

SOUTH SIDE

SMITH FORECASTS BIG CATTLE AND SHEEP RECEIPTS

Union Stock Yards Traffic
Man Gives Rosy View of
Crop and Live Stock
Conditions.

Carl A. Smith, traffic manager of the Union Stock Yards company, has issued a statement relative to the anticipated heavy run of cattle and sheep at the South Side market this season. The statement, which is based on the government crop report for July, follows:

"Contrary to the general belief, pastures in Nebraska are in fairly good condition, and while there is a shortage of alfalfa, the outlook for an abundant crop of prairie hay and the fact that a good share of last year's prairie hay is still on hand, owing to carriers having an embargo on hay, will easily offset the shortage of alfalfa. Also with the great amount of roughage from the large crop of small grain and the large corn crop which is evident, there will be an unprecedented demand for live stock feeders in this territory for cattle and sheep this fall."

"Naturally, it is expected the greatest amount of feeder stock will be marketed within the district that is producing a vast amount of grain and well as all interested at the South Omaha yards, feel confident that the fact that this market is located in the center of the corn belt, and the increase in freight rates to the other large markets and limited train service east and south of the Missouri river, will cause a demand at the South Omaha market during the entire shipping season for all classes of feeder live stock that has never been equalled."

"It is the desire of the government that live stock be marketed at its nearest market, thus relieving traffic conditions, and to this end the federal authorities have established zones from which live stock may be shipped to markets east of the Missouri river and south of Omaha."

"In view of the increased production of cattle and sheep, and resultant heavy receipts from the range country, this season the Union Stock Yards company has spared no expense in improving the facilities at this market by building new pens, adding new scales and changing the entire arrangement of the fat cattle and feeder cattle divisions of the yards."

Young Girl Injured

When Struck by Auto
Nellie Muchan, 8 years old, 5309 South Thirty-second street, was severely bruised Friday night, when struck by an automobile driven by Frank Coast, 5210 South Thirty-second street.

Witnesses said Coast lost control of the machine, which crashed over the curb and onto the sidewalk at Thirty-second and R streets. Coast stopped his car and attempted to aid the injured child, but sped away when he was threatened by an angry crowd, which quickly gathered.

The child was attended by Dr. Koenig and taken home. Coast was later arrested on a charge of reckless driving, and the case was continued to July 22, pending the outcome of the child's injuries.

South Sid Brevities

Friday, Dorothy Dalton, in "Love Me." Saturday, Billy West, in "The Messenger," also "A Man From Nowhere." Big Bill Hart, at the Bee, with a host of other stars. Today's star, W. S. Hart, in "The Desert Man." Monday, Douglas Fairbanks, in "Reaching for the Moon," also, "The Eagle's Eye." Tuesday, Viola Dana, in "Riders of the Night." I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by my wife after July 13, 1918. Jacob G. Haggard. Telephone South 999 and order a case of Ona or Leatonade the healthful, refreshing Home Beverage, delivered to your residence Omaha Beverage Co.

MODERN SOUTH SIDE HOTEL PLAN LOOMS

Growth of Packing Industry
Sufficient Warrant for Re-
viving Talk of Expen-
sive Hostelery.

That the much-moted project of building a modern fireproof hotel on the South Side may become a realization after the war, is indicated by the revival of interest in the proposition shown by South Side business men.

John J. Gamble, chairman of the executive committee of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce, touched upon the matter in a speech at the good fellowship meeting at the Exchange building recently. Since that time the matter has been widely discussed, and a number of South Side business men have expressed hearty approval of the plan. It is said that a modern fireproof hotel of 100 or more rooms would furnish ample accommodation for the farmers and stockmen who regularly patronize the South Side market. The visitors are now compelled to seek such accommodations in the uptown hotels.

Gerrymander Creates New Candidates For County Commissioner

The redistricting of the county commissioner districts of Douglas county by the commissioners last Wednesday has been followed by a half-dozen filings of candidates for the board of commissioners.

Dr. James P. Connolly, a member of the board some years ago, has filed for the Second district as a democrat. He will oppose the present incumbent, Sophus Nebel, in the primaries. Nebel was appointed to fill the place left vacant by John Lynch, who was ousted some months ago. Nebel has also filed for re-election.

Adam Sloup is another democrat from the Second district who wants to take advantage of the recent gerrymander. He has also filed.

Henry S. McDonald, present commissioner from the First district, has filed for the republican nomination. Charles Unitt has filed for the republican nomination from the Fifth district.

Sues Light Company for Shock From Fallen Wire

Electric light wires sagging from the poles until they almost touched the ground may cost the Omaha and Lincoln Railway and Light company \$20,000 if Robert Johnson wins his damage suit against the company.

Johnson says that the company's wires near Louisville, Neb., a year ago were allowed to sag to within a foot of the ground across a path leading to a sand lake a mile outside of the town. They were concealed in the weeds, he says. He stumbled over them and his right hand and his body and face came in contact with the wires. He was unable to release himself for over 20 minutes, until he was discovered by a passerby and the company's power house at Louisville notified to turn off the power.

Johnson alleges that he was confined for two months in the county hospital as a result of his injuries and that his hand and body are so burned that he is unable to work. He has also lost 50 pounds in weight, he says.

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Charge Three Newsboys Brutally Assaulted Two Smaller Ones on Street

Complaints were filed yesterday against Harry Margolis, Sam Ziegman and Benny Seavio in police court charging them with assault and battery. All are employed by the News Zeigman, its chief of newsboy staff, has been arrested on several occasions.

The victims of the assault are Harry Epstein, 2055 North Nineteenth street, and Harry Reinstein, 2518 Decatur street, both of whom were badly beaten up.

Following the assaults, committed on two successive days, the News employes hurled defiance at bystanders who protested at their brutality in mauling small boys.

Henry M. Lovell, an insurance man, with offices in the Bee building, is complainant in one of the cases. "Two men came up to the corner on a motorcycle and one jumped out of the machine and seized the papers from the boy on the corner, and tore them in two, meanwhile threatening and cursing the boy," said Mr. Lovell. An Omaha News truck drove up shortly after and the man on the motorcycle ordered one of the men to jump off and beat up the boy on the street, which he did.

No arrests have yet been made.

West Ambler

Mrs. Lena Waters arrived this week from Malvern, Ia., to spend the summer with her brother, T. W. Smith, and wife in West Side.

Virl King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur King, West Pierce street, left Monday with his class of Boy Scouts for camp at Lake Quinnebaugh, Ia., for a two weeks' drill and outing.

Miss Sarah Givens and sister, Mrs. Albert Dowling, and Mrs. J. A. Miller were week end guests of Mrs. Louis Armstrong in the Millard road.

Miss Marie Carlsen arrived home from West Point, Neb., Friday and will spend a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Ole Carlson, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harmon are the proud parents of a 12-pound boy, who arrived Thursday afternoon. He has been christened Arthur H. They are to be congratulated on a trio of boys now as well as girls. Mr. Hammond is janitor of Beal's school.

Lyle Jackson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson of West Poppleton street, has joined the colors and will report at Fort Dodge, Ia., August 1. He has been for a long time a valuable employe at the First National bank. He will be accompanied by his lifelong chum, Harry Huntington, city salesman of Armour & Co.

Alfred and Hans Hansen returned Monday from Nora, Neb., where they spent a week with their cousin, Mrs. Jane Johnson, and daughter, Miss Esther, on the ranch.

Rev. Logan Pruitt arrived Tuesday from the theological college at Boston, Mass., to spend his summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pruitt, and sister, Miss Effie.

Grandma J. H. Bonewitz, from near Florence, is spending the month of July with her granddaughter, Mrs. Maggie Thompson Spier, and husband in West Side.

Mrs. William McMurray is recovering nicely from a serious operation at Nicholas Senn hospital.

Mrs. W. L. Conn had as her house guests the past week Mrs. B. Fordyce, Mrs. A. C. Kugel and grandchildren and Anna Margaret Conn.

Mrs. C. J. Roberts entertained the Frances Willard Woman's Christian Temperance union at her home in Eckerman Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Hensman were week-end guests of their daughter, Mrs. Frank S. Thomas, and family, on South Side.

Arthur Gaham left Tuesday evening for New York, where he will join the navy. Mrs. Graham accompanied him to the metropolis, where she will spend the summer.

Harry Gibson has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gibson. He returned the last of the week to his home at Waterloo, Ia.

Miss Violet King joined Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Green at their cottage at Lake Manawa on Thursday for a week-end outing.

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Insurance Order Says Applicant Falsified

On the charge that Carey L. Nicholas falsified his application for insurance in the Knights and Ladies of Security, the national council of the order is appealing to the supreme court of the state the judgment of the

district court requiring a payment to Gertrude Nicholas of the \$1,900 insurance of her husband.

M. O. Cunningham, attorney for the order, says that Nicholas in his application for insurance neglected to state that his sister died of tuberculosis. He died afterwards of the same disease, Cunningham says.

Barathea Class of Hanscom Park M. E. Church Has Picnic

The Barathea class of the Hanscom Park Methodist Episcopal church held a picnic Friday evening in Hanscom park, more than 50 members of the class being present. A very enjoyable evening was

spent after the big spread of refreshments in playing games.

Merle Taylor, who is president of the class, proves himself to be a very efficient man for the place, for which he recently has been elected. The class is composed of more than 70 members.

HOMEFURNISHING BUYERS HARTMAN'S SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

STARTS MONDAY AT 8:30 A. M., SHARP, AND MEANS A REALLY WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE MONEY ON FINE FURNITURE, RUGS, CARPETS, ETC.

FALL SHIPMENTS ARE ON THE WAY—We must make room for them, so it is necessary to dispose at once of floor samples, odd lots, discontinued patterns, etc.; all high-grade merchandise—priced so low that it will move quickly during this sale.

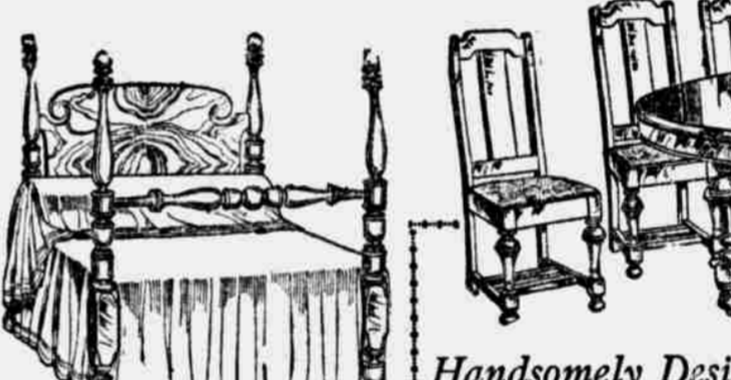
SPECIAL EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS ARRANGED ON ANY PURCHASE—IF DESIRED

Veranda and Sun Room Furniture

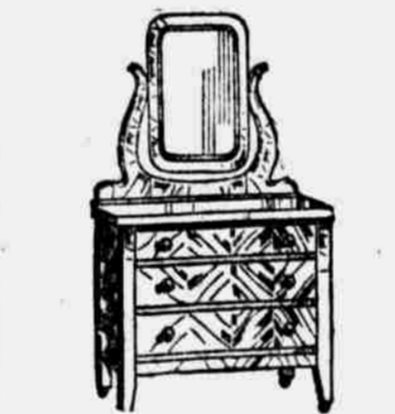
in Reed and Fiber Sharply
Reduced for Quick
Clearance

SPLENDID SELECTIONS of choice reed and fibre summer furniture at savings of from 10 per cent to 25 per cent; all the newest pieces in brown, green and ivory. A few pieces, selected at random, listed below that you may realize that this is a real clearance of Hartman's high-class furnishings:

- Ivory 72-inch Top Davenport Table; splendid value at \$35.00
- Brown or natural reed, round top table; only \$6.25
- Ivory flower-stand, fitted with galvanized tank; special, \$5.45
- Fibre Reed Sewing Basket, in natural or brown finish, \$6.05
- Fibre Reed Porch Settee, horizontal brown finish, at \$10.89
- Comfortable, Roomy Rocker to match \$5.75
- Strongly-made Brown Reed Rocker; leather cushions \$10.69
- Frosted Brown Tapestry-covered Chair, only \$15.75
- Fibre Reed Desk with quarter-sawn oak top; natural finish; only \$15.00
- Strongly-built Desk Chair to match \$7.75
- Four-wheeled Padded Fibre Teawagon \$17.89
- Artistic Design Ivory Chaise Lounges, covered with cretonne; only \$41.65
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ELEGANT, MAHOAGANY, 4-POSTER BED—Your choice of select dull-brown mahogany or American walnut; head-end stands 6-ft. high; foot-end in proportion; superbly finished and splendid built; sale price, only.....\$25.75



COLONIAL DRESSER—Built of solid oak and finished golden; has large 38-inch plank top, fitted with three round drawers; French bevel plate mirror; well made throughout; exceptional value, at.....\$10.35



RECLINING BACK, REED BABY CARRIAGE—Splendidly finished in different colors with interior upholstery to match; large, rubber-tired wheels; flexible spring; large sunshade; clearance sale price.....\$18.89



A STRONGLY-BUILT, FIBRE REED ROCKER—In a new and pleasing design; has spring cushion seat, covered in figured cretonne; high, comfortable back; roomy seat; finished in baronial brown; suitable for sunroom or porch; price, only.....\$7.98

Stirring Clearance Sale of All Rugs

Reductions on Superb
Rugs of Every
Desirable Size, Pattern
and Coloring

WILTONS, TAPESTRY BRUSSELS, WILTON VELVETS, GRASS AND FIBRE RUGS of every quality, in the sizes, patterns and colorings you want are here, at clearance sale reductions that truly merit hearty appreciation.

- 10-6x13-6 Bagdad Brussels Rug; special value \$62.50
- 9x12 Royal Dresden Wilton Rug; only \$59.50
- 9x12 Seamless Royal Wilton Rug... \$45.89
- 9x12 Seamless Tapestry Brussels Rug, at \$21.95
- 8-6x11 Velvet Rug, splendid value \$19.95
- 9x12 Seamless Velvet Rug, splendid pattern \$32.50
- 9x12 Heavy Axminster Rug, only \$34.45
- Grass and Wool Fiber Patch Rugs
- 6x9 Grass Rug.....\$6.48
- 9x12 Grass Rug.....\$9.50
- 9x12 Grass Rug.....\$11.59
- 9x12 Wool Fibra Rug.....\$12.75
- 12x12 Mozart Art Rug.....\$16.68



A BEAUTIFUL DRESSER, in the Louis XVI design; built of selected walnut; has 42x21-inch base, and is fitted with 30x24-inch mirror; all drawers are dust-proof constructed and are fitted with antique metal drawer pulls; artistically ornamented; specially priced, at.....\$36.85



A SPLENDID VALUE in a well-built gentleman's wardrobe chifonier; clothes compartment fitted with sliding coat and trouser-hanger; five roomy drawers; handy collar and tie compartment; built of hard wood and finished in imitation quartered oak; polished golden; price, only.....\$16.27



ALL-METAL COLLAPSIBLE FOLDING GO-CART—Complete with hood, heavy rubber-tire wheels, adjustable back; frame construction; easily folded with one motion; covered in leatherette; price, only.....\$8.05



ARTISTICALLY-DESIGNED solid oak, mission style, Den or Library Set—Built throughout of selected, solid oak; splendidly finished; chair and rocker are upholstered in high-grade, imitation Spanish leather over steel springs; large size library table fitted with magazine racks at either end; a whole room full of fine furniture, priced for this week, at.....\$19.80

HARTMAN'S

413, 15, 17 South 16th Street

Resolution of Soda Water Bottlers

Whereas, The Bureau of Chemistry, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., has ruled that Saccharin (which is a coal tar product) has no food value and is considered to be deleterious to health,

Therefore, Be It Resolved--

By the Soda Water Bottlers of the City of Omaha that Saccharin be not used in the manufacture of Soda Water and that we favor the strict enforcement of the Nebraska Law which prohibits its use and urge the prosecution of anyone violating this law.

Old-Time Newsboys to Picnic at Manawa Today

All old-time newsboys are invited to the newsboys' picnic at Lake Manawa today. They are also invited to bring the family along. The committee on arrangements announces a parade at noon and the visitors are invited to join in at Sixteenth and Farnam streets at the noon hour and then take cars across the river. There will be games, and races and fun for everybody.

For every person who ever opened his lungs and hollered "Extra" there will be plenty to eat and a good time guaranteed to all.

Omaha Boy Wounded In France Recovering

Private Robert Kutak, Omaha boy recently reported wounded, is in Paris recovering, according to a letter received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Kutak, 1721 South Twelfth street. The wound is a severe one in the right shoulder and was received in an engagement June 3. Kutak has been in the trenches since November, arriving with the first detachment of American infantry. The wound seems to be healing rapidly.