

VOTE HUNTERS AFTER GAME

In The Bee's July Voting Contest for Ten Trips to the Exposition.

SPLENDID CHANCE TO GO TO ST. LOUIS

Ten Free Trips to Ten Highest Scores and Three Highest Have Also a Week's Free Accommodation at Inside Inn.

St. Louis, the mecca of a million eyes! Have you ever been to St. Louis? If not there is one route open to you at a little cost. Enlist as one of The Bee vote hunters and make a record. It's fun, good healthy and exciting and the reward of a free trip to and from St. Louis is worth more than the effort. Then if you are a good hunter you may be one of the three highest and may also secure a week's free accommodation at the Inside Inn. An early start is half of the battle and a good fight will land you not only inside of St. Louis but inside of the Inside. Don't rest satisfied outside of the Inside, but get inside and then get outside of as much of the Inside as your constitution will stand.

The vote at 3 p. m. Friday, July 8, was: C. G. Flanck, Omaha, Neb., 207; Alva Blouin, Blair, Neb., 194; John Mangol, South Omaha, Neb., 185; H. O. Tucker, Council Bluffs, Ia., 160.

CONNOLLY GETS THE CONTRACT

Secures Disposal of Works on Saddle Creek Sewer on Lowest Bid Submitted.

County Commissioner James P. Connolly through his father, P. M. Connolly, was the low bidder for the construction of the Saddle creek sewer disposal works before the Board of Public Works. The contract was awarded to him, subject to the approval of the mayor and council, for \$4,821. The Foundation and Construction company submitted a bid of \$6,860 and John P. Dalley one for \$5,123. The latter, however, was defective, as no certified check was enclosed.

End of Week Excursion to Clear Lake, Ia.

Via Chicago Great Western railway: For trains Friday night and Saturday morning of each week round trip tickets will be sold at one fare to Clear Lake, Ia. Tickets good returning on any train until the following Monday. For further information apply to H. H. Markham, general agent, 1512 Farnam street, Omaha, Neb.

Railway Notes and Personal.

J. H. Heiler, traveling passenger agent of the Nickel Plate at Kansas City, Ia. in Omaha.

W. R. McKee, superintendent of motive power and machinery for the Union Pacific, returned from a trip east Thursday.

A rumor is in circulation to the effect that the Nebraska and Kansas divisions of the Rock Island will be consolidated. With Superintendent James H. Wilson in charge. Superintendent Wilson of the Nebraska division probably will be promoted. None of the particulars of the proposed consolidation are known here.

A. J. Wolf, the electrical worker who was seriously injured by being thrown from the Union Pacific bridge a few days ago when struck by a Union Pacific train, is reported in a very serious condition at St. Joseph's hospital, where he was removed after the accident. The attending physicians cannot state as yet whether Wolf will recover or not.

Notice has been issued by the passenger departments of the Union Pacific and Burlington that no charge will be made for the stop-over privilege on World's fair tickets in this city. It was the original intention to make a charge of \$1 for depositing each ticket with the ticket agent, because a like charge was made for the service in Kansas City, but the Kansas City charge having been waived, this city was put on the same footing.

Mortality Statistics.

The following births and deaths have been reported to the Board of Health during the twenty-four hours ending at noon Friday:

Births—Simon Kohn, 315 Marcy, girl; Anton Novak, 222 South Fourteenth, boy; C. T. Cowan, Twenty-fifth and Valley, boy; Anton Vande, 119 South Sixteenth, girl.

Deaths—Fred Lange, Benson, 17; Leonard Earl Johnson, 246 South Twentieth, 9; A. J. Sherrett, 243 Capitol avenue, 35.

Banana Shoots by Mail.

A shipment of banana shoots from the Department of Agriculture of the government passed through Omaha today by mail. The consignment was billed to Leonard G. Johnson of Mecca, Cal. There were five truckloads of the shoots, which are being sent to California for the purpose of experimenting to see whether the fruit can be successfully cultivated in that state or not.

Homesekers' Rates to North Dakota.

Every Tuesday until October 25 the Chicago Great Western railway will sell round trip tickets to points in the above named state at a great reduction from the usual fare. For further information apply to Geo. F. Thomas, general agent, 1512 Farnam street, Omaha, Neb.

Choice of any Suit in the house, including Alfred Benjamin's \$25.00 Suits, your Unrestricted Pick, \$15.00.

Your unrestricted choice of any suit in our house for \$15.00; this includes the Alfred Benjamin \$25.00 suits; even black is not excepted. No tailor can make you finer clothes no matter how much he charges. Every improvement that high tailoring art can possibly think of will be found in these suits. It's a great temporary loss to us, but in the end it will be all right because it gives us a chance to open next season with an entire new stock of fine suits.

\$2.50 Mohair Shirts, \$1.50  
Fine White Mohair with collars attached, and necktie to match, special price, \$1.50.

Men's Underwear Special 29c

Basket weave, Men's Underwear, light blue shade, made and trimmed with lace and silk, garments that sell in gent's furnishing goods stores at 75c—our sale price Saturday, garment, 29c.

Men's & Boys' Straw Hats, 10c

Choice out of a big lot of Men's and Boys' Straw Hats for one dime. These are desirable styles and without doubt the biggest straw hat bargain ever given in Omaha.

Men's Hose, 10c

Tan color with fancy embroidery as well as black with silk dots and hundreds of other colors—your choice 10c a pair.

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J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS BOSTON STORE & SONS \$4 Men's Patent Shoes \$2.50 Here's one of the biggest bargains we ever offered in men's fine shoes. Men Custom made welt sole genuine patent coltskin lace and Blucher shoes—straight four dollar shoes, On Sale today on second floor. at 2.50

Summer Millinery at reduced prices. All Our Finest Trimmed Hats and Street Hats that were sold as high as \$1.98 \$7 and \$8, will go Saturday 1.98 All the Trimmed Hats—some of our finest patterns that were sold at \$10-\$15—go Saturday at 2.50 All Our Untrimmed Straw Hats—worth to \$1—now on sale at 10c All the 50c and 75c Flowers—go at, per bunch, 10c-15c Duck Hats—latest fad—worth up to \$3.50, 25c-50c-\$1

Sale of Traveling Bags High Grade Alligator Bags for Vacation Trips. A \$9 Bag at \$5.50—Genuine alligator, brass trimmings—English handle—leather lined—in-side pocket—size 15, at 5.50 45 TRAVELING BAGS AT \$2.50—English oxford, horned alligator, brass trimmings—seamless handle—leather lined—three pockets, at 9.50 EXTRA FINE BAG AT \$1.50—Horned alligator on both sides and end—hand stitched—solid brass trimmings, at 11.50 \$1.50 TRAVELING BAGS AT \$1.00—Heavy English covered frame—snap catches, leather lined, 3 inside pockets, worth \$2.50, at 7.50 great Kelley-Stiger sale now on. J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS BOSTON STORE & SONS Kelley-Stiger stock now on sale

Your Idle Funds will draw four per cent interest if deposited in our bank. Small accounts receive the same attention as large ones. DEPOSITS MADE THIS WEEK will draw interest for the entire month. Checks on all banks cashed. J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS, Bankers.

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ALFALFA It has been discovered that the PLATTE VALLEY traversed by the UNION PACIFIC Possesses immense wealth in alfalfa—greater than all the grasses and clovers combined. As a source of revenue alfalfa exceeds all other products. Its growth is simply enormous. Three, and sometimes four cuttings are made a year. EVERY FARMER CAN RAISE ALFALFA And if he raises that, he can also raise cattle, sheep, horses and hogs. Illustrated publication "Alfalfa on Union Pacific," free on application. City Ticket Office, 1324 Farnam St. Phone 214.

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Schmoller & Mueller Are selling the bankrupt stock of the W. S. Stratton Co. High Grade Pianos, Organs and Musical Instruments, at one-half regular price. Every instrument full guaranteed. Beautiful, new upright pianos, great variety of standard makes, regular price \$125, \$175, \$225, \$275 and up. BAIKRUPT PRICE, \$68, \$87, \$113, \$138 and up. Excellent Square Pianos, good for beginners, \$28, \$38, \$48 and up. Burdett, Kimball, Estey, Mason & Hamlin and other organs, \$10, \$14, \$21, \$28 and up. Piano Players All makes, \$85, \$115, \$135 and up to the price of the Pianola—the only player endorsed by the world's greatest pianists, Paderswski, Rosenthal, Sauer and others. We trust the people and make terms to suit the buyer. Should you live at a distance write for catalogues and bargain list. We ship our instruments everywhere and pay freight charges both ways. IF NOT SATISFACTORY AFTER CAREFUL EXAMINATION YOU CANNOT GO WRONG IN BUYING ONE OF THESE BARGAINS. Schmoller & Mueller, THE OLD RELIABLE PIANO HOUSE. Established 1859. Manufacturers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers. 1313 Farnam St. Telephone 1625. Branch stores—Lincoln, Council Bluffs, Sioux City.

Johnson & Goodlett Co. Reduced Prices on Poultry. In order to dispose of the enormous quantities of poultry which we are constantly receiving from the country, we have decided to sacrifice profit and reduce the prices on Spring Chickens and young hens and pleased to quote the following: SPRING CHICKENS, 20c per lb. YOUNG HENS, 11c per lb. PRIME HIB ROAST, 10c per lb. GENUINE SPRING LAMB at comparatively low prices. Must be seen to be appreciated. Dr. Price's Celery Wheat Food, 15c per lb. 2 lbs. for 25c. Ralston Oats, 2 lbs. for 25c. Ralston Breakfast Food, 2 lbs. for 25c. Malt Cereals, per pkg. 5c. Knox's Gelatine, 11c per dozen. STRICTLY FRESH EGGS, 15c per dozen. VEGETABLES. Sweet Marrowfat Peas, 20c per pkg. Spotted Wax Beans, 20c per pkg. Tender Cucumbers, 10c for 3. Choice Cauliflower, 10c each. FINEST FREESTONE PEACHES, 25c per basket. CALIFORNIA OX-HEART CHERRIES, per lb. 15c. SOMMER BROS. Exponents of Good Living, 28th and Farnam Sts. TEL. 786, 1323, 1331.

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From the Kelley & Stiger Stock. All the 25c and 35c Whisk Brooms, 15c All the 25c, 35c and 40c Hair Brushes at 19c 25c bottles Florida Water, 10c 25c bottles Bay Rum, 10c 25c Lyon's Tooth Powder, 15c 50c Graham's Shampoo Paste, 25c 10,000 5c cakes Transparent Glycerine Soap, 2 cakes for 5c 50c Perfumes—White Rose, Heliotrope, Jockey Club, Violet, Lily of the Valley and Lilac, per ounce, 10c COOKS CHAMPAGNE SERVED EVERYWHERE

Don't Miss Saturday's Sales AT HAYDEN'S THE GREATEST BARGAIN OFFERINGS OF THE YEAR—See Large ad, page 8. Great Clothing Values \$12.50 Men's Suits \$5.00 The greatest line of Men's Suits ever shown in the West at the price. Cheviots, Cassimeres, Plain and Unfinished Worsteds, Serges and many other fabrics in Round Cut and Double-Breasted Square-Cut Styles. All colors, both plain and mixed; noblest patterns; sizes 34 to 46. Will make stylish Suits, with excellent linings and trimmings, worth up to \$12.50, special price Saturday—\$5.00 Men's Fine Pants \$1.50 Most of them odd pants from suits from which coat and vest have been sold. Best fabrics, newest styles, great variety of patterns and colors; best values shown in the city; worth up to \$3.00 pair, your choice Saturday at 1.50

SUIT CASES BEST QUALITY BEST STYLES LOWEST PRICES Will save you money on any style, size or quality Suit Case you want to buy. Our Cases are guaranteed. Best made. No better at price. Come in and look at them. WE CARRY A COMPLETE LINE.

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T. B. NORRIS, 1517 DOUGLAS ST. SUIT CASES AND GRIPS At 20 Per Cent Discount. Not a lot of odds and ends—but our regular stock—and there is none better to be had—Made of best material by skilled workmen—lasting and strong. OMAHA-TRUNK-FACTORY-FARNAM ST.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS VIA Illinois Central R.R. Round Trip Rates From Omaha Detroit, Mich., on sale July 5 to 7, \$19.25 Atlantic City, N. J., on sale July 9 to 10, \$34.00 Cincinnati, Ohio, on sale July 15 to 17, \$22.75 French Lick Springs, Ind., on sale July 22 to 25, \$20.75 Boston, Mass., on sale August 11 to 13, \$30.50 Tickets to points below on sale daily until September 30th. Return October 31st. Montreal, P. Q., \$33.00 Cambridge Springs, Pa., \$27.15 Buffalo, N. Y., \$27.15 St. Paul-Minneapolis, \$12.50 Put-in-Bay, Ohio, \$22.00 Duluth-Superior, \$18.50 Chautauque Lake Points 27.15 Alexandria, Minn., \$15.25 Chicago, \$20.00 Walker, Minn., (Lech Lake), \$17.10 Chicago (via St. Louis one way), \$20.00 Rice Lake, Wis., \$15.00 Charlevoix, Mich., \$24.25 Winnipeg, Man., \$35.00 Windsor, Ont., \$21.50 Waterville, Minn., \$10.50 Quebec, P. Q., \$38.85 Madison Lake, Minn., \$10.50 Spirit Lake (Okoboji), \$9.95 Mackinac Island, Mich., \$28.25 Waterloo, Iowa, \$11.85 Toronto, \$27.15 Cherokee, Iowa, \$6.85 Correspondingly low rates to many other points in Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Ontario and New York State. Attractive tours of the Great Lakes via rail to Chicago or Duluth and steamer. Before planning your trip, call at City Ticket Office, No. 1408 Farnam St., or write W. H. BRILL, Dist. Pass. Agt., Omaha, Neb.