

STRANGER PURSUES WOMAN

Mrs. J. H. Glassman of Corby Street Tells a Startling Story.

FEARS SHE IS TO BE KIDNAPED

Police Are Working on the Mysterious Case, Which, They Declare, Sounds More Like a Tale of Fiction Than a Real Happening.

For twenty years Mrs. J. H. Glassman of 1129 Corby street has been spied upon and repeatedly attacked by a mysterious man, described by her as a large frame, of dark complexion, with piercing eyes and a gruff voice.

At one time Mrs. Glassman thought her swarthy Nemesis destined to make use of her skill as a horsewoman, as her prowess in this direction was acknowledged by all who knew her, but of late years she has permitted it to lapse through lack of practice and now she can explain the continued presence only upon the theory that the man is insane.

PROMPT ACTION IS NEEDED

Ak-Sar-Ben Hunting Committee Announces Necessity of Getting Busy.

The membership "hunting" committee of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben held a session yesterday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms.

It was reported that there are about fifty applications in the hands of the committee duly signed upon which no membership fee has been paid.

The police were at once notified and Detectives Drummy and Mitchell were sent out to investigate.

WILL MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Douglas County Delegates to Republican State Convention at Lincoln Will Organize.

The Douglas county delegates to the republican state convention have been called by Chairman Ostrom to meet at court room No. 1 in the courthouse at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

Police Are Investigating.

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Recognizes Her Pursuer.

"I saw nothing of him after that until two years ago, when a man called at the house here and asked if a family of the name of Keeson lived in the neighborhood.

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across my mouth. I struggled, but couldn't scream, being nearly smothered.

"Then I heard my husband's chair move on the floor, and heard him running toward me. He called boys here and gave an alarm.

"This was reported to the police and the next day Detective Jorgensen came out here. Together we searched the lawn for traces of the intruder, and he found the crushed phial. It still had some of the poison in it.

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MELONS NOT LIKE THEY LOOK

Green Fruit from Illinois Marquered Under Fair Exterior.

MANY COMPLAINTS FROM PURCHASERS

Premium Price is Paid by Housekeepers—Banana Market is in Midst of a Revolution.

The watermelon market of Omaha is experiencing a novel condition at this time and buyers of the finest looking fruit are receiving their goods with conditions not to be expected.

A short time after the goods were delivered complaints began to come in. The melons were green. Not an occasional green melon, but every one was unripe.

The wholesale dealers tried at first to make good, but every one was unripe. The second lot was no better than the first.

Then the condition was reported to the shippers. Other towns reported similar facts and the grocers immediately sent instructions to sell the melons on the basis of future collections, ripe ones only to be paid for, and thus the consignment was sold.

The banana market is in the throes of revolution, as a result of a new method of shipping this fruit was put into effect this morning.

The Fruit Dispatch company, which controls the output of bananas in this country, has sent notice to all buyers that from and after this date they will sell not by bunches, but by weight.

Local managers of coal companies are now trying to make contracts for future delivery of steam coal to get rid of the supply on hand and it is said that some of them are making rates which are not warranted by other conditions.

FAKE HAIR PREPARATIONS.

Do Hair No Good, but Often Cause It to Fall Out.

Many hair preparations are "fake" because they are merely scalp irritants. They often cause a dryness, making the hair brittle and finally lifeless.

The market yesterday and prices were well maintained. The first Western grapes were offered, selling readily at 25¢ per 100 baskets.

The market for spring chickens is higher this season than ever before known at this time of the year.

For full particulars address or call at the Omaha office, 1401-1403 Farnam street, Omaha, Neb.

THOMAS F. GODFREY, P. and T. A.

WILL ENJOY COOL WEATHER.

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SALE OF LINEN SAMPLES.

Several Lots Purchased from New York Importers on Sale Tuesday.

AT BOSTON STORE, OMAHA. Damask samples, large enough for a good sized towel or two napkins, goods worth up to \$2.50 a yard, on sale at 50¢ for entire piece.

Samples of toweling in lengths from 1 to 3 yards, worth up to 25¢ a yard, at 10¢ a piece.

Sample dollies, nicely figured, worth 50¢, go at 10¢.

The dollies go at 25¢ each. There is a demand for lamp coal of the output of the other increases regardless of the demand and for several weeks, on account of the starting of the threshing season there has been a greatly increased demand for lamp coal.

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REPORTS ARE ENCOURAGING

George W. Hoobler, F. E. Fanberg and Others Tell Good Crop Stories.

OBSERVATIONS IN NEBRASKA AND IOWA

In Many Places the Yield of Corn, It is Estimated, Will Fall but Little Short of Normal Conditions.

George W. Hoobler returned yesterday morning from an extended visit to Garfield county where he spent several days in looking up crop prospects.

"They may call this a bad year for crops in Nebraska," he said, "but there has never been a year when there was better range in the part of the state I visited than this.

The grain is heavy and fresh at this time of the year and shows no evidence of the dry weather through which it has passed.

F. E. Sanborn, who was in Marshall county, Iowa, last week adds his observations, saying: "While in Marshalltown I took a drive into the country, examining the fields as we passed along. I talked to many of the farmers and according to the estimates made by them and my observations I would place the yield of Marshall county this year at thirty bushels to the acre.

C. H. Iddins, the North Platte lumberman, in a letter to Omaha correspondent, since praise for irrigation. He writes that in the irrigated districts around his home the corn crop was never so large as this year.

The burning suns which parched and killed the corn in the sections where water was scarce brought the vegetation to the greatest perfection where it received plenty of moisture.

Cook's Imperial Extra Dry Champagne is splendid to entertain your friends with. Its bouquet and delicious taste is unrivaled.

Nothing like Re-No-May powder for excessive perspiration of hands or feet; positively cures tender and swollen feet, corns and bunions.

Send articles of incorporation, notices of stockholders' meetings, etc., to The Bee. We will give them proper legal insertion. Telephone 258.

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Nebraska Clothing Co. CLOTHES FOR MEN AND WOMEN

Special Tuesday Sales in all Departments. HAYDEN'S

Ladies' Furnishings. All the ladies' and children's fancy parasols at half price.

Boys' \$1 Laundered Shirt Waists, 29c. 200 dozen "Mother's Friend" brand boys' shirt waists, in all sizes from 4 to 14.

Fall Dress Goods. All now opened up in our high grade dress goods department, from 50c to \$10.00 per yard.

Shapes and Styles. In the fifty different styles of women's Sorosis at \$3.50 there is the most complete assortment of up-to-date footwear ever shown in Omaha.

YOST. The Chicago Record has 61 of these Type writers in daily use.

New Century. The finest catalogue ever issued is yours for the asking.

Tea and Coffee Sale. We sell the best grade of coffee in Omaha.

Great Cracker Sale. Just received another carload of nice fresh crackers and cakes.

Ment Specials. No. 1 California ham, 54c. Our special honey cured breakfast bacon, 14c.

Fresh Fruits. Fancy California peaches, per doz., 10c. Choice juicy lemons, per doz., 125c.

Cheese Specials. Iowa cream cheese, 3c. Fancy Ohio Swiss cheese, 15c.

Butter. Choice Butter, 12 1/2c. Country Dairy Butter, 15c.

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