BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Root Print It—Now Beacon Press.

Lighting Fixtures—Burgess-Grandon.

We Are Now Baking old-fashioned Salt-Rising Bread. Courtney's. Try it.

Repair South Side House—The city council authorized the expenditure of $800 for repairs at the South Side fire engine houses.

"Today's Complete Movie Program" classified section today, and appears in The Bee EXCLUSIVELY. Find out what the various moving picture theaters offer.

Steals Valuable Watch—John Zwiebel, 2318 Oak street, reports to the police that a thief gained entrance to his residence and carried away a valuable watch and a quantity of clothing.

Summer Hill Farm Closes—Summer Hill farm, the vacation home of the Young Women's Christian association, closed its summer season Monday. Hundreds of girls spent their vacation and the week-ends at the farm.

Reward for Chicks—Samuel Bavender, 2511 Seward street, has informed the authorities that six chickens were taken from his coop Monday night. L. B. Huntington offers $5 reward for twenty-three Leghorn chickens, weighing one and a half pounds each, which were stolen from his place Sunday night.

Must Get Liquor License—Lewis Jones of Platte Center was arrested by Deputy United States Marshal John F. Sides, charged with selling liquor without a license. Failing to secure a bond, he was brought to Omaha and placed in the county jail. It is probable that the offender will pay a penalty and get a license.

Sues Auto Firm—Mary O'Boyle of Lincoln has brought suit against a local auto firm for $1,050, which, she says, is the amount she spent for and on a second-hand auto purchased from the defendants. Her petition alleges the auto was bought for $1,000, and was claimed by the defendants to be in first-class condition. The plaintiff knew nothing of autos, and was unable to see that the tires and internals of the car were not in the shape that they were said to be in.

Auto Beyond Control Kills and Maims

McCOOK, Neb., Aug. 31.—(Special Telegram.)—In an automobile accident in this city this evening one child of Bert Benjamin of East McCook was fatally injured and another is in a critical condition. An 11-year-old girl died shortly after being taken to a hospital. The other child, an 8-months-old baby girl, is in a precarious condition.

The driver of the car lost control of his machine while going at a high rate of speed. The automobile cut down a telephone pole, broke through a strong fence and ran over the children in the Benjamin yard. The driver, frantic with grief and terror, is in the keeping of the authorities.

BABCOCK WILL RETURN TO STATES FROM MEXICO

Friends of George I. Babcock, who for thirteen years has been international secretary for Mexico for the Young Men's Christian association, have received word that he has been recalled owing to the disturbed conditions in the south and will return to the United States, reaching New York early in September to take up work in the same line in this country.

Mr. Babcock stuck valiantly to the work and remained in the capital when opposing forces were fighting back and forth through the city daily. Illness in his family also made the northern trip imperative.

Mr. Babcock formerly lived in Omaha, being for several years connected with the association here.

MR. ROOT ATTACKS BOSS GOVERNMENT

Domination Causes Sullen and Long-Continued Resentment Among Masses.

HE POINTS TO THE SOLUTION

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 31.—From the floor of the constitutional convention yesterday President Elihu Root condemned the system of "bossism" and "invisible government," which he said to his knowledge has dominated New York for forty years, and pleaded that the people be armed with the short ballot that they may establish their own rule. It is all wrong, he declared, that any other rule should exist.

"This domination," Mr. Root declared in part, "has caused a deep and sullen and long continued resentment among the people at being governed by men not of their choosing. They demand a change. The short ballot plan is a solution, or at least it may be the first step that will work out a solution.

"When I go back home as I am about to go, to spend my declining years, I mean to go with the feeling that I can say I have not failed to speak and to act in accordance with the lessons that I learned there from the God of my fathers."

Speaks for Short Ballot.

Mr. Root was speaking particularly in behalf of the short ballot and departmental reorganization proposal.

It has had the support of the so-called "federal crowd" in the convention, but has been opposed by members of the "old guard." Among those who have supported it are Mr. Root, George W. Wickersham, Henry L. Stimson and Frederick Lanner, the republican state chairman.

Lemuel Ely Quigg, Ray B. Smith and Edgar T. Brackett, who long have fought with the "regulars" in the state, opposed it.

After discussing the proposal specifically Mr. Root said: "We talk about the government of the constitution. What is the government of this state? What has it been during the forty years of my acquaintance with it? The government of the constitution? Not half the time, or half way. When I asked what did the people find wrong in our state government my mind goes back to those periodic fits of public rage in which the people arose and tore down the political leader, first of one party and then of the other party.

"I am talking about the system. From the days of Fenton and Conkling and Arthur and Cornell and Platt, from the days of David B. Hill, down to the present time the government of the state has presented two different lines of activity, one of the constitutional and statutory officers of the state and the other of party leaders—they call them party bosses.

"They are called the system—the 'invisible government.' For I don't remember how many years, Mr. Conkling was the supreme ruler in this state; the governor did not count, legislatures did not count. And in a great outburst of public rage he was pulled down.

"Then Mr. Platt ruled the state for nigh upon twenty years. And the capital was not here; it was at 49 Broadway, with Mr. Platt and his lieutenants.

"And there is today throughout this state a deep and sullen resentment at being governed thus by men not of the people's choosing.

"The party leader is selected by no one, accountable to no one. Bound by no oath of office, removable by no one.

"I don't criticise the men of the invisible government. How can I? I have known them all, and among them have been some of my dearest friends.

Both Parties Alike.

"Both parties are alike. All parties are alike. The system extends through all.

"What the instinct of the democracy of our state has seen in this government is that a different standard of morality is applied to the conduct of affairs of state than that which is applied in private affairs.

"I deny that we cannot change it. I assert that this perversion of democracy can be changed as truly as the atmosphere which made the Credit Mobilier scandal possible in the congress of the United States was blown away by the force of public opinion.

"We can take this one step toward not robbing the people of their part in government, but toward robbing an irresponsible autocracy of its indefensible and unjust and undemocratic control of government and restoring it to the people to be exercised by the men of their choice and their control."

Thomas Thorson, S. D. Committeeman, Dies

CANTON, S. D., Aug. 31.—Thomas Thorson, national committeeman of the republican party from South Dakota, died last night at his home in Canton. He had been critically ill for some time and death, which came at 10:20 o'clock, was expected.

Mr. Thorson is survived by his wife and two brothers—Sam Thorson of Canton and Chris Thorson of Tacoma, Wash. He was a Mason of the thirty-second degree.

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Embroidered Doilies, 25c

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