

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Stack-Falconer Co., Undertakers. Have Boot Print It—Now Beacon Press Lighting fixtures, Burgess-Granden Co. Bailey the Dentist, City Nat'l B. 1265. The Nebraska Savings and Loan Ass'n offers a safe and profitable plan to help you save. 1005 Farnam street.

Judge at New York Flower Show—J. J. Hess of Hess & Swoboda has been appointed one of the judges at the N. Y. Flower show that is to take place in that city from April 5 to 12.

Sutherland Fined \$50—Billy Sutherland, whose place was watched for six hours Saturday night before entrance was gained by the police sergeants, was fined \$50 and costs by Police Magistrate Foster on the charge of conducting a disorderly house at 111 South Twelfth street.

Ready Men to Banquet—The annual banquet of the Real Estate exchange will be given in the University club rooms Friday evening, February 22. The dinner will be the finest the exchange has ever given. Plates will be \$2 each.

Block Changes Hand—The three-story brick building on Sixteenth and Ohio streets, known as the Erling block, has been sold to Joseph Barker by M. Kulakofsky and A. Muskin. The new owner will improve the property.

Interparochial Services—The third of the series of interparochial services which are being held during Lent will be at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Twentieth and Ohio streets, on Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Rev. A. G. A. Burton, S. T. D., rector of St. Paul's church, Council Bluffs, will be the preacher.

Omaha Boy to Speak Here—G. Frank Shelby, western secretary of the National Brotherhood of St. Andrew, will pass through Omaha Friday enroute from Boston to Denver, and will stop long enough to make two addresses. He will lecture at Trinity cathedral at noon on "Prayer Made Practical," and in the evening on "The Parish of the Future." Mr. Shelby is an Omaha boy.

Commissioners Invited to Talk—City commissioners will be invited to make speeches before the Economic league, explaining what they want in the way of legislation and what ought to be done to increase the efficiency of their work. They will also be asked what they are now doing. The plan of the league is to have one commissioner speak at each meeting and permit a general discussion on what he says.

To Standardize Mail Cars—F. D. Johnston, assistant superintendent of the Fourteenth division of the railway mail service, has gone to St. Louis for a meeting of the committee on the standardization of the railway mail cars. Mr. Johnston is one of a committee of three men of the railway mail service who are serving on this committee. Their work has resulted in the recommendation of standard, all-steel mail cars, a number of which have already been constructed, and ten of which have already been placed in the service in this division.

FORMER SECRETARY SHAW IN OMAHA ON BUSINESS

Leslie M. Shaw came over from Des Moines to look after some private business. While here he took occasion to remark that there is nothing new with reference to the Atlantic, North & South road. He added that he hoped the line would get out of its financial tangle, but could not say when this would occur.

Don't You Believe It. Some say that certain constipation cannot be cured. Don't you believe it. Chamberlain's Tablets have cured others—why not you? Give them a trial. They cost only a quarter. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

Nebraskans at the Hotels. J. L. Keller of Wood Lake, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Rough of Nehawka, L. A. Winslow of Columbus and Mrs. W. R. Shabel of Elmwood are at the Merchants. W. B. Woolfender of Gering and E. Giffany of Columbus are staying at the Henshaw. G. B. Hood of Nehawka and C. P. Pinnes of Grand Island are stopping at the Millard. J. T. Johnson of Fremont and George Wagner of Beatrice are at the Loyal.

MAKES YOUR BACKACHE QUICKLY DISAPPEAR

A Few Doses Relieves All Such Miseries. Bladder Weakness, Kidney Trouble and Rheumatism Promptly Vanish.

It is no longer necessary for any one to suffer with backache, kidney trouble, have disagreeable bladder and urinary disorders to contend with or to be tortured with rheumatism, stiff joints, and its heart-wrenching pains, for the new discovery, Croxone, quickly and surely relieves all such troubles.

Croxone is the most wonderful remedy yet devised for ridding the system of uric acid and driving out all the poisonous impurities which cause such troubles. It is entirely different from all other remedies. It is not like anything else ever used for the purpose. It acts on the principle of cleaning out the system and removing the cause.

It soaks right in through the walls, membranes and linings, like water in a sponge, neutralizes, dissolves, and makes the kidneys sift out and filter away, all the uric acid and poisons from the blood, and leaves the kidneys and urinary organs clean, strong, healthy and well.

It matters not how long you have suffered, how old you are, or what you have used, the very principle of Croxone is such that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. There is nothing else on earth like it. It starts to work the minute you take it and relieves you the first time you use it.

If you suffer with pains in your back, and sides, or have any signs of kidney, bladder troubles, or rheumatism, such as puffy swellings under the eyes or in the feet and ankles, if you are nervous, tired, and run down, or bothered with urinary disorders, Croxone will quickly relieve you of your misery. You can secure an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally test the purchase price if it falls in a 10-cent case.

CO A POUND IS WHAT WE CHARGE FOR FAMILY WASHING. KIMBALL LAUNDRY. The "washword" of the Home.

HILL LINE LETS CONTRACT

Orin Junction to Be Built as Soon as Spring Opens.

TO GIVE MORE DIRECT ROUTE

Omaha May Be Benefited by the Construction of This Shorter Line into the Big Horn Basin Country.

The statement is made public that the contract for grading the Burlington line from Powell River to Orin Junction, Wyo., has been let and that work will begin with the first approach of spring.

The grading contract, aggregating approximately \$1,000,000, has been awarded to Twohy Bros. of Tacoma, Wash., who will be on the job as soon after spring comes as they can assemble their forces. It is understood that the 100 or more miles will be completed before next winter. The new line will follow the North-western, passing through generally a level country, much of which is almost a water grade.

The completion of this cut-off on the Burlington will give it a direct line to the north Pacific coast, and it is said it will be the road's main line between Chicago and Seattle. It is expected that most of the coast business will be routed through Omaha.

When the Burlington's Powell River cut-off is in operation it is said the routing of business from Chicago will follow the main line into Omaha, which will be made a more important point on the system than ever before. From here the coast trains will run to Cheyenne and thence over the Colorado & Southern to Orin Junction, and from there to Laurel, Mont., where they will be taken over by the Northern Pacific and carried on to Portland, Tacoma and Seattle.

Water Board Members Lobbying at Lincoln

Evidently Commissioner R. B. Howell has decided to make other members of the Water board share with him the burden of lobbying before the legislature for the board's bill to create a water district and secure the permanency of Howell's tenure of office. For both E. D. Ward and Dave O'Brien, members of the board, went to Lincoln yesterday to take their turn at the wheel.

Omaha Invites All Auto Men to Show

Invitations are being sent out from the publicity bureau to automobile dealers and users to the automobile show, which begins the week at the Auditorium Monday night. The invitations will number 1,500 to the dealers, 2,500 to the members of the retail association and 5,000 to nonmembers.

CO-OPERATION IS URGED FOR LOCAL CREDIT MEN

The Omaha Retail Credit Men's association had its regular monthly meeting last night in the banquet room of the Henshaw hotel. J. H. Dinkin, vice president of the organization, acted as toastmaster and dwelt for a few moments upon the beginning of the association. He dealt plainly with the vicissitudes that had already been overcome and believed that much good was to be finally accomplished.

The principal speaker of the evening was Owen R. Parker of Minneapolis, secretary of the Retail Credit Men's National association. Touching upon the needs of local associations he showed that above all there must first be co-operation; second, an exchange of confidence and third, a working out of mutual benefits. All credit men have similar troubles and by helping each other they very naturally help themselves. The faster they unite to eliminate the undesirable from the community in which they are working so much better it will be for their final welfare. Not only that, but they will improve the general tone of credit and since business is largely built up of credits they consequently advance it in exact proportion.

Coming back to the national association, Mr. Parker cited instances of the benefit that accrued from its broader scope. By combining the local forces into one big national affair you then have a power that is worth while. It will help legislators in making laws which will take away a good deal of the speculation that often goes with accounts.

RED CAP WHITE BOYS AT UNION STATION ARE TO GO

The red cap at the Union station is slated to go, at least the white-faced red cap. This is the order that has gone out. Beginning Sunday as an experiment at the Union station colored men—not boys—will take the places of the white red caps. Sunday is the date set, but if the uniforms for colored men are not completed by that time the white boys will be given a lease of life until the suits are ready for wear.

Heretofore the red cap boys have been paid \$15 per month. If they made any money it was from passengers for tips. With the coming of the red-capped colored men they will be paid \$25 per month. There will be no rule against their receiving tips, but they will not be expected to keep a hand out for them.

FUNERAL OF MRS. KESSLER WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Kessler, wife of Herman Kessler, who died Monday morning, will be held at the family home, 2302 Dodge street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Kessler suffered a paralytic stroke last October. Mr. Kessler has been in New York and returned home with his son, Herbert, who has been in Cornell university at Ithaca, last night. Mrs. Kessler was 50 years of age. She leaves besides one son, two daughters, Miss Millie of Omaha and Mrs. W. M. Bennett of Lincoln. The interment will be in Forest Lawn cemetery.

NASH GOES EAST TO TALK OVER PLATTE RIVER CANAL

E. A. Nash has been called to New York to confer relative to the Platte river canal project, in which, with a number of other Omaha men, he is interested.

A Cruel Mistake is to neglect a cold or cough. Dr. King's New Discovery cures them and may prevent consumption. 5c and \$1.00. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.—Advertisement. Key to the Situation—Bee Advertising.

Nebraska Grand Army

Protests Transfer

Resolutions protesting against the proposed transfer of the Pacific branch of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers to the War department were adopted at a meeting of the Omaha and South Omaha Grand Army posts and representatives of posts throughout the state in the county building last night.

Head officers of the Nebraska department of the Grand Army of the Republic attended the meeting. The resolutions, unanimously adopted, follow: "Resolved, That the Grand Army of the Republic of Nebraska enter their protest against enactment into law of a bill which was passed by the United States senate, February 8, 1912, entitled, 'A bill for an act to transfer the Pacific branch of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers to the War department.'"

"Resolved, A copy of this protest and resolution be sent to members of congress from Nebraska and also given to the press."

The resolutions were prepared by Judge Lee S. Estelle and John L. Webster, a special committee.

About seventy men attended the meeting, among them being the department commander and the assistant general of the Nebraska department and many other officers. All the Omaha and South Omaha posts were represented, as well as many from out in the state.

A copy of the resolutions was ordered sent to General Alfred Beers of Bridgeport, Conn., commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.

WILL MAUPIN WRITES GOOD THINGS OF OMAHA

"Midwest," the new magazine published by Will Maupin contains a long article on Omaha in the present issue. The writer tells of Omaha's former "attitude of indifference" to the state and compares old conditions with what they are today. He says now the state loves Omaha and there exists a mutual understanding and admiration. The advertising thus given the city was secured by the Commercial club publicity bureau.

The Persistent and Judicious Use of Newspaper Advertising is the Road to Business Success.

PARCEL POST IS INCREASING

Business in Omaha Showing Steady Growth in Packages.

MONDAY BREAKS A RECORD

Reports from Some of the Towns of the State Also Indicate More Use of This Branch of the Service.

That the parcel post business is steadily growing in volume is indicated at Omaha by the fact that the number of parcels delivered from the Omaha post-office increases from week to week.

Last Monday was another record-breaker, when 423 packages were delivered in Omaha besides the regular mail and small parcels that are always delivered by the regular carriers. Reports from dozens of the country towns of the state made to the superintendent of the railway mail service in Omaha indicate that the business is steadily growing out in the state. These reports are made to the superintendent of the railway mail service on his request. The data is to be used in making arrangements for better facilities for the railway mail service in the smaller towns of the state. Some few of the offices out in the state report that the business is not increasing, while most of the towns of any considerable size report a steady increase.

When Burton Holmes recently gave his celebrated lecture on "Panama" at Orchestra hall, Chicago, he was seriously interrupted by continual coughing of the audience. Many a good sermon, lecture or concert is spoiled in the same way. No one annoys willingly and if people with coughs, colds, hoarseness and tickling in throat would use Foley's Honey & Tar Compound, they could quickly cure their coughs and colds and avoid this annoyance. It is a splendid household medicine and contains no opiates. For sale by all dealers everywhere.—Advertisement.

New Hampshire for Direct Elections CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 19.—The senate today completed New Hampshire's legislative ratification of the amendment to the federal constitution providing for direct election of United States senators. The vote was 30 to 2.

BRANDEIS STORES. These Special Bargains Will Bring Thousands of Women to Our Basement Thursday. WOMEN'S PETTICOATS. Black and Colored Sateens. Many of these petticoats are ruffled and embroidered—a great variety and the values are positively up to \$1.50, Thursday. ON SALE IN BASEMENT. 50c

Odd and Ends of Women's Outing Flannel Gowns. These are worth 50c to 69c, but, where we only have small lots left we sell them at 28c in Basement. Misses' and Women's Winter Coats. In order to close them out at once, we offer hundreds to select from—choice, at, each \$1 in Basement. Women's \$1.50 White Washable Waists. These waists are slightly mussed, but can be laundered—actually worth \$1.50, on sale Thursday at 50c in Basement.

Nowhere Else Can You Select From Such a Variety of Styles in The New Voile Lingerie Waists for Spring



Recent shipments from our Buyers in New York make it possible for us to offer in our Waist Department hundreds of the daintiest, new spring waists in styles that have never been shown before this year. Every stunning, new 1913 style idea is included, every new and attractive feature that will prevail among the better class of waists is shown. Models that are cleverly trimmed with lace and embroideries predominate.

5 NEW LOTS SPECIALLY PRICED THURSDAY AT \$1.00 \$1.50 \$1.98 \$2.50 \$2.98

These Embroideries and Laces Are All New, But Specially Priced

24 inch Nainsook and Batiste Allover Embroideries; also 27 inch and 45 inch embroidered flouncings and shirtings—very effective designs in eyelet, floral, Japanese combination effects—many worth 75 cents a yard at, per yard 39c. New Allover Laces and Nettings in shadow, Oriental, cluny, guipure, teneffle and fancy English combination designs—worth 50c to \$1 a yard, at, per yard 39c to 59c. Fancy Wash Laces, Trimming Bands, Silk Guimp, Silk Braids, also French Val Laces, Torchons, Cluny and crochet effects in edges and insertions—worth 50c to 15c a yard, at, per yard 3 1/2c.

Plan Now to Visit the Automobile Show Feb. 24 to Mar. 1. Make yourselves at home in the greatest store west of Chicago. Many free attractions and conveniences await you here. Washington's Birthday Souvenirs. George Washington Hatchets filled with candy cherries 10c. George Washington Cherry Trees at 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c. George Washington Stick Pins at, each 5c. Delicious Pompeian Bitter Sweet Chocolates, regularly worth 40c, for Thursday, at, per pound 29c. FREE Instructions in Knitting and Crocheting. This delightful and profitable pastime is quickly learned with the help of Miss B. E. Strange, direct from the Fleisher Yarn Mills.

Two-thirds of the circulation of The Omaha Bee is within an hour's ride of the Omaha postoffice building.

A subscriber within buying distance of your store is worth a hundred times as much as one outside of a buying radius. The Omaha Bee is delivered to the home by its own carriers. A delivered circulation has always been the plan of The Bee and the delivery system is as near perfect as can be made. The efforts of The Bee circulation department have been to get every possible subscriber within buying distance of Omaha stores. Today we are able to present an ideal circulation from the point of view of the Omaha merchant.

Advertise in the paper that goes to the homes. The paper that goes to the homes brings results for the advertiser.

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