

Brief City News

Platinum Wedding Rings—Edholm. Have Foot Print in New Bacon Press. Lightly Fitted—Burgess-Graden Co. Cary's Corner, 24th and Lake. Web 252. Automobile Storage, clean and dry, \$3.50 per month. Keys Bros. Co. Omaha, Ia. Pocket Is Picked—Ole Lester, Merchants hotel, told the police that pickpockets got \$25 from him while he was riding on a street car in South Omaha. Omaha Art Guild—The Omaha Art Guild exhibition has been postponed until the middle of January. The exhibition will be held on the second floor of the Omaha Public library. Dr. Allison Buys Farm—Dr. C. C. Allison has bought the Henry Wraga farm three miles west of Irvington. It comprises 160 acres. The Orin E. Merrill company closed the deal. The doctor now owns several farms. Thoughts in Colors—Burd F. Miller will give a free public lecture on "Thoughts in Colors." Illustrated with stereoscopic slides of thought forms as seen by clairvoyants at Theosophical hall, 761 Bos building, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Fine Fireplace Goods—Sunderland. Doane Powell to Give Talk—This afternoon Doane Powell of the staff of The Omaha Bee will address the Omaha Philosophical society on "The Psychology of Art," at its rooms in the Lyric building, Nineteenth and Farnam streets, at 3 p. m.

Educational Notes

Chadron Normal. Fifty volumes of bound magazines have been returned from the bindery. These include the very best periodicals since the lines of current interest, profession, literature and artistic subjects. Before returning from the state association Miss Paine went to her home at Fayette, Ia., for a short visit with her mother and sister. She was elected president of the mathematics section of the association for next year. Professors Phillips and Clemens returned from the association meeting by way of Alliance. Miss Boyer reports a good attendance at the girls' basketball practice. They will engage in interclass tournament during the week. Several members of the orchestra have secured sukalee, which will be used to add variety to their concert. The students in manual training will devote three weeks to the fundamentals of mechanical drawing. Each student will make a model of a machine part. Miss Florence Teal and Miss Grace Fairhead have returned from their month's practice work in manual training. The students of the manual training schools of Whitney and Dakota Junction. Besides teaching they have had experience in conducting the community work of the school. Equipment for manual training and domestic science will soon be installed in the schools and libraries from the state library commission. The course of study for supervisors of music is being extended by Miss Reveal for benefit of the teachers who are desirous of fitting themselves for work in this line. Prof. Camborn and his students in the class in sculpture were happily surprised when they went out to pick the seed corn for Mr. Fleming. Just as they had completed their work they received a cordial invitation from Mrs. Fleming to a delicious hot lunch which she had prepared. They found some corn that was very good indeed among that which was produced from seed which they had tested for Mr. Fleming last spring. This fact has been a very clear and satisfactory proof to the students that it pays to use the greatest care in selecting the varieties as well as the seed which has the greatest vitality. There has been a general shift of training teachers this week, as usual at the end of the quarter. There are three or four practice teachers in each room working under our expert directors of the grades. The shifts are made in such manner as to give practically every teacher an opportunity to work in each grade. Fremont College. The first winter term opened Tuesday, November 14, with an uncommonly large attendance. Students from all sections of Nebraska and other states arrived Monday to be present at the opening the following day. Class work was suspended Thursday at 2 o'clock to give members of the faculty the opportunity of being present at the alumni reunion at Omaha, which was held during the State Teachers' association meeting. There were 250 guests at the reunion. The present administration, were present. Miss Ruth Cross, who is teaching at Dale, and Miss Home Day, who is teaching at Lehigh, are among the out-of-town students who belong to the Saturday art class. The work is being conducted by Miss A. D. Adams. D. L. Babcock, superintendent of the Winnebago Indian land, was a guest of the President Clemmons one day last week. The parliamentary law class, which will be uncommonly large this term, was organized Saturday under the direction of Prof. J. T. Ray. The debating sections, directed by Prof. N. W. Galnes, are also full of interest. Prof. Mohler's class in letter correspondence shows continuous growth. Mrs. Gilbert has chosen "Henry the Eighth" for the Shakespearean reading for next opening. Prof. J. W. Beason, head of the English department to the Manhattan Agricultural College, Kan., was the guest of President Clemmons Thursday. Prof. Schvander of piano department and Prof. Fifteen in number, at the college studio last Wednesday evening. Some excellent music was furnished and light refreshments served. Mrs. Minnie Stump of the observation department was a guest of the recent Colfax county fair held at Schuyler. Misses Minnie Jones, Margaret Banker, Clara Johnson, and Virginia West, Charles Gaddis and Vincent Ryan attended the Students' Union conference at Cambridge, N. D., Saturday and Sunday. N. W. Preston of Washington, D. C., who is a member of the faculty of the college, visited chapel Thursday morning and responded to a call for a talk. An interesting program was given Tuesday evening. The program consisted of piano, violin and voice numbers by the pupils. Prof. Schvander, Swartz and Kolk. Another recital is planned for the near future. Nebraska Wesleyan. Memorial services for Harold Hinman and Owen Steves, Wesleyan's two typhoid victims, were held at the chapel here Thursday morning. The services were conducted by Chancellor Palmer, Dr. Schreckengast and Dr. McCaskill. The executive committee met Thursday afternoon to consider plans and specifications for the new normal training building which is to be erected during the summer. Plans for Home-Coming day, November 14, are well matured and all indications are for a large representation of former students and friends. The plans include the senior recognition exercises in the morning, a get-together luncheon and rally and the Kansas-Wesleyan football game in the afternoon and football banquet at night. Professor Bishop was at Millard Saturday with his class in field geology. The current number of the Physical Review contains an article by Professor Johnson of the department of physics on "A Comparison of Direct and Alternating Spark Potentials." York College. The sophomores showed a great deal of spirit and originality in their reception of the new students at the Saturday evening. Every feature of the reception was carefully planned and successfully carried out. Miss Clarke, the class sponsor, and the sophomores are to be congratulated upon their efforts for this occasion. The following students attended the Student-teacher convention held at Cambridge last week: Misses Maud Lefever, Clara Hanson, Nellie Bennett and Miss Mitchell, and Messrs. Sweet, Steeley and Brown. They gave reports of the convention on Monday evening at a joint meeting of the Young Men's Christian association and Young Women's Christian association. The Christian associations have been holding prayer meetings each day this week in keeping with the universal week of prayer. On Friday afternoon our football team will play the university freshman. So far York has not been scored against. A game Thanksgiving day with Wesleyan has been definitely agreed upon. Hastings College. The new building for the ladies' dormitory and domestic science home is now so nearly completed that the girls have all moved in. Every room is occupied. Two of the girls located there will keep house, getting their own meals and doing their own housework without the help of a janitor. This gives the college the most complete equipment along domestic science lines in the state of Nebraska. Miss Helen Hornaday, a graduate of Manhattan domestic science college, and a student at the University of Kansas, has charge of the building. It is a stucco structure, accommodating twenty girls. Much of the furniture has been given through the business people of Hastings and friends; the Beatrice Young People's society also furnished a room. Tub-shower baths are both provided in this building and a well-equipped laundry and a splendid dining hall are included. This gives the college six buildings, in addition to the central heating plant. Hastings college is now starting on a campaign to raise \$50,000 for buildings, equipment and endowment. It is opening headquarters downtown and has begun to send out literature, particularly to Hastings and surrounding community. President Cross spoke at the Presbyterian church at Fairbury last Sunday, and attended the meeting of the Schoolmasters' club at Lincoln on Friday. The seniors have just provided a new pennant for the football and given the same to the college. The Kappa Tau Phi literary society gave a program last Tuesday in the college chapel to a crowded house. On Thanksgiving afternoon the Kearney football team will be in Hastings to give a game to the students who are an annual affair between the two schools. The formal opening of the new building will take place at the same time. Bellevue College. Rehearsals for "The Mollies" and for the Young Men's Christian association minstrel show have both begun, and keep Bellevue college students busy every evening. "The Mollies" is promised for performance on Christmas and the minstrel show by next Monday evening, November 27. A dozen Bellevue college students attended the Student Volunteer conference at Cambridge, N. D., last week. They returned to Bellevue full of inspiration for the year's religious work. The financial executive of the college, is expected back from New York City in about a fortnight. Mr. Mackenzie is in the east in the character of the endowment fund of \$500,000 which he plans to raise for the college. He reports that so far his trip has been successful. All but part of the east wall of the exterior of Rankin hall, the new building, has been completed. The entire work has been done by students working their way through college. The second boiler for the new central heating plant arrived on the college last early in the week. The new boiler will give the plant full power to heat the five buildings connected with the building supplying steam to the swimming pool and gymnasium. Katherine Ohman entertained her mother at Pennington last Sunday. Miss Tucker had her father as her guest for the first time at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mitchell. The Misses Muriel and Janice Betts were pleasantly surprised at their home on last Thursday afternoon by a party of high school friends dropped in on them. The evening was spent in games and dancing. Refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Helen Barnes, Gail Phelps, Annette Hasky, Catherine Stepp, Muriel Betts, Janice Betts, Maudie Murray, Cora Newell, Jack Nunn, Clarence Zurcher, Owen Smith, Wallace Mitchell. Miss Ruth Ganson, soprano; Will Heberington, violinist; and Bertha Clark, pianist, will give a concert in Logan, during the short course building for the benefit of the latter day saints. Doane College. President Allen spoke Sunday in Geneva, where he was the guest of the community church. The pastor of the Geneva church is guaranteed an account of stickiness in the face. The L. W. T. organization, so active in the spring, has been reorganized and has furnished Gaylord hall parlor with new rugs, the object now is a secret, but is supposed to be connected with the same room where the students gather before and after meals. Plans are under way for a big football banquet to be given November 12 after the Bellevue-Doane game at Crete. This is the annual home-coming event. Prof. Burrows has been chosen toastmaster and the speaker is to be prominent basketball player and member of the past year's team. The Thanksgiving program will be omitted this year by request of the faculty. A Thanksgiving dinner at Gaylord hall and a party in the evening, usually given during the day. The Christmas vacation will be lengthened by the addition of the two days given to us now. The Men's Glee club and a sextet of women singers will appear at the community chorus festival in Lincoln, November 21. Paul A. Reichel of New York spoke to the students of the college and held private conferences all afternoon. Prof. George H. Allen, Miss Rose Scott and Miss Jean Williams were present. A concert at Liberty Friday night. Miss Ruth Dennison went as accompanist. Prof. John W. Galt, secretary of the Schoolmasters' club banquet in Lincoln Friday night. Kearney Normal. Miss Mary Keenan, first student-teacher from the rural school course, went out to her practice teaching in the Buda schools yesterday. "Back to the Farm," the rural life play given under the direction of Prof. Ralph Boyer during the Rural Life festival, is to be given at the Buda school house on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. H. H. Jones of the public science department spent a few days last week studying the work of the State Normal at the University of Nebraska. She went from there to the meeting at Omaha. We appreciate the interest rendered at the State Teachers' association meeting at Omaha, at which place all of the teachers of the district were present. One of our own was in attendance. They brought back many inspiring and helpful ideas from the meeting. The faculty were elected to office: Miss Caldwell, well known to the district, secretary; Miss Crawford, president of the English teachers department; Miss Brown, secretary of the teachers of education; Mr. Sutton was unanimously nominated to the executive committee from the sixth district. The Omaha Kearney club served a delicious luncheon in the Loyal hall Thursday, November 16, the week of the teachers' meeting, at which time 114 were present. This club is certainly composed of the best and awake young people who know how to do things and show this by making a success of what they undertake. Grand Island College. Prof. Gordon Loomis of the Edgar High school visited chapel a few days ago, and gave an inspiring address. Prof. Haberstro of the Grand Island Conservatory of Music and Ernest Augustine, representing the City Young Men's Christian association, visited chapel in the interest of the great campaign for membership that is now a matter of interest to that organization. Superintendent Benjamin of Folk and Miss Pearl Chase of Alworth were visitors at the college last week. Both are graduates of the institution. "The Literacy Test for Immigration" has been accepted as the question for the triangular debate between Kearney Normal, Grand Island college and Hastings college. The coaches are Prof. Pritch and Noel. Emmet Holt has been appointed student-teacher and is now conducting the class in general history. W. H. Jones has organized a Glee club of fifteen members. It is the purpose of this club to visit cities within 100 miles of Grand Island in the interest of the college. The public opinion club has been organized, and is getting ready for the presentation of a play at a not distant date.

POLITICS FLAVORS LECTURE ON KIPLING

Stockton Axson, Brother of President's First Wife, Talks on Preparedness.

REFERENCE TO W. J. BRYAN

With a word of apology for injecting politics into his talk on Rudyard Kipling, before the Fine Arts society Saturday afternoon, Stockton Axson, brother of the first Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, devoted a large part of his lecture hour to defending statements attributed to President Wilson, and emphasizing the necessity for being better prepared for national defense. "By all means let us prepare against the hazard of war, but not for provoking war. Neither armament or disarmament can stop war, only the right attitude of mind can. A warlike state of mind has produced more wars than any other acts. Europe studied war, prepared for war—now it is preparing for peace, they would now have peace," he said. No Sympathy With Extremes. "I have no sympathy with the extreme pacifist, nor with the extreme militarist. With arms prepared for war and minds set on peace, that is the common sense stand. I do not pretend this is logical—it is wildly illogical, but it is the safe course. If forced into war, let us be sure our cause is just. War is necessary in this age. That's why I believe we've got to be armed. Only a moral and psychological change will do away with war, but we shall not live to see the day." Referring to Nebraska as Bryan's state, he said: "I wish I could believe Bryan's policies are as practical as they are noble. But he forgets that others are not imbued with the same high motives as he. Bryan speaks for tomorrow, not today." Following Prof. Axson's lecture, the ninth annual exhibition of the Fine Arts' society was thrown open to members. Twenty-five paintings of Emil Carlson, Charles H. Davis, Paul Dougherty, Frederic Friescke and Childie Hassam, are included in the exhibit, and about twenty-five bronzes of Gutzon and Solon Borglum, former Omahans. The small ballroom at the Hotel Fontenelle was packed for the private view and many were turned away. Mrs. Ward Burgess, chairman and the members of the exhibition committee, acted as hostesses.

ANTI-SUFFS NAME THE SAME OFFICERS

Mrs. E. P. Peck Re-Elected President and Mrs. Crofoot Chairman of Executive Committee.

SOME FROM OUT OF TOWN

Close upon the reorganization of suffrage ranks for the 1918 campaign in Nebraska comes the announcement of the reorganization of the Nebraska Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage. At a meeting held at the home of Mrs. E. P. Peck, Mrs. Peck was re-elected president, Mrs. William Archibald Smith, secretary, and Mrs. C. C. George, treasurer. Mrs. L. F. Crofoot was made chairman of the executive committee, which includes Mesdames Henry W. Yates, Arthur Crittenden Smith, John C. Cowin, J. W. Griffith, W. H. Koenig, M. C. Peters, John L. Webster, Helen Arion Lewis, T. J. Mackay, F. N. Conner, C. F. McGrew, N. P. Dodge, Jr., Charles S. Elgatter, Harvey E. Newbranch, A. M. Borglum, F. G. Kellogg, E. A. Nash and Arthur S. Rogers. Out-of-town members of the board include: Mrs. A. D. Sears, Miss Maude May and Mrs. Conrad Hollenbeck, Fremont; Mrs. George D. Butterfield, Norfolk; Mrs. Fred W. Ashton and Mrs. J. D. Whitmore, Grand Island; Mrs. S. H. Burnham, Lincoln; Mrs. John D. Haskell, Wakefield; and Mrs. W. A. Dilworth, Holdrege. Omaha will send three delegates to the national anti-suffrage convention in December.

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The Omaha Retail Grocers' association would like to see laws on the statute books prohibiting the giving of trading stamps, a bill creating a trade commission for the state to deal with unfair competition, and numerous other things. In an editorial this week the Grocery Reporter urges the grocers to get after the legislators-elect and urge for the following program: "1. An anti-trading stamp and coupon bill, similar to the one now in existence in the state of Washington, the constitutionality of which was upheld by the United States supreme court in its decision on Monday, March 6, 1916. "2. A bill creating a state trade commission to deal with questions of unfair competition within the state of Nebraska, like the Federal Trade Commission does now in interstate commerce. "3. Changing the exemptions of a married man from 90 per cent to 75 per cent for the necessities of life. "4. Pass some law compelling city, county and state employees to pay accounts for the necessities of life. They are now exempt and bills against them cannot be collected by law. "5. Making a wife's separate property subject to execution for necessities of life, whether acquired by legacy or not. "6. To amend the homestead law so that people cannot side-step an attachment for necessities of life by filing a homestead claim."

Thrown From Train; Wants Much Money

Being pushed off a moving freight train is worth \$25,000, according to the claim made by one Charles Fitzpatrick in a suit for damages against the Burlington railroad. The plaintiff says that on October 26, 1916, he boarded a freight caboose at Merna, Neb., en route to Broken Bow, and the conductor ordered him off. Fitzpatrick says he agreed to get off if the conductor would stop the train. But he continues, the conductor did not stop the train, and the plaintiff was thrown off, suffering injuries for which he now seeks compensation.

Kids Follow Birds To Warmer Climate

"We're tired of Omaha, so we're going south where it's warm," was the contents of notes found last night by the parents of Carl Keller, 11, of 1345 North Seventeenth street, and Harold Burns, aged 12, of 1525 North Seventeenth. The boys have been missing from their homes since early Saturday morning. Police have been asked to search for them. Both wore gray caps, and gray suits.

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Winter Tourist fares via WABASH

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