

BRIEF CITY NEWS

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At the THEATERS

Brandis: "Talmud Chocham."
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Orpheum: Vandeville.
"Hamlet" at the Brandeis.
"Hamlet" a tragedy by William Shakespeare. Produced by the Boyd-Brandeis School of Expression in benefit of the building fund of Omaha Woman's club.

PRACTICAL CHRISTMAS GIVING OPPORTUNITIES FOR REAL CHARITY

The season of CHRISTMAS GIVING finds many people eager to help spread good cheer, but not knowing JUST HOW TO DO IT. It is all right to be "a good fellow" or "a big brother" and gladden the hearts of some little ones, or furnish a Christmas dinner of goodies in place of meager every-day fare. There are other forms of PRACTICAL CHRISTMAS CHARITY alike praiseworthy and WITH MORE PERMANENT RESULTS. To aid some unfortunate to get on his feet—especially helpless women and children—offers special opportunity for UNSELFISH GIVING. The Bee describes below a number of cases thoroughly investigated by the Associated Charities and pronounced deserving IN EVERY WAY. Those disposed to contribute to any of these worthy objects may remit directly to Miss Mabel Porter, secretary of the Associated Charities, or to The Bee:

- 1. Mother and Three Little Children: Girl 12, boy 8, and baby girl 3. Family came west from a town near Cleveland some years ago. Farning in western Nebraska did not pay. Father took to drink and three years ago departed. Mother made living after he left working on farms. Later baby was taken ill and she brought her to the hospital here to consult a specialist. Left the older children in the care of the mother of one of her previous employers until she could pay their way also. Baby was found to have typhoid fever. Has just come from the hospital. Doctor says that all three children have been half starved. Mother herself must go to the hospital for an operation. In good, thrifty, clean and a careful manager. Her last relative, her father, died a year ago. The father's family all live in Germany. Will need considerable help and continuous care on the part of the Associated Charities. Rent \$10. Christmas gift of one or more months' rent would be acceptable.
2. Widow, a Dressmaker, and Four Children: Husband died about a year ago. Mother works very hard. One boy 17 has found it hard to make up his mind to work, but after much persuasion has started again. Rest of family consists of two small boys and a baby girl. Family needs encouragement. A month's rent—\$16—would help a great deal and give them inspiration to keep on with the struggle.
3. Widow and Four Children: Father died about two years ago. Health will not permit the mother to do much beyond her own household. One girl of 18 makes \$40 a month. Two boys, 14 and 11, respectively, are in school. Girl 4 years. Have seen better days. Children bright and promising, doing well in school. Need \$10 a month rent for a year.
4. Hungarian Family of Six: Father doubled up with rheumatism. Has also had an operation recently at the Methodist hospital for tumor. Will never be able to work again. Have four little children all under 6 years, the youngest being 6 months. The mother makes a few dollars a week at day work, but not enough to support the family. No relatives here. Need rent—\$6.50 a month paid for them indefinitely.
5. Poisoned by Infection from Drinking Cup: Father in early 30's. Man of good character, a first-class workman. Acquired disease from a drinking cup. Family came from Illinois four years ago. Five children, boy of 10, boy and girl twins 6, girl 2 and baby 6 months old. Father has had a hard struggle for health since July. Has been trying to work irregularly, but can do but little. Rent, \$15 a month, would be a good Christmas present.
6. Mother with Inflammatory Rheumatism; Father Chronic Trouble: One little boy. Grandmother keeps house. Widowed sister of mother, who also has a little boy, goes out working—dishwashing. Makes \$7 a week. The sister might have an easier time by herself, but she is devoting her life to the care of the old mother and her sick sister and husband. Rent will have to be paid indefinitely—\$9 a month.
7. Respectable Colored Family of Seven: Father has rheumatism; cannot work; was a steady, honest workman. References speak highly of the family. The mother has been ill. Has five small children. Father and mother together earn only \$4 a week. Are having a hard struggle. Need help continuously. Groceries which will last several weeks would be acceptable.

the ancient laws of the Jews—upon which, according to the Jews, the laws of the nations of today are yet founded. Mr. Bernard's blameless reproduction of Yiddish songs, masterly illustrating their character, the griefs and sorrows of the lonely Jewish soul in the gloomy environment of the Ghetto, or the joys, jokes and happiness of the Jewish family life, acknowledged as the best ever heard on the Yiddish-American stage. Every lover and sympathizer with Yiddish plays is strongly urged to attend the performance at the Brandeis tonight.

Machinists' Head Talks of Union Men

President William H. Johnston, of the International Association of Machinists, spoke at an executive session of the local union at Labor temple last night. Following his report of the convention of the American Federation of Labor, President Johnston discussed labor conditions throughout the country. "While there seems to be a general cessation of industrial activity at the present time, I feel certain that activities will be resumed after the first of the year. The condition seems to me to be but a temporary depression." Details of the convention, which has just closed at Seattle were given in the address, and incidents affecting the Illinois Central strike, which started in September, 1914, were discussed. It is the belief of Mr. Johnston that the chief bone of contention of the strike will soon be removed. He insists the members of the union are ready to meet the officials of the corporation, but stated, "It took two to make the trouble, and that it would take two to settle it." He further cited the fact that Julius Kruttschnitt, while in charge of maintenance and operation for the Illinois Central, refused to meet the committee representing the union. Recently elected chairman of the board of directors of the Southern Pacific, he is quoted as saying that he would meet the committee representing the striking operatives on that line and there is every indication to believe that he will soon grant the request of the machinists' organization. President Johnston will speak to the striking machinists and other strikers, who are out at the Union Pacific shops, this afternoon.

Ouch! Pain, Pain, Rub Rheumatism

Rub pain right out with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil." Rheumatism is "pain only." Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Stop dragging! Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" directly upon the "tender spot," and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism cure which never disappoints and can't burn the skin. Lumber up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle of "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. "St. Jacobs Oil" has cured millions of rheumatism sufferers in the last half century, and is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains and swellings.—Advertisement.

DOCTOR TRAVELS TO REST; GETS CASE ON THE TRAIN

Planning to get a little rest, Dr. T. J. Dwyer left Saturday afternoon on a westbound train for O'Neill to have a quiet little visit with the friends at home and father and mother whom he had been too busy to see for several months. After the train had gotten about two hours out of Omaha the conductor came hurrying through, asking for a doctor. The doctor hesitated but a moment and then followed the conductor, for he seemed to be the only physician on the train. Mrs. Blair, the wife of one of the sol-

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Rev. W. J. Hastie Resigns from the Ministry. PASTOR BECOMES EVANGELIST After Career Taking Him to Every Part of Globe, He Will Now Take Up Work in Canada.

After a career in the ministry which took him to all parts of the globe, Rev. W. J. Hastie has tendered his resignation from the pulpit of the First Christian church of South Omaha, where he has occupied the pulpit for over a year, to take up evangelistic work. His new duties will take him to Canada, where he will look over the field, while his family will continue their residence here. Rev. Mr. Hastie was brought to New Zealand from Scotland by Scotch parents in 1841. They arrived in the northern country on the old schooner Phillip Lane, which with the John Wickliff were the first two passenger ships to land in the Otazo harbor. The people on these ships were the first whites to arrive in that frigid territory and were termed Pakeha by the astounded natives. He left New Zealand when but a boy for a trip through Europe. Later he came to America to study for the ministry. The First Christian church of that time did not have a Bible seminary in Australia, but now has a very fine college in Melbourne. He performed most of his gospel work in Mount Pleasant, Charlton and Albion, Ia. He left Albion to spend a year at his boyhood home evangelizing and gathering data for the lecture platform. The church persuaded him to send for his family and he remained for six years. Almost with Scott. When the Terra Nova, bearing the Antarctic explorers, sailed away from Port Chalmers, New Zealand, in the fall of 1910 to carry civilization's colors to the far south polar regions, the last to grasp Captain Robert F. Scott's hand and stand bare-headed on the deck watching the brave-hearted men anxious to give up their lives for the progress of science sailing away to the icy wastes, was Rev. Mr. Hastie. He applied for a berth on the steamer as chaplain, but his request to Captain Scott came too late. Rev. Mr. Hastie came to South Omaha from Des Moines. His untiring work in the pulpit and among the parishioners has been so effective his resignation has cast a cloak of gloom over his congregation and they are reluctant to accept his resignation. The matter will come up before the board this evening. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Hastie have made many friends during their residence in South Omaha. He is enthusiastic over evangelistic work and is anxious to take up his new duties at once.

Flood to Make Talk. Emmet T. Flood of Chicago, organizer of the American Federation of Labor, and Miss Anna Peterson of the Omaha High school will address the Equal Franchise league tonight at Library hall, Twenty-third and M streets. The league is making arrangements to have Miss Gertrude M. O'Reilly of Dublin, who is touring America on the lecture platform, to give one of its meetings in the near future.

Murphy Has a Scheme. City Attorney Henry Murphy has been rightfully termed a flax by the sportsmen of South Omaha and all have given up taking him on hunting trips. He appeared about the city hall yesterday with a smile which covered most of his face and confided to a few intimate friends the cause of his merriment. He has found a way to get the flax's goat, and he says the hunters will be beginning to take him along on trips after this. A client of Murphy's gave him several drakes and ducks yesterday, which he took home and pastured out under his automobile in the garage. His plan is to raise ducks to use as decoys when hunting. If he fails to get a shot at any of the wary fowls in this way he will knock the tame decoys senseless, he says he is afraid to shoot them as he might hit them, and then bring them home as an exhibit of his "luck."

When Murphy and Berry Larkin took a 30 mile ride out into the western part of the state on a hunting trip some weeks ago and found the lakes frozen over and only one lone duck picking at the ice in an endeavor to get water, he was ostracized by the local sportsmen. Henry wanted to take a shot at the poor, thirsty duck, but Larkin wouldn't allow him to be so cruel.

Longer Postoffice Hours. The local postoffice will remain open from 5 a. m. until 9 p. m., during the Christmas holidays. This will give the patrons two more hours in the evening in which to buy stamps and mail Christmas packages, and will also give the office force an opportunity to get the mail on the road without delay.

Quit Meat When Kidneys Bother

Take a glass of Salts if you Back hurts or Bladder troubles you. No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become over-worked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver troubles, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

DRAGNET FOR LOITERERS IS SPREAD BY POLICE

Fifty men, who could not answer satisfactorily the questions put to them by police officers in plain clothing, detailed to pick up all "suspicious characters," vagrants and drunken persons, were locked up at police headquarters within two hours last night. The men were mostly loiterers about the street, saloon and pool hall touts, etc., and today they will be asked to explain to Police Magistrate Foster why, at this season, they can afford to loaf about.

Benefit Concert at High School

A large attendance is expected at the benefit concert to be given in the high school auditorium by the February graduating class Friday evening. The proceeds will be used in obtaining a class memento to be left with the school. Miss Belle von Mansfeld and Edward J. Wotawa of the high school faculty will render musical numbers and Coach Mills will read. The program, which begins at 8 o'clock, follows: Violin Selection—Madrigal.....Drelia Edward J. Wotawa. Vocal—(a) Prelude—From a Cycle of Life. (b) A Birthday Song.....Woodman (c) Thou Art So Like a Rose.....Chadwick Miss Sara Schneider. Mrs. Edith Wagoner, Accompanist. Cello Solo—(a) Song Without Words..... (b) At the Brook.....Miss Marguerite Linsenstoep, Accompanist. Reading—Selected.....Thomas E. Mills. Vocal—The Border Ballad.....Cowan J. E. Carnel. Piano—(a) Gavotte.....Gluck Brahms (b) Blue Danube.....Strauss, Schullitz. Ever Cecil Berryman.

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These Chimes are also used as a table ornament, without a tree, or at any other festivities, such as birthdays, weddings, etc. They will also work on a radiator or stove. The coupon below will appear in this newspaper several times. One of them together with 30 cents, will procure for our subscribers one of the chimes. Mail orders will cost 5 cents extra for postage; send money order or stamps. NEW SUBSCRIBERS will also be supplied upon receipt of subscription for one month and 30 cents. Show this to your Neighbors If they are not subscribers. These Angel-Chimes are Worth 75c Come early, as the demand will be greater than the quantity on hand. This Coupon and 30c Good for One Bee Christmas - Chimes

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder Its superiority is unquestioned Its fame world-wide Its use a protection and a guarantee against alum food The low-grade powders are made from "alum," or "sodium aluminum sulphate," which is also alum, a mineral acid, which does not make the food healthful. One pound of the low cost powders contains three ounces of alum, a mineral acid. Is it safe to put that on your pantry shelf along with cans of food ingredients? Food baked with alum baking powders is found to contain a portion of the alum unchanged. Read the ingredient clause of label on the can. Unless it shows cream of tartar don't use the powder.

American flag, surrounded by a list of the flag days and instructions how to treat the stars and stripes, which will be put in the schools after the holidays. The object of the picture is to instruct the foreign school children of the greatness of the American flag and the respect it should be accorded. Plankton's Has Faith. Much faith is placed in South Omaha real estate by Mr. Horace Plankton, English capitalist, who not only owns much property here, but has plans underway for the construction of two flats at Twenty-fourth and F streets, which will cost \$10,000. He has just completed two store buildings, one at Twenty-fourth and L streets and the other on the west side of Twenty-fourth street between K and L streets.

Magic City Ghost. Two nicely furnished rooms for rent, 1605 N. 24th, Tel. South 101. The Shubert club will give a dance this evening at the Eagle's hall. M. J. True of Chicago is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. True. Office space for rent in Bee office, 2215 N. street. Terms reasonable. Well known location. Tel. South 27. Mrs. Charles Winters and Mrs. George Thomas will entertain the Eastern Star kenstington this afternoon. The Brotherhood of American Yeomen will hold an election of officers Saturday evening, December 20, at the Ancient Order of United Workmen temple. The election was postponed two weeks ago. The regular meeting and tea of the Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church will be held at the home of Mrs. E. R. Leigh, 78 North Eighteenth street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Any woman interested in missions is invited to attend. Steven D., 16-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Throver, 123 North Thirty-ninth avenue, died last night. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock from the residence to Forest Lawn cemetery.

Field Club Opposes Any Boost in Dues

At a general meeting of the members of the Field club held in the Commercial club rooms Wednesday night to discuss the proper method of going about paying the club's 1915 deficit, the motion introduced at the last meeting providing for an increase in dues was voted down almost unanimously. The matter was thoroughly threshed out by the members from all standpoints and an increase in dues from \$40 a year to \$50 was most decidedly opposed by the majority. According to the bylaws of the organization the deficit cannot be canceled by an assessment on the members, and the meeting adjourned with no definite plan of action in view. A special gathering for the purpose of determining on a definite means of procedure was promised by President Hughes in the very near future.

FOR BEE READERS ONLY

To assist our subscribers in celebrating the great world-wide holiday, CHRISTMAS, we have imported directly from SOLINGEN, GERMANY, a large quantity of the famous.

Christmas Angel-Chimes This beautiful Ornament is a great decoration for the Christmas tree and with its charm fills young and old with the glee and cheer of Christmas. It is 10 inches high and made of the best nickel-plated metal. Six angels uphold three different-tuned bells; above these is a small turbine wheel with the Star of Bethlehem. This wheel revolves through the heat of three candles, placed between the angels, and thus the chimes ring. These Chimes are also used as a table ornament, without a tree, or at any other festivities, such as birthdays, weddings, etc. They will also work on a radiator or stove.

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