

# START SOON ON BIG GRANDSTAND FOR AK-SAR-BEN

Exposition to Be Ready for Great Western Circuit Races In September—Break Ground in Spring.

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The Great Western circuit comprises the following state fairs: Sedalia, Mo., August 16-21; Springfield, Ill., August 23-28; Milwaukee, August 30-September 4; Des Moines, August 30-September 4; Haniine, Minn., September 6-11.

## Nebraska Recruits To Be Assigned to Seventh Division

Following the plan of the United States army, as announced several days ago in The Bee, to promote a closer relationship between the army and general public, and stimulate traditional and friendly contacts between the civilian citizen and the soldier, through the allocation of the various army units throughout the country, yesterday advice was received from Washington that the units soon would be selected for Nebraska and Iowa.

One regiment of infantry and one of field artillery, to be designated by the commanding general, Seventh division, Fifth engineers, Second cavalry, will be allocated to Nebraska.

## Native of Ecuador in Army Dies at Fort Omaha

The first death at Fort Omaha for eight months occurred at 9 yesterday morning, when Pvt. George Garcia of the 14th balloon company succumbed to pneumonia.

The consul of Ecuador in New York City has been notified of the death and has cabled to notify the soldiers' relatives.

## Name Administrators of the Estate of Late Peter Iler

The First Trust company and Frances Campbell have been named administrators of the estate of Peter Iler, former owner of the Willow Springs Distillery.

## Girl Baby Wins First \$100 Bonus Given by Bank Firm

On January 1, Kriebel & Co., investment bankers, 137 South La-Salle street, Chicago, announced that a check for \$100 would be awarded to each child born to an employee of the firm during the year.

## Receives Diplomas for Gold Star War Relatives

Diplomas for the nearest relatives of soldiers killed in the world war have been received by Maj. W. A. Cavanaugh, of the local recruiting office.

## South Side South Side Planing Mill, Old Landmark, Destroyed by Fire

Flames, presumed to have started from the engine room, totally destroyed the Bates planing mill, 5021 South Twenty-sixth street, yesterday. The fire started about 11:30, gaining momentum in the piles of dry lumber in and around the mill.

The mill is located on the edge of the packing house district, directly across the street from a warehouse of the Morris Packing Co., whose private fire department mobilized at the warehouse prepared to keep the flames from igniting the building, which contains \$300,000 worth of summer sausage.

The loss is about \$10,000, according to C. S. Bates, owner.

Numerous frame houses in the neighborhood were seriously threatened for several hours.

## Seniors Plan Play

The play "Merely Mary Ann" will be given by the senior class of the South Side High school Tuesday evening with the following cast: Laurence, Andrew Waite; Mr. Peter, Thomas Farris; Rev. Samuel Smede, Dean Steele; O'Gorman, James Henry; Jim Playles, Harry Pech; Lord, Tottingham, Urban Curtis; Howard, Harold Bradley; Merely, Mary Ann, by both Olga Kadavy and Hazel Hibbard; Mrs. Leadbatter, Marguerite Hester; Sisters Trippett, Leone Carpenter and Isabel Zigman; Rosy, Florence Bronder; Lady Chelmar, Ethel Harlan; Lady Gladys, Tottingham, Ruth Alsworth; Lady Glyn, Esther Hickson; Caroline, Countess of Foxwell, Clara Henn.

## Baccalaureate Service

The first number of the South Side High commencement exercises will be the baccalaureate service at the school auditorium tonight at 8, with the following program: Professional, class of 1920; invocation, Rev. R. L. Wheeler; song, "Whispering Hope," junior and senior high school girls' chorus; scriptural reading, Rev. Charles F. Holler; sermon, Rev. Ford A. Ellis; benediction, Rev. R. L. Wheeler; professional, with Mildred Mabery at the piano, and closing song by girls' chorus, with Lucy Hill at the piano.

## South Side Brevities

The South Side Pleasure club will give a Leap Year dance at Eagle hall Sunday night. Mrs. Florence Moore of Marselles, Ill. is visiting at her former home on Fort Crook boulevard. Miss Margaret Bliss, 5121 E. street, spent the last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Carson at their home. The South Side branch of the W. C. T. U. will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Hanning, 4425 South Twelfth street. Rev. C. Edwin Brown, pastor of St. Mark's Episcopal church, will preach Sunday night on the subject, "Is Hell a Reality?" Security benefit association No. 274 drill team will give a dance Monday evening at Eagle hall. There will be a prize wait during the evening. Stanley Pant, proprietor of a restaurant at 2522 Q street, was arrested Friday night at his place of business on a charge of selling intoxicating liquors. Foreign drafts and steamship tickets may be purchased through our foreign exchange department, Live Stock National bank, junction Twenty-fourth and N streets. The Misses Gladys Munson and Evelyn Clark, last year graduates of the South High, who have been attending Omaha university since graduation, visited old friends at the school last week. John Calder, lecturer for the employes' relation department of Swift & Co., will deliver his second lecture at the Omaha plant Tuesday, on the subject, "The Handling of Men." Lectures will be delivered every two weeks. Miss Fae Cobb, member of the junior class of the South High school, was chosen last week as one of the five high school girls of the city to represent South High in a pageant to be given Tuesday evening at the Y. W. C. A. Hazel Brown, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram G. Brown, 4419 South Twenty-first street, who was injured in an accident a month ago, while coasting, is slowly recovering physically, but as yet is unable to speak. The funeral of Mrs. Benjamin J. Bray, 2719 Dewey avenue, who died Friday morning of pneumonia will be held in Larkin's chapel, Sunday afternoon, Burial will be in Prospect Hill cemetery, Rev. O. D. Bately will officiate. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Morrison, 4464 South Twenty-fifth street, were called to O'Neill, Neb., Saturday, on account of the death of Mr. Morrison's father, Phillip Morrison, 88 years old. Phillip Morrison was a pioneer of Nebraska, coming to the state shortly after the civil war as a member of General O'Neill's colony that founded the town of that name.

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## Keeper of Gambling Game Fined and Six Inmates Discharged

Detectives Herdzina, Baughman, Farrand and Lundeen made a raid at 2 a. m. Saturday on the second floor of 2601 N street and arrested seven men on a charge of gambling: Thomas Kanas, Gus Gafuses, Theodore Kanas, all of 2601 N street; John Sambles, 2522 N street; Sam Cantas, 535 South Thirteenth street, and Nick Contos, Council Bluffs. D. Kuchas was charged with being keeper of the gambling game. The latter was fined \$25 and costs and the others were discharged in police court.

## Pickpocket Gets \$50 From Man On Stock Yards Car

Jack Holst, Harney hotel, reported to the police Saturday morning that while riding on a South Side car, on his way to the stock yards, his pocket was picked and a purse containing \$50 taken. He said the car was crowded and he did not miss his money until he reached the stock yards.

## Farewell Party

A farewell party was given Saturday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Gaughan at their home, 3026 Q street. They are moving from the neighborhood. Dancing, music and refreshments were enjoyed until a late hour. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haskenholz, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scholz, Mr. and Mrs. John Rosse, Mesdames W. M. Davis, Frank Rowe, Anton Paderassi, James Sarsfield, James Chesek, Liz-

zie Gaughan; the Misses Winnifred Rosse, Emma Rowe, Loretta Hardesty, Margaret Hardesty, Genevieve Driscoll, Margaret Hardesty, Margaret Scholz, Maed Davis, Marie Driscoll, Jessie Foley, Mary King, Helen Hatcher, Margaret Davis, Myrtle Gaughan; Messrs. Thomas Scholz, William Davis, Jr.; Francis Scholz, Edward Rowe, James Rosse, George Scholz, Arthur Rosse, Gerard Griffin, Edward Rosse, Frank Davis, thony Dean, Corporal Floyd Mackintosh, Robert Gleason, Thomas F. Costello and James Meehan.

## Judge Hears Arguments In Holmberg Divorce Action

District Judge Wakeley yesterday heard arguments on a motion to set aside a divorce decree issued last year to the late Peter Holmberg against Augusta Holmberg. Mr. Holmberg died last December and his widow is seeking to have the divorce action set aside on the grounds that his death occurred within six months of the entry of the decree. A Nebraska law provides that a decree of divorce does not become final until six months from the date of its filing. Judge Wakeley will give his decision this week.

## High School Seniors Will Give Play Saturday Night

The February graduating class of the Central High school will give the annual play, "Green Stockings," at the school auditorium Saturday night, February 7. According to the chairman of the ticket selling committee, the amateurs will meet a packed house. There are 13 pupils in the cast. Miss Doreen Holden will carry the leading role for the exponent of the fairer class, while Edwin Willmarth, president of the class, will be the leading man.

## Watchman Fires Six Shots at Automobile Pursued by Police

O. W. Schenk, private watchman on Poppleton and Woolworth avenues, in the Field club district, reports that he had a thrilling adventure at 2:30 yesterday morning when he fired six shots at a fugitive automobile which was being pursued by two policemen riding on a motorcycle and carrying riot guns.

"I was standing at Thirty-fourth street and Poppleton avenue and observed a speeding auto coming from the west at a rate of more than 50 miles an hour," Mr. Schenk said. "I also observed the motorcycle officers, so I began firing at the fugitive car, as soon as it reached me. I fired six shots and must have struck one of the occupants because they did not return the fire. The motorcycle officers pursued the automobile on Poppleton avenue to Twenty-eighth street, then south to Center street where they gave up the chase. We thought that the men in the automobile were the mail car robbers or they may have been highjackers."

## Divorce Courts

Ruby Pearl Wells was granted a decree of divorce from Ben F. whom she charged with extreme cruelty. Elsie F. Leuenberger was allowed a divorce decree, custody of two children and possession of household goods. She charged Paul T. with infidelity.

## Negress Accused of Drug Sale Held to Grand Jury

Birdie Erwin, negress, 2702 Corby street, charged with violating the Harrison drug act, waived preliminary examination in federal court yesterday and was ordered held for the grand jury by Robert D. Neely, acting United States commissioner, under a \$1,000 bond. The Erwin woman was arrested by Russell Eberstein, revenue agent, January 19, at her home following an alleged illegal sale of cocaine. She is accused of disposing of one eighth of an ounce of the drug valued at \$25. The prisoner is represented by W. W. Slabaugh, deputy county attorney.

## Sending Mail to Postoffice In Afternoon Means Delay

Omaha business houses are delaying the delivery of their outgoing first-class mail by depositing it at the postoffice late in the afternoon, according to a Chamber of Commerce special committee on mail service, which has been carrying on an investigation of mail service.

Outgoing mail of large concerns is almost invariably delivered to the postoffice at about 5 p. m., the committee's report states, and the result is a congestion which delays its distribution.

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## Old Indian Fighter Is In Omaha to Spend Winter With Friends

Col. C. P. Jordan of Wood, S. D., is in Omaha visiting friends and will probably remain here for the balance of the winter. He is spending much of his time visiting with Col. G. S. Bingham, in charge of the army quartermaster depot here, with whom he served in quieting Indian uprisings in South Dakota in the early days.

Crazy Horse surrendered to Colonel Jordan at the Red Cloud agency after the Custer massacre. He as well as Spotted Tail and Red Cloud were always friendly with the colonel and his influence is said to have prevented many misunderstandings.

Although 70 years old Colonel Jordan enjoys the best of health and takes an active interest in the welfare of South Dakota. He served for many years as chief clerk and agent at the Red Cloud, Pine Ridge and Rosebud agencies. Jordan, S. D., has been named in his honor.

## Montana Teachers Favor Salary Minimum of \$1,500

Butte, Mont., Jan. 31.—(Special.)—At the annual convention of the Montana State Teachers' association recently held at Helena the association went on record as favoring \$1,500 as a minimum for teachers' salaries. The association also took steps toward the organization of a federation of the Montana school teachers.

## Roumania Says Bolsheviki Are Ready to Make Peace

Vienna, Jan. 28.—Dispatches from Bucharest state that the bolsheviki are waiting at the frontier to offer peace terms to Roumania. If the terms are refused, the advices say, the soviet troops will advance.

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**To Our Customers**

"The Cricket Room" is now located on the fourth floor, owing to the fact that the Boyd Building is to be torn down immediately for the erection of the new Burgess-Nash Building.

**Scalloped Crochet Bed Spreads, \$3.50 Each**

Scalloped crochet bed spreads in the Marseilles designs and are for the large sized beds. These have the cut corners and splendid values, \$3.50 each.

**Linen Table Damask, \$3.95 Yard**

Good heavy weight and very fine quality satin damask, 72 inches wide and in several good patterns, \$3.95 yard.

**Huck Towels, 35c Each**

Large huck towels of good absorbent quality, 35c each.

**Linen Scarfs, \$2.75 Each**

Hemstitched linen scarfs, 18x54 inches, \$2.75 each.

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Contest open to any girl from 6 to 14 years of age.

Any one of the five dresses on display in our Junior Department, second floor, may be chosen as a model.

Any kind of material may be used.

Any color or combination of colored materials may be used.

All doll dresses must be made exactly like one of the five dresses on display.

Dresses must be made by hand by the girls themselves.

Any size doll's dress may be entered.

Contest opens February 2nd.

Contest closes February 7th.

Doll dresses must be entered in the Junior Department, second floor.

Judges from the three daily papers will award the prizes, which will consist of Mina Taylor Dresses exactly like the one the doll's dress is patterned after in sizes to fit the winners of the prizes.

Prizes will be awarded for doll dresses that are made the neatest and are the nearest like the model from which they are patterned.

Prizes to be awarded as follows:

One prize to girls 6 and 7 years of age.

One prize to girls 8 and 9 years of age.

One prize to girls 10 and 11 years of age.

One prize to girls 12 and 13 years of age.

One prize to girls 14 years of age.

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