

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Fidelity Storage & Van Co. Dour. 200. Have Boot Print It—Now Beacon Press. Burgess - Granden Co.—Lighting fix- tures. Fined for Stealing Grain—Frank Price and Arch Hartman fined \$25 and costs each for the theft of six sacks of grain belonging to the Union Fuel company. "Today's Complete Movie Program" classified section today, and appears in The Bee EXCLUSIVELY. Find out what the various moving picture theaters offer. Basket Store Broken Into—A thief broke a window of the Basket store, No. 24, at 2127 Farnam street, Wednesday night and carried away a sack of flour. Increased confidence means increased business, both nationally and locally. Locate your office in The Bee Building. "The building that is always new" for increased business prosperously. Lines Goes to Illinois—L. R. Lines, director of religious work of the Young Men's Christian association, has gone to Illinois for a short visit with relatives and to inspect some of the associations there. Jury in Dr. Porter Suit Disagrees—A jury in Judge Troup's district court disagreed in the suit brought by Marie Rasgorshak against Dr. E. R. Porter for \$15,000 for alleged improper medical treatment. Laird Gets Ninety Days—John L. Laird, South Eleventh street, charged with aiding and abetting the delinquency of 15-year-old Della Gilday, was given ninety days, suspended sentence, when no one but the arresting officers appeared against him in police court. Rev. J. F. Schwarz to Go on Trip—Rev. J. F. Schwarz, superintendent of the east Nebraska district of the Presbyterian church, will leave Omaha Saturday on a two or three weeks' trip. He will visit and hold meetings at Holden, Foster, Chasmod, Lynch, Niobrara, Verdel, Norfolk, Oakdale, Page, Omond and South Sioux City.

LOVELY WEATHER TO STAY

Pilot of Weather Bureau Knew it Would Be Mild This Winter Because He is Not Buying Coal. IS OFF LONG DISTANCE WIZ The lovely weather is to continue. This is the word that comes direct from the local weather bureau. Colonel Welsh, whose meteorological vision extends into the future at least thirty-six hours, has spoken it. "And every day puts a heavier mortgage on the winter," he said, as he sat in his office and gazed out across the city and the Missouri river to the distant Iowa bluffs. The colonel, indeed, seemed like some doughty captain who is steering his ship through raging seas, keeping a watchful eye on sky and wind, and taking satisfaction in every hour and day of safe pilotage toward the harbor. "But I knew it," he continued. "I knew we would have a fairly mild winter. I've been living in a house and buying coal previous winters. This year I moved into apartments. However, I don't claim to be a long distance prophet." "Not like Iri R. Hicks," someone ventured. Now, Colonel Welsh thinks considerably less of Iri R. than the Kaiser thinks of the czar at the present moment. He smiled scornfully. "Hicks! huh! He gets a letter some day from a man in Kennebunk, Me., saying that it hadn't rained there on a day when Hicks predicted rain and he immediately replies thus: "Noting your statement that it did not rain in Kennebunk on the 31st inst., I have a letter before me from a citizen of Tombstone, Ariz., stating that they were visited by quite a sprinkle there on that date." Hicks! huh!"

Howell Receives Smith's Plea for Pardon for Crime

United States District Attorney Howell has received from the United States attorney general the application of Delbert Smith of Kearney, Neb., for a pardon. Smith was sentenced to six months in jail and a fine of \$50 for his part in the Kearney postoffice robbery. He began his sentence January 2 in the county jail at Kearney. Mr. Howell sent his recommendations to the attorney general today. The petition for pardon is signed by about 100 of the most prominent citizens of Kearney, including the district judge, county judge, mayor, postmaster and superintendent of schools. It sets forth the strong plea for mercy which Mr. Howell himself made at the time of the conviction and the justice of which was admitted by the trial judge. It further states a fact, namely, that without the voluntary testimony of Smith a conviction of the other conspirators would have been impossible. Since the conviction he has been engaged in farming and truck gathering and his wife has been keeping boarders. He points out that unless he is released soon he will not be able to plant crops and thus will lose the profit of the whole year and further that he needs the amount of the fine for buying seeds and farming supplies.

Many Cases of Rheumatism Now

Says We Must Keep Feet Dry. Avoid Exposure and Eat Less Meat. Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat less meat, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of salts occasionally to keep down uric acid. Rheumatism is caused by poisonous toxin, called uric acid, which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism. At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which overcomes uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.—Advertisement.

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Union Pacific Says Road Killed None of Its Passengers

The annual report of the safety first department of the Union Pacific has been completed and filed with the company's claim department, and it is of a character that is pleasing to the officers of the road. Comparisons are made with 1913, showing that the number of persons killed and injured along the entire system during 1914 were less than during the previous year. According to the report, during 1914 no passengers were killed while riding on the Union Pacific, whereas during 1913 thirteen persons lost their lives. During 1913, 323 passengers were injured and in 1914 the number dropped off to 24. In 1913 sixty-four employees of the road were killed and 4,125 injured. In 1914 the fatalities were twenty-four, with 4,982 injured. Trespassers and travelers on the right-of-way and on highways crossing the tracks fared worse during 1914 than during 1913. Last year of these seventeen were killed and ninety injured, whereas during 1913 but eight were killed and eighty-five injured. Last year the greatest number of fatalities in any month, fourteen, occurred in June, and the greatest number of persons injured during any one month was 615 in October. During 1913 the greatest number of fatalities any one month was during December, reaching fifteen, while July was in the lead with injuries, there being 695.

Building of New Feeding Plant is Started at Ranch

On the Missouri Pacific's main line, thirteen miles below South Omaha and two miles this side of Portal, at Ranch, a new station, Walter W. Hill of South Omaha has commenced the construction of one of the most modern and complete feeding stations in the United States. When finished it will represent an outlay of between \$5,000 and \$100,000 and will have a capacity of 350 to 500 cars of cattle and hogs annually. In addition to the feeding station, Mr. Hill will erect and operate a plant for the manufacture of hog cholera serum. To facilitate the carrying on of the feeding business, the Missouri Pacific will run tracks to the plant, work on the construction of which will begin within the next ten days. The Hill feed lots and barns will be constructed largely of cement, with running water everywhere where it is needed. Feeders will be purchased from the Omaha, Kansas City and St. Joseph stock yards, taken to the plant and there finished off into high class beef for the markets of the country. Hog feeding will be made a feature at the Hill plant, the animals being run behind the cattle and later will be finished off on buttermilk, that will be secured from the Omaha creameries and shipped to the feeding yards in specially constructed railroad tank cars. The plant will be in operation inside of ninety days.

Stop That Cough—Now

When you catch cold or begin to cough take Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. It penetrates the throat and lungs. All druggists.—Advertisement.

Special Tax for Funds to Help Out Fire Department

"We've got to have a lot of new fire-fighting apparatus and equipment," says Commissioner Withnell, "and we have to raise additional funds for them." Therefore Mr. Withnell has a bill ready for introduction in the legislature enabling the city to levy a tax of 1 1/2 mills on all taxable property for the production of such funds. The purpose, as worded in the bill, is "purchasing equipment for a fire department, or for installing and equipping a fire-alarm system, or in payment of bonds, as hereinafter authorized." That leads up to the next section, which gives the city the right to anticipate the collection of this tax by the issuance of bonds, with interest coupons attached in a sum as great as 50 per cent of the tax. These bonds are to run five years at 5 per cent, secured by the tax, and payable only out of this tax. Laughing Aids Digestion. Laughter is one of the most healthful exertions; it is of great help to digestion. A still more effectual help is a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. If you should be troubled with indigestion give them a trial. They only cost a quarter. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.



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