

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Stack-Falconer Co., Undertakers.
Bailey, the Dentist, City Nat'l B. Bldg.
Fidelity Storage & Van Co.—Doug. 1818.

Lighting fixtures, Burgess-Grandes Company.
The State Bank of Omaha pays 4 per cent on time deposits, 3 per cent on saving accounts.

Moves to New Quarters—The millinery shop of Mrs. E. Richards, which has been located for the last year in the City National Bank building, has been moved to room 4 in the Wend building, Eighteenth and Farnam streets.

THREE HOLDUPS REPORTED; YOUTHS ACT AS HIGHWAYMEN

Two highwaymen, neither apparently being over 22 years of age, successfully perpetrated three robberies last night and attempted the fourth, but were frightened away by the sudden approach of pedestrians.

J. D. Kennis, 315 North Twenty-sixth street, was halted at Twenty-sixth and Dewey avenue, but while one of the robbers had his hands in his pocket, two men came into view and they fled.

Christ L. Christensen, who came to Omaha only yesterday morning from Copenhagen, was not so fortunate. He was halted by a blackjack when he rested and robbed of \$50 and a silver watch.

Samuel Fretner, 538 South Twenty-fourth street, was held up at Thirtieth and Dodge streets by the same two youths and relieved of \$2 and a watch, and R. B. King, 636 North Central boulevard, was stabbed slightly in the shoulder when he ran from the highwaymen at Twenty-seventh and California streets.

Not a single one of the victims was able to give the police a satisfactory description of the highwaymen, other than that they were mere youths.

BRANDEIS BUYS LINEN SHOP.

Entire Stock of J. M. Crapo of 431 Fifth Avenue at Seasonable Sacrifice.

ON SALE NEXT MONDAY. One of the most noted linen shops in New York was recently turned over to its creditors and the entire stock was sold to Brandeis Stores of Omaha.

This was the exclusive linen shop of Mrs. Crapo, located on Fifth Avenue, where it catered to strictly high class trade. In this stock were thousands of yards of dress linens, fancy linens, table linens, linen sheets and pillow cases, linen handkerchiefs, linen waist patterns, linen waists, etc.

We bought at such a sensational low price that we place them on sale at bargain unheard of in the history of Omaha. See the window displays. Watch for later announcements.

Sale begins next Monday, March 10. J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS.

HILLES WILL NOT RECEIVE \$20,000 A YEAR IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 5.—The report from Washington that Charles D. Hilles, secretary to ex-President Taft, is to receive \$20,000 a year in the business position which he is about to enter proves to be without foundation.

Edmund Dwight, who is the New York agent of the Employers' Liability Assurance corporation, is a close personal friend of Mr. Hilles and the arrangement for Mr. Hilles to become associated with Mr. Dwight was made more than three years ago, before Mr. Hilles had ever been considered for the position which he has recently held. He is to become agent for the firm and the position is not a salaried one. Mr. Dwight says the figure named is not justified by the facts.

Pretty Mothers

Health is the foundation of all good looks. The wise woman realizes this and takes precautions to preserve her health and strength through the period of child bearing. She remains a pretty mother by avoiding as far as possible the suffering and dangers of such occasions. This every woman may do through the use of Mother's Friend, a remedy that has been so long in use, and accomplished so much good, that it is in no sense an experiment, but a preparation which always produces the best results. It is for external application and so penetrating in its nature as to thoroughly lubricate every muscle, nerve and tendon involved during the period before baby comes. It aids nature by expanding the skin and tissues, relieves tenderness and soreness, and perfectly prepares the system for natural and safe motherhood. Mother's Friend has been used and endorsed by thousands of mothers, and its use will prove a comfort and benefit to any woman in need of such a remedy. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for free book for expectant mothers, which contains much valuable information.

BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

SIMPLE MIXTURE HELPS OMAHA PEOPLE

This simple remedy is best has been proven. The Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., 16th and Dodge and the Owl Drug Co., 16th and Harney report that many Omaha people are receiving QUICK benefit from simple backache, headache, dizziness, etc., as mixed in Adler's, the German appendicitis remedy. A SINGLE DOSE helps our stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY because this simple mixture antiseptically the digestive organs and draws off the impurities.

YOU CAN CURE THAT BACKACHE

Along the back, shoulders, necks and necks. Get a package of Mother's Friend. MATHY LEAY, the blessed root and herb cure for all kinds of backache. When you feel all right down, tired, weak and without energy use this remarkable combination of nature's herbs and roots. As a tonic it is equal to Mother's Friend. Adler's—Lead is sold by Drug Dealers and will devote his whole time to his growing real estate

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Efforts Under Way to Form Union Among Foreign Laborers.

ORGANIZERS AT WORK HERE

Magic City Gangsters Are Very Much Concerned Over Fate of Term Extension Bill, Which They Fear is Dead.

Labor organizers, said to have been sent out from Chicago, have begun the formation of a labor organization that will affect the majority of the foreign laborers of the city. The arrival of the organizers follows the investigation of a labor delegate who came here some weeks ago, at which time the organization of packing house and harvester employees in Chicago was inaugurated.

The delegate made a careful examination of conditions that surround the labor element here and reported that a beginning should be made with the non-English speaking element. As a result a number of meetings between the people of the Slav, Rumanian, Greek, Lithuanian and Austrian laborers is said to have resulted in the foundation of a monster labor movement in South Omaha.

The work of the organizers will take in the English speaking element under a different group later on, it is said.

The present organization will include about 4,000 laborers at present in the employ of the packing houses in this city.

Hoping against hope, the democratic party in power waits with bated breath for word of the term extension bill. When word came yesterday that the bill giving the double shift to the South Omaha firemen had gone through members of the gang anxiously inquired if that were the only amendment that had landed. Anxiety for the term extension was kept before the firemen were made, but since it has developed that the strong opposition of the city means to run their own campaign regardless of the bosslets and would-be dictators and every effort is being made to get the term extension bill through at any cost.

It was confidently asserted yesterday, however, that direct word from the legislature indicated that the extension bill would never see the light outside of the committee room. The pitiful plights of the gang for the past year which they claim they "were elected" for is heart-rending.

Translated into everyday language, their plight is nothing more than a beat to escape defeat for another year, at which time it is hoped that the lines will be so firmly drawn about the town that they will have no fear.

As has been said by many, Hooper's plan to hold the election on the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners in his own hands until after election is confirmed as each day closes without the appointment of men to fill the places of Ryan and Pivonka.

Workers Wait Cash.

Another delightful antic of the gang is its plea for mercy against the demands of the "workers" who demand so much per. For some time the excuse of shortage of finances has been put up to the hungry "workers," but this time the "workers" know that the gang has money and lots of it, and they must pay or take the consequences. It is known that leaders of the gang have been investing heavily during the last year or two and the "workers" want to know why they cannot get some of the coin. They claim that when any is given out it goes to two or three.

Fire in School House.

Two fires and a false alarm kept the local department busy yesterday evening. Fire left in the back over of the clay modeling department of Central school caused a blaze about 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Gus Lind, janitor of the school house, discovered the smoke and called the firemen. A dangerous conflagration in the building was staved out by the promptness of the janitor and the firemen.

While the family was absent from home, the residence of Fred Grostler on Twenty-seventh street between A and B streets caught fire about 9:30 o'clock at night. The damage amounted to about \$50. It is thought that rats caused the blaze. A few hours before some miscreant pulled the fire box at Twenty-third and A streets, calling out the fire department. The call proved a false alarm and the police were notified.

Packers' Bowling League.

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Magic City Gossip.

The little daughter of Newt Bryson has been quite ill with threatened pneumonia. E. R. Leigh of the school board went down to Lincoln last night in the interests of the school district.

The Ladies' Aid society of the West Q mission will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. A. Risley.

Order a case of JETTER'S BOTTLED BEER Delivered to your home. Phone South 388 or South 863. Wm. Jetter.

Mayor Tom Hooper had not returned from Lincoln yesterday, where he had gone to lobby for the term extension bill.

The King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian church will serve dinner at the church Thursday evening from 5:30 to 7.

Rev. Frank Foster will conduct the services at the First Baptist church Sunday morning. Mr. Foster founded the Baptist church in South Omaha.

Mrs. R. O. Haskins will entertain the Women's society of the First Baptist church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at her home, 1619 North Twenty-fifth street.

The King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian church will serve dinner Thursday evening, March 6, at the church, Twenty-third and J streets, from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock.

One Dose Relieves A Cold--No Quinine

Pape's Cold Compound Cures Colds and Grippe in Few Hours—Tastes Nice—Acts Gently.

You can surely end Grippe and break up the most severe cold either in head, chest, back, stomach or limbs by taking a dose of Pape's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken.

It promptly relieves the most miserable headache, dizziness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, sore throat, mucous catarrhal discharges, running of the nose, soreness, stiffness and rheumatic twinges.

Take this wonderful Compound as directed, without interference with your usual duties and with the knowledge that there is nothing else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad after-effects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist can supply—accept no substitute—contains no quinine—belongs in every home. Tastes nice.—Advertisement.

Poison Offered to Baby by Robbers in Mother's Presence

NEW YORK, March 5.—Robbers tortured Mrs. Mary Jacobs, wife of a postal clerk, by binding and gagging her tonight and in her presence offering her 16-month-old baby a slice of bread spread with poison because she would not reveal where she kept her money, according to the story she told the police.

After binding the mother and tying the baby in his high chair, Mrs. Jacobs said, the three men took a bottle marked "poison" from a closet where drugs were kept and poured the contents on a bit of bread. The mother was told she would see the baby die unless she gave the information wanted.

"Nod your head if you will tell us," one of the trio said to Mrs. Jacobs, as he held the bread out to the child. The baby knocked it to the floor. They repeated the offer and the baby again refused the poison. Abandoning this effort they searched the apartments. A pocketbook containing \$25 was stolen and the thieves left the house before Mrs. Jacobs could release herself and give the alarm.

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Wahoo Votes Bonds For New High School

WAHOO, Neb., March 5.—(Special Telegram.)—School bonds amounting to \$60,000 were carried in today's election by a vote of 47 to 123 for a high school and ward building. Fifty thousand dollars was today appropriated by congress for a public building. Citizens are jubilant.

BANK ROBBERY CASES ON TRIAL IN KANSAS

BEATRICE, Neb., March 5.—(Special Telegram.)—The cases of Frank Miller and George Bates, alias George Jackson, charged with robbing the State bank at Chanover, Kan., about two years ago, were called for trial today at Washington, Kan., and points in Kansas, Wyoming, Nebraska and Oklahoma have been subpoenaed. It will take about a week to dispose of the cases. The men were arrested a few months ago in Arkansas and when apprehended over \$2,000 was found in their possession.

A Cold, La Grippe, Then Pneumonia.

Is too often the fatal sequence. La Grippe coughs hang on, weaken the system and lower the vital resistance. R. G. Collins, Postmaster, Barnegat, N. J., says: "I was troubled with a severe La Grippe cough and was completely exhausted after each fit of violent coughing. Before I had taken one half of a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, the coughing spells had entirely ceased. I wish to say it can't be beat. All others are imitations. For sale by all dealers everywhere.—Advertisement."

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

BE A "Good Fellow" to your stomach

Treat it the way Nature intended and you will always be well repaid.



OMAHA WINS IN CUSTOM PLAN

New District Embraces States of Nebraska and Wyoming.

REORGANIZATION UNDER TAFT

Historic Privilege Formerly Given Collectors of Collecting Fat Fees Abolished by Executive Order.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Unless congress interferes, the organization of the customs service will be revolutionized beginning July 1. As one of his acts President Taft today sent a message to congress announcing the redistricting of the service. The existing 165 districts will be reduced to forty-nine, formed largely along state lines, and 115 collectors of customs will be abolished. Several ports of entry and a number of sub-ports will be abandoned. Congress has stipulated that the new plan must reduce the cost of the customs service to \$10,000,000, or a saving of \$70,000,000 as compared with the current fiscal year. Some treasury officials claim that the plan adopted by the president will not meet that condition.

Under the reorganization each customs district will have a collector of customs. All ports, even the headquarters of collectors, will be directly in charge of a deputy collector. The terms ports of delivery and subports of entry will be abolished and all subports which will be retained will be made ports of entry.

The new plan terminates the historic privilege given collectors at certain ports, especially along the Canadian border, to sell manifests and receive other emoluments, the proceeds from which in many instances far exceed their salaries. Collectors will receive only salaries.

The names of the new western districts and the ports of entry continued or created in those sections are, in part, as follows, the first port mentioned in each instance being the headquarters of the collector: Omaha (embracing Nebraska and Wyoming)—Omaha, Lincoln, Iowa—Des Moines, Sioux City, St. Louis, Embury, Kansas, Arkansas and Oklahoma and part of Illinois)—St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Cairo, Colorado—Denver, Utah and Nevada—Salt Lake City, Montana and Idaho—Great Falls, Eastport, Port Hill, Plentywood, Sweet Grass, Gageaway.

Dakota (including North and South Dakota and Killebuck County, Minnesota)—Pembina, Noyes, Portal, St. John, Hamman, Noche, Ambrose, Souris, Wall, Harris, Sherwood, Hansboro, Crook, Antler.

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FORMALDEHYDE CANDLE STARTS BLAZE IN GARAGE

When Police Chauffeur Joe Baughman placed a formaldehyde candle in a locker at the headquarters garage to fumigate it, he failed to follow the printed directions carefully, and half an hour later the place was in flames.

Chauffeurs George Armstrong and Harry Buford were in the place at the time and they braved the dense smoke to rescue Chief Dunn's new automobile. They then seized chemical fire extinguishers and smothered the fire by the time the fire department arrived.

None of the city's property except four wooden lockers was destroyed, but clothing valued at about \$25, owned by Armstrong and Buford, was burned. Armstrong and Buford were nearly overcome by the smoke, and although they required medical attention, they were able to resume their duties.

A Dangerous Wound

Is rendered antiseptic by Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the healing wonder for sores, burns, piles, eczema and salt rheum. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.—Advertisement.

BRANDEIS STORES

Thursday---Hundreds of Women's Ready-to-Trim Spring Hats at \$5.00---New Lots of Feathers and Flowers

We are showing for the first time at a special price, the new hand blocked, imported Italian hemp hats, fashionable new shades of Gendarme blue, Neil Rose, brass, beige, tete de negre brown, etc., made to sell up to \$8.50, at \$5

Feathers for Trimming. Newest effects in shaded novelty ostrich, imitation Numidi, also shaded ostrich bands and plumes—unusually attractive variety, at \$1.25 to \$2.98

Flowers for Trimming. American Beauty roses, June roses, hyacinths, lily of the Valley, foliage, etc., also new combinations on shaded flowers—on main floor, bargain square, at 10c-12c-15c

LACES. Fancy trimming laces and insertions, fancy trimming braids, silk gimp, etc., of all kinds—black and colors—worth up to 20c a yard. Thousands of yds. on big bargain square, yd. 5c

LACES. Filmy shadow laces, lace bands in crochet, Venise and macrame effects, silk embroidered bands, net top laces; also allover shadow laces—many worth 25c 50c, at yard..... 25c

NEW SPRING RIBBONS AT SPECIAL VALUES

5 1/4-inch Bengaline Ribbons—Double faced—in black and all popular colors, at yard 35c. 7 1/4-inch Satin, Moire and Taffeta Ribbons—In all good plain shades; at yard..... 39c. 5 and 6-inch Ribbons for Hair Bows—Plain taffetas and moire taffetas, at per yard 19c. New 1913 styles in Hair Bow and Sash Ribbons—Pretty warp prints; at, yd. 29c, 39c. Pretty, new Spring Ribbons—5 to 6 1/2 inches wide, at, per yard..... 25c. Many of these ribbon novelties would make the most acceptable Easter gifts.

THURSDAY IS CHOCOLATE DAY IN OUR CANDY DEPT.

Wholesome Pompeian Bitter Sweet Chocolates, with soft, creamy, pure crushed fruit and nut centers, covered with a rich, thick coat of chocolate and regularly worth 40c a pound, for Thursday only the pound 25c

CLEVER NOVELTIES FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Hundreds of the cleverest 1913 ideas in St. Patrick novelties, new pipes, new style hats, potatoes, harps, etc. for party favors, table decorations, etc., are now on sale in the Pompeian room at moderate prices.

Watch for Our Great Sale of Men's Furnishings Saturday

Two big special purchases from New York manufacturers enable us to offer SHIRTS, HOSIERY, NECKWEAR, ETC. at ABOUT ONE-HALF THE REGULAR PRICES. The goods are all new and up-to-date. See the Window Displays.

SATURDAY OUR BIG SPECIAL SALE MEN'S RAINCOATS at \$2.50, \$4.50, \$6.50

BRANDEIS STORES

Indisputable, Convincing Evidence REAL BONAFIDE That the Hippodrome Road Show is Both

Fac-simile of letter received Wednesday, February 26th by E. L. Johnson, Manager of the American Hippodrome. The Theatre Booking Corporation, 112 N. Ohio St., Chicago, Ill. C. H. MILLER, President, W. F. REEFE, Sec. Gen. Parkville, Vaudeville, Fair, Circus, Cabaret, Clubs. In Abition, The Mutual Vaudeville Association. O. Y. GRANFORD, President, H. M. MILLER, Vice President, DON W. STUART, Sec. Gen. Mr. E. L. Johnson, Hippodrome, Omaha, Neb. Dear Mr. Johnson: Just wired you your complete show for week of March 2nd. Now, this is one of our road shows that has been making a big hit all over the circuit. It has played all of Mr. Keeffe's houses, including Detroit, Milwaukee and Minneapolis, and is known as 'The Hippodrome Road Show'. Would suggest that you bill it as soon and give it a lot of advertising as it is an extra strong show and an sure will do the business for you. Very truly yours, H. M. Miller

This BLACK BORDER isn't Used Because We Mourn Over Another's Vacation, But to ATTRACT ATTENTION

THIS WEEK Doing the biggest business in the theatre's career with the HIPPODROME ROAD SHOW. Next season we will have a new theater of sufficient capacity to accommodate the crowds turned away every Sunday night. We may buy some other vaudeville theatre's empty seats.

Ninety per cent of the circulation of The Omaha Bee goes direct to the homes

A paper delivered to the home reaches the whole family, every day, rain or shine; street sales vary with the weather and the whims of the reader. The advertiser must have his advertisements read by the same people day after day.

The value of a paper that is delivered instead of sold on the street is the fact that it is read by the women—and women do most of the reading of an ad now a days. Does little good; it is continuous advertising that pays.

The paper that goes to the homes brings results for the advertiser.