

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print In Electric Fans—Burgess-Graden Co. Black-Falconer Co., 24th and Harney, undertakers, embalmers, Douglas 27. Omaha Flating Co.—Established 1858, D. 2535. Walter G. Clark Co.—Sporting goods of all kinds New location, 1408 Harney. Glen Gordon Plonto—Krug park, Saturday, August 3. Games start at 2 o'clock. Everybody come. Fined for Running Fence—William T. Whelan, 3331 South Twenty-fourth street, was fined \$15 and costs in police court for receiving stolen property. Two Divorce Suits Filed—Otto L. Ehlers has started suit for divorce against Minnie E. Ehlers. Mable Boyer has started a divorce suit against Willie A. Boyer. Bowling Alleys to Open—An informal opening of the association bowling alleys, 1313 Harney street, will be held this evening. The El Paso three men team will roll a picked team. Sues Street Car Company—Dora A. Hill, who was injured in a street car accident at Thirty-third and California streets a year ago, has started suit for \$10,000 damages against the street railway company. K. of C. Go to Convention—A special train of seven cars loaded with Knights of Columbus will go west over the Burlington Sunday afternoon en route from Chicago to Colorado Springs, where the national convention will be held next week. Funeral of Galligan Saturday—The funeral of W. H. Galligan, 264 Binney street, who died Wednesday, will be held this morning from the residence to the Sacred Heart church. Burial will be made in St. Mary's cemetery, South Omaha. Kuhns Buys Central Apartments—While Paul W. Kuhns, secretary and treasurer of the Conservative Savings and Loan association, is away on his vacation a deed has been filed turning over to him the Central apartments at Eighteenth and St. Mary's avenue. He paid Mrs. May Soderberg \$23,000 for the property before he left. Many Building Permits Issued—Building permits issued by the city building inspection department for July number 173, and are for buildings that will cost a total of \$569,829. This is against 117 permits issued last year for \$1,254,025, the Woodmen of the World building last year making the sum larger than this year. The total amount spent for new buildings, alterations and repairs to August 2 this year amounts to \$2,877,599, against \$3,722,533 for the same period in 1911.

Cheerful Hymie Dies in Hospital

Hymie Bialac, 8 years of age, the pet of two Omaha hospitals, died yesterday morning at the Wise Memorial hospital after suffering almost all of his life from an incurable stomach disorder and hip disease. Little Hymie was known to thousands of persons all over the west who had been at either the Wise Memorial or St. Joseph's hospital, and all remember him as the ray of sunshine that comforted during their illness. He was taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bialac, 2908 Patrick avenue, and will be buried tomorrow in the Jewish cemetery. Three years ago Mr. Bialac took his child to St. Joseph's hospital for care after physicians had told him of the hopelessness of the child's trouble and recently he was transferred to the Wise Memorial hospital. He was able to get around in his little wheel chair, however, and nurses say that his cheerful face and clever sayings did more to hasten the recovery of patients than any medicine ever prescribed. Every patient received a visit nearly every morning from little Hymie and his own troubles were never as bad as those of some other patient suffering from nothing more than indigestion. A year ago when a prominent San Francisco judge was suddenly seized with an attack of appendicitis and taken to the Wise Memorial hospital, Hymie was his constant companion. When the judge recovered it was only the refusal of the parents that prevented his adoption. The nurses at Wise Memorial are wearing crepe today for their little charge and a flower fund has been raised to show the lad's parents the esteem in which he was held.

Pluski Owes Omaha 360 Days Hard Labor

John Pluski, vagrant, who since Commissioner Ryder's "clean city" rule has been in effect has escaped two times from the street gang, was arrested last night by Patrolmen Goodrich and Pismowski on a charge of suspicious character and again lodged in jail. Pluski already owes the city of Omaha 360 days of hard labor on the streets. He was first arrested a month and a half ago by Patrolman Ferris upon a charge of vagrancy. An acting police judge gave him ninety days. In some manner he secured release and a few days later was arrested and sentenced to ninety days more, making 180. Then the "clean city" rule was put into effect and he was given a broom and told to sweep. He evidently misunderstood the word "sweep" for "struck" for he had not been out more than an hour before he "struck." A charge of drunkenness was lodged against him when he was arrested again and ninety days was his sentence and he was again given a broom. Five days ago he took his broom and shovel and fled. The broom was found in an alley and the shovel recovered from a pawnshop where Pluski had secured the price of a drink on it. Ninety days was his portion when found again and the result was another escape. Last night he was arrested, and in all probability this time he will be given another ninety-day sentence and the opportunity to work out all of the back pay that is coming to the city.

Confectionery Store Suffers Loss by Fire

Nearly fifteen gallons of ice cream was melted and was spoiled last night and nearly \$50 worth of confectionery and fruits destroyed when fire broke out in a rear room of the Daltell confectionery store at 1324 Cuming street at 1 o'clock last night. The entire loss is estimated at about \$300. Fire company No. 5 responded and after a fight of nearly an hour had the blaze under control. The origin of the fire is unknown. Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

WOMEN FILL MANY PULPITS

Besides Preaching, They Are Prominent in Reform Work. SOME PIONEERS STILL ACTIVE. More Than 2,500 Women Now Preach in This Country, and the Number is Still Growing. Women preachers were few a generation ago. Their number has increased in recent years with the invasion of all fields of business and professional life by women until now there are in the United States more than 2,500 ordained women preachers. For the most part they belong to the liberal denominations. The Unitarian and Universalist faiths claim the majority of them. Several have been ordained in the Methodist and Congregational churches. Women in the pulpit are positively forbidden in the Catholic, Episcopal and Lutheran churches. Many of these women preachers have gained a national and some an international reputation. One of the most widely known of them is the Rev. Caroline Bartlett Crane of Kalamazoo, Mich., who preaches not only the creed of the Unitarian church, but also the gospel of civic cleanliness and who believes that a clean city is on the way to be a moral one. So successful has she been in preaching the latter gospel that her reputation is now international. Mrs. Crane was born in Hudson, Wis., about fifty-five years ago, and in all these years she has as she expresses it herself, been "doing things." After leaving the city schools she was graduated from Carthage college in Illinois and later took a post graduate course at the University of Chicago. In 1879 she took up teaching and for five years followed that calling. Then newspaper work claimed her attention, and after working as a reporter she became the city editor of a small weekly paper in Wisconsin. From newspaper work she went to the ministry, and after her ordination became the pastor of All Souls church at Sioux Falls, S. D. She preached on Sundays and did newspaper work during the week. From Sioux Falls she went to Oshkosh, Wis., for a short time and then to Kalamazoo to take charge of the First Unitarian church. Arriving at Kalamazoo she found only a handful of people in her new church. She began the work of building up her congregation, and so well did she succeed that soon a new church was needed and erected. Then in 1893 she established the People's church, a creedless, institutional organization in which she was ordained "pastor of liberal religion." The underlying principle of the church is personal and civic betterment, and in order to interest people and educate them she established classes in manual training, a gymnasium and domestic science classes, which taught marketing, house-keeping and sewing. These classes were so successful that they were incorporated in the Kalamazoo public school system. After three years of successful pastoring she was married to Dr. A. W. Crane, a physician of Kalamazoo, and together they continued the work. With her church well established Mrs. Crane turned her attention to cleaning up the town and started various municipal reforms. One day she photographed a number of bacily scenes and then in a lecture in her church showed the pictures on the screen. Inside of twenty-four hours there was a general cleaning of back yards in town. Then hotels, business places and public institutions were investigated, the waste of the organized charities was stopped and sanitary conditions were improved. A new savings bank was organized and soon Kalamazoo became a model town. Fight for Ment Inspection. Mrs. Crane and some of the other leading women of Kalamazoo investigated the slaughter houses of the town and did not like what they saw. Finding the same conditions in Lansing, Grand Rapids and other towns of the state Mrs. Crane had a bill introduced in the state legislature to remedy matters. Hearing one night that the bill was about to be defeated she got out of bed, dressed and took a train for Lansing, writing on the way thither a statement of the reasons for the bill should be passed. In the morning she had the statement printed and saw that a copy was laid on the desk of each legislator. Getting the privilege of the floor she spoke for her own bill, the result being that it passed. It is 16, and Kalamazoo got meat inspection. This made her famous, and soon other cities began asking for her advice in regard to questions of municipal house-cleaning, and now hardly a week passes but she travels to some city to study its needs. Recently, speaking in Chicago, she denounced the unsanitary conditions of the tenement districts of the large cities. With all her work for civic reform she keeps up her preaching, and last year she preached in several pulpits abroad. First Still Active. The first woman to become a minister in the United States was the Rev. Antoinette Blackwell, who was ordained in the Congregational church in 1833. Later, she changed her faith and became a Unitarian and now preaches once a month in All Souls church at Elizabeth, N. J. Antoinette Louise Brown was born in Henrietta, N. Y. After her graduation from Oberlin College she determined to become a minister and asked to be enrolled as a student in the Oberlin Theological Seminary. The professors opposed her on account of her sex, but she won her point, and in 1848 preached her first sermon in her native town. Her first church was at South Butler, N. Y. She was married to Dr. Samuel Blackwell. Although the mother of several children and the wife of a busy physician she still continued to preach, and now, at the age of 87 years, is as interested and active in her church work as she was years ago. She is an ardent believer in votes for women. Two other successful preachers are the Rev. Marion Murdock, and the Rev. Florence Buck, who have the joint pastorate of the First Unitarian Church in Oshkosh, Wis., which was formerly presided over by Mrs. Crane. At one time Mrs. Buck was the pastor of Unity Unitarian Church of Chicago. Where Some Noted Work. Chicago has only one woman preacher just now, the Rev. Rowena Morse, who has charge of the Third Unitarian Church. Des Moines, Ia., has two women preachers to its credit, the Rev. Mary A. Stafford and the Rev. Eleanor E. Gordon. Dr. Stafford, who has been a minister for over thirty years, has built up a number of churches and for twelve years has had charge of the First Unitarian Church of Des Moines. She is president of the Iowa Association of Unitarian Ministers,

Men's Business \$13.50 and Outing Suits.. 13

Men's and youths' summer suits that formerly sold up to \$20.00, comprising blue serges, cassimeres, chevviots, flannels and mohairs. All sizes—regulars, stouts, longs; full and half lined.

Men's Business and Outing Suits That formerly sold for \$25.00 and \$30.00, reduced to \$17.00

Men's and Youths' Fine Business Suits That formerly sold for \$12.50, including all small lots, that sold for \$15.00, cassimeres and chevviots, You will find blue serge, \$8.75 in all sizes, at

Men's Fine Blue Serge Suits High grade pure worsted American Serge, guaranteed fast color, Cool and comfortable, at \$10.00

Boys' 75c Summer Blouses, standing golf collars 44c Boys' \$1.50 Wash Suits all sizes, Saturday, for 95c Children's \$1.00 Straw Hats reduced to 45c

Men's Fine Worsteds Trousers \$3.50, \$2.50 Light and dark colored worsteds, fancy mixtures and plain colors, all sizes up to 52 waist measure.

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Choice of any Straw Hat in our store—worth up to \$3; Saturday, for 95c

Choice of our Fancy Summer Shirts, \$1 grades, Saturday—44c

Choice of our \$1.00 and \$1.25 Union Suits, ankle or knee length; Saturday, 66c

Choice of our 75c and 50c Fancy Silk Four-in-Hands Saturday—12 1/2c

Choice of 50c Silk Hosiery for men, all colors, all sizes; Saturday—25c

Choice of our 35c and 25c Belts for Men and Boys Saturday—15c

Choice of our \$1.00 and \$1.25 genuine B. V. D. Athletic Undershirts—sale men's samples; Saturday—37 1/2c

Choice of our \$1.50 and \$1.25 Negligee summer shirts Saturday—66c

Choice of several hundred dozen 12 1/2c Seamless Sox Saturday—5c

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

School Board and City Treasurer Differ Over Funds.

SCHOOL BUILDING IS STOPPED

Work on Corrigan School Ceases Because Gillin Will Not Pay Warrant—Burglar Caught Looting House at Avery.

Although the school authorities assert that there is nearly \$10,000 of school money upon deposit in the outgoing fund of the school district, Treasurer John Gillin has refused to cash a warrant for \$300 drawn to John Winters, contractor, for the new Corrigan school addition. As a result Winters has stopped work upon the building and it is quite probable that the building will not be ready before late fall. The case has been placed in the hands of Attorney A. C. Pancoast of the school board and Gillin will probably be mandamus to honor the warrant drawn to Winters upon the school building fund. Gillin is, moreover, in danger of being sued upon his bond for the damages sustained by the school district through the delay caused by the suspension of building operations by the contractor, it is said. The work upon the new addition to the Corrigan school was suspended last Saturday after the treasurer had refused to cash a warrant drawn on the building fund for \$500. Interviewed upon the matter, Secretary of the School Board James Sullivan refused to discuss the affair at all, saying it had been placed in the hands of the attorney for the school board. It is asserted that the treasurer claims that the outstanding warrants against the school fund should be cashed before that of the building fund. Those who should know say that the treasurer keeps all the school money in one fund, while others say that there is actually \$19,000 on deposit in the Live Stock bank

at 2 per cent, while the school district is being made to pay 6 per cent for registered warrants that could not be cashed for lack of money. It is understood that the school board will have something to say to the treasurer as soon as President E. R. Leigh has returned from his vacation.

Caught Robbing House. Lawrence Howe a 17-year-old wayfarer from Auburn, N. Y., was arrested Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock at Avery while rifling the house of Mrs. George Mitchell. Sheriff Grant Chase made the arrest after a record run in an automobile from Papillion to Avery. Howe, who says he came from Auburn, N. Y., was seen entering the house while Mrs. Mitchell was in the field nearby. The woman attracted the attention of George Merriam of the Avery brick yards, who called the police. Howe was so leisurely carrying out the ransacking of the Mitchell home that he was still engaged at the work when Sheriff Chase arrived after a twenty minutes' run to Avery from Papillion.

Mrs. Marie Adam Dead. Mrs. Marie Adam, wife of Rev. M. Adam, for twenty-one years pastor of the German Lutheran church in South Omaha, died yesterday morning in the Methodist hospital in Omaha, where she underwent a surgical operation recently. Mrs. Adam was well known and respected in South Omaha in the western section of the city, where she made her home at Twenty-ninth and S streets. She is survived by her husband and three children, Theodore Adam of Morse Bluffs, Neb., and two daughters. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the German Lutheran church, where the funeral services will be conducted by Revs. J. P. Mueller of Norfolk, E. J. Trese and E. T. Otto of Omaha. Interment will be made in the Laurel Hill cemetery.

Magie City Gossip. For Rent—Two rooms, furnished, for light housekeeping, 622 North 23d St. Frank Bates leaves the last of this week for an extended visit through the west. John Ridgeway returned Thursday from

a short visit with his grandparents at Nevada, Ia.

Mrs. C. H. Lee left Thursday for a six weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. C. Nelson, at Aurora, Neb.

The Central Labor league held a meeting last night at the Republican club rooms, Twenty-fourth and M streets.

Mrs. Henry Schmeling was called to La Crosse, Wis., yesterday by the dangerous illness of her aunt, Mrs. John Trepleau.

South Omaha Central Labor union will meet this evening at the Republican club rooms. Election of officers takes place at this meeting.

Miss Blanche Powers, who has been a guest at the home of her uncle, D. Robinson, left Wednesday for Emerson, Ia., to visit with friends.

The women of the First Methodist church will hold an ice cream social on the church lot, Twenty-fifth and E streets, this evening.

Mrs. C. L. Bennett and daughter, Miss Hazel, of Alliance, Neb., while en route to Kansas City, are guests at the home of Mrs. A. D. Mandes.

Sheriff W. J. McKee of Atlantic, Ia., was in town yesterday to look up the record of Holland A. Hart, recently accused of forging checks. McKee says the same charge rests against Hart in Iowa.

After a runaway trip to Gretna Wednesday night, Emma Techodnice and Bessie O'Brien, two 17-year-olds of this city, have been brought back by Sheriff Grant Chase of Sarpy.

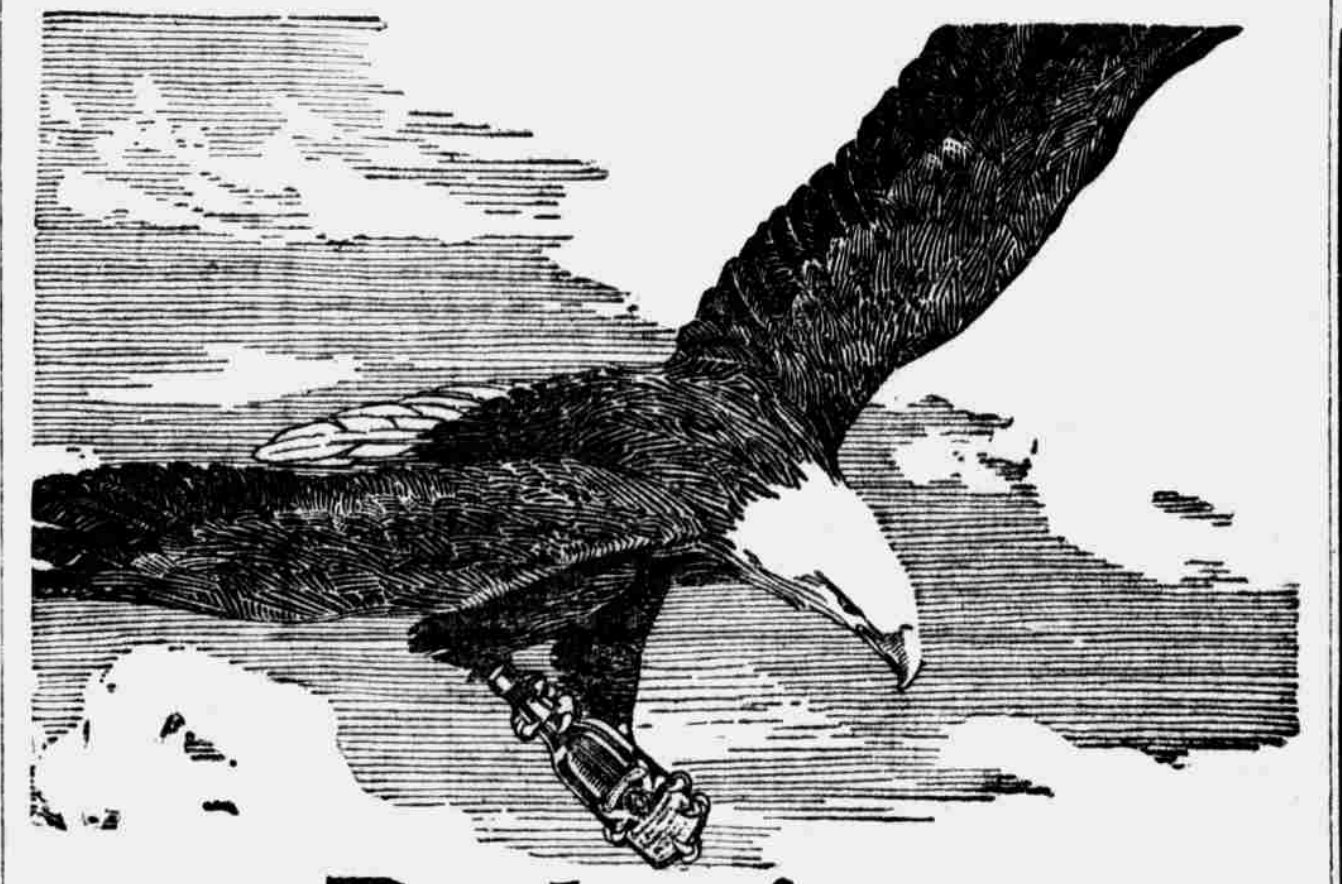
Judge George Collins is entertaining his mother, Mrs. H. Collins, and his sister, Mrs. L. P. Collins of Los Angeles. The visitors are stopping at the home of the justice, 294 North Twentieth street.

Mrs. Ira P. Kight, 306 North Twenty-fourth street, is much improved and is able to be out again after a long illness.

The marriage of Miss Olga Wepquist of Omaha to Edward C. Harris of this place was solemnized Wednesday evening at the home of Rev. R. L. Wheeler, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Mr. Harris is engineer at Hinchey's laundry. Miss Wepquist is one of Omaha's popular young women. They will be at home to their friends at 720 North Twenty-fifth street, South Omaha.

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It is going to be Bargain Day in the Big Jewelry Store Saturday Shipment just in. Prices hammered down to introduce this new and beautiful service. One Day Only Casseroles, regular prices \$8.00 to \$10.00; price Saturday, \$4.75 Pie Plates, regular prices \$4 to \$5; Saturday, \$1.95 At the Sign of the Crown up the Golden Stairs Fred Brodegaard Jewelry Co. 201-203-205-207 South 10th St. Corner Douglas St.

FOLLOWS MAN ON HUNGH; CATCHES HIM STEALING

Charles Smith, better known as "Blippy," was arrested by Officer Walker in the Brandeis street yesterday afternoon as he was making away with a meat bag and a dozen handkerchiefs that he found lying on one of the counters. Walker, who was at one time a detective, saw "Blippy" enter the store. His eighth instinct was aroused and he tracked down the rear and caught him in the act.

DETECTIVES INTERRUPT BRISK POKER GAME THEY SAY

Police detectives closed the pool hall at 124 North Fifteenth street, operated by C. J. Anderson, last night and five inmates were taken behind the proprietor. The police say that their arrival interrupted a lively poker game.