jeff W. Bedford for commissioner. Adv. Alfred Sorenson for city commissioner. Adv. Electric Coffee Percolator—Burgess-Graden Company. F. E. Tucker, republican candidate for senate. Bell phone "Florence 344." Adv. Vote for Goodley F. Brunker for Commissioner under the Commission Form of Government.—Adv.

Room is Ransacked—Israel Gershaber, 602 North Sixteenth street, reported to the police that a suit of clothes and some small change had been stolen from his room.

Fitzgard Loses Money—While Thomas Fitzgard of 2909 Sherman avenue was absent from his room Tuesday someone broke into his trunk and took \$30 cashed there.

To Compete for Program—Musical competition for the 1912 Omaha High school commencement exercises will be held May 4, according to plans announced by Miss Mary Sullivan, head of the English literature department. The place for the contest has not yet been decided upon.

More Petitions Filed—E. A. Clark, Henry Schroeder and D. W. McVea have filed for commissioner, making seventy-six who have filed, although three of them—Fred M. Schroeder, Frederick Miller and J. H. Bennett—have withdrawn from the race. P. J. Creedon, Dr. Joseph F. Nares, A. J. Hilldinger, Mat Kettleman and M. Rosenblatt took out petitions today. This raises the number of petitions now out to 152.

POLICE CAPTURE A MAN ROBBING GROCERY STORE

John Mullen, 1566 North Eighteenth street, was caught last night in the act of robbing the C. Peterson grocery store at Twentieth and Clark streets by Detectives Paffilo, McDonald and Emery. Neighbors saw him smash a rear window and they immediately called the police. When the officers arrived Mullen had a quantity of chewing gum and tobacco and was rifling the cash register, which contained but a few pennies. At the station Mullen feigned drunkenness and pretended that he did not know what he was doing. Mullen was discharged by Judge Foster, after learning that he was a paralytic.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Warm Fight Among Democrats Over Treasurer Gillin.

QUEENAN STARTS BIG RUMPUSS

Call for Help Sent to Omaha by the Demoralized Machine—Pivonka's Pushes Old Claims to the Front.

With the Good-Gillin machine wabbling because of an overload of dead freight there appears to be little doubt today that the old gang in the city hall will be cleaned out from top to bottom.

Gillin is making a desperate fight and is willing to sacrifice any one and anything in order to win out. His past record for treachery to his own mates has antagonized powerful local leaders and there is every indication that the democrats will turn in a body to the support of John Gibble, who is the democratic candidate for treasurer on the citizens' progressive ticket.

William Queenan, one of the lieutenants of Omaha leaders, is out in war paint for Giffin's scalp. Several years ago when Queenan was tax commissioner Giffin started a fight on him for the custody of the commissioner's books. Later Giffin reversed himself and insisted that the present tax commissioner, Jerry Fitzgerald, should vacate the use of the treasurer's office. Now both Queenan and Fitzgerald are out with their friends to get the scalp of the treasurer.

That Giffin recognizes his desperate straits was evidenced day before yesterday when he sent a call for help to a democratic leader in Omaha. The leader, who has a big following down here, is understood to have recalled the fact that Giffin refused to help McShane last fall. Giffin's appeal was denied and he must now fight alone.

Queenan, in discussing the matter, said yesterday: "Every real democrat in town will vote for John Gibble in place of Giffin, who has put the success of the whole ticket in jeopardy by his official conduct." Frank Good, who felt sure and safe in his tieup with Giffin, is beginning to look askance at the alliance and war in that section is imminent.

Pivonka Unchanged. While the republicans were preaching their platform of honesty and efficiency to a meeting of the residents in the vicinity of Twenty-fifth and P streets last night, Fire and Police Commissioner Joe Pivonka was assuring a crowd of democrats at Thirty-sixth and U streets that

If elected he would perform in the same manner as he had done in the last two years.

Pivonka told the democrats present that he was out for Ryan and that if the democrats did not vote for Ryan they need not vote for him.

The effect of Pivonka's speech on the other candidates was apparent in the wry smiles with which the words of the speaker were received. Later the discomfiture was increased when John Franek took the floor to address the meeting. His words lacked their usual vigor and there was little response from the hearers.

The most noteworthy feature of the meeting, however, was the absence of Treasurer John Giffin. This was formerly a Giffin territory, but the suave treasurer had evidently learned of his present unpopularity in that section and deferred his visit to a more auspicious date.

Political Club Meeting. The colored political and social club held a rousing meeting last night at 206 North Twenty-sixth street. Over 200 members were present under the chairmanship of W. L. Sawyer, who introduced the candidates of the republican and citizens' tickets.

The meeting was full of interest and after listening to the candidates and Mayor J. J. Trainor, the meeting adjourned until Friday night, when the club will vote on the endorsement of candidates to be supported by the members. The club is a permanent organization and the members expressed their interest in the coming fall election. S. L. Arvin acted as secretary of the meeting.

Farmer Injured. Projected headlong from his wagon which was standing at Twenty-fifth and N streets yesterday evening, Peter Lazarowicz, a farmer residing in Sarpy county just south of Thirty-sixth street, suffered a severe blow on the head and a fracture of the left ankle.

Lazarowicz was standing upright in the wagon when his horse took fright. The sudden jolt threw him out on the pavement and the wagon passed over his left leg.

He was attended by Dr. A. H. Koenig who sent him to the South Omaha hospital.

Republican Platform. The republicans of South Omaha have pledged a platform with a foundation of bluffs for a better, cleaner and more business-like municipal government. The platform follows:

Honesty and efficiency in all departments.

We pledge a cleaner and more competent government for South Omaha.

We pledge a rigid economy in every department of the city.

We pledge emancipation from the bondage of contractor domination.

We pledge a clean, honest, sober and square fire and police department.

We pledge a more rigid inspection of all material and methods of laying pavements and that the people shall denounce the material without interference of contractors or politicians.

We pledge the adoption of such a system of bookkeeping as will protect the interests of all taxpayers.

We pledge that every citizen of our city shall have the right to vote for who he pleases and have the vote counted without going to court to have this right established.

At the meeting of the campaign committee of the citizens' progressive party held last night at their headquarters, the charges made in the World-Herald reflecting upon the personality and competency of present city attorney Henry C. Murphy, seeking to discredit him and to create a false impression that his indorsement has caused some members of said party to lose interest in the work undertaken by them, met with a vigorous expression of disapproval, which culminated in the passage of the following resolution:

We take this occasion to make public announcement of the fact that Mr. Murphy's indorsement for city attorney went to him unsolicited and in response to the fact that his management of the legal affairs of the city for the last two years warrants the highest commendations at the hands of all good citizens, and that we denounce this malicious and unwarranted attack as being an attempt on the part of certain people in the gang seeking to revenge the city attorney because of his fearless stance as city attorney on all matters affecting the public welfare and rights of the taxpayers.

Signed: CITIZENS' COMMITTEE.

Magie City Gossip. Wednesday is bargain day at Flynn's. Open in the evening.

Bob S. Goldstrom is understood to be out of the city for the present.

Frank Purdy and Chauncey Mann of Lincoln were the week-end guests of friends here.

Mrs. McDonald of Tekamah is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Marsh, 220 S street.

Miss Hatch, 432 South Thirtieth street, will entertain the Brown Park Ladies' Aid society this afternoon.

The Woodmen of the World drill team 211 will give a box social and dance this evening at Odd Fellows' hall.

The young people of the Leifer Memorial church, Fifteenth and Madison streets, will give an Old Folks' concert Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. H. Rothkopf has returned from the Nebraska sanatorium, where she has been for the last month.

Henry Jensen, 345 N street, South Omaha, died yesterday. Mr. Jensen was 33 years old. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

South Omaha Camp No. 211, Woodmen of the World degree team, will entertain at a box social Wednesday evening for friends and members at Odd Fellows' hall.

The Kensington circle of the South Omaha Grove No. 10, Woodmen Circle, will entertain this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Franz Dolesol, 81 North Twenty-second street.

'Tis a new gay bonnet. With a flower garden on it. Just brought from Ryan's store; Wear it Easter Sunday. It will, I know, become thee. 'Tis the style your mother wore.

Girl Refuses to Go Home to Her Parents. Juvenile court officials received a telegram Monday from the parents of Miss Eva Hubert of Waterloo, Ia., saying their 17-year-old daughter has run away from home and was going to Denver to get married.

"Get her to come back," was the final plea of the parents.

Probation Officer Carver met the train on which the girl was supposed to be. Without difficulty he found her, a pretty, obstinate little girl who quietly informed him that he could send her back if he wanted to, but she would run away again.

"You see I met him frequently for eight months. He's a fine man and I'm going to marry him. I'm 17 years old and if I don't get married this year I will next; so there."

Carver argued but finally succumbed to the tears of the pretty girl and told her to go on and get married and sent his congratulations to the "fine man."

Frightful Pains. In the stomach, torpid liver, lame back and weak kidneys are soon relieved by Electric Bitters. Guaranteed. 50c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

KARBACH BEFORE THE JURY

He Tells of Methods Employed by Fire and Police Board.

ENTIRE BODY IS SUBPOENAED

Board and Mayor Will Be Questioned at Today's Session, Following Up Information Given by Karbach.

Member Karbach of the fire and police board was haled before the grand jury yesterday morning and questioned as to his knowledge of methods employed within the inner circle of that body.

Information secured from him by the jury is the basis of a general summons to all members of the board, including Mayor Dahlman, to appear this morning to answer Karbach's testimony.

Mr. Karbach spent considerable of the morning with the jury, and after adjournment it was stated that he was questioned about the purchase of supplies and equipment. Purchases which the board is authorized to make include costly fire apparatus, police equipment and the like.

Long Sustained Activity. The belief prevails among those who kept close tab on things municipal that Karbach's appearance follows the general and more or less specific charges he has made from time to time against the fire and police board.

In this connection he was prominent early last year when Chief Donahue was tried on a charge of failure to enforce the liquor law. Karbach has made charges freely and without restriction, the result being that he has had tiffs with other officials. At one time he and the mayor had a lively encounter.

Face is Slackened. The jury took a recess at the close of the morning session and will not reconvene until this morning. It is said that it is the intention of the jury to hold light sessions from now on until after the coming primaries. This would indicate that there will not be an early adjournment.

Peters Has New Alfalfa Mill

M. C. Peters, head of the Peters Milling company, has perfected a machine for the milling of alfalfa, and he is having a working model made by Paxton & Vierling. Mr. Peters says that the new machine cuts alfalfa in such a manner as to make it a granular meal instead of pulverized dust, as do most of the alfalfa milling machines. Alfalfa cut on Mr. Peters' machine is said to be more a cereal than anything else and it makes a much better feed for chickens and stock than the pulverized stuff. Mr. Peters intends to establish a number of alfalfa mills in Nebraska and Wyoming.

SHERIFF'S MEN RAID DISORDERLY HOUSE

Deputy sheriffs raided Flossie May's place at 839 North Sixteenth street last Tuesday night and arrested three women and one man, all of whom were charged with being inmates of a disorderly house. The proprietress was not arrested because she could not be found when the raid was made.

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JOHN FRANEK IS INDICTED

South Omaha Council President Held for Liquor Violation.

BROTHER MEMBER GIVES BOND

This is First of Several Indictments Expected and Action Has Demoralized Machine of Which He is Head.

John Franek, democratic president of the South Omaha city council and member from the Second ward has been indicted by the grand jury. The indictment is in the charge of illegal sale of liquor on August 15, primary day. The papers were served Tuesday night and Wednesday morning Franek appeared to give bonds. Bond was furnished by Matt Peterson, democratic councilman for the Sixth ward.

This is the first of the indictments expected in South Omaha and the news has demoralized the local democratic machine of which Franek is one of the pillars. The indictment is a direct reflection on the fire and police board which had knowledge of the case last August, but refused to consider the same after Franek had been tried and acquitted on a similar charge.

Violates Liquor Law. Franek runs a saloon at Twentieth and S streets and it was charged that he openly sold liquor on primary day last August. The case was brought before the Fire and Police board for trial, but that body refused to consider the matter alleging that the dismissal of a previous similar charge had closed the matter. News of the indictment spread rapidly and the gang that has controlled for so long were plainly downcast.

The report of grand jury action caused considerable uneasiness among

Omaha Ad Men to Go to Dallas Meeting

The eighth annual convention of the National Association of Ad clubs of America will be held at Dallas, Tex., beginning May 13 and lasting for over a week. The "100 to Dallas club" of Omaha is making arrangements to attend the convention in a body, and are a large number of other Omaha business men.

The Omaha delegation will leave Saturday morning, May 18, and will arrive at Dallas the following morning. The following committee has charge of the

BLUFFS AUTHORITIES THINK ATKINSON'S NEPHEW HERE

James P. Atkinson, who died in the Jennie Edmondson Memorial hospital in Council Bluffs early Monday morning, is believed to have a nephew in Omaha. Atkinson was injured in falling over a stairway banister in the State hotel Saturday night about 11 o'clock.

The body is at Culler's morgue in Council Bluffs waiting for a relative to claim it.

Atkinson was 64 years old, unmarried, and worked for a railroad contractor in western Canada for the last three summers, and came to Council Bluffs for the winter months.

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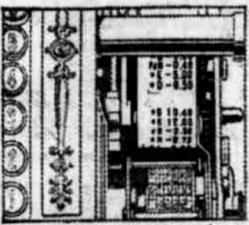
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