

Brief City News

Start Boot First in New Season... Metal dies, presswork, Jubilee Mfg. Co. Elec. Fans, \$1.50—Burgess-Granden.

Play the No. 35—Conch... The Empress Garden, amidst pleasant surroundings, music and entertainment.

Drill Team Picnic—D. F. F. drill team will hold a picnic at Hibbler's park next Sunday.

Daughters of Israel Picnic—The Daughters of Israel Aid society will give a picnic Sunday afternoon and evening at Hibbler's park.

Band Concert Sunday—A municipal band concert will be given in Hanscom park Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30.

Buy a Watermelon—Car just in. Cheaper and better than ever before this season.

Farewell Concert—Henry W. Thornton will give a farewell concert before leaving for Deming, N. M., with the "Dandy Sixth."

Need Rural Carrier—A civil service examination for the position of rural carrier for Douglas county will be held in the federal building.

New England Dinner—Mrs. R. H. Lawrie will serve a New England dinner at the lawn social she is giving at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Smith.

To Give a Lawn Social—Holy Family church will give a lawn social on the church grounds at Seventeenth and Iard streets, Tuesday evening.

John T. Bell's Reminiscence Book about Omaha and Omaha men is out and on sale at local bookstores.

Does Not Ask Exemption—Captain Frank Whipperman of Company C, Sixth Nebraska, is not among those claiming exemption.

Report Steady Demand for Homes in Minne Lusa... Charles W. Martin reports a steady demand for homes in the north part of the city.

H. B. Ochltree, bungalow at 2425 Vane street, for a home, \$3,500.

H. O. Larimer, bungalow at 2019 Newport avenue, for a home, \$3,500.

J. D. Youngman, two-story house at 2749 Redick avenue, for a home, \$6,000.

M. E. Blackett, bungalow at 2363 Mary street, \$4,150.

L. E. Hutton, two-story house at 1822 Locust street, for a home, \$4,000.

J. J. Troxell, stucco home at 6816 North twenty-fourth street, \$5,000.

J. O. Quick, two-story house at 2435 Crown Point avenue, \$4,500.

C. W. Watts, two-story house at 2447 Heuman street, for a home, \$4,500.

A. W. Kelley, bungalow at 3930 Fowler street, for a home, \$3,000.

P. S. Mellinger, two-story house at 2740 Newport avenue, \$4,200.

Peter P. Murray, two-story house at 1919 Blue street, \$3,500.

William H. Miller, cottage at 2620 Brown street, for a home, \$2,650.

A. E. Steiner, one-and-a-half-story bungalow home at 2851 Whitmore street, \$4,500.

Guy Thomas, two-story house at 3263 Redick avenue, for a home, \$5,000.

O. B. Avery, two-story home at 2720 Newport avenue, for a home, \$3,200.

George Thompson, bungalow home at 2359 Whitmore street, \$4,150.

Joseph Purner, bungalow at 2392 Vane street, for a home, \$3,500.

F. E. Batchelor, one-and-a-half-story house at 2816 Vane street, \$4,000.

L. G. Lowry, two-story house at 2556 Newport avenue, \$5,000.

Clan Gordon Holds Annual Picnic at Lakeview Park... Scotch songs, Scotch dances, Scotch costumes and Scotch brogue were all in evidence Saturday afternoon.

The folks brought baskets of edibles and all were put together for the big "feed."

The exhibition of dancing included the Highland fling, sword dance and Scotch reel.

Of course, Major George McDougall, piper of the clan, was on hand with his bagpipes, upon which he played with his usual skill and energy.

The evening was given over to dancing, boating, swimming and watching the moving pictures.

The picnic committee consisted of Robert Galt, R. G. Watson, W. Hislop, Dave Cathro, Albert Falconer, Alex McKie and James Henderson.

Omaha Ambulance Corps Opens New Headquarters... The Omaha Ambulance company has opened up new headquarters at 404 South Fifteenth street.

The first of the week first aid drills will be started. A mess table is on the way.

They expect to get their ambulances Tuesday and their stretchers Friday.

Omaha Police Asked to Find Missing Wyoming Boy... Police have been requested to locate Burdette Wright, 16 years old, who disappeared from his home at Upton, Wyo., two weeks ago.

Two unknown men are said to have left with him. Wright's mother told the police that she received a postcard sent from someone in Omaha wanting the boy's address.

He is dark complexioned, has brown eyes and weighs 125 pounds.

Commission Two Omaha Men in Coast Artillery... John J. Hannigan, jr., and Isaac Carpenter, jr., both of Omaha, have been commissioned second lieutenants in the coast artillery.

According to word reaching Omaha yesterday, Hannigan has been at Fort Logan H. Root, while Carpenter was at Fort Snelling.

The men probably will be stationed at Fortress Monroe.

TO FILE BIG SUIT OVER OMAHA ARREST

One Chicago Firm Prepares to Start Action Against Another Because of Charges Against Goodwin.

A \$50,000 damage suit is being prepared in Chicago to clear the name of H. I. Goodwin, tea and coffee salesman, who was arrested in Lincoln, August 5, and married the next day in Omaha on a charge of embezzlement.

There was not sufficient evidence of embezzlement to make it possible for the C. D. Gregg company, which preferred the charge, to have Goodwin removed to Chicago for trial, and now the R. S. Fraser company of Chicago, his present employer, are suing the Gregg company for \$50,000 for the damages claimed to have been caused the company and Goodwin by causing his arrest in Omaha, Goodwin says.

Last January Goodwin left the employ of the C. D. Gregg and Coffee Co. of Chicago, and entered the employ of the R. S. Fraser Tea and Coffee Co. of Chicago. The Fraser company paid him nearly \$50 a week more than the Gregg people, according to Goodwin who is in Omaha now.

He says he took nearly 2,500 accounts away from the old company for the new, because he was a hustling salesman. This, he says, "made the Gregg people sore," and they wrote to him repeatedly that if he did not stop breaking into their field of customers they would hurt him.

"I did not know what they intended to do until I got married," said Goodwin. "When I got married they came to the front and framed up these embezzlement charges against me. If I was an embezzler why didn't they arrest me last January after I left them? They knew where I was all the time. They knew where to find me whenever they wanted to write me a threatening letter."

Drew Commissions. "The fact is I drew my commissions from them for a lot of orders I had taken which they could not fill in time. That was regular enough. I sold the stuff, and it was not my fault that they could not fill the orders. But they used the fact that I got commissions on these orders as an excuse to bring a case of embezzlement against me."

Mr. Goodwin's bride went back to her parents in Lincoln when the arrest was made in Omaha. Goodwin immediately wrote the Fraser people, his present employers. They looked into the affair and he now has a letter from them in which they say they have gone to the bottom of the case, and are preparing a \$50,000 suit against the Greggs for the trouble they have caused them and their salesmen. Attorney Yates and Lones of Omaha are handling the local end of the case for Goodwin.

Urges Foreign-Born Women To Become Naturalized

The department of naturalization of the women's committee of the Nebraska State Council of Defense is doing its utmost to encourage foreign-born women of the state to become naturalized citizens of the United States. "A matter of duty, both to the country whose privileges she enjoys and to herself and her family, foreign-born women should become naturalized citizens of the United States," said Dr. Olga Stastny, chairman of the department of naturalization for women, Saturday night. "It is the least such a woman can do to prove her fidelity to the country whose protection and privileges she enjoys."

"Backed by her United States citizenship, she strengthens her standing in the community, puts herself beyond all suspicion as a spy, and claims for herself and offspring the protection of the laws of the United States."

Dr. Stastny urged all women whose husbands are unaturalized, and who consequently cannot claim United States citizenship until their husbands take out their papers, to urge their husbands to become naturalized at once.

Several Reported by Payne Investment Company... The Payne Investment company reports the following sales in the last few weeks:

William Griffith traded a section of Bancroft land at \$5,000 for a property at Valley.

Mr. Alexander sold his place on Emmet street to Walter Byles.

Frank Weare sold his place on Hartman avenue to Walter Blackette.

J. E. Nordstrom traded his property in Kountze Place for a farm in Iowa.

Mrs. Sprague sold her property in Miller Park to Mr. O'Keefe.

Mr. Blumquist sold his property in Epworth Place to Mr. Morley.

William McQuire purchased a property in Kountze Place.

Hold Truck Driver for Theft of Automobile... William Slyter, truck driver for Thomas Kilpatrick & Co., was arrested by Detective Denbaum yesterday afternoon, charged with grand larceny.

He confessed to the theft two weeks ago of an automobile belonging to Sam Cohen, assistant superintendent of Brandeis stores. The car was recovered two miles east of Council Bluffs.

Belden Unable to Go East With His Buyers... Charles C. Belden of the firm of Thompson & Belden, who was to have gone east yesterday with a corps of buyers for his store, was delayed because of a slight illness.

He hopes to be recovered sufficiently in a few days so that he may make the trip and meet his buyers there.

HYMENEAL. Jones-Jones. Annel Jones of Wynore and Miss Margaret Jones were married at the home of the bride at Barrett, Kan., Rev. David Edwards of Lake Crystal, Minn., officiating. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Kansas Agricultural college and is farm demonstrator of Jewell county, Kansas, with headquarters at Mankato.

PERSONAL MENTION. Raymond G. Young and son left yesterday on a motor trip to Lake Okoboji. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Copley left last night for the same place. They will be absent about three weeks.

BeWant Ads Produce Results.

The Bee's Free Milk and Ice Fund

A Fairbury (Neb.) contributor to the fund writes, "My own baby owes its life to pure milk and plenty of ice."

This woman realizes that the importance of the work that The Bee's fund does in bringing many babies of the very poor through the critical summer heat.

Contributors to this fund can feel that they have saved the lives of little ones. That's a pleasant thing to feel.

Table listing contributors and amounts: Bring or send any sum from 10 cents to \$5 to The Bee office. Previously acknowledged \$325.33. Methodist Epworth League, Chadron, Neb., 3.75. R. P. M., 5.00. Elsie Peterson, Cedar Rapids, Neb., 1.00. C. O. Lobeck, 5.00. Mrs. E. C. Smith, Fairbury, Neb., 1.00. No Name, 5.00. Total \$346.08.

BIG BARBECUE FOR MERCHANTS' WEEK

Visitors Will Be Shown Big Time Around Omaha; Prizes Given in the Contests.

Even a barbecue at Krug park is among the entertainments planned for the visiting merchants who come to Omaha during the fall merchants market week August 20 to 23.

Extraordinary committees have been organized by the planter of wholesale and manufacturers, who have been in session constantly preparing the program of entertainment. The program this year provides for four days' entertainment instead of three, as heretofore.

Will Visit Ak-Sar-Ben. On Monday all of the guests will assemble at the Commercial club. The men will be taken on special cars to the Ak-Sar-Ben Den, the ladies will be entertained by a special committee at one of the local theaters.

Tuesday evening a buffet supper and dance will be held at the Field club. Supper will be served about 7 p. m., and dancing will commence at 8 and continue until 11.

Wednesday's entertainment includes a comic athletic contest and gift distribution at Happy Hollow club. On that day all guests will assemble at the Commercial club, where special cars will be provided to take them to Happy Hollow grounds. Over \$500 worth of prizes will be awarded in the various contests. Buffet supper will be served, to be followed by dancing.

On Thursday, the barbecue at Krug park will be the order of the day. This is the final entertainment of the week and gifts and prizes to the value of considerably over \$1,000 will be given to the visiting merchants and their wives.

The first prize awarded will be a 1917 Ford touring car. The second prize is a round trip ticket to Yellowstone park, including hotel accommodations for five days, stage trip, etc. The third prize will be one round trip ticket to California, via the Union Pacific railway.

Other prizes are five \$50 Liberty bonds for the ladies and five bonds to be given to the men. If the winners of the excursion trip tickets do not desire to make the trip, they will receive the cash equivalent value of the ticket, if they prefer. The prize drawing feature is confined only to visiting merchants and their families. All contestants for these gifts must register at the Commercial club on Thursday between the hours of 8:30 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Hundred Prizes for Street Railway Picnic... The thirteenth annual picnic of the 1,500 employees and families of the Omaha and Council Bluffs Street Railway company will be held on Saturday, August 18th, 1917, at Lake Manawa.

This picnic is believed to be the largest affair of its kind in the city and will require sixteen cars to convey the crowd to the park.

An elaborate program has been prepared including a number of original events for which over 100 expensive prizes will be awarded. These prizes will be open to employees and their families only.

While the employees did not believe that the picnic should this year be abolished on account of conditions, they did decide to curtail expenses so far as possible. Instead of decorating the picnic cars, as has been done in past years, with a view to competing for prizes, they will this year carry out a scheme of patriotic decorations including American and allied nations flags.

Street railway officials have co-operated with the employees to such an extent in the matter of this picnic, that they have made it possible for the employees to spend the day at Lake Manawa insofar as they could be spared from their work without seriously interfering with the service. Employees not able to attend during the day, will be taken care of at the park when they arrive during the evening.

Cooks Are Needed for Cantonment Camp... Wanted—Fifty cooks from Omaha for the army cantonment camp at Des Moines.

Apply John F. Letton, general manager of North American Hotel company; Bankers Realty company, Bee building; or W. D. Miller, Rome hotel. Mr. Letton and Mr. Miller were yesterday appointed by Joseph Beifeld of the Hotel Sherman, Chicago, to aid the government in obtaining cooks for the cantonment camp of the Thirtieth district. Mr. Beifeld is chairman of the national committee to furnish cooks for the United States army.

Cooks are not required to enlist, but will be employed as civilians to help train future cooks in the cantonment camp at Des Moines. Their services are needed only until October 1. They will do more instructing than actual cooking.

Class A cooks will be paid \$125 a month, with free board and lodging. Class B cooks will be paid \$90, with free board and lodging.

The government will furnish transportation to and from the cantonment camp.



Doane College Notes.

Among the former students and graduates who came to Crete to attend the funeral of Prof. J. S. Brown were: H. C. Goodrich, '15; L. B. Brown, Bay F. Nedrow, '17; Misses C. B. Brown, L. B. Brown, Leah Dewey, Fremont; Misses Ethel Smith, '02, and Selma Taylor, and Trustee C. C. Smith, '87; E. E. Arnold, '16, Beatrice; County Treasurer Otton Kubicki, '39; Mrs. May B. Avery, '91, Lincoln; Dr. C. E. Brown, '92, Omaha. Other friends from Lincoln were: Miss Maria Hall, Prof. G. L. Swozey, Rev. H. B. Brown and Rev. and Mrs. S. I. Hanford.

Mrs. Della Avastar Holze, '88, and daughter, Harriet, of Sioux City, Ia., are visiting at the Avastar home in Crete. Another daughter, Mrs. R. Stiller, and children, from Minneapolis, are also visiting in Crete. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Davis, '91 and '95, recs. from the Philippine Islands where they taught in the agricultural college at Los Banos, visited over Sunday with Prof. J. N. Bennett and family. They are visiting during their month in Lawrence, Kan.

Prof. Anderson will go later to Lincoln to receive his degree from that school and has been in Hastings the last few days.

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Which School?

Yankton College.

Yankton College announces a few faculty appointments and changes for the coming year. Miss Mabel H. McMurtry will have charge of the work in domestic science, Miss McMurtry will be remembered as having been a freshman at Yankton College in 1910-11 and as instructor in domestic science in the Summer school last year. She received her degree of bachelor of science at the University of Wisconsin in the Windsor township high school.

After eight years of efficient service Miss Tennent has been granted leave of absence and she will spend the year in absence from Yankton. She is a graduate and post-graduate of Knox Conservatory and has had six years of very successful teaching experience in the Madison city schools, and at DeForest, Wisconsin, in the Windsor township high school.

Miss Anna Gordon of the Conservatory class of 1917, has been retained as instructor in piano and pipe organ. In the absence of Miss Tennent, Miss Gordon will act as organist at the congregational church for the coming year.

St. Joseph's Academy.

The opening of the fall semester at St. Joseph's academy will find completed various improvements made within the academy grounds. The natural spring located on the southern campus has been recently cemented and converted into an ideal drinking fountain. The natural spring located on the southern campus has been recently cemented and converted into an ideal drinking fountain. The natural spring located on the southern campus has been recently cemented and converted into an ideal drinking fountain.

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