

OLSEN POSES AS A JUGGLER

He Attempts Legerdemain Performance with the City's Dollars.

HOODWINKS THE COUNCIL WITH FIGURES

City Comptroller Presents a Statement Which Comes Far From Showing the Real Condition of City Funds.

As a juggler of figures Comptroller Olsen made a record Tuesday night which completely eclipses the most startling performances of Colonel Fred Sackett in the same line. Olsen is a firm believer in the old idea that the American people dearly love to be humbugged, and in a communication to the city council Tuesday night he apparently acts on this supposition.

Table with financial data: Cash reserve, General fund, Police, Carb. water and cleaning, Sewer maintenance, Library, Park, Park bonds, Health, Water rent, Lighting, Plumbers' maintaining, City pension, City hall, Dog, Electrical, Road (available and not certified), Paying bond (available and not certified), Omaha sewer, Total.

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The most superficial comparison of the two documents is sufficient to show the absolute falsity of the assurances of the comptroller. The official statement shows the expenditures of the past eight months during the first eight months of the year and the amounts which remain to defray the expenses of the remaining four months.

But Mr. Olsen's totals do not show the real condition of the funds. It will be noticed that in his statement he gives two very different sets of figures in the road, paving bond and Omaha sewer funds. In his totals he includes the entire amount remaining in the funds, while in an obscure way he indicates what portion of these amounts has not been already certified to.

A more detailed examination of Mr. Olsen's figures does not tend to strengthen his position. He reports a balance in the fund of about \$75,000. The regular monthly expenditures in this department amount to \$16,000, or \$64,000 in the remaining four months. This would leave a balance of \$11,000 in the fund at the end of the year, against which stands the transfer of \$20,000 to the fire fund, which was agreed upon at the beginning of the year, which remains as a recognized lien on the fund.

So far this year it has cost about \$10,500 a month to maintain the fire department. There is just enough remaining in the fund to pay the September bills. There will be the \$20,000, which is to be transferred from the general fund, and unless the department is whittled down this will also be exhausted by the end of November, thus leaving a deficiency in that fund of more than \$10,000.

The police fund is in the best condition of any fund except the library and park funds. Here the expenditures have been \$1,500 per month. Consequently the apparent shortage will be between \$1,000 and \$1,000. It is well known that during the past two months there were a number of charges against this fund which have not been paid, but which will ultimately come in to add to the deficiency now in prospect.

BALANCES IN RED INK

There is a balance of \$6,650.35 in the curb, gutter and sidewalk fund, which will be barely sufficient to pay for the street sweeping during the remaining four months of the year. The entire amount in the fund has already been voted to the Barber company, but Tuesday night the council refused to pay the appropriation because it would not leave a dollar to pay for street sweeping and other similar expenses. The amount voted to the Barber company remains a charge upon the treasury, however, and must be met unless the council rescinds its action.

WATCH FOR THIS SALE SATURDAY

To Show the Immense Power of the Boston Store and What It Can Do

A SUPREME CHALLENGE SALE. Open to all the world. Boston Store offers any or all to hold a sale like it. New goods, fresh goods, stylish goods, goods bought within twenty days from headquarters.

Good goods of every kind and description Under the sun Will be sold.

That present times have made impossible To any other house in the state.

A challenge sale That will make all other sales Ridiculous and insignificant

It will cause the greatest, mightiest and most colossal quick moving of hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of goods.

And the utter forgetfulness Of every store in the state Except Boston Store.

Boston Store will be the Only place That people will go to As long as the sale continues.

Saturday it commences. It marks the supremacy of the Boston Store over all.

As quickly and as surely As fire melts ice. BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

BURGLARY AND LARCENY

List of Cases Reported to the Police Yesterday.

Though the police say that there are very few if any thieves in the city, and that no cases of thefts are being reported, there appears to be considerable larceny committed daily.

Yesterday the commission reported a list was reported to the police, although it was given out that nothing had been reported.

Ira A. Pribble, who lives on South Sixteenth street, left a wheel valued at \$100 standing in front of the New York Life building. When he came out the wheel was gone.

Some person or persons entered the shop of J. L. Anderson, 214 North Fifteenth street, and stole an ulcer valued at \$20.

A quantity of clothing and some other articles were stolen from a car by the Webster street yards. The car had been broken into. The stolen property is valued at \$20.

A thief entered M. H. Gross' place, 1902 Cuming street, and stole harness valued at \$10.

George Smith, who lives in the northern part of the city, reported the loss of a gold watch and gold chain, the entire property being of the value of \$150. His house had been entered.

Charged with Grand Larceny. Gustav Grossman, who was arrested Tuesday night with two big loaded pistols in his pocket, was fined \$25 for carrying concealed weapons.

While in court Mrs. M. W. Gaylord of 2824 Leavenworth street identified Grossman as the man she saw coming from out her house on the 19th inst., and running rapidly away. It was found that at the same time a watch, value \$45, was missing. A complaint was filed against Grossman on charge of grand larceny.

Dr. Bailey, dentist, Paxton block.

THE FOUR MILE PLACER FIELDS

Considerable attention has been directed lately to the four mile placer fields, situated in Grant county, Colorado, and Carbon county, Wyoming, about seventy-five miles south of Rawlins, Wyo., which city is on the Union Pacific railway.

The area covered is about forty miles in length and thirty miles in width, and is especially rich in mineral.

Gold was first discovered there in 1891 and the following year several claims were located; not until the last year, however, has any considerable amount of capital or labor been expended in order to prove the worth of these fields.

At the present time the Rock Spring Placer company, the West Side Mining association, and several smaller companies are operating with splendid success.

Without doubt these fields are the richest of the kind in the west and are worthy of attention.

Information regarding same will be cheerfully furnished on application to Mr. H. C. Davis, Rawlins, Wyo., or J. T. M. Kingsford, agent Union Pacific railway, Rawlins, Wyo.

LOCAL BRUVEITIES

The jury in the Edward Petry burglar case found the defendant guilty.

Jackson Larson, who was peddling milk without a license yesterday, was fined \$1 and costs and warned by Judge Berka to procure a license.

The meeting of the Municipal league, announced to be held at the Board of Trade building last evening, was not called to order on account of lack of attendance.

The Crawford company has incorporated to deal in Crawford, Neb., real estate, and own a canal and operate it at that place. The capital stock is \$150,000. The incorporators are: A. E. Hobson, J. H. Hickox, Charles J. Grable and W. T. Forbes.

"I shall be pleased at any time to substantiate by figures what I have stated to any official or taxpayer who will take the trouble to call."

Very careful—Why shouldn't we be—we're in the art business and there's nothing in art that we can't sell you—Artists' materials of every description and all sorts of small merchandise at all sorts of small prices.

A. HOSPE, Jr., Music and Art, 1513 Douglas.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSION

Via Missouri Pacific Ry. Round trip tickets will be sold at very low rates on September 24th to points in Arkansas, Texas, Indian and Oklahoma Territories, Kansas, etc. For information, land pamphlets, maps, etc., call or address company's offices, N. E. corner 13th and Farnam, or depot, 15th and Webster Sts.

THOS. F. GODFREY, P. T. A. J. O. PHILLIPPI, A. G. F. & P. A.

It's a Wonder. It is not often that this paper feels called upon to say anything about a dry goods store, but the Hayden store of the New York store stock has assumed such phenomenal proportions that it would be evading a very good news item to not take notice of it.

There is certainly nothing but good times in excess of levity for last year, and if then the figures still show as stated it should be gratifying to the taxpayers.

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Green sea turtle soup today and Friday at Ed Maurer's.

New Through Line to St. Paul. The Rock Island has inaugurated a new line to St. Paul and Minneapolis. Through sleeper daily leaving Omaha at 10:30 p. m. arriving at Minneapolis at 8:30 a. m. St. Paul 9 a. m. Trains run via Des Moines, Ia., and supper served in Rock Island dining cars. For tickets call at Rock Island ticket office, 1602 Farnam St.

MEETING IN THE FIFTH WARD

Meeting to be held at Erling's Hall Thursday Night.

There will be a grand rally at Erling's hall, Sherman avenue near Corby street, Thursday evening, September 26.

All voters of the Fifth ward in favor of good government and honest men to manage their local affairs are invited to be present and assist in inaugurating the campaign in the interests of the Citizens' League Reform movement. Everybody turn out.

Charles F. Weller, E. Rosewater, R. W. Richardson, A. T. Restor and other prominent speakers will be present and address the meeting.

CHARLES F. WELLER, President Citizens' League Reform Movement. WILLIAM H. HUNTER, Secretary.

RALLY IN THE EIGHTH WARD

There will be a grand rally at Sander's hall, Twenty-fourth and Cuming streets, on Friday evening, September 27, at 8 o'clock.

All voters of the Eighth ward in favor of good government, and honest men to manage their local affairs, are invited to be present and assist in inaugurating the campaign in the interests of the Citizens' League Reform movement. Hon. George W. Doane and other prominent speakers will be present and address the meeting.

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CHARGES HIM WITH MURDER

Cummings Must Explain the Killing of Judd Vance.

A complaint was filed against Bartender Charles Cummings yesterday charging him with the murder of Judd Vance on the night of September 19. Cummings will be arraigned this morning. Last Thursday night these two men are said to have become involved in a quarrel, and during the melee Vance was struck over the temple with a billiard cue. The blow paralyzed his entire body. He was taken to his home at Plattsmouth, where he died Sunday night.

It is now said that Cummings was in a position to know that some time ago Vance was struck by a railroad train and received injuries to the head that necessitated a trephining operation. It was on the plate that the blow, whoever struck it, landed, and which has been said was the direct cause of his death. It is also alleged that Cummings was not of sufficient force as to cause death.

Mrs. Anna Grace, wife of Ex-Deputy Sheriff S. M. Grace, lumbus, Kan., says that she saw Cummings on the night of the killing of Judd Vance at Plattsmouth, Mo., and that she saw him strike Vance with a billiard cue.

"MOTHERS' FRIEND." Sent by Express or Mail, on receipt of \$1.00 per bottle. Book "70 Solutions" to all Mothers.

BRADFIELD REGULATORS CO., ATLANTA, GA. Sold by all Druggists.



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Rubber Goods

Elastic Stockings, Ankiets, Knee Caps, (c) Varicose Veins, Trusses, Springs, Atomizers.

A 2-quart Water Bag for 50c.

Sherman & McConnell Drug Co. 1513 Dodge St.—2d Door West P. O.

WOOL SOAP

Washes woolsens and doesn't shrink them—the only soap that doesn't. It's an all-around soap—delicious in the bath, but the particular point to remember, is, it doesn't shrink woolsens.

Dealers all sell it.

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It Came Our Way.

The past week has been astonishing in the amount of business done by us. Words of praise were heard all over the store for our beautiful display and the great values we offered. The thousands of visitors to our store fully appreciated the faith we kept with them in holding down prices to their everyday level.

We couldn't afford to do otherwise. Our business has been built along these lines and every package that leaves our place bears with it our reputation for excellence and the fairest of prices. New goods come in every day, and every article is a bargain.

The 99-Cent Store, 1319 Farnam Street.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR. CREAM POWDER, MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

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1 lot of 3 1/2 yard lengths Imported Eru Lin. Curtains, Saxony Yarns, sell at \$6.00 pair, bankrupt sale price, pair..... \$2.98

IN OUR YARN DEPT. Thursdays we close one lot of Imported Saxony Yarns, Saxony Yarns, sell at quality, regular price 15c skein, bankrupt sale price, skein..... 8c

IN OUR TOILET DEPT. 100 gross Complexion Soap, 3 cakes in a box, handsomely wrapped in paper, worth 10c cake, sale price, 3 cakes for..... 10c

IN OUR HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR DEPT. MORSE'S ELEGANT LINES. Ladies' Fast Black Imported Cotton Hose, heavy weight; same goods in medium and light weights; ladies' hair striped light thread, worth 50c pair, bankrupt sale price for your choice, per pair..... 25c

1 lot of ladies' imported Hose, black boot and fancy top, fast colors, worth 25c pair, bankrupt sale, pair..... 11c

1 lot boys' black Bicycle Hose, the 25c goods, sale price, each..... 15c

1 lot of ladies' colored Silk Vests, value 65c, closing price, each..... 35c

1 lot ladies' cotton Ribbed Vests, worth 35c, to close only, each..... 19c

Ladies' natural all wool Ribbed Vests and Pants, bargain price \$1.25, bankrupt sale price, each..... 50c

IN OUR MUSLIN UNDERWEAR DEPT. 1 lot ladies' Silk Chemise, extra length, handsomely trimmed with lace, Morse's price \$5.00, sale price..... \$1.98

IN OUR LACE DEPT. Big lot fine Valenciennes Laces, 1/2 to 1 inch wide, worth up to 25c yard, sale price from..... 1c to 8c

IN OUR HANDKERCHIEF DEPT. Ladies' fancy Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, cheap at 5c apiece, sale price, each..... 2 1/2c

IN OUR NOTION DEPT. 1 lot fancy Elastic Frill, Morse's price 15c yard, closing price, yard..... 8c

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CLOSING OUT THE MORSE STOCK.

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RESTORE LOST VIGOR. When in doubt what to use for Nervous Debility, Loss of Sexual Power (in either sex), Impotency, Astringent, Venereal and other diseases, consult our experts. BHEIMAN & McCONNELL DRUG CO., 1513 Dodge street, Omaha, Neb.

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Early Autumn Days

A half dozen days of autumn have hardly gone by, yet they told a tale of warning.

Beware of the morning and evening September chills. However chilly, or perhaps, cold, a heavy wrap is suicidal to health in early fall weather. It is absolutely essential to allow your blood to cool gradually.

Wrap your body in a light overcoat. Formerly light weight overcoats were considered as expensive as the services of a physician. In fact, 'tis so today. Good many fancy clothing stores—we are told—still get for a respectable appearing coat as high as \$20.00.

\$10.50 here buys likely as good a one. Our \$10.50 Overcoats are of either worsted, cassimere or light weight cheviot, absolutely all wool (consequently fast dyes). Next to it a tight woven lining. Rest easy on the fitting part.

The less expensive ones—\$9.50—\$8.00—\$6.50—\$4.00—Sorry, but we can't possibly speak of each one in this limited space. But any one who has an interest in fall overcoats can easily investigate, and if our coats are not by a few dollars cheaper and better put together then the investigator surely lost nothing.

But our four-dollar overcoats demand respect of anything ever offered before. A perfect dress coat of kersey (brown or gray shades), well lined and finished, is a wonderful bargain. And a harem like it, for golden reasons, can't be found anywhere on this globe. But the wonderful "Nebraska" will perform anything but miracles.

The germs of disease seek out the weak spots in the body. Don't have any weak spots. If you have them now, clear them out, tone them up, make them strong. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will do it. It searches out all poisonous matter and disease-germs of whatever character. It regulates the action of the organs of the whole body. It forces out impure matter, makes the blood rich and puts new life into every fiber. It makes good, firm, healthy flesh—doesn't make fat. It gives you flesh that you can work with—the flesh that means health, but a reasonable plumpness is essential to the best body condition.

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