

NOTES BY THE WAYSIDE

Observations on Events of Passing Interest Here and There.

ABOUT OUR PASSENGER STATION COMFORT

Some Reflections Suggested by the Funeral of a Well Known Merchant of Omaha Late Deceased.

F. Hopkinson Smith, author and lecturer, has a clever skit in the current number of Scribner's, entitled "A Night Out." It does not describe a night out for the delectation of the chronic rounder, but gives the writer's personal experience trying to make railway connections on a bad night and to meet a professional applicant that left a narrow margin for traveling.

What a handy little instrument the telephone is! In weather such as we have been experiencing, men caught in their offices by a downpour of rain found it mighty convenient to call up their homes and send word that they need not be expected to the office.

The funeral of S. F. Bennett last week Sunday was distinguished from the ordinary run of funeral services by the fact that the casket containing the remains had been brought out into the yard adjoining the house, where the assembled friends looked down from the porch at the casket, which was covered with a black canopy, and was supported by four upright rods.

Bright's Disease and Diabetes News

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—To Sherman & McConnell, Drug Co.; Dear Sirs—As agents for the Fulton Composites in Omaha here are some facts in the Call office in this city that should interest you and the editor of The Bee, as well as newspaper men generally.

representatives of the business community could be counted. On the contrary, the great majority of the people there were men and women of lowly rank who had to thank the Bennetts for a chance to earn their livelihood at some period of their careers and who remembered with appreciative feeling the kind treatment they had had at the hands of the departed merchant.

Two political conventions of state importance were held within the past few days at two of the interior towns. Their accessibility to attending delegates is not to be questioned. Neither the prize-worthy effort to make the train stay of the visitors comfortable and agreeable. It would not hurt any of us to become better acquainted with the interior towns of Nebraska and state conventions, political or otherwise, offer about the only occasion likely to present the opportunity.

Police Are Suspicious. George Miller of South Omaha was arrested by Officer Moore last night while riding north on Sixteenth street. Miller was on a small boy pony and was riding very rapidly. When the officer stopped Miller he could not get any account of how he came by the horse and as he had no bridge on the animal the policeman's suspicions were aroused.

Woman Captures Sneak Thief. Mr. and Mrs. Strubel, who live in a flat at 44 South Thirtieth street, were having a little family jar last night and the other side of the street were interested spectators. While the trouble was going on Harney Kemmerling entered the room of Mamie Corigan, just as she was coming out.

Contents of Trunk Missing. Francisco Romeo, 1213 South Fourteenth street, reported the contents of a trunk which was taken from him some one who broke into his sleeping quarters at the Hotel Belmont and secured \$115 in cash, a revolver, new suit of clothes, a gold watch and other valuables. A search of the goods taken was given at 1133. The theft occurred between 6 and 7 o'clock.

Seven Men Seriously Injured. COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 23.—Five men on a gravel train and two on a freight train were seriously injured in a collision on the Pennsylvania railroad today. Conductor Like and Fireman Greenlee of the freight were killed and only 40.

LOCAL BREVIETIES.

Fayette Cole, Osteopath, 269 Paxton block. Mrs. Elizabeth T. Goodrich has returned from Denver. Rev. Charles W. Savage will preach this morning at the Episcopal church, on the corner of Eighteenth and Webster streets. V. D. Turner of Council Bluffs was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of petit larceny committed in the Boston store. He had in his pockets a safety razor, a pen and a couple of dollars.

Stationery Dept. Our Big September Sales Begin Monday

- Creme Paper, all shades—Monday only—roll..... 7c
Juvenile Note Paper and envelopes to match—box..... 10c
Large Size Pencil Tablets..... 5c
Playing Cards, regular 15c quality, Monday only, pkg..... 10c

They are especially planned for marking a division between the closing of the summer season and the opening of the fall trade. Our buyers have all returned from eastern markets. They report exceptional successes. If you want to secure the very latest from Dame Fashion you must come to us for it. We are leaders in styles. What's new—so far as the west goes—has its first display at Bennett's.

The Bennett Company

Striking Bargains in Striking Clocks

Spasmodic Alarm Clock. So called because when it strikes it strikes at intervals of 15 seconds and keeps the fun up for 15 minutes. We sell it every day at \$1.25, tomorrow, Monday at \$1.12

Big Bargains in Ladies' (Silk and Wool Street) Skirts. Sale Starts Monday Morning at 8 O'clock



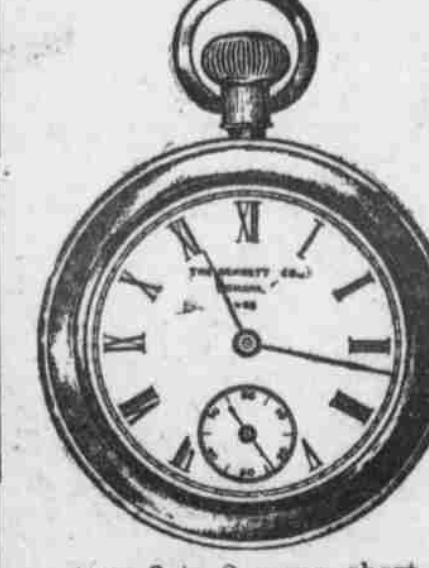
THIS SKIRT FOR \$8.90

A very fine all silk BLACK TAFFETA DRESS SKIRT, very elaborately trimmed with medallions and silk trimmings, fine spun glass drop skirt, cheap at \$12.50—special sale..... 8.90
At \$3.98—A VERY FINE SKIRT, made of heavy, plain suiting, comes in blacks, grays and blues, 7-gored, trimmed in straps and buttons, cheap at \$7.00—special for Monday..... 3.98

mixtures, in all the pretty shades; some trimmed with silk bands and buttons and others prettily stitched, buttons to match, value to \$9, Monday..... 5.48
At \$9.98—A very fine imported black all silk pea de sole Dress Skirt, very heavy quality, prettily trimmed, stylishly made, good percaline drop skirt, cheap at \$14..... 9.98
Wool Walking Skirts. At \$2.98—A fine Walking Skirt, made of good quality melton, also fancy Scotch mixtures, in grays, blues and blacks, panel front, cheap at \$4, special sale..... 2.98

Monday in Our Domestic Department. TURKISH TOWELS—A bleached Turkish towel, 12x24 inches, worth 15-25 cents, 11c they are placed on sale Monday..... 46c
A SHEET SPECIAL—A heavy sheet, 7 1/2 wide by 2 1/2 yards long, extra wide hem, worth 50c—Monday morning as many as you wish at—Monday morning only..... 39c

For School Opening Only one week ahead.



Ages 3 to 8 years, short trousers, 8 to 16 years, short trousers and 10 to 17 years, long trousers. These suits are ordinarily sold for \$6.00—during this phenomenal sale..... 3.45

This must be the time to get that new school suit for the boy. Here's a golden opportunity for getting one at about half price and a nickel silver watch for nothing.

A Suit for the Boy



Rousing Specials in Housefurnishing Goods

- Monday will see things you need for your kitchen almost given away. Sink Brush..... 2c
Vegetable Brush..... 3c
9-in. Rice Root Scrub Brush 4c
9-in. Fiber Scrub Brush..... 5c
6-in. Palmetto Scrub Brush 8c
8-in. Palmetto Scrub Brush 10c
10-in. Palmetto Scrub Brush 12c
Wood Coat Hanger..... 3c
Rolling Pin..... 6c
Feather Duster..... 8c
Globe Wash Board..... 11c

Our September Furniture Sale Begins on Monday

Carloads of new goods from the best factories in America have been received during the past week, and the first offerings will be made Monday. Here are a few introductory September bargains. \$1.50 Rocker, large high back—1.45
\$2.50 Corner Chairs and Seats, pretty upholstered—September..... 2.08
\$4.00 Golden Rods..... 2.98
September sale price..... 1.35
\$12 3-piece Bed Room Suite—18.75
September sale price..... 22.00
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\$3.00 Chiffonier, solid oak..... 5.25
\$12 Chiffonier, swell top and top drawer—Sept. sale price..... 8.85
\$27 Davenport Sofa..... 29.48
September sale price..... 39.75
\$42 5-piece Parlor Suite..... 38.98
September sale price..... 5.25
\$10 Gold Reception Chair..... 6.40
September sale price..... 9.75
\$13.50 Gold Cornered Chair..... 13.45
September sale price..... 7.48
\$10 Music Cabinet..... 4.58
September sale price..... 5.48
\$2.00 Iron Bed..... 2.20
September sale price..... 60c
\$1.25 Oak Table..... 70c
For Monday Only. Axminster Carpet, with or without border, regular \$1.25 to \$1.50 quality..... 98c

Great Sale on Best White Earthenware

- No "seconds" or inferior goods, but the FINEST WARE TURNED OUT. Something that will stand the test of time and make its purchasers our friends. Opened and Unhandled Slop..... 78c
Dishes..... 8c
Covered Slop Jar..... 84c
Handled Cups and Saucers..... 35c
Lace size Fancy Meat Platters..... 1.30
Large size Belt Boy Jugs..... 19c
Two-quart Pitchers..... 60c
Hotel Open Vegetable Dishes..... 60c

Money Saving in Art and Picture Dept.

Tuesday a picture worth \$1.25 for 29c. See them in our window. Pyrography has its Headquarters in our Art Department. Lessons Free.

Stirring Bargains in Perfumes

Our perfume department is the only exclusive perfumery section in the city. We carry an immense variety of the world's best flower products, representing the famed perfumeries of France, Italy and England. Here are prices that are as low as any quoted where the goods are made. Bradley's Woodland Violet Soap..... 24c
Santol Soap, per box of three cakes..... 25c
Almond "Complexion" Soap..... 15c
Munyon's Witch Hazel Soap..... 13c
Santol Soap, per cake..... 13c
Colgate's Glycerine, Honey and Oatmeal Soaps, 3 cakes, box..... 24c

WILL PUT IN FALL RATES

Union Pacific Breaks Away from Transcontinental Association Baling. BURLINGTON PROBABLY WILL FOLLOW. Reduced Fares Are For Tourists to Northwest, Which is Not Favoured by the Roads in General.

The Union Pacific has given notice to the Transcontinental Passenger association that it will put the colonist's rates to the northwest into effect on September 15, as originally voted upon and rejected by the association. These same rates were in effect last fall and proved a great success, so that the Union Pacific refused to be held by the ruling of the association in the matter this year when it was against its desires.

CUBAN FARMERS ASK AID

Request President Palma to Call Special Session of Island Congress. HAVANA, Aug. 23.—In compliance with a petition presented to him by the Agrarian League, President Palma has sent a cable dispatch to President Roosevelt, voicing the satisfaction of the agriculturists of Cuba over the fact that the United States congress will shortly be summoned to consider the subject of reciprocity with Cuba and expressing confidence that congress will do justice to the island by approving the treaty.

WITHHOLD WAGE SCALES

Window Glass Workers Agree with Manufacturers to Secure Resumption of Work. DETROIT, Aug. 23.—The wage committee of the Independent Window Glass company and the Federation Window Glass company of Columbus, O., met the wage committee of the Window Glass Workers of America association here today for the purpose of deciding on a basis for again beginning the manufacture of glass throughout the country. An agreement was reached whereby the Window Glass Workers' association agrees to withhold all wage scales until the stocks in the manufacturers' hands have been reduced sufficiently to warrant a general resumption of work at all factories at the same date. The meeting was harmonious at every point.

ST. LOUIS DOCTOR ARRESTED

Fourth of the Profession to Be Taken in Charge in Missouri Metropolis. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 23.—Dr. E. A. Rowley and I. C. Young were arrested today by Postoffice Inspector Platt and Secret Service Detective Murphy. Evidence was secured in their office, which it is believed will convict them with the "Dead Man's Swindle" and several other frauds. They will be charged with fraudulent use of the mails. The "Dead Man's Swindle" was brought to the notice of the St. Louis police department about a week ago by the Chicago authorities.

DANGER OF STRIKE AVERTED

Missouri Mine Owners and Miners Reach Preliminary Agreement in Conference with Mitchell. CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—The danger of a strike of 10,000 miners in the mines of Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas and Indian Territory was averted at a conference here today between representatives of the miners and operators, when an agreement was reached, to take up the wage scale demanded by the union.

RECOVER FROM DELUGE.

The railroads have practically recovered from the effects of the heavy rains and trains are running on time on all of the lines again. Friday night all of the Chicago lines were open and in operation and this morning the Union Pacific opened up its line after a twenty-four hours' break at Schuyler. During the time that the line was closed at Schuyler all of the through trains on the Union Pacific were carried over the B. & M. tracks between Omaha and Grand Island, while stub locals were run to Schuyler from both directions to care for the local business. The B. & M. has opened its Bellevue line and resumed its regular schedule. This was the only line that it did not have repaired completely up to date. The Missouri Pacific also has resumed the running of its regular trains by way of Fort Crook. The repairs to the tracks at both Bellevue and Fort Crook were necessarily difficult.

SAFE FROM SUMMER COMPLAINTS

All mammas, and papas too for that matter, dread the heat of summer with its danger for the little folks, especially the babies. It is simply heart-breaking to read year after year about the great death rate among children caused by the summer's heat. Yet it is easy to protect the infants against all summer complaints, because we know that all these fearful perils have their beginning in stomach and bowel troubles, and we have a perfect family medicine that will keep the delicate machinery in a child's body clean, regular and in healthy working order in the hottest weather—CASCARET'S Candy Cathartic. The plump, bouncing, crawling baby shows here is a CASCARET baby. He feels that way winter and summer. Nursing mammas take a CASCARET at bedtime, and it makes their mother's milk mildly purgative and keeps the baby just right. Older children like to take the fragrant, sweet little candy tablet, and are safe from colic, gripes, diarrhoea, summer rash, prickly heat and all the mean troubles that summer brings with it.



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