

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Wave Root Print It—Now Beacon Press, Life Ins. 7 W. Penn Mutual, Gould, Electric Supplies—Burgess-Granden Co., Fidelity Storage and Van Co.—D. 1618. Burn's Celebration, January 22, Swedish hall, sixteenth and Chicago streets. Berke Represents Distillery—W. V. Gerke, for the last eight years city salesman for the Krug brewery, is now representing Harris, Johnson & Co., distillers of Cincinnati in this territory. State Bank of Omaha—1 per cent paid on time deposits; 3 per cent paid on savings accounts. All deposits in this bank are protected by the depositors' guarantee fund of the state of Nebraska. Brandt Goes to Convention—W. G. Brandt, manager and buyer for the Orchard & Wilhelm furniture department, left Sunday for Grand Rapids, Mich., to attend the annual furniture exposition in that city. The Peters Trust company confines itself solely to trustee and investment business and is therefore not affected by the ups and downs of finance. It is advantageous to estates of whatsoever size to have it named as executor or trustee. Scottish Rite Class—A class of the fourteenth degree in Scottish Rite Masonry at the Masonic temple, sixteenth and Capitol avenue, tonight. Following the ceremony a buffet luncheon will be served. On February 3 the Scottish Rite lodge of Perfection will confer the fifteenth degree on the class, and it is expected that at least five additional men will join the class at that time.

Toodles is Cause of Excitement at Passenger Depot

"Stop that train, stop that train," shrieked a stylishly appareled young woman as a Burlington train started out of the depot this morning on its way to Kansas City. "He's on that train, stop it," once more screamed the young woman as she ran down the platform toward the disappearing train. Immediately every gate tender, baggage smasher, express clerk and porter waiting for their trains to make up and some half a hundred traveling men rushed to the tracks to see whether there was a wreck or a murder. "What's the matter?" asked the crowd in one breath. "Oh, save him, save him," sobbed the woman. "Save who?" inquired a gate tender. "Toodles," moaned the woman. The gate tender instantly became suspicious. "Toodles is the name of a dog," he said. "Well, he's my precious," said the young woman. "Aw, he's that white pup tied to that Chicago trunk," succinctly remarked a baggage agent who had appeared on the scene, whereupon the curious persons strode away muttering unexpressed expressions concerning the eternal feminine as fast as a tight skirt would allow to the baggage room to get her "precious Toodles."

Omaha Bankers Are Not Likely to Get a Hearing at Chicago

According to a well-posted local financier it is not likely that the committee of Omaha bankers sent to Chicago by the Clearing House association to seek a hearing with the organization board of the regional banks will get the sought for audience until that body meets at Lincoln. M. T. Barlow, Luther Drake, W. H. Buchholz, C. H. Bostwick and F. H. Davis are the committee that went to Chicago. Even though the Omaha men do not get a chance to be heard at Chicago they will at least have an opportunity to listen to the hearings that are to be given by some of the other large cities seeking regional institutions. The clearing house will probably appoint a new committee to meet the organization board at Lincoln when the day comes for Omaha to be heard. It will likely be a larger committee. Henry W. Yates is one who is not going to Chicago, but who will be a member of the committee to be heard at Lincoln. He is now preparing his brief, setting forth Omaha's case as a petitioner for a regional bank. It was largely because he is busy preparing this brief that he could not go to Chicago with the committee.

West Point Man Comes to Omaha to Pay His Income Tax

Despairing over the failure of his attempt to properly fill out the income tax blanks sent him by Ross L. Hammond, collector of internal revenue, William Stuefer, president of the West Point National bank and former treasurer of the state of Nebraska, came to Omaha to procure instruction on the intricacies of the income tax law. "I know that I will have to pay 13 cents or so on my income, but I haven't any idea how to go about it to prove that I am entitled to pay this tax," declared Mr. Stuefer. "I thought that I had it right the first time, but when it was returned to me I was more in the dark than ever on the matter."

TELLS POLICE THEY CANNOT MAKE HIM GO TO WORK

John Bates of Emporia, Kan., insisted upon being locked up at police headquarters, declaring in a loud voice that he was a vagrant and wouldn't work. Because of the overcrowded condition of the city jail, Bates' demand was rejected by Captain Helffeldt, who informed the man that he had better cross the river. "I won't cross the river and I won't work," declared Bates. "Neither will you loaf at the city's expense," informed the captain, and, gently grasping the man by the shoulder, he directed him out of the station.

Women and Wet Feet. Cold and wet feet are a dangerous combination, especially to women, who are more prone to kidney diseases than men. Congested kidneys come from a cold and backache, rheumatism, urinary irregularities and rheumatic forms are not unusual results. Foley Kidney Pills restore the regular and normal action of the kidneys and bladder, and so remove the cause of the trouble. It is a honest and curative medicine that always gives results. For sale by all dealers everywhere.—Advertisement.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Still Somewhat Out of Repair, Democratic Machine is Out Again.

ATTEMPT MADE TO ROLL CHIZEK

Finding Fault with the Deputy County Clerk, but the Talk Against Him is Considered Laughable.

Worried over the continued unity among republicans of South Omaha, the democratic machine, rickety and rattled from last spring, has been brought into action again for the spring campaign, when a number of school directors are to be elected.

The democratic machine in the last battle got the worst drubbing ever given at the hands of the local republicans. The cause was the strong organization among the republicans who stood solidly together while the democrats conducted an intestine war.

This time the old methods have been resorted to to get the old machine into shape. James Chizek, deputy county clerk, has been selected for the first attack. Some republican is supposed to have found fault with Chizek, because he has held office for so long. Chizek is also supposed to nourish political ambitions, according to the story of the democratic machine. But the plan did not work and republicans generally laughed at the attempt yesterday when discussing the matter. Chizek is regarded as one of the strongest men in Douglas county and among the republicans of South Omaha he holds a first-class rating.

Of the attempt to injure Chizek's reputation as a party worker in South Omaha, H. C. Murphy, president of the republican club, said yesterday: "Of course, this talk against Chizek is puerile to any one who knows republican workings in South Omaha. There is no better worker in South Omaha republican affairs than he and whatever notice his party has given comes rightly. Chizek has been secretary of the republican club for years. He was one of the associates of George McBride, late county surveyor, to whom South Omaha men could always look for assistance."

"Chizek has always served the local republicans and any one who knows anything about republican politics in the county knows that he has refused to be mentioned as a candidate for county clerk, cares to run. There's nothing to this report of Chizek wanting to be county clerk or county chairman. Every republican in South Omaha knows that Jim Chizek is always ready to aid him in county clerk matters."

Chizek just laughed about the matter. "I'm for Dewey first, last and all the time," he said, speaking of the county clerk's job.

Miller Shot in the Hip

Dan Miller, who figured in a murder case some six weeks ago in the capacity of principal witness, got a bullet in the hip when attempting to visit the home of Joe Sasch at Twenty-seventh and R streets Saturday night at 5:30 o'clock. Miller, with Joe Davich and Mike Medovich, was returning home after the closing of a Q street saloon, at which the men had spent the evening. When they arrived at Twenty-seventh and R streets they inquired upon paying a friendly visit to Joe Sasch, who lives in that neighborhood. Sasch refused the honor of the call, whereupon there is said to have been some promiscuous shooting on the part of the visitors. No one knows who fired the bullet that struck Miller, but he is said to have sat down suddenly and called for assistance. Chief Briggs, who learned of the affair, took Chief of Detectives James Sheahan with him and the officers rushed to the place of the shooting. Miller, however, refused the assistance of a doctor and with his fingers drew the bullet out of his hip. He is not seriously hurt.

Slot Machines Back on the Job

Slot machines have again made their appearance in South Omaha and again they have been ordered out by the mayor, who has instructed Chief of Police John Briggs to remove them and report the places operating. The district court last spring ordered out the slot machines. After much protest they were removed.

Figure in Fashionable New York Wedding



Mrs. H. Bramhall Gilbert, New York society leader, and Captain William Francis Brougham Radcliffe Dugmore, Distinguished Service order, British army, who were married at the home of Mrs. Gilbert last night in New York City. Mrs. Gilbert's first husband, H. Bramhall Gilbert, was a woolen operator and a sportsman of note. He died two years ago. Captain Dugmore is the owner of many medals for bravery and gallant conduct in several campaigns of the British army.

The court also ordered all forms of gambling in South Omaha cleared out. It is said that the closing of the slot machine business in South Omaha has shut out an immense amount of revenue. Just now the gambling joints are said to be doing a rushing business. It has been asserted that high city officials can be found at gaming tables in the wee hours of the morning.

Members of court No. 577, W. C. O. F., tendered a very enjoyable surprise party to Mrs. W. J. Brennan Friday evening at her home. They presented her with a cut glass water set in token of their esteem and appreciation of her work in the interest of the fraternity. A fine musical program was given and refreshments served.

Upchurch lodge No. 2, Degree of Honor, at its last regular meeting installed these officers for the ensuing year: Past chief of honor, Mrs. Maggie Vance; chief of honor, Mrs. Mary Riley; lady of honor, Mrs. Frances Kratky; chief of ceremonies, Mrs. Rose Bernard; recorder, Mrs. Margaret Steele; financier, Mrs. Elizabeth Kelly; treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Nagle; usher, Mrs. Jessie Martin; assistant usher, Mrs. Elinor Grohachek; inside watch, Paul Lang; outside watch, Mrs. Amelia Ulmer; musician, Mrs. Anna Lenahan; trustees, Herman Steinberg, Mrs. Elizabeth Deckert and Mrs. Mary Kennedy; physician, Dr. Shanahan.

Keefe Dies at Council Bluffs. W. G. Keefe, a well known horseman of South Omaha, died suddenly Sunday at the Ogden hotel in Council Bluffs. Mr. Keefe was a resident of South Omaha for sixteen years. Recently he sold his home on Twenty-third street and intended moving to California, where his wife is now visiting. Mr. Keefe is 60 years of age. The body is being held at

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Magie City Gossip. Office space for rent in Bee office, 315 N. Street. Terms reasonable. Well known location. Tel. South 7. The O. H. Hockell inquest will be held this morning at 10:30 o'clock at Larkin's parlors. Mrs. George H. Bligg, has returned from a ten days' trip to Chicago, where she visited friends and relatives. There will be a meeting of the city council this evening, when bids will be let on city supplies for the year. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett of Hornick, Ia., have returned to their home after a visit with Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Robinson and children of Atlantic, Ia., visited Sunday at the home of their uncle, D. Robinson. The Philaetha class of the Baptist church will give a Hine luncheon Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Byron Clow, 135 North Twenty-sixth street. Everyone welcome.

The Ladies' Aid of the West Side Methodist church will serve a roast beef dinner at noon Tuesday at the church, Thirty-second and U streets. They will give an entertainment in the evening. There was a birthday party last night at the home of Ballina Jetter, Thirtieth and B streets, in honor of Miss Alma Jetter. Many friends and relatives were present. Lunch was served, following which the party spent the evening with music and games.

W. G. NICHOLSON SUCCEEDS LOUIS C. NASH AS SECRETARY

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Selling Lincoln Highway Pennants for the Auto Show

All the automobiles and the booths, in which they are to be located at the big auto show February 21 to 28 are to be decorated with Lincoln Highway pennants. H. B. Waldron, new state council of the Lincoln Highway, continues to have good success in his plan. He has sent out a salesman who has begun selling pennants to the automobile dealers and auto supply men for this purpose. The pennants are some three feet long and carry a white map of the United States and the highway printed on a red background. The highway association makes a small profit on the pennants for the Highway fund and gets the name scattered broadcast besides. The pennants run in pairs, one for each side of the machines. The headquarters for the Lincoln Highway are no longer at the Commercial club rooms, but are now at Mr. Waldron's office, 187 Omaha National bank building.

THREE HUNDRED SACKS OF CHRISTMAS MAIL ARRIVE

Christmas mail continues to pour into the Omaha postoffice, some 300 sacks being as yet unopened and not distributed, and the mail is not likely to be delivered by the end of the week. This accumulation, however, does not come through the regular channels, but represents the accumulation of holiday mail which is being sent from all over the fourteenth postal division to the nice office here. An extra force of clerks has been engaged in the nice department, but the congestion now indicates that an unusually large number of persons failed to heed the warning to be careful to see that their holiday packages were properly addressed and wrapped. The matter is being opened and listed as rapidly as possible, and much of the matter will be eventually delivered either to the person to whom it is addressed or to the sender.

MANY INQUIRIES COME IN FOR NEBRASKA LAND

The fame of Nebraska land and prospects of success in this state are spreading to every part of the country if the swarm of inquiries from people in every state, which swamp the railroad offices here, are criterion of that fact. The Burlington colonization department has received on an average of 100 inquiries a day during this month from land seekers and the majority of them are anxious to learn of the conditions of this state. Most of them want homesteads and they all express a preference for Nebraska homesteads. All the other railroads are receiving like inquiries and the preference seems to be for Nebraska land.

ENGINEERS HERE TO TALK BETTERMENTS WITH HOWELL

Wynkoop Kierstead of Kansas City and Isham Handolph of Chicago, engineers, are in Omaha to consult with General Manager R. Beecher Howell of the metropolitan water district relative to the \$1,500,000 the Water board will spend for improvements in the next three years. General Manager Howell said the advice these engineers will give will be submitted to the board of directors of the metropolitan water district for consideration.

Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGN FUND NOW TOTALS \$6,000.80

Returns reported in the Young Woman's Christian association publicity campaign total \$6,000.80. The total collections reported now by the various teams were: Miss Beulah Evans, \$1,625; Mrs. F. B. Lova, \$1,500; Mrs. D. C. Dorda, \$1,168.50; Mrs. H. G. Kirschstein, \$1,701.

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Rebel Money Seized in Chicago Will Not Be Held by the U. S.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—A shipment of 10,000,000 pesos in Mexican revolutionary money seized here by government officials yesterday will be forwarded to Nogales tomorrow, according to Thomas S. Porter in charge of the secret service here. Captain Porter said representatives of the United States district attorney's office took the ground that as the government at present does not recognize any government in Mexico, the money cannot be considered counterfeit.

SUNDERLAND WANTS THE HOODOO NUMBER DOG TAG

Ralph Sunderland has telegraphed the city clerk from Minneapolis to hold dog tag No. 13 for him. He says he has a fine dashhound on which he wants to hang the unlucky number. The clerk is saving tag No. 133 for him. Dog tags were placed on sale yesterday.

NO TRACE FOUND OF THE SUNKEN NAVAL SUBMARINE

PLYMOUTH, England, Jan. 15.—A dozen torpedo boat destroyers and mine sweepers sailed up and down Whitehead bay from early morning today until darkness set in, but failed to locate the submarine "A-7," which sank during maneuvers Friday.

SETTLEMENT OF COPPER STRIKE SEEMS FAR OFF

HOUGHTON, Mich., Jan. 15.—With the end of the sixth month of the copper miners' strike in sight, operators and union men appear to be no nearer an agreement than they were when the struggle began on July 23 last. The continued mild weather has confirmed labor leaders in the belief that they will be able to hold the striking force intact throughout the winter. They assert that the Western Federation of Miners is prepared to support the local organization through a long contest if necessary. The mine owners maintain that the backbone of the strike has been broken and that if the strikers do not return to work without further delay all their places will be filled.

NOTIFY U. S. THEY WILL TAKE PART IN PROCESSION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Five of the nations invited to take part in the great naval procession which will start at Hampton Roads and cruise by way of the Panama canal to the Golden Gate next year have formally notified the State department of their acceptance. They are the Argentine Republic, France, Germany, Great Britain and Portugal. Japan also has decided to participate, according to the press reports, and it is not doubted that when the time comes, all of the maritime nations of the world will be represented in the line. Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

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