

Brief City News

Have Best Print in New Heaton Press Metal dies, presswork, Jubilee Mfg. Co. Elec. Fans, 50-Burgess-Granden. Platinum Wedding Rings-Edholm. Alleged Slacker Arrested-L. S. Sewiers was arrested at Scottsbluff, Neb., for failure to register for the draft. Try the noonday 35-cent luncheon at the Empress Garden, amidst pleasant surroundings, music and entertainment. Advertisement. Buyer in the East-Miss Edith Finch, one of Omaha's youngest buyers, is in the east buying fall goods for the F. W. Thorne company. Tap Cash Register-Burglars broke into the store of H. Weiner, 111 North Sixteenth street, Saturday night and took \$28 from the cash register. Lawn Social-Members of St. Philomena's parish are preparing to hold a lawn social on the church grounds, Tenth and William streets, Tuesday evening, August 7. Operated on at Immanuel-David H. Bowman, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Wead, 592 South Fortieth street, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Immanuel hospital this morning. He came through the operation all right. Attends Frontier Show-General Passenger Agent Basinger of the Union Pacific is back from Cheyenne, where he attended the Frontier day festivities. He says the crowds in attendance were larger than ever before and the show was the best that has ever been staged in the town.

Boy Killed as He Steals Ride On a Big Auto Truck

George Siegel, 15 years old, was run over and instantly killed by an auto truck at Sixteenth and Francis streets yesterday. He was on his way down town to see the circus parade, when he met George Pfeiffer, 1724 Dorcas street. The two boys decided to wait on the corner of Francis street for a "hop." An automobile truck of the Krittenbrink & Son Brick company, operated by Al Krittenbrink, swung into Sixteenth street at Dorcas, a block south. When it passed the two boys they attempted to "hook a ride." Pfeiffer succeeded, but Siegel was thrown under the wheels and killed. Siegel lives at 1928 South Eighteenth street. He is a son of E. Siegel, a grocer at 1724 Dorcas. Young Siegel was graduated from the Castelar Street school in June.

Child Falls from Second Floor Without Even Scratch

Omaha is certainly the place to take care of children. There is not a chance of a child being hurt here unless something more than a miracle should happen. Mrs. H. Goldman of New York City is in Omaha visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. Kaiman, 2211 Clark street. Her little daughter is with her. Sunday the family went upstairs and the baby was sitting in the window. Suddenly the screen gave way and the little girl plunged to the ground. The mother immediately ran down stairs and picked up the screaming child. Dr. Philip Sher was called but not even a scratch was found on the child's body. Less than two weeks ago a similar accident occurred when a child plunged three stories to the ground but upon examination not a bone was found broken.

Michigan Red Cross Man Here on National Work

Mark McKee of Detroit, assistant director of the Michigan Red Cross, is expected in Omaha today to confer with Frank W. Judson, Nebraska Red Cross chairman. Mr. McKee is one of the big men in Red Cross work. He won particular distinction by the manner in which he organized the northern states for the work.

School Board to Build On the Druid Hill Site

The Board of Education was granted a building permit for erection of a new school on the Druid Hill site at Thirty-first and Spaulding streets. The structure will be 165x65 feet and will cost \$74,000.

CITY ADOPTS NEW RULES FOR POLICE

Commissioners Declare Police Are Not to Be Hampered in Their Work by Outside Influence.

The city council adopted a set of special rules prepared by Mayor Dahlman and Commissioners Jardine and Butler, for the guidance of the police department and being, as explained by the city attorney, "a culmination of the police investigation." An abstract of the special rules follows: Officers and members of the police department must take orders only from those empowered to give such orders; no outside influence will be permitted in police affairs and members of the department will be protected by the city council if they refuse to recognize outside influence; policemen must be diligent in enforcement of all laws and particular attention is directed to bootlegging, prostitution and gambling; officers must report to superiors all places where violations of law are believed to be practiced and also report names of persons suspected of violations; the chief of police will be held responsible for enforcement of laws and ordinances and he is assured of the support and backing of the city council in performance of his duty. Must be Civil. The fourth special rule reads: "Each member of the department in his conduct and deportment must be quiet, dignified and orderly. In the performance of his duty he must maintain decorum and attention, and command his temper. He must be patient and use discretion at all times. He must at all times refrain from harsh, violent, coarse, profane or insolent language, and at the same time, when required, act with firmness and sufficient energy to perform his duty." Policemen must refrain from unnecessary violence and officers in charge of the jail must permit prisoners to communicate with legal counsel or friends, for the purpose of obtaining bail, except in instances of nonresidents whose investigation must follow arrest to best serve the ends of justice. The resolution embodying the special rules contains a series of whereases referring to alleged bickering and jealousies in the departments, rumors of outside influence and a need to place the department upon an efficient working basis.

Expert Truck Drivers Are Wanted for Quick Service

W. G. Ure, Red Cross secretary, received a call for fifty volunteer motor drivers for immediate service in France. The call specifying "twenty expert motor truck drivers, twenty helpers and ten expert mechanics," was called by Major Grayson M. P. Murphy, head of the Red Cross mission in France. The service is without compensation, the American Red Cross paying transportation and living expenses. Men beyond military age are preferred.

Flower Will Be Secretary Of "Y" While Denison Gone

R. S. Flower, boys' secretary of the local Young Men's Christian association, has been made temporary secretary of the local "Y" pending the absence of E. F. Denison, who has gone to Deming, N. M., to take charge of the association work connected with the army mobilization at that city. Mr. Denison, who will be absent for about three months, was accompanied by Rev. Charles E. Cobey, pastor of the First Christian church, who will have charge of the religious work.

No Evidence Against the Girls, So They Are Discharged

Blanche Walsh and Gertrude Parks were arrested Sunday night on complaint of Joe Weicher of Anita, Ia. Joe thought they had something to do with his losing \$20, but when all three appeared in police court no evidence was brought up against the prisoners, so they were discharged.

FURTHER HEARING BY THE MEDIATORS

Chairman Cowell Says Taking of Statements to Be Resumed in the Omaha Strike Matter.

"In my opinion the state board of mediation and investigation has the power to compel the employers to come before it and testify in the strike hearing," said Robert Cowell, chairman of the board. "But we have not done it, since the employers have taken the ground that they need not testify while the injunction against them and the laborers is in effect. "There is no opinion on record that warrants them in taking the ground that they need not testify in a case like this. They have only the advice of their attorney on the matter. If it were a violation of the injunction for them to testify, then it would be a violation of the injunction for the strikers to testify, yet they testified freely, and no trouble resulted." Tentatively the board had set Monday as the date for reopening the hearing at the city hall, but because a temporary restraining order has not yet been disposed of in the courts the meeting of the board has been postponed until Wednesday of this week. At that time, 10:30 in the morning, Chairman Cowell indicated, the hearing will be reopened whether the court has by that time finally ruled on the restraining order or not. The full report of the proceedings cannot be made to the governor until both sides are heard from. There are 1,500 pages of transcript in the testimony given by the strikers. Only a verbal report was made by the board to Governor Neville of this week. At that time, 10:30 in the morning, Chairman Cowell indicated, the hearing will be reopened whether the court has by that time finally ruled on the restraining order or not. The full report of the proceedings cannot be made to the governor until both sides are heard from. There are 1,500 pages of transcript in the testimony given by the strikers. Only a verbal report was made by the board to Governor Neville of this week. At that time, 10:30 in the morning, Chairman Cowell indicated, the hearing will be reopened whether the court has by that time finally ruled on the restraining order or not.

Obituary Notice

MISS SAITH B. WARREN, 112 South Thirtieth street, died July 30 after a long illness. Miss Warren was the daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth S. Warren and a sister of A. B. Warren, credit manager of the McCord-Brady company. She was born in Lawrence, Kan., in 1878 and had resided in Omaha since 1898. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. T. J. Mackay at All Saints' church, of which the deceased was a member, at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and will be private. Interment will be in Prospect Hill cemetery.

MRS. PETER BESEN, 65, 2709 Douglas, died at a local hospital this morning. She is survived by her husband, two sons and one daughter. Mrs. Besen is an Omaha pioneer. She came to this city in 1868. Her husband was a prominent butcher for years, but recently retired. The funeral will be held from the Heafey & Heafey chapel Wednesday morning at 9:30, followed by services at St. Paul's church. Interment will be in Forest Lawn cemetery.

MILES H. CARLTON, aged 77, retired school superintendent and a pioneer resident of Omaha, died Sunday at 2728 North Forty-fifth street. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at the Duffy & Johnson parlors.

ANDREW HAGLAND, 49, 1215 South Fifth street, died Sunday. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Hen. The funeral will be from Stack & Falconer parlors at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon, with burial in Laurel Hill.

Thorne's CASH DRESS SALE. Gingham Dresses, Voile Dresses, Silk Pongee Dresses, Georgette Dresses, Linen Dresses, Satin Dresses, Silk Dresses. F. W. THORNE CO., 1612 FARNAM ST.

The Bee's Free Milk and Ice Fund

"This fearful heat!" we exclaim. But think of the helpless babies of the poor, panting for breath in the heat, without milk, without ice, hovering between life and death. The Bee's fund is supplying pure milk and cooling ice to dozens of these little ones. It is the only public means of caring for them. It means life to them during the extremely critical period of summer's heat. What better use could be made of a dollar than to buy ten quarts of pure milk for such babies? The visiting nurses administer the fund, so that not a cent is wasted. Bring or send any sum from 10 cents to \$5 to The Bee office. You will gain a blessing from it, too. Previously acknowledged: \$200.50 C. S. E., in memory of Leah Rosewater, 1.00 A Friend, 1.00 Ras Anderson, Broken Bow, 2.00 Mrs. E. W. Gunther, 5.00 A Mother, Sidney, Ia., 2.00 J. N. Jensen, 1.00 Total \$212.50

To Lengthen Hours at Central High School

Superintendent Beveridge of the public schools will recommend to the Board of Education an increase of the school day at Central High school, to begin with the opening in September. The proposed plan is to add one "hour" to the school day by beginning at 8:45 a. m. and "calling it a day" at 2:38 p. m. The superintendent believes that increased school study will yield results and decrease the number of slackers.

BLUFFS POLICE AFTER AUTOISTS

Arrest Every Automobilst that Even Looks Like He Wanted to Speed; Especially the Omahans.

"If a man desires to go to Council Bluffs by automobile, the proper way for him to do is to ship his car to the first station beyond the Bluffs, unload it and come through the town from the east. Otherwise, he is going to be arrested," said C. J. Lane, general freight agent of the Union Pacific, after paying a fine assessed up by the police judge of Council Bluffs and balancing his cash account. "Still, I suppose they need the money and that is why, over in Council Bluffs, they arrest every Omaha man they see driving an automobile. It is like this: "From the east end of the wagon bridge all the way up town the Bluffs authorities have been stationed, whose sole business seems to be to arrest Omaha automobilists. These officers are disguised as farmers, tramps, laborers and duds. Secreted in the high grass and in the bushes, they have motorcycles, Fords and all kind of contraptions. If they see a car pass east, regardless of the speed at which the machine is going, they start out on the driver and run him down. They work in relays and by the time an Omaha driver reaches Pearl street he is being trailed by all the way from six to a dozen of these officers. He is taken to police court and sworn into paying a fine, regard-

less of the speed at which he has been going." During the last week, Mr. Lane has made two automobile trips to Council Bluffs. During this period he has been called before the police judge twice and each time he has paid a fine for speeding. Now he says he is through going to the Iowa town in an automobile.

Bridge Guards Ordered to Prepare for Prompt Removal

Company B of the Fourth Nebraska, which has been guarding one of the Omaha railway bridges for several months, has been ordered to pack up their supplies and be ready to move promptly. The soldiers do not know whether they will leave for Fort Crook or Deming, N. M.

Knocked from His Bike When He Hits Curb

John O'Connor, 2718 Capitol avenue, suffered painful injuries when his bicycle collided with an alley corner at No. 3 fire engine house, Ninth and Harney streets. He is messenger for the Robert Dempster company. No bones were broken.

NIXATED The Power behind the Strong Iron of Today. Dr. Ferdinand King, a New York City Physician and Medical Author, says: "There can be no strong, vigorous, iron men nor beautiful, healthy, rosy-cheeked women without Iron—Nuxated Iron taken three times per day after meals will increase the strength and endurance of weak, nervous, run-down folks 100 per cent in two weeks' time in many instances. Avoid the old forms of metallic iron which may injure the teeth, corrode the stomach, and thereby do more harm than good. Take only organic iron—Nuxated Iron." It is dispensed in this city by Sherman & McConnell Drug Stores and all good druggists.

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. "EVERYBODY'S STORE" Monday, July 30, 1917. STORE NEWS FOR TUESDAY. Phone D. 137. \$1 Dollar Day. A Day of Thrift in These Times of High Cost of Living—Every Section of This Big Service Store Contributes Extreme Values in Merchandise of Practical and Wanted Sorts. Trimmings, \$1.00. American Prints, \$1.00. Reception Voile, \$1.00. Lunch Sets, \$1.00. Dresser Scarfs, \$1.00. Pillows, 2 for \$1.00. Door Mats, \$1.00. Kimona Silk, \$1.00. Dress Patterns, \$1.00. Dress Gingham, \$1.00. Towels, 6 for \$1.00. Table Cloths, \$1.00. White Pumps, \$1.00. Ankle Ties, \$1.00. Tub Silks, \$1.00. Fiber Cases, \$1.00. Croquet Sets, \$1.00. Summer Corsets, \$1.00. Brassieres, 2 for \$1.00. Hose, 12 for \$1.00. Union Suits, 2 for \$1.00. Shirts, 3 for \$1.00. Hose, 5 Pair, \$1.00. Wash Ties, 5 for \$1.00. Union Suits, \$1.00. House Dresses, \$1.00. Hair Brush, \$1.00. Cap and Bag, \$1.00. Appleju, 5 bottles, \$1.00. French Ivory, \$1.00. Drug Specials, \$1.00. Victor Records, \$1.00. Glasses, 12 for \$1.00. Tumblers, 6 for \$1.00. Canning Outfit, \$1.00. Kitchen Jars, \$1.00. Water Set, \$1.00. Aluminum Pan, \$1.00. Mop Outfit, \$1.00. Step Stools, \$1.00.

Proclamation! In Keeping With Our Policy TUESDAY, JULY 31 Shall Be Known and Recognized As COURTESY DAY THIS day has been set apart as the time when you are privileged to come to our store and view, in advance of the sale which starts Wednesday, August 1st, the splendid merchandise which we have arranged for your inspection and which will be offered in our Third Annual August Sale of Furs At Prices That Represent Savings of 20% to 33 1/2% Under What They Will Have to Sell for in September. If you so wish, you can make your selections and give orders for such pieces as you will want sent home August 1st, these advance orders to date as of August 1st. BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. "EVERYBODY'S STORE"