

ADVANCE WARRANT ILLEGAL

Present System of Paying School Teachers to Be Abandoned.

BOARD PROMISES THEM RELIEF

Embarrassment Which Will Result to Educators by Reason of the Change Will Be Duly Taken Care Of.

Because Attorney Carl Herring of the Board of Education declared the system of drawing warrants for teachers' salaries before the services for which the warrants were drawn were performed and the board abandoned the system, principals and teachers have protested to Secretary W. T. Bourke that present arrangements have embarrassed them. Bourke has issued a circular promising relief. Under the present payroll the teachers do not receive all their warrants before the tenth of the month and therefore cannot discount their bills.

"There has been some complaint on the score that the warrants are not received before the tenth of the month," said Secretary Bourke, "and we will remedy this in preparing the next schedule. It is next to impossible now to get the 500 warrants out earlier unless the schedule is made out in advance and a refund is permitted. The attorney has said such a refund is illegal and so we have abandoned it."

Change Was Necessary.

In the circular issued Bourke said: "The Board of Education found it necessary to change the manner of making the teachers' payroll and date of payment for the reason that as there is a large amount of clerical work involved in assembling the data, making up warrants, writing and registering pay warrants, it became the custom to have the payroll made and warrants drawn to cover four weeks' service when only three weeks of service had been reported, thus making it necessary to anticipate that the full period of service would be rendered. As it frequently happened that teachers would be absent from duty the week of anticipated service, refunds would have to be made by those absent teachers or corrections made on the next month's payroll to balance. In view of the fact

that this was not considered to be compatible with good business policy, and that the attorney of the board had rendered an opinion that the procedure was illegal, the board deemed it unwise to place itself in a position where it might be justly criticized or possibly enjoined by some citizen from drawing warrants for salaries before the service for which the warrant was drawn had been fully performed.

Three More Days Left. Only three more pay days occur later than under the old schedule, according to the secretary, and one of these falls before the tenth of the month. The teachers are paid in nine and a half payments for the year's work. President E. Holovchiner of the board advised with Secretary Bourke, and while the same number of payments will be made next year the schedule will be made next, the first payment being for two weeks, instead of a month, and thereafter the payroll will be made out before the tenth and special meetings of the board will be held to pass it.

Practice of Judge Foster is Not Legal, Say Some Lawyers

Doubt as to the legality of the practice of Police Judge Foster of committing offenders convicted in police court of violating city ordinances to the county jail on state mittimus which are supposed to hold good only in case of violation of state law, once more has arisen at the court house and is causing a thorough scanning of law books.

Where the offense charged is forbidden both by city ordinance and by state law and the police judge elects to commit the defendant of violation of the statute, previous court decisions apparently sustain the practice. But when A. J. Carey, charged with keeping a disorderly house at Eighteenth and St. Mary's avenue, appeared before Judge Leslie on an appeal, it was found that a state mittimus had been used in his case, although it is admitted that he violated no state law. He is charged with allowing gambling at his hotel, but asserts that only friendly games of seven-up were played.

Judge Leslie and County Attorney Magney are inclined to believe that Carey was improperly committed to the custody of the sheriff. The practice relies in the ability to the county of a large part of the expense of housing and feeding prisoners which should be borne by the city, county officials say.

Maney Milling Co. Will Double Size of the Omaha Plant

The Maney Milling company, that came to Omaha five years ago and erected a flouring mill, with a capacity of 1,500 barrels per day, has discovered that its plant is altogether too small to produce an output sufficient to handle the growing trade. As a result, the company has decided to double the capacity of the plant, thus giving it a 3,000 barrel per day capacity.

Rev. M. B. Williams Will Not Say if He Will or Will Not Do It.

Rev. M. B. Williams, formerly pastor of the First Methodist church, who was Monday appointed superintendent of the Lincoln district by Bishop Frank M. Bristol, who read the assignment at midnight in Lincoln, returned to his home in Omaha yesterday morning.

First Pole of the Highway Through Omaha is Marked

The first pole marking the transcontinental highway through Omaha was painted at Twentieth and Farnam street. Ed George, who is a member of the good roads committee of the Commercial club, took it upon himself to get the painting of the poles started through Omaha.

A. L. MANCHESTER FUNERAL HELD AT LINCOLN TUESDAY

The funeral of A. L. Manchester, who died Friday afternoon in Wichita, Kan., following an operation, was held at 2 o'clock yesterday from the family residence in Lincoln. The body arrived in Lincoln Sunday and was taken to the residence under an escort of Masons.

Reason for His Enthusiasm

Frank Reason has suffered for several days with colic, diarrhoea or other form of complaint and is then cured and well by one or two doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, as is often the case, it is but natural that he should be enthusiastic in his praise of the remedy, and especially in this case of a severe attack when life is threatened. Try it when in need of such a remedy. It never fails. For sale by all druggists—Advertisement.

MEAT PRICES JUMP 'WAY UP

Better Grades Lead and the Poorer Follow Suit.

BOTH WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Even the Neck Pieces of the Pork Have Been Boosted Forty Per Cent and the Poor Man Must Pay.

Even the poor man's meat leaped clear out of sight in prices during the last few days. There is perhaps no cheaper meat in America than what is known as the neck bones of pork. These are purchased by the very poor and boiled for the little meat they contain, but mostly for the flavor. While up to a few days ago they were 2 1/2 cents a pound wholesale, packers are today asking 3 1/2. Thus with a single leap the price of the cheapest meat, the poor man's fare, has sailed 40 per cent higher than it was and has made it 40 per cent harder for him to furnish meat for his family. The retailer will raise the price accordingly or lose money in handling this meat.

Plate boiling meat, another dish the poor man has, up to the last few days, was able to afford because it retailed for 8 1/2 cents a pound, has jumped to 10 cents and better retail. Why? Because in the last forty-eight hours practically, the wholesale price of this poorer grade of meat has jumped from 6 1/2 cents a pound to 8 1/2 cents, which will make it retail for 10 cents or more.

King's Highway is About Ready for Opening Today

It up and down King's Highway. It was like circus day Tuesday in preparation for the opening today. Gaudy, striped tents, tan tents, plain white tents, with red, blue and yellow seats, were unpacked, unloaded and set up on vacant lots and on the streets enclosed in the Ak-Bar-Ben carnival grounds. Tall poles stand outside, with a network of ropes and pulleys waiting for the fancy "front," with violent pictures of the animal show and the rest.

There will be no conflicting attractions, and if there should happen to be a show "slipped" in that is not up to snuff, "Dad" Weaver says he will order the band to play "Over the Fence is Out."

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The latest from Milwaukee about Omaha's former superintendent of schools, C. G. Pearse, is the expurgating from the school board's records of a vicious attack made by him upon the woman supervisor of subnormal children which he had embodied in an official report.

SLEEP

During sleep the necessary body-repairs are carried on in the "human workshop." Anything that prevents sound sleep at the proper time (at night) will sooner or later prevent "smooth running" during the day.

POSTUM

It contains the vital phosphates from wheat required by Nature for rebuilding the tissue cells in muscle, brain and nerves. It is pure and free from the insomnia-producing drug, caffeine, found in coffee. Postum comes in two forms: Regular Postum—must be well boiled. Instant Postum is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with the addition of cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly.

Postum induces restful nights and successful days

"There's a Reason"

The wily Pearse had played a safety to save his soul by retaining the Milwaukee superintendency and accepting a normal school place carrying \$1,000 less salary. Incidentally he carried off with him the report of the supervisor on subnormal training which the school board has politely requested him to return to the files.

Classes in Foreign Languages Likely to Start in Near Future

High school teachers will be asked by the Board of Education to teach the modern languages petitioned for in the several grade schools under a law passed by the recent legislature. "Eighty-one pupils have asked that Bohemian be taught in Comenius school," said President E. Holovchiner of the Board of Education. "We have three Bohemian teachers well qualified for this work and they can do it. A German teacher at the high school will be able to take charge of the German class at Comenius, where 144 pupils have asked that this language be taught."

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PUT IT OVER ON ONE ANOTHER

Police Judge and Police Hand Each Other Packages.

FOSTER ACCUSES AND EXCUSES

Police Invite His Honor to Name the Places and File Complaints for Them to Prosecute.

Police Judge Charles Foster insists that between 100 and 150 Omaha saloons are violating the 5 o'clock closing law every night of the year. "I have made this point in police court several times in the presence of detectives and officers, but nothing seems to come of my informing the police of the matter," says he. "I can not file complaints against proprietors who are violating the law, as I, myself, must try the cases and as judge of the hearings can not very well appear as complaining witness.

"Disorderly houses to my personal knowledge are conducted with only the faintest semblance of secrecy. When a few are raided I feel disposed to be as lenient as possible, as it is my belief they are staged out for reasons not brought out in court. Several houses that have been visited by the police as the result of complaints, the officers have failed to appear in court to testify to their findings and I have dismissed them because evidence has been withheld by their failure to appear, which might have brought a conviction."

"The police admit that many saloons 'cheat,' as do some hotels, but reply that the violations are of the kind that make conviction almost impossible and that when convictions are had the judge lets them off easy. That 100 saloons nightly violate the law, says one official, is a deliberate misstatement. "If Judge Foster says he has evidence that saloons are running in violation of the law, then it is up to him as an official to file complaints. He knows as well as we the course of procedure in such cases."

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Cost of High Living Comes Still Higher at the Country Club

Just as a reminder of the high cost of high living, members of the exclusive Omaha Country club have been notified of an extra assessment of \$30 apiece to make the club's bank account equal the demands upon it. The club membership is limited to 250 and the lists are supposed to be full, so that the special levy is counted on to produce an addition of \$5,000 to the revenue side of the budget which is said to have suffered an unexpected shrinkage during the drought weather.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Country club held at noon the following officers were elected: M. C. Peters, president; W. J. Fox, vice president; F. W. Clark, treasurer-secretary.

Ill and Deserted by Husband Woman and Children Need Help

Mrs. Norah Haslock, penniless and without a home, was forced to undergo an operation at St. Joseph's hospital Monday morning, while two of her three children, Harry, aged 9 years, and Raymond, aged 7 years, are stricken with scarlet fever and are being cared for in the Emergency hospital. Charles, a 3-year-old tot, is living with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McConnell, 3411 Farnam street, while the mother is in the hospital. Fred Haslock, the father, deserted his little family two years ago. Mrs. McConnell is anxious to hear from any one who will help her and the children. Her telephone number is Harney 73.

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MEN'S New Fall Hats present the greatest diversity of style ever known in the history of Hat making. A Distinctive Hat for Every Man. Our wonderfully complete showing affords an unusual range for choice of a becoming style for you. John B. Stetson Hats \$3.50 to \$5.00. Other good lines at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Nebraska Clothing Co. CORRECT APPAREL FOR MEN AND WOMEN.

SOME DON'T'S For Stomach and Live Sufferers

Don't take medicine for your stomach ailments morning, noon and night, as usually such medicines only give temporary relief and simply digest the food that happens to be in the stomach.

Don't permit a surgical operation. There's always serious danger in operations and in many cases of Stomach, Liver and Intestinal ailments, Knives can be avoided if the right remedy is taken in time.

Don't go around with a foul smelling breath, caused by a disordered stomach and liver to the discomfort of those you come in contact with. If you are a Stomach sufferer don't think you cannot be helped, probably worse cases than yours have been restored by May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy.

Most stomach ailments are mainly caused by catarrhal condition. May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy not only removes the catarrhal mucus, but allays the chronic inflammation and assists in rendering the entire alimentary and intestinal tract antiseptic, and this is the secret of its marvelous success.

Don't suffer constant pain and agony and allow your stomach ailments to physically undermine your health. No matter how severe your case may be or how long you have suffered—only one dose of May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy should convince you that you can be restored to health again. May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy has been taken and is highly recommended by members of Congress, Justice of the Supreme Court, Educators, Lawyers, Merchants, Bankers, Doctors, Druggists, Nurses, Manufacturers, Farmers, Miners, and people in all walks of life.

Orchard & Wilhelm Co.

This is the week to buy your needs in mattresses, couch or cot pads—and profit from our SPECIAL SALE OF MATTRESSES. Felted Cotton Top Mattress, an extra thick mattress; special at \$2.80. Felted Cotton Top and Bottom Mattress; an excellent value, at \$3.30. Felted Cotton Combination Mattress; thick, substantial with roll edge; spec'l. \$4.75. Cotton Felt Mattress, Art Ticking, roll edge and unusual bargain, at \$6.50. OTHER BARGAINS IN COTTON FELT MATTRESSES, AT—\$8 — \$10 — \$12.

OSTERMOR MATTRESSES

In this sale we will offer a quantity of the famous Ostermor French Edge 60-lb. Mattresses in one and two parts art ticking. The regular \$30 Ostermor at, each \$17.75.

PILLOWS

A good Pillow—all feather; 5 pounds to pair; art ticking; see list, per pair \$1.00. Pillow—6 pounds to pair; art ticking; per pair \$1.25. Pillows—Extra quality; 5 lbs. to pair; art ticking; special, per pair \$1.90.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

Just a little care and small expense, that's all. Isn't a head of rich, heavy hair worth while? Ask Your Doctor.

HOME FURNITURE CO. SOUTH OMAHA. 20% BELOW OMAHA PRICE NOT ONE DAY BUT EVERY DAY. Get Our Rug Prices. 9x12 SEAMLESS BRUSSELS \$9.75. 9x12 SEAMLESS VELVETS \$14.50. 9x12 AXMINSTER \$17.00. Low Prices on Good Stoves. See our Famous Quick Meal Ranges—in all sizes. Stoves Sold on Easy Payments. Sanitary Roller Top Desk 48-in.—\$22.00 54-in.—\$24.00. COMPARE THE PRICES. See Our New Daylight Display Store.

High Class Trains South. MORNING, 8:15 A. M. AFTERNOON, 4:35 P. M. NIGHT 10:45 P. M. KANSAS CITY DAY EXPRESS—Arrive Kansas City 4:05 p. m. for afternoon and early evening connections; dining car, coaches, chair cars, sleepers. ST. LOUIS-KANSAS CITY SPECIAL—Dynamo electric lighted train of coaches, diner, sleepers for St. Louis, observation parlor car; arrives Kansas City at 11:05 p. m., and makes direct connection with night trains for the South. You are in Oklahoma next noon, Texas the same evening. KANSAS CITY NIGHT EXPRESS—Dynamo electric lighted train of coaches, chair cars, standard sleepers and lounge car. Train ready at 10 p. m. Let us tell you about the utility of the 4:35 p. m. St. Louis-Kansas City Special. If your ticket reads "Burlington," you will leave on time and probably arrive on time. Train punctuality is possible only with ample power, a roadbed of integrity and a highly developed organization. Phone D. 1238. City Ticket Office, 1502 Farnam Street. Burlington Route.