

Council Bluffs

Minor Mention

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HAVE YOUR SUIT CLEANED AND PRESSED HERE. New Year's. Cook's Cleaning Works, 22 Broadway. Phone 333.

Dr. H. A. Woodbury, dentist, moved to Rapp block, phone Black 505. Sanitary and modern appliances. Advertisers' price-cutting. The funeral of John Ligdas, the murdered Greek laborer, will be held this afternoon at the Cutler chapel. A priest from the Greek church in South Omaha will conduct the services.

WILL C. ESTEP, former well-known citizen and general director, has entered the firm of E. C. Courtney & Company. Mr. Estep's ability is well known to most of the residents of this city.

David Roach was yesterday given a sentence of one day in the county jail for violation of a district court injunction prohibiting him molesting his wife, who is suing for divorce. He has, however, been in jail for about a week and has had time for calm reflection.

Charles Clarence West, 15-year-old boy, indicted at the September term of district court for robbing masculine clothing store in downtown Omaha, was sentenced to the county jail for 30 days, but his companions only a short time. By agreement with the county attorney the Clausen boy was fined \$25 and West was discharged.

John McCann, the itinerant barber who attacked August Hopkins, a traveling man, whom he had never seen and whom he had met for the first time on the street here last summer and slashed him with a razor, was yesterday sent to the Knottville hospital to remain three weeks. McCann narrowly escaped killing Hopkins and was indicted for assault with intent to kill. They are Henry Hurd, Mrs. J. A. Erickson, Mrs. L. B. Leslie, Mrs. J. C. Hiltchcock and Mrs. Laura Hurd, all of this city. Miss Hurd was a member of Council Live No. 71 of the Modern Macabees.

Good Resolutions



I'M GOING ON THE WATER WAGON THE FIRST OF THE YEAR



NO MORE GAMBLING FOR ME AFTER THE FIRST OF THE YEAR

NO MORE SPENDING ALL THE MONEY I MAKE - I'M GOING TO START A BANK ACCOUNT THE FIRST OF THE YEAR

Council Bluffs

ASSESSORS MAKE RETURNS

Tax Books Complete and Ready to Be Turned Over to the Treasurer.

VALUE OF FARM LANDS RAISED

More Than One Million Dollars to Be Collected in the County During the Coming Year.

Predictions Are For a Very Dry Moon

The Full Moons do not get their beer back, if those who oppose the organization can prevent it. Under the decision of the jury in the original prosecution of George S. Wright of the Full Moon organization and chairman of the entertainment committee, the beer would be returned to Moonland, or at least the two kegs alleged to contain beer would be returnable, but the return was frustrated by the notice served yesterday that the case would be appealed.

Babies at Doors of Some West End Homes

People residing in the western part of Council Bluffs believe they have discovered grounds for the suspicion that their neighborhood is being used for the distribution of new-born babies that originate in some institution in Omaha, and they also believe that they have got a line on the baby farm.

Dr. Banister is to Talk at Woman's Club

The health committee of the Omaha Woman's club is to hold an open meeting at 2:30 o'clock next Monday afternoon at the club rooms at Metropolitan hall.

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Italy's Occupation Of Avlona Arouses Austrian Discontent

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(Special Cablegram to New York World and Omaha Bee.)—The Daily Chronicle correspondent in Rome cables: "Italy's momentous occupation of Avlona and surrounding hill country has aroused intense irritation and discontent in Austro-Hungary."

Life Term of John Dietz Commuted

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 31.—The life term of John F. Dietz, the outlaw of Cameron dam, convicted in 1911 of murdering Oscar Harp, a deputy sheriff of Sawyer county, was commuted to twenty years today by Governor McGovern.

GERMAN PREMIER'S SON NOT IN RUSS HOSPITAL

PETROGRAD, (via London), Dec. 31.—Alexander J. Gutshokoff, president of the Russian Red Cross, stated today that an investigation undertaken at the request of the Spanish ambassador indicated that the eldest son of the German chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, was not among the wounded in any Russian hospital.

Ship with Supplies For Allies Stranded

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Eighty Armour Men at Banquet

Armour and company's traveling salesman and office men, eighty strong, banqueted at the Rome hotel last night, sang songs boosting themselves and the products they sell, praised their bosses, roared each other and altogether consumed a sum of \$100 million an hour.

To Boost Suffrage In Massachusetts

Mr. and Mrs. James Richardson, who did active service in the recent suffrage campaign by means of automobile tours through the state, together with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hardy of Lincoln, also enthusiastic suffragists, Mrs. Hardy being state treasurer, will tour Massachusetts next summer to assist in the campaign there and gain experience for the next campaign in Nebraska.

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TEUTON PLOT IN ITALY UNMASKED

Conspiracy to Smuggle Contraband Foodstuffs and Clothing Out of Country Unearthed.

TWO PERSONS ARE ARRESTED

Search of House of One of Suspects Reveals He Was in Close Touch with the German Embassy.

(Copyright, 1914, by Press Publishing Co.) ROME, Dec. 31.—(Special Cablegram to New York World and Omaha Bee.)—Developments are announced in connection with a contraband scandal in connection with which Dr. Fiore and Signor Castagnano, a customs official, have been arrested.

Plot Unmasked

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(Special Cablegram to New York World and Omaha Bee.)—The Daily Chronicle's Milan correspondent reports that, through the vigilance of the minister of commerce in Rome, a vast Austro-German conspiracy has been unmasked.

Super-Zeppelin is Wrecked in Raid

GENEVA (Via Paris), Dec. 30.—News has reached Omanshorn from Friedrichshafen that during the recent British aerial raid on Cuxhaven one of the largest super-Zeppelins, which was completed two months ago, was entirely destroyed in its sheds by bombs dropped by the aviators and the another Zeppelin escaped only by rising rapidly in the air.

Trial of Dakotan For Girl's Murder

Now on at Wheeler

WHEELER, S. D., Dec. 31.—The trial of Robert Brooks for the murder of W. H. Menzie and Miss Blanche Signal, at Geddes, last April began today with the statement of the prosecution. A jury was secured late last night.

Prefer Trenches to Idleness on Outside

SAINT POL, France, Dec. 3.—(Via Paris)—The French soldiers, without exception, express a preference for work in the trenches, rather than remaining idly at their billets. While the men are held in reserve at the rear, they say that aside from the time when they are sleeping off fatigue each minute seems an hour. The postal service is uncertain. They rarely receive news.

Movements of Ocean Steamers

Part. Arrived. Sailed. NEW YORK... Carpathia... Genoa. NEW YORK... Lusitania... London. NEW YORK... Adriatic... Trieste. NEW YORK... Tanagra... Genoa. NEW YORK... Britannia... London. NEW YORK... Mauretania... London. NEW YORK... Olympic... London.

AMUSEMENTS

BRANDEIS TODAY Mat. 2:30 and SAT. MATINEE and NIGHT JOHN CORT PRESENTS McINTYRE AND HEATH In a Massive Revival of Their Biggest Musical Comedy Success THE HAM TREE Company of 100 Special Ham Tree Orchestra THE WORLD'S GREATEST DANCING CHORUS Staged by Ned Wayburn PHIGES Matinee—Lower Floor, 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 7.50, 8.00, 8.50, 9.00, 9.50, 10.00. Sun., Jan. 3, MATINEE and NIGHT SEPTEMBER MORN A Snappy Musical Show

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Visit a Modern Plant

New Year's Day, spend part of your time visiting and inspecting the new, modern, dairy home of the Alamito Sanitary Dairy Company at 25th and Leavenworth Streets. Come any time between 10:00 A. M. to 3:00 P. M.

Alamito Sanitary Dairy Co.

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Third Sled FREE This Week

The picture of the Sled will be in The Bee every day this week. Cut them all out and ask your friends to save the pictures in their paper for you, too. See how many pictures you can get and bring them to The Bee office. The Sled will be given Free to the boy that sends us the most pictures before 4 P. M. Saturday, January 2.

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OMAHA MEN FORM BIG STAMP VENDING COMPANY

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 31.—(Special Telegram)—The Tri-State Stamp Vending company of Omaha, with a capital of \$1,000,000 was chartered at Dover, Del., today. The incorporators are W. H. Ostentberg, W. W. Turner and W. H. Balte, all of Omaha, and Frank Turner of this city. The concern will operate stamp vending machines in New York, New Jersey and Delaware.

WAIT FOR PALACE CLOTHING CO'S BIG SALE SATURDAY Cor. 14th and Douglas Sts. Read Friday Bee.

CO-OPERATION

One person cannot make a life insurance company. It requires the cooperation of many. Nebraska people can co-operate with the residents of New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and other eastern states and develop the companies of these states of they can co-operate with and develop Nebraska companies.

THE MIDWEST LIFE

N. Z. SNELL, PRESIDENT A NEBRASKA STOCK COMPANY SELLING NON-PARTICIPATING LIFE INSURANCE ONLY FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, LINCOLN. OMAHA AGENCY CITY NATIONAL BANK BUILDING GENERAL AGENTS: GEORGE GROEKER, F. A. PINNEY and H. J. KIRSCHSTEIN

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